

A Question You Have A Dollar, Where Is Your Heart?

(By W. BRODIE JONES)

Why indeed, no, you are not selfish! That quality is the most sordid of human afflictions and we know you are not to be judged that way.

But where is the Red Cross Button which should proclaim your doctrine and show your colors to those about you? Where is the greatest little badge of unselfishness in the world? Where is the symbol of the heart of humanity? Where is the evidence that you care for the welfare of others?

It should be worn with pride! No one can fail, who knows conditions here and abroad, to give the heart and dollar for enrollment under a Cross which has come to live those principles for which the Eternal Cross stands. No one should turn a deaf ear to an appeal for the nominal sum of a dollar for a purpose eternal as glorious.

Where is your button? We know you are not selfish—may be you are unthoughtful. Reflect and join!

The Greatest Mother in the World waits for you with outstretched arms. For her sake and for the welfare of your brothers, can you conscientiously turn your back to the appeal of Mercy or fail to heed the entreaty of a world-cry for aid?

You have the dollar!
Where is your heart?

SUPPORT AMERICAN LEGION

Every soldier, sailor or marine who valiantly served the country in the hour of peril will perform a continued service by joining the American Legion—a non-military, non-partisan service man organization whose predominant ideal is the Americanization of the United States.

The future of America is to be built in the main by the men who rallied to the flag in the recent war. They represent the virile manhood of the nation—they are to maintain its ideals and safeguard its liberties.

What a world of service lies before them now when on many sides insidious propaganda and devil-dyed, foreign-born, cunning are hand in hand working to overthrow in our industrial life the very principles for which so many comrades in arms gave their lives.

The Legion has promulgated its ideal of Americanism. Could there be any finer goal?

It is to be expected that the men of this country will give their moral support to the national ideals of the organization and help shape with their influence the peace time activity of the Nation for which they gave their all in the time of war. No one obligates himself to the Government in any way which might become binding—indeed every one can subscribe to its program of Americanism and help constitute a powerful factor in the development of the Nation.

Get in touch with your local post—Limer No. 25—today.

Drive Makes Good Progress

Reports coming to Third Red Cross Roll Call headquarters here tell of activity of various committees over the county. Everywhere Red Cross buttons speak in silent tribute the praise of some energetic worker.

Roll Call Chairman Davis appeals for strenuous effort on the part of all to make the campaign the success the county's previous Red Cross record would predict.

The value of a whole time nurse is a factor of the campaign which the canvassers will visualize for the public.

There will be a meeting in the Macon Baptist Church, on Sunday, Nov. 9, at 7:30 p. m., in the interest of the Third Red Cross Roll Call. Mr. W. Brodie Jones, publicity manager, will deliver the address. A cordial invitation is extended every white man, woman and child in Six Pound township to be present at this closing feature of the campaign for "a heart and a dollar."

J. J. NICHOLSON,
MRS. J. S. NOWELL.

On Sunday morning, November 9, in connection with the regular preaching services at Mt. Zion Baptist church, Mr. W. Brodie Jones, Publicity Manager, will deliver an address in the interest of the "Third Red Cross Roll Call." Every man, woman and child of the colored race in Six Pound township is invited to be present and hear Mr. Jones speak on this highly important subject.

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LIFE, LIBERTY HAPPINESS

ISSUE OF CLOSED OR OPEN SHOP IN THE BALANCE

Liberty Impossible When Labor Unions Endeavor To Dominate Public; Policy To Perish Because of Public Opinion.

Of course that Thomas Jefferson expression, quoted for the last one hundred and forty odd years as much as any one phrase in any literature, unless it be something from the bible, "life, liberty and the pursuit of happiness" is not in the Constitution of the United States, but is in the Declaration of Independence. So far as basic law is concerned, it might just as well be in the Constitution as in the Declaration for it is the one document which can be truthfully and emphatically described as the "unwritten law." We often say that a man is entitled to live, to have liberty and to be as happy as he can be, because it is his constitutional right, and that right cannot be taken from him by any body of law makers, agitators, or any power of any kind as the Constitution, after many bitter fights over very many months, embodied in itself the principles of the Declaration of Independence.

That is why we have laws to protect a man's life, in so far as law may so protect why we extend to citizens and to many others, extraordinary liberties of action, and by guaranteeing these two, so far as possible, we make the pathway for the pursuer of happiness as free from obstacles as it can be made.

Did it ever occur to you that proposals in this "unrest" period are deliberately made by certain agitators to take away liberties of thought and action on specious pleas of benefiting a certain class of our population? There would be a will-wind of indignation if efforts were made to deprive a man of work, if he did not belong to a certain church or to a certain sect, or to this or that secret society. The people would have none of it. The effort would be strangled speedily. Yet that is no worse than this proposition of certain labor agitators that a man cannot have work, unless he belongs to a labor union. He must surrender his liberties, under their theories, and if there is any happiness to be pursued, he must pursue it under the direction of the officers of his labor union, and in their paths, not in the path of his own choosing. There is the whole question of this issue of the "closed" or "open" shop, and that is where the line is drawn by the great majority of the American public which believes thoroughly in labor's right to organize, but which balks at labor's assumption of right to deprive other men of their liberty in choices of employment, and to limit their production and efficiency.

