



As suggested some weeks ago by editorial in the Signal, the tardiness of Congress in passing a more drastic espionage law, and the continued liberty and license permitted spies and their enemies would cause the American people to lose patience and take matters in their own hands with dire consequences to follow. Already has more than one hanging taken place while quite a number of the Kaiser's overzealous sympathizers are walking around today wearing suits of good tar and feathers, which many members of the bands who furnished the outfits believe is a waste of good and valuable material and advocate more drastic measures. If the practice of lynching and kluxism once gets fairly started in our country it will be almost an impossibility to head it off. We despise the Kaiser and his untold hatred but must remember there are many thousand men of German birth who are patriotic to their adopted country who are giving their money, support and soldiers to fight in our ranks, but should this klux propaganda gain an upper hand and it would do so if once fairly started—many true and patriotic men and their families who bear German names would suffer injustice at the hands of blind and unreasoning mobs under the head of vigilance committees or other names, while meaning well for the interest of our country make grave errors under such license.

To us it appears that instead of sending spies and traitors to the penitentiary or to be interned, numbers of them should be stood up and shot. This would deter their practice and hold within due bounds the wrath of the American people of great patience and long suffering at the hands of these vermin.

MANY of American's most prominent business men held important meetings in Hotel Gibson, Cincinnati, last week. Among the thousand delegates were representatives from all the leading cities of every state, were capitalists and bankers, builders of ships, forgers of steel and iron, makers of chemicals and cloth and automobiles, miners of coal, agricultural leaders, pioneers and leaders in every kind of industry known in America. "War is our business first, a merchant marine and world trade following it when peace comes," was the aim of this gathering which will no doubt have a far reaching effect in the commerce of the world. One of the speakers put the proposition in this light, "To win the war there is only one possible method, and tersely put, that method may be described in two words—two ugly words—kill German Huns."

FRIEND Walton of the Interior Journal is lamenting over the wearing qualities of present war coined expressions, such as "over there" camouflage, "over the top," and suggests a let up on their use or the adoption of new ones.

Every period seems to have had its catch words and phrases. "Tipacano and Tyler too," was used in a presidential campaign in the dim past "Jim Fish was a man with his heart in his hand." "Jose the cause of all." "Have you seen Tom Collins?" "Down went McGinty." "Are you a Buffalo?" are a few samples of the popular sayings to be heard many times daily at various periods in times gone by, and then put in the scrap pile of oblivion to be replaced by others more suitable to the times and occasion.

WAYSIDE NOTES

By THE BOONE WAY MAN. The photographs of the mutilated Belgian children, mentioned by Will Owens, your faithful Livingston reporter, in last week's issue of the Signal, was sent to the writer by Judge Richard G. Williams, of Covington. It was turned over to watch inspector S. C. Franklin, of Mt. Vernon, with a request that he show it to as many Rock castle people as possible especially to those who yet retain any spark of lukewarmness in their system relative to the war or are unaware of the many horrors perpetrated by the brutal Huns of Germany and their cohorts against men, women, children and babies. Their brutalities are almost unbelievable—but this photograph tells a more forcible tale than can be depicted by speech or pen, giving concrete and unmistakable evidence of the ferocious and damnable practices of this depraved and worse than barbarous nation of cut throats and murderers, tuled and trained for these bloody exploits by a worse than mad Kaiser, who claims partnership with God, with the Supreme being as junior partner.

After looking at this photograph, one feels that Henry Waterson puts it mildly when he says, "To hell with the Hohen zollerns and Hap-burgs."

Will Owens wife askt him how to tell an old chicken from a young one. He said by the teeth. "Well, but chickens have no teeth," she replied. "No, but I see," and she pointed to some of the Mt. Vernon boys recogniz "chicken" by their faces.

Laborer's wages on Clark county roads in 1916 was \$1.50 per day in 1918, \$2.50.

The first suit growing out of the Pastime Theatre disaster, at this place, was filed last week, for personal injuries received. The plaintiff asks \$25,000 damages. On night of March 9th during a high wind a brick wall, left standing from a recent fire, fell in on the spectators at a picture show being held in the above mentioned theater. Eleven deaths occurred in the building and one took place later. Many others received injuries.

Oil to the right, oil to left, oil at every turn, in fact that is the main topic of discussion one hears over here in the good city of Winchester. Hundreds in the city are financially interested. Many have made and adding to their fortunes. It is told of one young fellow who had never followed any particular line of work and had hardly the "energy to wash his face regularly," got into the game, thru a lease, struck the combination to the tune of \$12,000; invested further, struck it some more, and last week was offered \$125,000 for his holdings, which he refused.

If you have any "slacker" tendencies about your system take a look at the photographs of the Belgian children, frightfully mutilated by the Kaisers forces, mis-called soldiers. S. C. Franklin will show you the picture, (if you are a male of 21 or over.

Raymond Myers is putting in his time after school hours, and Saturdays, in his fathers dental rooms, studying the intricacies of the profession. He is making good progress and is already able to do repair work in good shape.

