

LET'S TALK IT OVER

THE TEST OF TODAY.

The time of war is sometimes called the testing time of a nation, and it is of course true that in a period of stress each individual is called upon to make his or her decision as to whether he will take his share in the world's work or stand idly by and let others bear the burden. The question about which so much has been said will be, however, surely asked and the duty of the mother who cannot answer, "I tried to do what I could," when asked, "What did you do in the great war?" has just a glorious opportunity to shine as hero in the eyes of the children.

But where the shocks were not only low in the days of the fighting, does it not seem to you that the real test is before us today and the serious question now is will we be able to keep up the pace? Was it patriotism or was it excitement or was it a mere working off of our own anxiety? What was the real motive for all our efforts and hard work since 1914?

It seems to me, if we were sincere, that after a rest, deservedly earned, those who truly cared for the soldiers would go on working for them and for the country which the men fought to keep for us. Signs of a reaction are already at hand. There are still soldiers in hospitals who love flowers and who enjoy little treats, but it is very seldom one reads of such things being done for them outside the three organized societies headed by the Provincial Red Cross and the Knights of Columbus, who do the most of the work among these lines.

Besides the assisting of sick soldiers, are there not all kinds of reforms needed, sums to be cleaned up, bread to be wrapped and many other improvements which could be accomplished if the women took matters seriously and worked together.

It gives one a feeling of sadness to hear any talk of "Who is she or what are they doing here?" when the person discussed has shown herself or himself a valuable member of the community and done glorious service in some or other of the societies or individually.

Class distinctions have vanished theoretically and it should be realized that it is not good form to question as to birth or position. Back person stands for themselves nowadays. Let those who can look back with pride on their worthy ancestors and endeavor to live up to them, but no aristocrat ever looks down on anyone else and it is a weakness in the line of descent somewhere when one hears sneering remarks uttered by people who should know better.

We went through such fearful things in the war it seems as if it should have burnt out all our petty little jealousies. Perhaps there are some, who during the last five years were not able to take their place in the front ranks of the workers. Would it not seem as if it was their duty to come forward and relieve others who never received a call and have borne the heat of the day steadily. It would be a fine thing, if at the last big opportunity for service, volunteers would come from the ranks of the associations and the splendid heads could enjoy themselves as spectators for once.

There would be no fear of many of our clever and talented women of falling when there was work to be done, but they have earned a rest and others ought to give it to them.

WHAT DO YOU THINK ABOUT IT?

MARGUERITE.

What it means that all the bargain shoe stores are for the little women, Miss Five Feet Four, wearing a size four shoe has no chance whatever while she sees darling slippers in sizes one and two.

But it takes away all one's vanity when you see yourself in the mirror. Few but royalty can stand that direct light of publicity graciously.

Someone shocked at the modern novel with its unconventionalities stated that she would read a course of history for a change and was advised to begin with the French Court Memoirs!

The length of the skirt is said to have been decided upon as eight inches above the floor and Paris dress-makers are buying five and a half to six yards of material for dresses where last year they bought only four and a half.

Don't you wish shoe-borne shorts were so untidy a desert?

And even one's best beloved eating corn on the cob isn't a pretty sight.

New York shows a Chinese red suit trimmed with monkey fur.

The I. O. O. F. in Toronto are to present an illuminated address to the Prince of Wales when he visits that city.

A real martyr to the humane law regarding bird's plumage is she who inherited beautiful capes and cannot wear them.

Thin People SHOULD TAKE PHOSPHATE

Nothing Like Plain Bitter-Phosphate to Put on Firm, Healthy Flesh and to Increase Strength, Vigor and Nerve Force.

Judging from the countless preparations and treatments which are continually being advertised for the purpose of making thin people fleshy, developing arms, neck and bust, and replacing ugly hollows and angles by the soft curved lines of health and beauty, there are evidently thousands of men and women who keenly feel their excessive thinness.

Thinness and weakness are often due to starved nerves. Our bodies need more phosphate than is contained in modern foods. Physicians claim there is nothing that will supply this deficiency so well as the organic phosphate known among druggists as bitro-phosphate, which is inexpensive and is sold by the Ross Drug Co., in St. John and most all druggists under a guarantee of satisfaction or money back. By feeding the nerves directly and by supplying the body cells with the necessary phosphoric food elements, bitro-phosphate should produce a welcome transformation in the appearance; the increase in weight frequently being astonishing.