There can be other things than those specified in a written Constitution, which every free man insists upon having and two of the things at least 90 per cent of us are bound to have, are legal protection to our lives, guarantee of our liberty of action (not license, mind you, but liberty) so that we may pursue happiness in our own way.

The American people may have changed in some ways, as it has grown from a handful to more than a hundred million, but it has never changed in its devotion to the basic principles of its democracy. There is nothing else possible in the world in the way of Government other than a democracy. That has been proved repeatedly. Failures of democracies for centuries have been the result of failure to base and to maintain them on the only possible foundations, the rights of individuals, consistent with the greatest good to the greatest number.

There never was a greater unanimity than that of the American people when it went into the great war to destroy the menace to democracy. It is not going to substitute for the autocracy of Prussia, an autocracy of any selfish class of its own population. Every American is going to continue to have an equal chance with every other American. He may not take advantage of it, but that is his fault if he does not. That is why public rights are coming to the front and will be supreme against the efforts of any class to infringe upon them.

Guy E. Tripp, chairman of Westinghouse Electric, just back from Eng-

A SAFE STOCK FOR ALL



land, had this to say in an interview yesterday:

"Neither labor organizations, nor capitalist combinations, can long resist the opinion of the majority. The people as a whole are quick to determine which side is in the wrong in a situation of this kind. Their judgment is now crystallized to the point where radical union leaders can expect little sympathy. England has turned the corner in its labor difficulties, because the people felt the pinch and became tremendously tired of being imposed upon. They arose en masse to end the tie-up of the nation's transportation system, the wealthy and titled volunteering their services as well as those of other classes.

"In this country the situation is additionally complicated by the fact that we have among us so many foreigners who have not been digested and are not in sympathy with national institutions. Perhaps we shall have to deport some of these. At any rate, it is evident that the forces of law and order are near to victory and the present difficulties will be smoothed out along sound economic lines. Even Congress, which had a stop watch held on it two years ago by the Railroad Brotherhood, has come to the end of its patience."

Here is how the Board of Trade of Homestead, Pennsylvania, looks on the labor situation there—it wants restriction of immigration for a number of years, and complete Americanization of aliens before they are granted naturalization papers. It places the blame for the steel strike on alien agitators whose deportation is demanded. It drew up a petition to Congress for Federal regulations of combinations of employers, and of capital, and of employees, and of labor organizations.

Here are facts, apparently not bearing on the labor situation, yet they have the most tremendous influence since the people involved will not stand for strikes, nor for any change in American methods and ways. The Department of Agriculture will help the Census Bureau, beginning Jan. 1, when enumerators will visit seven million farms, peopled by 35,000,000 rural citizens, comprising one-third of the total population of the United States. But against this list of home owners the members of Labor Unions, and then the radical elements in the ranks of labor, and the hopeless minority of the two last, is conspicuously evident. This fact should be of more than solid comfort to timid souls who seem to think that the country has gone to the "bow-wows," because of the yelping of a misguided few.

Meeting Macon Community Club.

There will be a meeting of the Community Club in the Macon High school building this afternoon (Friday) at 3:30 o'clock. Miss Rankin, Home Demonstration Agent for Warren county, will have charge of the program and will give a demonstration in cottage cheese-making. All members of the Club and any other women of the community who desire to attend will receive a cordial welcome.

(Signed) MRS. JOHN S. NOWELL,
Sec. Macon Com. Club.

"Wars won in the trenches are lost by poor health at home." JOIN.

You're in mighty good company when you belong to the Red Cross.

There's no disaster too big for Red Cross relief.

How about a Red Cross membership! Ask the man who owns one.

PLANT NOW!



TOMLINSON FOR SATURDAY

**EXPERT IN ORGANIZATION
TO GREET AUDIENCE HERE**

To Talk On Behalf of American Cotton Association To Farmers and Business Men of Warren County.

L. S. Tomlinson, successful business man of Wilson and chairman of the cotton association of that county, will address the people of Warren in the Court House here Saturday morning at 11 o'clock.

Mr. Tomlinson originated the plan of campaign which the State organization has accepted and is an adept in organizing. He will give the assembled workers of Warren the wealth of his experience and answer all questions which may arise in reference to the work.

In Wilson county a thorough organization is awaiting the word to commence the canvass on November 10th. The business men of that county are solidly behind the movement and the tobacco warehousemen of the town have manifested enough interest to be placed upon the Executive Committee of the cotton association. The work of the association is extending in all counties, the daily press discloses.

The farmers of Warren, the trend of thought evident at the meeting here Saturday pointed out, indisputably expected similar aid from the business interests here and over the county. The thought given voice at the meeting that the price of the staple was a matter of concern to the entire cotton belt and that the entire citizenship of the belt, whether cotton farmers or no, should give their influence to the movement.

