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GERMAN TALK OF NOT SIGNING.

There is plenty of talk being indulged in to the effect that Germany will not sign the peace treaty.

On the other hand Germany well knows that the result will be if it does not sign the peace treaty.

Germany will get off cheaper by meeting the requirements that are exacted now.

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Too early in the season are coming the reports of drownings from overturned canoes and fatal burns from bonfires. It is to be hoped this doesn't mean a record breaking year in this respect.

From the attitude which the lower house of the general assembly has taken in regard to the sanatorium for the treatment of bone tuberculosis, the impression might be gained that the state had more money than it knew what to do with.

stranger tells them as long as the promises are sufficiently attractive even though they have previously been caught napping.

Though they ought to know better it is necessary to stand between them and the swindlers. Hence the "bliss sky" laws. But there are states which have not taken the needed action to provide this protection.

The second week of the Victory loan is now well underway. Although there were early reasons for feeling that the country was going to step into the breach and make a quick clean up of this loan, the subscriptions which have thus far been received throughout the country indicate that not as satisfactory progress is being made as was hoped for or desired.

But it is a matter in which everyone should participate. There is not alone the patriotic duty in connection with providing this \$4,500,000,000 to assist in the prosecution of the war, but there is also the investment proposition.

What the removal of the trade restrictions with neutrals, as proposed by the supreme economic council of the allied nations, is going to mean can be readily understood when it is stated that the Norwegian firms are anxious to buy large quantities of dry goods in this country and are placing some orders here they are not what they would purchase if the restrictions did not exist.

Such being the case there can be no wonder that there is a desire for the removal of the war time restrictions. The same situation exists with other countries but how much more thoroughly other countries have become acquainted with American goods in comparison with the product of other countries is indicated by the statement of a Norwegian buyer to the effect that "in dealing with the Americans since the war started we have learned that we can buy to better advantage in the United States than formerly we could in Germany."

Uncertainty continues to prevail in regard to prohibition and the means that are to be taken to see that it is enforced. Preparations have been made for legal tests and brewers under direction of their counsel are now engaged in the manufacture of beer containing two and three-quarters per cent alcohol, the counsel declaring that such can be made in view of the claim of the brewers that such beer is not intoxicating.

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IMPROVING HER MIND

The woman with the decidedly crimped hair who had run in from across the street sighed joyously as she settled herself and took out her crochet work.

"I can't begin to tell you, Mrs. Peppercorn," she told her hostess, "what a relief it is to my mind having all my rooms rented as they are at present. I haven't one thing to disturb me or to worry about any more and am perfectly free to study French or develop my intellect in any fashion I choose—simply couldn't settle down to anything when I had to worry over coal bills and fuss with the butcher, who insisted on his money, and stay awake nights trying to make out from the air where I was going to raise cash enough to buy clothes and hairpins.

"When I get my work done up in the morning I am free for the day, and haven't a single thing to occupy my mind. I think a woman owes it to herself to have time to think of something uplifting instead of rivaling."

"A Mr. and Mrs. Simpson have the front room, and you never saw anything like the jealousy that woman suffers from. Of course, he's good looking and all that, but from the way she acts you'd think every woman on earth was lying in wait to snatch him from her. If he is five minutes late coming in at dinner time she is tearing her hair out, and she bursts into tears all over his shoulder before he can get his overcoat off or open his mouth to explain that the street car was slow."

"I know she reads his letters, because the other day she had hysterics, clutching one from the pocket of his other business man," she explained, "and she was reading it all the time I was rubbing her head. He explained to her that Ada was the second wife of his favorite cousin, and had a perfect right to address him as 'Dearest Arthur,' being at least twenty years his senior—but Mrs. Simpson was a wreck for a day afterwards."

"That man has the patience of Job. I don't see how he can stand it, because he never so much as looks at another woman. I know, because I've watched him start out mornings the same time as that pretty girl across the street goes to work, and she might as well be out on the western plains here for all the notice he takes of her."

"If I don't decide pretty soon whether or not Mrs. Simpson dyes her hair I'll lose my mind. It doesn't seem possible any woman could naturally have hair that color, and yet you can't detect dye in the brightest sunlight. I'm certain she's natural, and yet I am morally certain it can't be. It would be just like a woman of her type to use dye—and yet she doesn't have any rouge about her."

"Now, Miss Grandhaven, in the middle room, is just the opposite—she makes up her face of the limit, and she certainly knows how to get her to talk at all. She has such a collection of photos, and whether they are cousins, uncles or brothers or just friends, she knows for all I care. I have admitted that so many times, and she just smiles pleasantly and never opens her mouth."

"I don't like that in a person at all. When she's sitting at the table, and things are open and above board? You'd think the natural thing for a girl to do when she's all alone and in her room would be to open her heart to an older woman who took an interest in her. There's something queer when a girl won't talk."

"Mr. Patterson in the back room talks enough. He nearly drives me crazy. He follows me clear into the kitchen to talk, only it's all about concerts, which seems the breath of life to him, and I must say for so young a man it would be more natural if he talked about dances and movies and girls—it would certainly be more interesting."

"You can't imagine how I am enjoying this! I don't have to devote time to devote to improving myself, and doing the real things I like instead of having to worry over what doesn't count."—Exchange.

STORIES OF THE WAR

American railroad engineers, who will doubtless be in large numbers in connection with the reorganization of the Trans-Siberian railway, will have much to do with the region of the long journey and is skirted on the south and southeast by the great Russian railroad. It is possible in the winter months to cross the lake and winter varying the monotony of the long journey.

