

The Advance

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A MISAPPREHENSION

Inadvertent injustice was done a faithful band of workers in Elizabeth City in the editorial of yesterday "A Stitch in Time." The Advance had not lost sight of the work of these good women, members

of the Surgical Dressing Society, when the editorial was written. Indeed, we had them constantly in mind. But these sixty five workers who give up their mornings three times a week to make bandages for the wounded soldiers form only a small part of the women of Elizabeth City. There are many

who are not members of the Surgical Dressing Society and who cannot well become members and it was to these that we were suggesting work at home. The making of bandages must

be done very carefully, too. It resembles more the skillful work of the tailor than the ordinary handwork of the average seamstress. But there is plenty of handwork to be done for the soldiers, too. The W. C. T. U. we are glad to learn, has taken

up the work of sending "Comfort Bags" to the boys in khaki. These bags contain, pencil, paper, stamps, chocolates, buttons, thread, and so on. Mufflers, socks, sweaters, these are some of the articles which are being knit for the soldiers in many towns.

But the chief point is this, the nation is at War, and it seems more fitting that we work instead of play, that we

spend our leisure hours in a pastime which will be of help somewhere instead of in playing cards and preparing superfluous refreshments. We need not place the burden on sixty five good women and think that there is nothing for us to do.

The Surgical Dressing Society, by the way, since its organization on March 19th, has cleared \$300, \$225 of which has been spent for materials. It has sent away five boxes containing 2,418 dressings. There are sixteen models of hospital supplies made by the society, and in addition, the Comfort Bags, the making of which has been taken over by the W. C. T. U.

We are glad to learn also that this work will be carried on at Nags Head through the summer by members of the society there. Again we want to say that we have only commendation for these good workers and the highest commendation, but we urge, too, that those who have left undone the things they should have done get in line and spend their summer leisure doing their bit, lest their wiser sisters dub them "slackers."

We used to teach school, and we remember that when we tried to impress the pupils en masse with the seriousness of a situation and the urgent necessity of hard work it was always the conscientious students who were already doing their level best that took the lecture to heart, while the thoughtless ones went their way confident that it was meant "for you but not for me." And we fear that we shall have the same misfortune in what we have tried to say yesterday and today. Truly, we aren't urging the workers to work more but we are urging that every woman everywhere shall do her bit.

CHURCHES AND SCHOOLS

"Every country church," says Archbishop Johnson, ought to be the moral center of its community. It ought to be the kindliest and best furnished house in the community. The church ought to be the pride and joy of the congregation, both old and young.

We grieve to say it, but in this part of North Carolina, while the country people have builded themselves new barns and new houses and added in a hundred ways to the comforts of their homes, the country church is much the same as it was when those who now own mansions dwelt in cabins.

This ought not so to be. We need new church buildings as well as new schoolhouses in our rural communities. We are beginning to have some fine new rural school buildings in this section; but too often they put the church in the same

neighborhood to shame.

Time was when the preachers were the leaders of the people in the rural communities at least. Now in these same communities it is the teacher, and not the preacher, whose name is on everybody's lips.

The country preacher will do well to observe these facts and to ponder them.

"PACIFISTS I HAVE MET"

(Hapsburg Liebe)
There are three distinct types of them—and I think three of every ten of all pacifists—what a misnomer is that name!—may be grouped under one of those three heads.

Most dangerous of all is the man who deliberately seeks to seduce the enemy in his mouthings of peace. He is usually of German blood, and America has not yet succeeded in getting the Kultur out of it. Nearly always he is a good talker, and there are those who are impressed by his peace guff. If one only listens long enough to one side of any question, you know, one will be convinced; it is inevitable. A man may very easily argue himself out of a goal.

But I have infinitely more respect for this class of "pacifists" than I have for the other two groups—i. e., the dreamers of an Elysian peace without paying anything for it and the plain, everyday, milk and water cowards.

There are far too many of the coward class here in America, and it is a shame for America that I am able to say it. Some of these were made what they are by too much liberty and an utter lack of realization of the big fact that they are in covenant with God and that they owe a debt of allegiance to the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit. Some are good and dearest of wife and child to their masters and not so well their souls their own. Too much liberty ruins slaves, too. These have had too much liberty.

The oldest law in the world is that we must pay for what we get; it is unchangeable, immutable, in other words, you can't get around it.

The price of peace is war now.

I thank Heaven that this great war, this Armageddon, bids fair to be the last of its kind; even if Germany wins, you know, it is apt to be the last great war, for then Germany would riddle the earth with the mailed fist and keep down war. The world is not yet ready for such a peace as the dream of the "pacifists" have for. Our

can't they see that peace now is impossible without war? Why can't they see that this is the one chance that the world has seen to make all nations safe in Democracy, safe from the divine right of kings and the curse of autoeracy?