The county association is becoming well organized in township units County Agent Bason, who with Mr. B. E. Williams has been over the county in its behalf, states "The interest which is still in its incipency, however, is expected to receive a boost at the gathering here Saturday when the movement is intelligently presented the farmers and business men.

America needs the Red Cross. The Red Cross needs YOU.

Answer "Present" at the Red Cross Roll Call.

Show your pride in your Warren County Chapter. Join the Red Cross.

Red Cross chapters are striking for longer hours and harder work.

JOIN. The Red Cross—the heartbeat of humanity.

Kreidt-Hecht Marriage Solemnized

Married: Mr. A. E. Kreidt to Miss Elizabeth M. Hecht on Wednesday November 5th at the home of the bride in Nutbush township.

Married: Mr. Calton Wilson, of Raleigh, to Miss Essie Lee Wilson at the home of the bride on Tuesday November 4th, Rev. J. T. Gibbs officiating.

The Record wishes for the happy brides and their husbands many years of contentment.

The Red Cross job is an American job. Are you an American? Be a regular American. Join the Red Cross.

VICKSBORO ITEMS.

Mr. Kearney Southland, of Charlotte, is at home for a few days.

School opened Monday Oct. 27th. We now have an enrollment of 80 attending regularly.

Vicksboro is planning to lead the township in good school work this year.

Several air ships passed over our city last week, one of which was Lieut. Maynard's en route to Raleigh.

Misses Mary Joseph, Elizabeth and Margaret Stewart, Sallie Pritchard and Mr. Lewis Turner, all of Middleburg Farm Life School, were at home for the week-end.

Miss Estelle Williams, of Inez, is visiting Mrs. Rob. Southerland this week.

Supt. J. Edward Allen visited our school Wednesday. We are always glad to see our superintendents. Come again Mr. Allen.

Mr. Bason, Warren county demonstrator was to see us last Friday in the interest of the Farmers' Association which was organized at Axtel schoolhouse last Friday night.

THANKSGIVING NOV. 27

BY PRESIDENTIAL PROCLAMATION OF WEDNESDAY

Calls On People To Show Their Gratitude; Predicts Dawn of Era Where Sacrifices Will Find Recompense In World Peace.

Washington, Nov. 5.—President Wilson today set aside Thursday November 27, as Thanksgiving day in a proclamation which said the country looked forward "with confidence to the dawn of an era where the sacrifices of the nations will find recompense in a world at peace."

The proclamation follows: "The season of the year has again arrived when the people of the United States are accustomed to unite in giving thanks to Almighty God for the blessings which he has conferred upon our country during the twelve months that have passed. A year ago our people poured out their hearts in praise and thanksgiving that through Divine aid the right was victorious and peace had come to the nations which had so courageously struggled in defense of human liberty and justice. Now that the stern task is ended and the fruits of achievements are ours we look forward with confidence to the dawn of an era where the sacrifices of the nations will find recompense in a world at peace."

"But to attain the consummation of the great work to which the American people devoted their manhood and the vast resources of their country they should, as they give thanks to God, reconsecrate themselves to those principles of right which triumphed through His goodness. Our gratitude can find no more perfect expression than bulwark with loyalty and patriotism those principles for which they free peoples of the earth who fought and died.

"During the past year we have had much to make us grateful. In spite of the confusion in our economic life resulting from the war we have prospered. Our harvests have been plentiful and of abundance we have been able to render succor to less favored nations. Our democracy remains unshaken in a world torn with political and social unrest. Our traditional ideals are still our guides in the path of progress and civilization.

"These great blessings, vouchsafed to us, for which we devoutly give thanks, should arouse us to a fuller sense of our duty to ourselves and to mankind to see to it that nothing we may do shall mar the completeness of the victory which we helped to win. No selfish purpose animated us in becoming participants in the world war and with a like spirit of unselfishness we should strive to aid by our example and by our co-operation in realizing the enduring welfare of all peoples and in bringing into being a world ruled by friendship and good will.

"Therefore, I, Woodrow Wilson, President of the United States of America, hereby designate Thursday, next, for observance as a day of Thanksgiving and prayer by my fellow-countrymen, inviting them to cease on that day from their ordinary tasks and to unite in their homes and in their several places of worship in ascribing praise and thanksgiving to God the author of all blessings and the Master of our destinies.

In witness whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the seal of the United States to be affixed.

"Done in the District of Columbia this 5th day of November in the year dreed and nineteen, and of the independence of the United States the one hundred and forty-fourth.

(Signed) WOODROW WILSON.

The World's Good Samaritan

The World at Armageddon fell among thieves, is the opinion of Secretary of the Interior Franklin K. Lane and the American Red Cross is the good Samaritan that came along to bind up its wounds.

In a remarkable statement issued in support of the impending Third Red Cross Roll Call, the Secretary says:

"If Christ were to return to this earth he would find much to make him sad, but of this we may reverently feel proud—that his gentle, compassionate heart would be made glad by the daily work at home and in foreign lands of that National Good Samaritan, the American Red Cross."