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Bond Slacker Is Given Handling

The following clipping from a Phoenix, Arizona, paper was sent to a lady in Belleville by Rev. Thomas Hambly, well known to many in this city. The account shows to what an intensity of earnestness the Americans have arisen in their war activities:

"Charles Reas is the only employee of the local Arizona Eastern Railroad who has not purchased a bond of the fourth Liberty Loan."

"That fact in itself is not really a matter of news, primarily, because other employees of the railroad took it upon themselves last night to proclaim to all Phoenix, yea, even the whole world, that Reas is a bond slacker. And they carried out their purpose with such fervor and in such a unique manner that the proceedings will undoubtedly serve as a fair warning to other Phoenixians who have been hesitating about the purchase of bonds."

"Passing for a moment the methods employed in disrobing Reas, as it were, the individual in question suffered, among other things the loss of his freedom, loss of his position as carpenter at the Arizona Eastern, loss of countless dollars' worth of clothing."

Employees of the Arizona Eastern have been working diligently during the past few days in an effort to attain a 100 per cent. subscription among employees of the road here. They wanted one of the honor flags. But Reas stood in their way. He was the only one who would not purchase. Several different sollicitors approached him, but the result was always the same—he would not buy. A "war council" was held by several of the employees and a means of action adopted.

In consequence Reas appeared in the business district of Phoenix last night with the following sign displayed on his breast: "With This Exception We Are 100 Per Cent." He was escorted by several workmen of the shops, his hands tied in front of him and a rope around his neck. His face had been artistically decorated with yellow paint and various other "touches" had been applied.

"When the procession arrived at Washington street and Central avenue Reas was obliged to bow to the miniature statue of Liberty and kiss the flag."

Fearing that violence might be done, local police officers kept close guard of the proceedings. At Second avenue and the Santa Fe tracks they took charge of Reas and escorted him to headquarters for safe keeping. He was released a short time later.

"Learning of the affair, the Liberty Loan Committee later ordered Reas taken into custody again. Officer Broyles made the arrest and when searched at police headquarters Reas was found to have \$223.37 on his person."

"Reas claims to be an American, stating that he was born at St. Paul. He is a single man with no dependents, he stated at police headquarters last night."

STOCKDALE

Mrs. E. Long, of Mount Zion, visited her niece, Mrs. A. E. Wood, a few days last week.

A very pleasant evening was spent at the home of Mr. J. S. Maybee on Tuesday last when the Ladies Aid met to say good-bye to Mrs. Maybee, who has been a faithful worker in the society ever since its organization. After an address was read by the president Mrs. Maybee was presented with an oak rocker. Although completely taken by surprise, Mrs. Maybee replied in a few well chosen words. Mr. and Mrs. Maybee are moving to Frankford, having leased their farm.

Misses Florence and Mildred Overhout took tea with Miss Mabel Wood one evening last week.

Several of our residents went to Trenton on Wednesday last to view the havoc wrought by the destruction of the chemical works on Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Wannamaker visited at Mrs. B. White's on Sunday. Owing to the rain there was no Sunday School on Sunday.

GILEAD

The churches and school have been closed for a time, owing to the prevailing epidemic. We are sorry to report so many still quite sick with that disease. Doctors and nurses, professional and amateur, are kept very busy.

Miss Locke is spending the week at her home, Campbellford.

We were again visited by a heavy rain on Saturday evening and Sunday.

Mr. Floyd Morden, Melrose, spent

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over Sunday at Mr. A. Lawrence's. Mrs. J. F. York, Mrs. W. Hodgson and Mrs. Fred York and Kenneth spent the former's birthday at Mrs. D. Hall's, latter.

Mr. Floyd Sheffield had what might have proved a serious accident on Wednesday evening when, in picking apples, he fell from the top of a large tree. Fortunately no bones were broken and he is again able to be around.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Howe, Plainfield, visited on Thursday at Mr. A. Sheffield's.

Miss Nellie York spent a couple of days with her sister, Mrs. W. Hodgson.

