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## Kinship.

There's a figure in the trenches  
Hollow-eyed, checked and anxious-eyed,  
Staring over by the side,  
And he hasn't time for morals,  
Or to think about his soul;  
He's too occupied with business,  
Keeping mind and body whole,  
But it's not his fault he's fighting  
In this Armageddon grim—  
Liberty called to the front,  
And the Kaiser called to him!  
And his wounds are torn for others,  
Bleeding flesh and shattered bone—  
He is suffering for evil,  
Though the sin is not his own.

There's a woman in a kitchen  
Fighting through her daily grind,  
With the horror of the trenches  
Ever present in her mind,  
And she has to see the papers  
For a certain column there,  
Keens the names with apprehension,  
Reads each item with a prayer;  
Dreads a telegram or letter,  
Trembles as she waits alone—  
She is suffering for evil,  
Though the sin is not his own!

## The Duty of Economy.

Genuine economy is always in season. It is good at all times, both for the persons who practice it and for the community in which it is practiced. In time of war it is not better than at other times, but we can then afford to do without it. If there has been good domestic husbandry in times of peace, the financial resources of the State will be in a condition of preparedness against the time of war. In the presence of war the State will not have to resort to extraordinary retrenchments, to emergency measures for filling up the war chest, to currency inflation or to the levying of the private expenditure of the citizens. At any time anything more or less than true economy is bad. But what would be true economy at one time might be extravagance or parsimony at another. Both the miser and the spendthrift are abnormal. Relatively few people are either, but less than one way or the other. The great majority have a sane idea as to how they should use their buying power, however much they come short of living up to that idea.

At the present time the main purpose to which our capital and labor can be employed is the defence of our country and Empire. No other asset we have would be of value were the possession of these all-embracing ones to be lost.

We must be prepared to stake everything on this war. What sacrifice, what self-denial is too great to ask of the patriot when his country is in danger? How light a self-discipline is it to give up one's country this luxury or that, to forego one small pleasure here and another there, to part aside accessories of ease, and to save for the public good. But economy never consists in abstention from buying. Canada's people would not long serve her in the struggle, would not long be able to invigorate her armies of war if they put themselves under a vow to make their private spending as meagre as possible in order to hoard their funds for the service of the State.

At all times every citizen ought to manage so as to save something out of his earnings to contribute to the accumulation of capital, but of what national use would a store of capital be if people spent very grudgingly? There would be little industrial or commercial business for capital in a country whose people were niggardly buyers. The hypothesis itself is out of the question, because capital could not be accumulated by saving in a community where there was next to no spending. A nation's financial strength is like any other force. It is not a thing that can be chained up and fed up in idleness. It has this in common with organic life, that it must carry on its functions or go out of existence. It renews itself by its healthy expenditure. If we stopped spending on private account we should soon stop spending on public account, for we would not have the wherewithal. There would not be the financial means for carrying on the war.

At all times production is an economic duty. At the present time it is the highest war duty of our non-combatants. But in order to keep on producing and providing for the men at the front our people at home must produce as much as possible for themselves and for customers in other countries who are friendly to us, says the Mail and Empire. We must produce so simply for ourselves as to provide in that way as far as possible for wants formerly satisfied by importation, and we must produce so as to increase as much as possible the surplus we have for export. The international circulation of money is now very limited. Our supply of money is not soon to be greatly replenished from abroad. The money current has, so to speak, become short circuited. That is a consequence of the war. We must make the circulation

## The Pure Seed Campaign.

Year by year the importance of pure seed is being more and more recognized. Anything, therefore, of a helpful nature bearing on the subject is welcome, but when results are forthcoming from widespread and actively pursued experience then we have something of which every farmer, every grain grower, everybody interested in agriculture or in any kind of soil production, should possess a knowledge. Of such character is the Report of the Dominion Seed Commission for 1914, which has just been issued, and which can be had free by making application to the Publication Branch, Department of Agriculture, Ottawa.

The work of the Seed Branch, the Commissioner, Mr. George H. Clark, tells us falls naturally into three main parts—seed growing, seed testing and seed inspection. Seed growing includes educational and other work directed towards encouraging the production and use of better seed. For this purpose financial and other assistance is rendered by the Dominion towards conducting field crop exhibitions, seed fairs and provincial seed exhibitions. A statement of the amounts earned by the provinces under this heading in 1913-14 is as follows: Prince Edward Island, \$900 19; Nova Scotia, \$1,743 11; New Brunswick, \$1,051 66; Quebec, \$4,522 27; Ontario, \$9,399 42; Manitoba, \$2,292 37; Saskatchewan, \$3,717 52; Alberta, \$3,658 98; and British Columbia, 1,000, making a total of \$28,285 22. Apart from these subventions, the Branch is rendering service in many ways. Information has been secured in regard to the purity and germination of seed grain being used by farmers. Other problems in relation to seed production, such as weed seed content of soil under different systems of cultivation, and the disposition, weed seed control, and feeding value of terminal elevator screenings, are being investigated.

## 'Thank God for the Allied Fleets'

A correspondent of The New York Tribune, signing himself 'Lexington,' writes the following arraignment of the Government of his country and thanks Heaven for the Allied fleets. He says:—

'This administration does not represent a majority of the voters of the country. It sneaked into office owing to the so-called Progressive schism, and it has sneaked through its pitiful career of blunders and cowardly subterfuges ever since.

The Germans discovered at the beginning of the war that it would accept all the insults and kickings they chose to give it, and they have treated it ever since as beneath their contempt. To talk of its craven subservience as 'patience' is a misuse of the word.

Having weakly insisted for some months that the Lusitania murder of 120 Americans should be 'discovered,' and been told by the German Government to shut up, that no disapproval would be made, it meekly acquiesced in this new insult and gave it out to the press that the Lusitania incident is closed.