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ONLY TREATMENT THAT GAVE RELIEF

Suffered Three Years Before Finding "Fruit-a-tives"

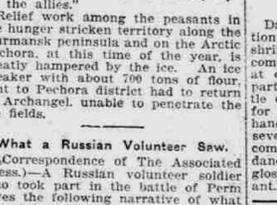
Central Wharf, Boston, Mass. "For three years, I was troubled with Constipation, accompanied by Dizziness and Violent Headaches. I took medicines and laxatives, but without permanent relief.

Last October, I heard of "Fruit-a-tives" or Fruit Liver Tablets. I used one box and the results were so pronounced that I bought two dozen boxes.

I continued using "Fruit-a-tives" until the twenty-four boxes were finished, when my physical condition was perfect." JAS. J. ROYALL, 50c. a box, 6 for \$2.50, trial size 25c. At dealers or from FRUIT-A-TIVES Limited, OGDENSBURG, N. Y.

"DANDERINE" FOR FALLING HAIR

Stop dandruff and double beauty of your hair for few cents.



Dandruff causes a feverish irritation of the scalp, the hair roots shrink, loosen and then the hair comes out. To stop falling hair at once and rid the scalp of every particle of dandruff, get a small bottle of "Danderine" at any drug store for a few cents, pour a little in your hand and rub it over the scalp. After several applications the hair stops coming out and you can't find any dandruff. Your hair appears soft, glossy and twice as thick and abundant. Try it!

A great general and statesman. He saved Protestantism from probable extinction. His death was as dramatic as his career. He fell while heading his troops at Sutzen, after a mist had descended and thrown both the Swedish and German armies into a panic. When his devoted men realized their leader had fallen they rallied to administer a memorable defeat upon the superior force of Wallenstein, Germany's Aaron Burr, who has been immortalized by Schiller.

Mitau is more important historically than industrially. It manufactured flour, iron, cotton and cloth, and had a limited trade in grain and lumber before the world war. It lies 29 miles by rail southwest of Riga, in a fertile plain so low that it often is submerged and occasionally the city itself is inundated. Of its 40,000 population, nearly a fourth were Germans, and the remainder Jews, Letts, Russians and Poles.

OTHER VIEW POINTS

It does seem as though something might be done to check these constant strikes. The chief trouble is the unreasonableness on both sides. In the end, after much loss, the thing is done which might well be considered at the start. Compromise is reached and the strike ends. But bitter feeling is generated and the public is angered. It does not help for the results—Bridport Standard.

The action of the senate in attaching a referendum clause to the proposed prohibition amendment shows a regard for the rights of the electors which the house should have seen fit to copy. It may be too late now for the latter body to rectify its previous error, though that is a matter of doubt, as it depends always upon the temper of the house. The fact remains that the senate was in the right yesterday when its members showed that they had some regard for the opinion of the voters of the state whose wishes, they submit, should be regarded in a matter of this importance—Hartford Courant.

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The real heroes of this war are men of such modesty that it is difficult to get them to talk of their deeds while in France. The majority of the soldiers who have come home are the finest fellows in the world. They are altogether too eager to get out of their uniforms and into civilian clothes. In nearly every case the men who are working a glibble about handing them money for magazines that have been specially made simply for the purpose of offering an excuse for getting the public's money are men who never got out of this country into real war.

FAT PEOPLE GET THIN

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Big Gymnastic Exhibition Tonight at 8 At Y. M. C. A. Drills, Apparatus and Mat Work, Tumbling, Club Swings, Wrestling and Basket Ball. ADMISSION ONLY 25c

Slater Hall Concert Series Academy Musical Course Tuesday Evening, April 29th, at 8 o'clock

JOINT RECITAL Mary Jordan, Prima Donna, Contralto and Maurice Dambosi, the Great Belgian Cellist The Net Proceeds of Concerts will be given for the Benefit of the Red Cross. Single admission \$1.50 Tickets on sale at Cranston's, Broadway Mail or phone your order now

permanent successor to Lord Strathcona. Then the war broke out, and Sir George consented to carry on until peace was declared. It was understood that he would not shortly retire, and Mr. Lloyd Harris, chairman of the Canadian Mission in London, is mentioned as his probable successor.

Sir George is a millionaire, and is known as Canada's "Handyman," owing to the number of occasions on which he has temporarily acted for members of the Board of administration while away from their offices.

The official guides to the museums, who resume their rounds next week, will be welcomed, for there is nothing more dreary for the uninitiated than a round of a museum in which one finds that many things have interesting histories, if only the information were available in a form less trite than that entailed by repeated references to the official guide books.

The museum guide, we know from experience, is very different from the historical guides to country houses. We recall one such which used to point out to visitors to Eridge the model of a full-rigged ship with the information that this was the actual vessel in which the first Nevills came over with the Conqueror.

There is a new apple being raised in central Essex from a pip, and its name is "Mr. Prothero" after the President of the Board of Agriculture. It is said to be a large handsome fruit of excellent quality, which keeps longer and better than any British apple now grown, will not readily decay, even if damaged or bruised, and is in season from October to June.

Unluckily, "survival of the fittest" in fruit-growing too often means victory for inferior quality, because market-gardeners will plant, not the best kinds of apple-trees, but the heaviest croppers, which are usually the most profitable.

Holland is said to have purchased thirty German sealions of the latest type, for delivery forthwith, for air service in the near future with this country.

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