FRANKFORD

A number of the people of town are on the sick list.

The funeral of the little babe of Mrs. Harry Wallis took place on Thursday afternoon. Service was held in the Methodist church by Rev. J. Knox. It seems doubly sad as the father was buried only a little more than two weeks before. The mother has the heartfelt sympathy of the community in this, her double bereavement.

The W.M.S. were entertained by Mrs. S. Harrington at her home on Thursday afternoon. There was a good attendance and the meeting was enjoyed by all who were present. The delegate to the district convention gave a very fine report which was very much appreciated by all who were present.

The stock has been passing through our town again, this time he presented Mr. and Mrs. Geo. W. Sine with a son. Congratulations.

Mrs. C. B. Turley has returned home after spending a week with her parents at Melrose.

Miss Fern Ford, teacher at the Tabernacle school, is home for the present as the school is closed.

Miss Alice Windsor is able to be out again after being shut in for a few days.

Mr. G. E. Sine is on the sick list and at the time of writing there is no improvement for the better.

We are glad to see Mr. Fred Windover around again.

Mrs. Mabey, mother of Mr. Newton Mabey, of Riverside, is very ill at Mr. Mabey's home. She was brought from Trenton last Tuesday and was taken ill in the evening of the same day. Another son, Byron, of Oswego, is at the bedside of the mother.

Mr. Jack Finnigan, station agent here, has been shut in through illness for a few days.

SIDNEY CROSSING

The recent heavy rains have made it almost impossible for the farmers to continue their fall ploughing. Fall wheat is looking fine and pastures are still green and good.

A little boy has arrived at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Will Jeffery.

Mr. Jack Bennett, section foreman on the G.T.R., is on the sick list.

Mr. Frank Hogle, who has been very low with influenza, is some better.

Mrs. Verna Stinson, school teacher here, who went home a victim of the "flu" last week, is better, but school is still closed.

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Dick Eggleton on the arrival of a young daughter.

Much sympathy is extended to Mrs. Fred Gardner, Bayville, on the death of her daughter, Miss Queenie Gardner, who was an exceptionally bright girl and well known and highly esteemed by a large circle of warm friends.

The many friends of Mr. Claude Hogle, son of Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Hogle, of Cerat, Alberta, will be sorry to hear he has made the supreme sacrifice in France on 23rd Sept., after nearly four years service as chauffeur in the ambulance corps.

Miss Vera Bonisuel, nurse-in-training at Belleville Hospital, who has been sick is now better.

AMELIASBURG

Owing to the inclemency of the weather there was no Sunday school on Sunday.

The influenza has reached this section but mostly of a lighter nature generally.

Mrs. Alma Hunt, of Toronto, is dangerously ill with the influenza, at the home of her sister, Mrs. Ray Dempsey. Mr. Hunt was called from Toronto to be at her bedside.

Mr. and Mrs. James Dempsey were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Morley Carrington on Sunday.

Consecration and Carrying Pikes have closed their schools on account of the epidemic.

Mr. Chas. Adams has been laid up with polio on his hand. Mrs. Adams and their son, Cecil, are recovering from an attack of the epidemic.

Mr. W. H. Mabey spent over Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Morley Carrington.

VICTORIA

Church next Sunday at 1.30. Rev. Sharp will hold his regular two week's meeting on Tuesday evening next, the 29th. Everybody welcome.

The ladies aid will hold its next meeting at the home of our new president, Mrs. Bruce Hennessey, to do Red Cross work.

Rev. R. L. Edwards and family, our former pastor, spent the week end the guest of L. R. Brickman.

Miss Carrie White, of Sidney, is spending a few weeks with her sister Mrs. W. Bush.

Mr. David Bachelor, of Belleville, is at L. R. Brickman's owing to the school being closed.

Mrs. C. Vanderwoort, of Wellington, took dinner at her daughter's, Mrs. L. R. Eckman, on Monday.

Mr. Ray Fox drove to Trenton on Monday.

Glad to report Mrs. W. H. Montgomery progressing nicely after undergoing an operation in Belleville Hospital.