IF I WERE A FARMER. If I were a farmer I would keep at hand a few reliable medicines for minor ailments that are not so serious as to require the attention of a physician, such as Chamberlain's Colic and Diarrhea Remedy for bowel complaints.

Chamberlain's Cough Remedy for coughs, colds and croup. Chamberlain's Liniment for sprains, bruises and rheumatic pains.

Chamberlain's Tablets for stomach troubles, biliousness and constipation.

By having these articles at hand it would often save the trouble of a trip to town in the busiest season or in the night, and would enable me to treat slight ailments as soon as they appear, and thereby avoid the more serious diseases that so often follow.

COUNCIL OF NATIONAL DEFENSE

There is possibility of a potato shortage this year. People had large crops last year and no export market left over supply in many parts of the country and market was dull. If we fail to produce at least seven crops as many this year as last, there will be a shortage and with an export of more wheat this year than any we have had previous years, the demand for potatoes will be greater than ever before. So let us plant a sufficient amount to supply our people and then some to spare. The display in Fish's corner window explains the situation.

Met four Mexicans at depot here, on their way to Wasnota, mines, in Bell county. One of them was a native of San Antonio. The others from old Mexico. Finding my "Spanish" somewhat rusty after a rest of more than forty years, we resorted to English with a little better result.

SEED CORN

Those having Seed Corn for sale may advertise under this head at 5 cents per line each issue. SEED CORN FOR SALE—Diamond Joe's Big Early White 90 Day Corn. Tested 85 per cent germination. \$4.00 per bushel. ARCH HAYES, Brodhead, Ky. April 31. Telephone in residence 6.

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J. C. McCLARY UNDERTAKER and EMBALMER STANFORD, KY. Image of a horse-drawn carriage.

C. C. Williams ATTORNEY-AT-LAW MT. VERNON, KY. OFFICE: On 2nd floor of Bank of Mt. Vernon, on Church St.—Special attention given collections. PHONE 80.

Stomach Trouble I cannot Praise Your Wonderful Medicine Peruna Enough. Image of a man's face. Mrs. Sophie Bauer, 521 First Ave., North, Fairbault, Minnesota, writes: "I cannot praise your wonderful medicine, Peruna, enough. It has done much for me during the past ten years and I keep it in the house continually. I was in such a condition that I could eat nothing but bread and milk, and even that was too heavy for me at times. Now, I can eat anything, I am robust, and I run to all my friends."

VALLEY FORGE—FRANCE A Liberty Bond. Image of a soldier in uniform.

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BIG AUCTION SALE LAND, STOCK, FARMING IMPLEMENTS Saturday, May 4th At 10 o'clock A. M. Being located in Panama, and not being able to attend to my farm, I will sell same on the above date to the highest and best bidder my farm located 1 1/4 mile south of Shelby City on Hustonville and Danville pike, 4 1/2 miles from Danville, near graded school and good churches. Farm contains 85 or 90 acres, and will be sold in 2 tracts then as a whole, and best price realized accepted. Tract No. 1—Has good 5-room house, pantry, hall, all necessary outbuildings; plenty water, one of best wells in state at kitchen door; pond in barn lot never known to go dry; small orchard; fine garden. Contains about fifty acres. Tract No. 2—Has small 4-room house with attic; good well near the door; two ponds and small barn; nice little orchard. Contains about 35 acres. If you are looking for a little farm, good land and in good community, this is the place for you. At the same time and place will sell the following stock and farming implements: 2-year-old Jersey cow; red cow, with young calf; Jersey heifer; black heifer; two calves; 7-year-old mare and a good one; 4 sows and pigs; Ky. Red Berkshire boar, subject to register; buggy and harness; pony trap and harness; one-horse wagon, and farm implements; several stands of bees; about 10 barrels of corn; also a lot of good household and kitchen furniture. This farm will be sold and possession given at once. It is now ready to farm, about 25 acres broke, and balance in grass. I will make terms on this land of 13 cash in hand, and remainder in 1, 2, 3, 4, and 5 years, if wanted. Quit your renting and buy a home and pay for it in a few years, with what you are now paying for rent. Can show you this farm any day. Zan Murphy, SHELBY CITY JOHN B. DINWIDDIE, Auctioneer

OVERALLS MAY COME AND OVERALLS MAY GO— BUT O'BRYANS LAST FOREVER. WE HAVE YOUR SIZE. O'BRYAN HEADQUARTERS Well "Armed"! Image of a fish and a can of Calumet.

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ENLIST Your Dollars in Your Country's Service U. S. Bonds, War Savings Stamps, and U. S. Thrift Stamps must be purchased by the people from money saved from their incomes—every dollar spent for an unnecessary thing is a force for evil. When that dollar buys labor and materials for equipping our army and navy it has a double force—first it ceases to aid the enemy and second it is fighting for us in the behalf of mankind. Be sure that your pennies, nickels, dimes, quarters and dollars are enlisted in the cause of your country. An idle dollar is a SLACKER dollar, but a dollar wasted in war time is a TRAITOR dollar. All Banks and the Post Office Sell the Stamps W.S.S. WAR SAVINGS STAMPS ISSUED BY THE UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

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