Increase in weight also carries with it a general improvement in the health. Nervousness, sleeplessness and lack of energy, which nearly always accompany excessive thinness, should soon disappear, dull eyes begin to brighten, and pale cheeks glow with the bloom of perfect health. Miss Georgia Hamilton, who was once thin and frail, reporting her own experience, writes: "Bitro-phosphate has brought about a magic transformation in me. I gained 45 pounds and never before felt so well."

CAUTION: — Although bitro-phosphate is unsurpassed for relieving nervousness, sleeplessness and general weakness, it should not, owing to its tendency to increase weight, be used by anyone who does not desire to put on flesh.

WHITES AND BLACKS CLASH IN N. Y.

New York, August 21.—Several persons were injured today in a clash between negro and white strikers on a construction job in Brooklyn. The police reserves were called and four strikers were arrested along with a policeman who was wanted to work.

DAILY FASHION HINT



Dressing the hair low and placing an exquisitely carved ornament at the side is most becoming to perfect profile.

RUSSIA NOW RULED BY JAKE PETERS

Leader of Thieves Who Battered London Police Now in Supreme Power.

London, August 19.—Danes who have just returned from Russia say Lenin's power is waning, wires the Copenhagen correspondent of the Daily Telegraph. He has not been in Moscow for three months, they report. Trotsky, no longer in Moscow, but said to be in the army, has lost his influence, and the rulers of Russia just now are the extreme Reds and real anarchists.

Ultra-Radical Leads.

The most powerful man in Moscow or in Russia is said to be a Latvian painter named "Jake" Peters, who became well known in London in connection with the Sidney Street affair.

The returning Danes also report that Trotsky is no longer powerful and is not in Moscow. It is said he is with the army.

Further frightful massacres are expected in Moscow.

Arno Bosch-Petrot, staff correspondent of The World, is a despatcher of the Institute women, and also will stay until November, when the convention will be held.

WEDDINGS.

Comeau-Pierce.

Mrs. Margaret Pierce, 206 Main street, was united in marriage to Charles D. Comeau, Woodstock, yesterday morning, at 6 o'clock at St. Peter's church, by Rev. James Cloran, C. S. R. Nuptial Mass was celebrated. After the wedding the happy couple partook of a wedding breakfast at the bride's home on Main street. The happy couple left last evening to reside in Woodstock, where the groom is a farmer.

Archibald-MacDowell.

The wedding of Charlotte I., eldest daughter of Millen and the late Florence MacDowell, of Pennfield, N. B., to Charles L. Archibald, of St. John, was solemnized in St. Mark's Episcopal Church, St. George, N. B., by the rector, Rev. Jas. Spencer, on Wednesday, Aug. 20, at 10.30 a. m. The bride, a charming brunette, was attractively gowned in a dress of blue satin, with hat to match. After the ceremony the bride party retired to the home of the bride's parents, where immediate relatives were assembled, and a beautiful luncheon was served by Miss Helen A. Lee, of Boyton, cousin, and Miss Margaret L. MacDowell, St. John, sister of the bride.

Mr. and Mrs. Archibald departed on the afternoon train for points in the Maritime Provinces, and on their return will reside in St. John. The bride's travelling suit was of heavy blue broadcloth, with hat of blue velvet.

The bride was the recipient of many beautiful presents, showing her popularity among her many friends.

A host of friends join in wishing Mr. and Mrs. Archibald a long and happy wedded life.

SUMMER COMPLAINT IS A SERIOUS BOWEL TROUBLE

Very few people escape an attack of Summer Complaint. It may be slight, or it may be severe, but nearly everyone is liable to it.

You can't tell when it seizes on you, how it may end.

Allow the profuse diarrhoea, the vomiting and purging to continue for a day or two and you will become weak and prostrated.

Just as soon as the bowels become loosened up, get a bottle of Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry and check these unnatural movements, and thus prevent the system from becoming weakened.