Miss Vera Brickman, of Belleville, spent over Sunday at her home here.

Rev. Mrs. R. L. Edwards and Robbie took tea at Mr. E. Brickman's on Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Wesco and Beryl called at J. G. Wesco's, Albany one night last week.

Mr. and Mrs. G. French of Belleville, visited at Mr. W. Hubbs' on Thursday.

MELROSE

The continuous rain is a great drawback to the fall plowing.

The Women's Institute purpose holding their monthly meeting at Mrs. Arthur McFarlane's. A number of quilts are being completed at that time for Red Cross work.

Mrs. E. Simpkins and Mrs. George English spent a few days with Mrs. T. Symington, Napanee.

Mr. Clayton English, of Belleville, spent Sunday with his parents in Melrose.

Mrs. Knapp of Selbie, spent Monday with her daughter, Mrs. Eugene Badgley.

THREW GRENADES IN MIND OF WOMEN

Germans Made Stand Where Inhabitants Had Taken Shelter

"In his retreat the enemy is leaving everywhere evidences of his destructive madness," says a cable received by the Belgian consul-general from Havre. "Before our offensive," the cable continues, "a German soldier murdered with his rifle a woman and her child in the street of Roulers. In many places the Germans made a last stand in the villages where the inhabitants had taken shelter, and when compelled to retreat they threw grenades in the midst of the women and children."

Incensed by the sight of these criminal doings, our soldiers pursued the enemy with an increased and relentless spirit. The enemy followed up his retreat in many instances by a bombardment with high explosives and gas shells."

TRAGEDY AT ST. THOMAS

St. Thomas, Oct. 23.—Walking in her sleep from the bedroom to the roof of the verandah at the residence of her son-in-law, J. Finnegan, Centre street, Mrs. Thomas Bannan toppled over to the cement walk and was instantly killed. Mrs. Bannan was eighty-nine years old and before coming to this city, a month ago, was an old resident of Stratford. Her lifeless body was found by a passerby.

The Boviels Must Act Healthily. In most ailments the first care of the medical man is to see that the bowels are open and fully performing their functions.

Parmelee's Vegetable Pills are so compounded that certain ingredients in them act on the bowels solely and they are the very best medicine available to produce healthy action of the bowels. Indeed, there is no other specific so serviceable in keeping the digestive organs in healthful action.

GUAM IS A LOYAL ISLAND

Voluntary Universal Training Helps Very Materially in Americanization.

How far the people of the Pacific island of Guam have progressed in the process of Americanization is indicated in the current issue of the Guam News Letter, copies of which have recently reached Seattle, Wash., the Post-Intelligencer of that city states.

The island, which is our cable outpost for the Philippine Islands and the eastern gateway to the Pacific, is under the control of the American navy, under the oversight of the navy department. Captain Smith seems to be developing a very ardent brand of Americanism among the island people, who are known as Chamorros and have a strong admixture of Spanish blood.

The News Letter describes the celebration of Washington's birthday in Guam, to which the people flocked from all parts of the island, coming by launch, owing to the absence of any inland highway system. The proceeds of the various amusements, amounting to \$1,270.55, were donated to the Red Cross, and we gather that the program of amusement was purely American.

For instance, the "hot dog" stand realized \$108.94; Butler's soda, \$128.80; Knott the cat down, \$112.07; the moving picture show, \$75.90; the fifty dance, \$45.80; wheel of fortune, \$200.10; limonade stand, \$72.08; baseball game, \$16.40. From all sources the Red Cross received \$1,500, and subscriptions were given for \$50,000 in Liberty bonds.

More than this, the island militia and the first parade. Some time ago Governor Smith put into effect a universal military training law at the request of the people, this being the first portion of American territory in which such a law has been made effective. There are 1,000 militiamen, the government supplying guns and ammunition and the regular khaki uniform of the United States army. Seven per cent of Guam's population is in the militia, at which rate, if we of the mainland kept up with the Chamorros, we should have an army of 7,000,000. The flags and floats of the parade induced a tremendous enthusiasm in the populace.