When Congress meets another attempt will be made to compel the Germany to buy the German ships now rotting away in the harbours of New York and Boston. The attempt of last spring was defeated solely through the patriotism of a handful of Republican Senators. This time the Germans will jam the legislation through. They need the money, and have told the administration so.

Even the protests have ceased which were the administration's only feeble response to the rough violence of reported German attacks and the wanton murder of American citizens. The postage stamp box is empty and the stenographer of the State Department on a vacation.

Thank Heaven for the Allied fleets, for these alone save us from the slavery which the Huns would otherwise impose on us.

## Tired-out Kidneys.

Kidney troubles are so frightfully common because the kidneys are so easily upset by overwork or excess of eating and drinking. Cure is effected not by whipping them on to renewed effort but by awakening the action of liver and bowels by the use of Dr. Chase's Kidney Liver Pills. This restores the kidneys and makes them well. Backaches and urinary disorders then disappear.

'Who keeps covenants.' It is covenant-keepers who constitute the foundation of the world, and who make progress possible. To the great body of the common people who faithfully keep their word—who rise early and get down to their work 'on time,' and who perform unending tasks promptly, assiduously and regularly, the world owes a debt that she is slow to recognize and slower still to pay.

'Who keeps covenants.' It is a high-priced achievement. It cost Jehovah His Son, and it cost the Son Gethsemane and the cross. Britain is paying to-day in treasure and blood the price of 'a scrap of paper.' She is standing behind her covenant with Great Britain, to her glory be it said, is known throughout the world as a nation 'who keeps covenants.'

## World's Champion Cow.

The world's championship for the production of butter fat by a single cow in a year has been won by Duchess Skylark Ormsby, a Holstein-Friesian, according to announcement made at Minneapolis. The cow produced a total of 1,205,691 pounds of butter fat; gave 27,161 7 pounds of milk in the year; gave 558 1 pounds of milk and 24 35 pounds of butter in seven days; maintained an average butter fat record of 4.32 per cent; ate less than twenty pounds of grain a day, consumed only grains within practical reach of every dairyman and remained in perfect health throughout the test period. The tests were made on a farm near this city under the supervision of experts from the Wisconsin and Minnesota experimental stations.

## Run-down Woman

Mrs. Hawback—Silas writes in his letter that he's going to be a dentist. Be there much money in pulling teeth, pa?  
Father Hawback—Oh, 'bout a dollar as acher, I reckon.  
'Nora,' said the mistress to the new servant. 'We always want our meals promptly on the hour.'  
'Yes, mum. An' if I miss th' first hour shall I wait for th' next?'

## The Present Condition of the Canadian Egg Market.

For the first time in a number of years eggs have taken a prominent place in Canada's export trade. This is largely due to the unprecedented demand for eggs on the part of the British market and the fact that British dealers have shown a marked preference for Canadian eggs over United States eggs and a willingness to pay a distinctly higher price for them.

So great in fact has been the demand that Canadian dealers have shipped practically all of the available Canadian storage product to the Old Country. As a result there is not in Canada at the present time, sufficient eggs in storage to supply home consumption until fresh receipts in appreciable quantities begin to come in.

Quantities of eggs from the United States, however, are being imported into Canada, some in bond for export, but the larger part to take the place of the Canadian product above mentioned. United States eggs can be laid down in Canada at the present time, duty paid, at several cents per dozen less than the price at which Canadian eggs are selling for export and they should be procurable by the consumers accordingly.

On the other hand the Canadian market at the present time is very firm for Canadian 'specials' (new laid) production of which is not enough in most instances to supply the demand at local country markets. This means that high prices will have to be paid in consuming centres in order to draw a portion of these supplies from local points. Producers may therefore definitely expect reasonably high prices during the period of low production for fresh gathered eggs that will grade 'specials.'

The question that has been raised as to whether the phenomenal demand on the part of the British market for Canadian eggs will continue. This depends entirely upon the quality of Canadian eggs exported. Canada has tremendous possibilities as an egg producing country. The poultry industry is at present a mere fraction of what it might be. It remains, therefore, for those most interested in the development of this trade to make the best possible use of their present opportunities, and by careful supervision of the quality of Canadian eggs going forward to pave the way for an extensive and profitable export trade in the future.

## A Way to Keep Young.

A woman should never let herself get old prematurely. Some women think that when they reach a certain age they should wear clothes that emphasize their years. This is a great mistake. A woman no matter what her age, should keep up with the times, and dress as well as possible. One of the main factors, however, in keeping young is to have a young heart and a cheerful disposition. Women should try to make a habit of not losing their temper unnecessarily as every bad humour adds to their age. To be sweet tempered and to be careful about details and appearance is the secret of a way to keep attractive looking and charming.

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## Apples for Drunkenness.

A physician of experience gives the following testimony that is well worth considering. "For ten years," he says, "I have advocated apple as a cure for drunkenness. In that time I have tried the apple cure on some forty or fifty drunkards, and my success has been most gratifying. Let any man afflicted with the love of drink eat three or four apples daily, and the horrible craving will gradually leave him. The cure will be greatly helped along if he smokes as little as possible."

## Christmas Cake Without Eggs.

Two pounds brown sugar, 1 lb. butter, 1 1/2 pints sweet milk, 1 oz. soda, 1 oz. cream of tartar, 1/2 lb. mixed peel, 2 oz. cinnamon, 2 nutmegs, 3 1/2 lbs. flour, 2 lbs. currants, 3 lbs. raisins. Bake in three pans, first letting stand for half an hour.

A nice cake for lunch is made by taking a good tea cake dough and rolling thin, cut in round pieces and place bits of preserves or jelly on one side. Fold the other side over this and press the edges together and bake.

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