Mrs. I. J. Akers, wife of the well-known wholesale and retail Fish Dealer, 44 Hill Street, Amherst, N. S., writes:—"I have four children, the oldest being eight years old. Every summer they were troubled with Summer Complaint. Doctors' prescriptions did not seem to help them any. One day a friend asked me to use Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry. I at once got a bottle, and to my surprise and wonder, I soon saw a change in them. I now keep a bottle of it in the house all the time, and will recommend it to any mother."

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combat the counter revolution in Russia, as the man who had been suspected of having taken part in the Houndsditch murder in London in December, 1910, and in the sequel, known as the "Battle of Sydney St."

London, early in January, 1911.

Later despatches have referred to him as "Peter the Man Killer," so called from the ruthless fashion in which he signed death warrants for persons whom the Bolshevik leaders wished out of the way, the number of warrants and of executions having mounted to many thousands.

In the Houndsditch affair a police sergeant was killed and four officers were wounded by supposed burglars who were trying to rob a jeweller's shop. One of the burglars was shot by a confederate for fear he might be caught and betray the others.

Battle in London Street.

The police ran down the Houndsditch gang in East London, in a house in Sydney street. A siege and battle occurred there, with infantry and artillery helping the police and with the inmates of the house resisting until the house was burned over their heads. Only two charged.

BURGLARS MAKE HAUL FROM C. N. OFFICES, BRANDON

Brandon, Man., August 21.—The Canadian Northern freight office here was robbed last night of about \$8,000.

The combination of the safe had been worked and the money and cheques taken. The burglars got a comparatively small haul as \$1,250 was in cheques, payment of which has been stopped.

Some time later several men were arrested, charged with being implicated in the Houndsditch affair.

Among them was Peter, entered on the court records as Jacob Peters, who had been in London since 1908, engaged ostensibly as a clothes presser in the Whitechapel district.

The trial judges said there was an element of doubt as to the guilt of Peters, and he was acquitted. In May 1, 1915, the Russian Detsky Committee in London sent him to Russia, where he became a counter-revolutionary commissary.

The police were long confused over the relation of Peters and "Peter the Painter."

LEMON JUICE TAKES OFF TAN

Girls! Make bleaching lotion if skin is sunburned, tanned or freckled

Squeeze the juice of two lemons into a bottle containing three cups of Orchard White, shake well, and you have a quarter pint of the best freckle, sunburn and tan lotion, and complexion whitener, at very small cost.

Your grocer has the lemons and any drug store or toilet counter will supply three ounces of Orchard White for a few cents. Massage this sweetly fragrant lotion into the face, neck, arms and hands and see how quickly the freckles, sunburn, windburn and tan disappear and how clear, soft and white the skin becomes. Yes! It is harmless.

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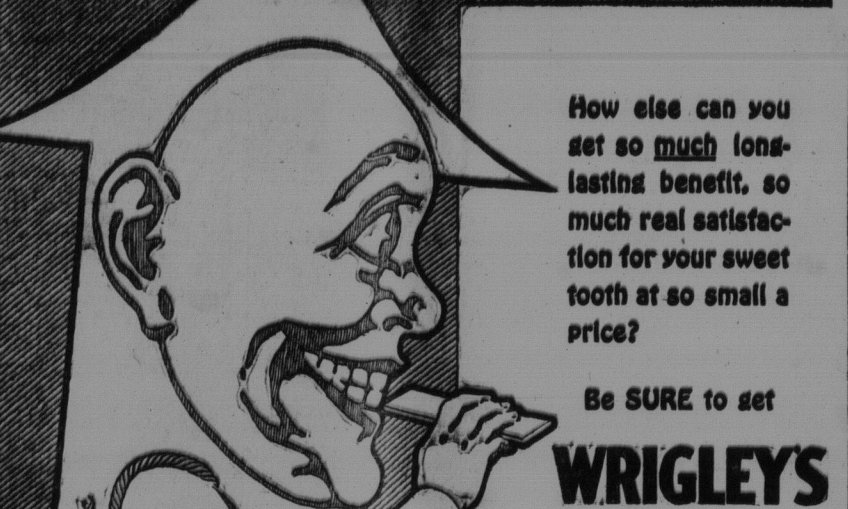
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