SHells TO USE FOR BUTTONS

A Species That Is Abundant in New Zealand Can Be Used to Advantage.

According to information which has been furnished by the department of internal affairs at Wellington, the Trochus alioctus, commonly found in Queensland and New Zealand, does not occur in New Zealand; but other shells which are found in these waters might be used in the manufacture of buttons, especially the genus, Helix, iris, and the tellur, Ocenebra succinea. They are not at present used for the manufacture of buttons or for similar work, but both occur in great numbers on rocky coasts near the low-tide mark, the genus being much the commoner.

Since these shells have never been sought for commercial purposes, there is no way of ascertaining their cost, the method of disposing of production, and so on, but it is understood that they are very easily gathered as the tide ebbs and flows on the sandy beaches about the island—Scientific American.

The Red Cross Girl.

Mrs. Mamie Colvin, New York's recent prohibition candidate for congress, said in a stump speech:

"But there's another side to this question. If liquor on the man's part causes divorce, recklessness on the woman's part causes it also."

I once knew a girl—she's divorced today, of course—who was warned by a friend:

"If you marry that man, I warn you, my dear, that he'll lead a double life."

"Well," said the girl, recklessly, "I don't marry him. I'll lead a single one, and that's worse."

To Remove Splinter.

To remove a splinter from the hand, fill a wide-mouthed bottle nearly full of hot water, says Popular Mechanics Magazine. Thrust the injured part over the mouth and press it slightly. The flesh will be drawn down and the splinter will be exposed under the action of the steam. This method is far better than the common and dangerous practice of pricking the flesh with a pin or knife point. The usual antiseptic solution should be applied.

First War Stamp Bank Built.

The first building in the United States to be erected as a war savings stamp bank has been built at Oklahoma City, Okla. Every piece of lumber and article of furniture going into the bank have been donated by business firms of the city, and the workmen erecting the building were paid in baby bonds. The building stands on one of the downtown streets and is devoted exclusively to the sale of war savings and thrift stamps.

Artificial Landscape Targets.

Most young men are city or town bred. Hence few of the soldiers of our national army have a clear idea of distances in nature. As many of the cartridges have not been placed amid scenery like that which marks men are likely to see "somewhere in France" or "on the way to Berlin," artificial landscapes are provided on which they can practice. Popular Science Monthly.

SINCLAIR'S Draperies

With an Atmosphere of Fall

It's like moving into a new home to have New Draperies hung over your Windows and Doorways. Our new selections enable every home manager to dress up any room in tune with the New Season. Colors and Patterns were never more attractive, and right now they are plentiful—something not to be expected later. Our specialty at present is LURY CLOTH, in enchanting color combinations of Rose and Green, Blue and Green, and Red, Yellow and Green. Lury Cloth has wonderful wearing qualities and has an additional advantage in that it is reversible. Lury Cloth, 36 inches wide, sells for \$1.75 a yard.

Flannelettes Make Ideal Nightwear

In view of present coal restrictions the prudent housewife will plan a full quota of warm Night Clothes for every member of the family.

Realizing this, we have secured a large supply of Warm Flannelettes, of good quality. They come in a number of colorful Stripe Patterns, Plain Colors, and are very attractively priced at 20 to 50 cents a yard.

Sault's Plush

If you are thinking of fulfilling that dream of cozy making a Plush Coat to warmth this winter, buy your Plush here. Beautiful guaranteed Sault's Plush sells at \$9.50 to \$10 a yard.

Marabuo Neckpieces

Fluffiness, lightness and warmth are all combined in our Marabuo Capes and Muffs. Nothing could be nicer for Fall wear and they are so becoming. Capes, Stoles, Muffs, in White, Black, Grey and Nigger Brown sell from \$8.50 to \$12.

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Good Style in all its essentials is assured to wearers of La Diva, D&A or C-C a-la-Grace Corsets.

Their perfect fitting qualities will be thoroughly appreciated by Ladies who know that in the fit and comfort of their Corsets depends the appearance of their gowns and suits.

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