

The dreams have queer neighbours. By the side of those who dream of crossing new seas and new countries are those who desire only to hide themselves away on a familiar hillside, or seashore, or to lose themselves again in the city millions. Some want to fly, to farm, to grow roses, to start newspapers, to missionary the Chinese, to chase whales, collect butterflies, to roam, to sleep, to do great things, to do nothing—watering a backyard at twilight would be the dream come true of many.

Odd and beautiful, ordinary and extraordinary, pathetic and humorous, are the dreams of to-day. Many are too precious to be voiced, others so airy that even the dreamers smile at them while they hug them, but each dream is something dear and precious to the owner—a bright will o' the wisp that shines beyond the dark to-day.

And the dreams of the women—who shall tell them?

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“THE NOBLE HUN?”

He does his bit and then **SOME**.

WHAT a noble thing is patriotism. To serve one's country, to strafe the enemy, and sing the Hymn of Hate, to be decorated with the Iron Cross, and to die, and after death to know that one's "bit" is not yet done.

That in the form of sausage, after a tour of the corpse conversion factory, and the digestive organs of a swine, one again appears! Transformed and reincarnated, a useful acquisition to the hungry Hun's ration.

An endless chain of usefulness. And another thought strikes me; verily I am not yet finished. "Oh, Brother Ignat." Is not glycerine one of the products of this militaristic super-army efficiency factory, and is not glycerine mixed with nitric acid the main ingredient that goes into the make-up of "Whiz bangs" and "five-nines"? What a noble thing to know, that after death also in the form of high explosives one can still strafe the enemy. And maybe the name and number of the contributor of the glycerine is engraved on the shell of which he is a part, and in battalion orders it is read out thusly: "Pte. Fritz Göpgensloser, Number Umpty-umpty, has been awarded the tin 'Gee Gaw' for final post mortem services rendered, inasmuch that one 'five-nine' containing the extracted necessary of