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BIBLE THOUGHT

"Now faith is the substance of things hoped for, the evidence of things not seen. For by it the elders obtained a good report. Through faith we understand that the worlds were framed by the word of God, so that things which are seen were not made of things which do appear."—Hebrews.

BRITISH STRIKES EXCEED AMERICA'S!

According to a cabled dispatch to the New York Times from London, strikes in war-torn Britain have exceeded those in the United States.

This revelation confounds the criticism of reactionaries in this country who have tried to draw unfavorable comparisons between labor's record in America and in Great Britain.

"Britain is still plagued by a vast number of small wildcat strikes that annoy both the Government and trade union officials and undoubtedly hamper the war effort," said the New York Times report.

"The importance of these small strikes will be recognized from the fact that in 1942 official figures show that, making allowance for the United States' three-to-one advantage in industrial employment, Britain had 29 per cent more strikes, involving 61 per cent more men and causing the loss of 7 per cent more man-days than the United States.

"The British are having more strikes now—though they are smaller—than they did before the war."

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KILLING UNIONS KILLED HITLER

Destruction of the trade unions, the cooperative societies and every other voluntary organization was the greatest mistake Hitler and the Nazi bosses ever made, according to Ernest Bevin, Minister of Labor in the British War Cabinet, speaking recently at the Edinburgh conference of the British Transport and General Workers' Union.

Hitler and the Nazis established a regime in which nothing sprang from the bottom and everything was ordered from the top, Bevin said, and this has proved fatal to the regime.

He himself has been determined from the very start to follow the opposite course, Bevin went on. He has been reluctant to apply the far-reaching compulsory powers which Parliament has voted him without first obtaining the voluntary cooperation of the people.

The organization of Britain's manpower has been built on the principle of strengthening the voluntary movements and securing their wholehearted support, Bevin explained. If the law had been applied in any other way England might have lost the war, he said.

**Typo Union Will
Look After Boys
In The Service**

The first Fall meeting of Charlotte Typographical Union No. 338 will be held in the Moose Hall on South Tryon Street Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock. President C. Jack Pridgen will preside, and Secretaries Burgess and Beatty will be at their posts of duty. In addition to routine business, it is expected that the special committee appointed at the September meeting to have in hand the matter of sending Christmas presents to Typographical Union members now in the armed forces of the country, will report.

The attendance of members has been unusually good during the hot Summer months, and now that cooler days are here the attendance is expected to materially increase. Despite the large number of boys in the armed services the membership is the largest in history.

**Our Soldiers
Abroad Can't
Cash Checks**

WASHINGTON, D. C.—Don't send a soldier a check drawn on a bank in the United States, the American Red Cross advises relatives, friends and former employers of servicemen. Since it is practically impossible for him to cash a check, send money by post office money order.

Red Cross workers overseas report that soldiers constantly ask them to aid in cashing checks sent from this country. Post office money orders can be cashed wherever there is an Army post office, while checks are valueless to soldiers receiving them.

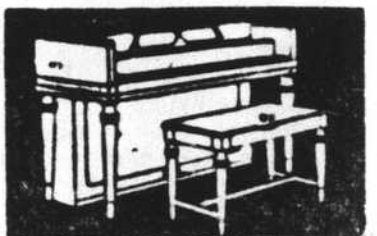
**To Issue No. 4
Ration Book
Last Of Oct.**

War Ration Book Four, which will last approximately two years, will be issued to more than 120 million persons through schoolhouse distributions during the last 10 days of October. OPA has announced. The book combines point and unit stamps. It has eight pages containing 384 stamps, printed in blue, red, green, and black.

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STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA
COUNTY OF MECKLENBURG.
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Michael Mazziotta, Plaintiff vs. Grace Tacconelli Mazziotta, Defendant.
The defendant, Grace Tacconelli Mazziotta, will take notice that an action entitled as above has been commenced in the Superior Court of Mecklenburg County, North Carolina to obtain judgment for an absolute divorce of plaintiff from the defendant upon the statutory grounds of two years separation preceding the date of the filing of the complaint; and the said defendant will further take notice that she is required to appear at the office of the Clerk of Court for Mecklenburg County, North Carolina, on the 18th day of October, 1943, or within 20 days thereafter and answer or demur to the complaint of the plaintiff, or the plaintiff will apply to the Court for the relief demanded in said complaint.
This the 22 day of September, A. D., 1943.
J. A. RUSSELL, Asst.
Clerk of the Superior Court of Mecklenburg County.
Sept. 23, 30—Oct. 7, 14.

**ILG Volunteers
Cut 1 1/2 Million
Army Pads On
Red Cross Appeal**

WASHINGTON, D. C.—Eighteen tons of cotton pads being turned into surgical pads for the Army by the New York Red Cross Chapter production workers as the result of a rec-

ord in volunteer work set by Local 10 of the International Ladies Garment Workers (AFL). Given a rush order for 1,485,000 pads, Mrs. William G. Green, director of the chapter's production service, appealed to members of Local 10 who have consistently volunteered for service for assistance in cutting cotton used in pads, normally one of the most tedious and time-consuming steps in the operation.

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Buy at least one extra \$100 War Bond during this \$15,000,000,000 3rd War Loan Drive in addition to your regular bond-buying. Everyone who possibly can must

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