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TEN CENT MILK—AND THEN?

Where are we going to start our investigation of the rising price of daily necessities? Ten cent milk, announced for December 1, is but one more blow for the consumer of small means.

General complaints, general accusations, are useless. There is no sense in pounding dealers in this or in that unless it is demonstrated that they are unjustly exploiting their fellow-citizens.

There should be no counsel of despair in these matters, no tame assumption that nothing can be done and that no one has any official responsibility in the premises.

CARDINAL MERCIER'S PROTEST. When, a year ago, the German military authorities issued an order for forced labor of the unemployed in Belgium for the benefit of the oppressors of their country, the civilized world condemned the action as cruel and contrary to all the rules of modern warfare.

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unemployment without any fault of their own, "tearing youth from father, husband from wife, father from children, barring the door against mothers and wives taking leave of sons and husbands and carrying them by thousands into slavery."

The German military authorities have repeatedly threatened Cardinal Mercier with imprisonment, or, worse, if he should persist in his criticism of them. But he is not afraid. He has protested again and again against the inhuman actions of the Huns and has denounced them in the strongest possible language.

THE IRISH BRIGADES (Eleanor Alexander in London Times). What though we come from the east or west, Though of north or of south were our birth, We come from the land we love the best, The sweetest and saddest land on earth.

Irish brigades in the nations' sight Resisting the evil unto blood— Who talk of freedom for freedom fight.

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And He Got It

"Just a moment," interrupted the man, patiently, "I may have no objection to testing this article you are trying to substitute, all other things being equal—but are they? For example, what can be used internally for coughs, colds, sore throat, cramps, chills, etc., as well as externally for sprains, strains, muscular rheumatism, various other aches, pains and almost any soreness anywhere.

LIGHTER VEIN. A lawyer noted for his laconic style of expression sent the following terse and witty note to a refractory client, who paid no attention to reiterated demands for the payment of his bill.

A humane society has secured a downtown show window and filled it with attractive pictures of wild animals in their native haunts. A placard in the middle of the exhibit reads: "We were skinned to provide women with fashionable furs."

O, yes, it was a thrilling west coast film, and the audience in the picture palace followed the adventures of the frail looking heroine with cheers and tears.

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LONDON TIMES ON ELECTION IN THE STATES (London Times, Nov. 9) It would be idle to speculate upon the possible consequences in world politics of a struggle the outcome of which will be unknown to us.

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