And why do those puny worms of the dirt set themselves up as wiser than the sages of the Nation?

Mr. "Pacifist," you're going to have to shake hands or fight. Which will it be?

And now it is urged, in the name of War, that the women wear fewer clothes. Why not in the name of Weather?



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NOTICE
of Valuable Property

By virtue of a deed of trust executed to me for certain purposes therein mentioned which said Deed of Trust bears date May 3rd, 1912, and is registered in the office of the Register of Deeds of Pasquotank County, in Book 36 Page 378, I shall on Thursday, August 9th, 1917, at 12 o'clock M. offer for sale at the Court House door in said County, at Public Auction, for cash, the property conveyed to me in said deed of trust, viz:

Living and being in Elizabeth City Township, Pasquotank County, North Carolina, and lying on the Southwest side of Cypress Street and known as Lot No. 86 in the plat of M. N. Sawyer, recorded in Book No. 18, page 157, office of Register of Deeds of Pasquotank County, and fronting 50 feet on Cypress Street by one hundred foot deed and adjoining Lots No. 84, 85 and 90.
This July 9th, 1917
GEO. J. SPENCE,
Trustee,
July 11, 20, 27 Aug. 3.

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and Thursday, 11:45 a. m.
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to Elizabeth City,
Tuesday and Saturday,
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By virtue of a Deed of Trust executed to me by Hannibal Radhan, Miles Radhan, W. B. Dance, J. H. Perkins, J. D. Williams, Abraham Harrison and H. H. Norman, Trustees of Beatoke Methodist Baptist Association, for certain purposes therein mentioned, said Deed of Trust bearing the date of June 1st, 1917, and is duly recorded in the Register of Deeds, Office of Pasquotank County, N. C. in Deed Book 42, Page 462, I shall, on Tuesday the 5th of August, 1917, offer for sale, at the Court House Door in said County, at public auction, for cash, the property conveyed to me in said Deed of Trust, to-wit:

Bound North by lands belonging to F. W. M. Butler, P. C. Cohoon, Mary V. Overton, Zenas Jennings, Jacob Spellman, The heirs of Albert Sawyer, deceased and Speed Street, East by lands belonging to Zenas Jennings, B. F. Spence, G. D. Griffin, and Roanoke Institute; South by lands belonging to W. S. Creecy, Heirs of Peter Bell, deceased, J. R. Fleming, C. J. Jenkins, and Solomon Mullen and West by Brooks Street and lands belonging to Mary V. Overton—same being the lands formally belonging to the heirs of G. W. Brooks deceased, and containing 7 1/2 acres more or less.
Hour of Sale 12 o'clock M.
This 4th day of July, 1917.
C. E. THOMPSON,
Trustee,
July 11, 20, 27 Aug. 3.

NOTICE

DISRICT COURT OF THE UNITED STATES FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF NORTH CAROLINA

W. W. White, Plaintiff
VS.
Buck-Eva Etha S. Henderson, defendant.

Notice is hereby given that in pursuance to and by virtue of an order of foreclosure and sale entered in the above entitled cause, in this court, on the 11th day of July, 1917, and a writ of Fieri Facias issued July 11th, 1917, I and from and out of the sale of the above described property, I have received the sum of \$100.00, and the same is being held for the use of the said Buck-Eva Etha S. Henderson, in the care of Elizabeth City, North Carolina, on the 21st day of July, 1917 at 12 o'clock M. The sum is being held for the use of the said Buck-Eva Etha S. Henderson, her tackle, apparel and furniture.

Terms of sale, cash to be paid at time of sale.
This the 11th day of July, 1917.
W. T. DORTCH,
United States Marshal,
By JOSEPH WILLIAMS.

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By virtue of the power vested in me by VIRGIL WILLIAMS on the 17th day of July, 1909 and duly recorded in Book 35, page 182, I will on the 11th day of August 1917 at 12 o'clock M. at the Court House door in Pasquotank County sell at Public Auction for cash to the highest bidder the following described property, to-wit:

Situated in that part of the town of Elizabeth City known as Preyor Town and being lot known and designated as lot No. 9 on the Preyor Town plat of lots recorded in the office of Register of Deeds of Pasquotank County fronting on Butlers Lane 40 feet and extending back westwardly 80 feet, and bounded on the North by the Allen Bailey lot; on the East by a street or lane and being the same lot which said Virgil Williams purchased of C. B. Mason and wife Liting Lee Mason by deed of even date with this trust above referred to.

This 3rd day of July, 1917
J. B. LEECH,
Trustee,
July 11, 20, 27 Aug. 3.

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