

HELP OUR BOYS

If your boy or any American boy was a prisoner in a Hun prison camp, what would his parents and friends not give to be able to locate him so that some comforts could be sent to relieve his sufferings.

The whereabouts of Arthur Haight, one of the Mesa boys who went to France to fight with the American troops, has been located. Through the efforts of the Y. M. C. A. army contingent, young Haight was discovered in one of the prison camps in Germany.

There is a whole lot in that short story. Think of the anxiety of the Mesa boy's people when he was reported "missing," and for days and weeks they heard no word of him or even that he was living or dead.

It is to continue this work and to make it more and more effective, this task of locating lost boys in the national service and of caring for other boys fighting on the seas and in France, that the United War Work Campaign is to be waged simultaneously all over the United States from November 11th to 18th.

SOCIALISM

In may not be uninteresting at this time to refer back to an address delivered a number of years ago by Samuel Gompers of the American Federation of Labor, in which he takes a fling at Socialism in these finely said words:

"I want to tell you Socialists that I have studied your philosophy; read your books upon economics, and not the meanness of them; studied your standard works both in English and German—have not only read, but studied them. I have heard your orators and watched the work of your movement the world over.

It cannot be gained that a good many of the American people are flirting with this "impossibility"—a good many of them have succumbed to its seductive argument. Not a few of our youth in institutions of learning have trifled with it and have either surrendered or are looking upon it with compassion.

Generally speaking, the American people recoil from it, not only because it is economically unsound, socially wrong and industrially impossible, but because Socialism is a German creed—discovered and developed by Germans who have tenaciously clung to the superman ideal, who do not and cannot appreciate the human passion for freedom of thought and action, who look upon men and women as state material and propose to assign them a place in a general schedule where they may best serve

their overseers and masters. It was just such Germans who invoked the cruel Mars and bathed Europe in blood—who looked upon this war as the means of adding to Germany's wealth and influence, never for one moment reflecting upon the crime of it, nor for an instant considering the folly of it, nor for imagining that the ultimate consequences of it could be adverse.

In the German reichstag it is the theory of the Socialists that the party members shall vote as a unit. In December, 1914, Karl Liebknecht, a son of Wilhelm Liebknecht, one of the founders of modern Socialism, openly voted against further military credits, declaring that the war was not one of defense on Germany's part. From that time on he consistently opposed the war and the German government.

That is what Socialism is in Germany, where it was born. Socialism is Germanism, pure and simple, and is, as Mr. Gompers has said, economically unsound, socially wrong and industrially impossible.

Look out for it—and beware of it.

PROUD OF HIS RECORD

Nogales, Arizona, is justly proud of the record of the Rev. George C. Van Goetheim, formerly parish priest in the Sacred Heart parish, has made and is making in France. The former priest of Sacred Heart parish went to France over a year ago to engage in Knights of Columbus work at the front and he has been in the midst of things ever since, ministering to the needs of the living and the suffering of the injured.

In the year he has been in France, the good father has aided in the erection and dedication of not less than fifteen Knights of Columbus halls and his work in the front line trenches has shown him a man of great fortitude and bravery. He is ranked as one of the most enthusiastic workers for the cause of democracy in France.

Father Goetheim's work for the coming year will be supported through the United War Work Campaign drive of November 11th-18th. The National Catholic War Council (Knights of Columbus organization) is an integral part of that great mercy campaign.

SERVICE UNDER FIRE

An American doughboy, when asked to tell what, during the fighting at Chateau Thierry, in which he participated, impressed him most, he said:

"I was flabbergasted, of course, by the rain of Hun machine gun bullets, and was surprised when I turned over what I supposed was a dead Hun and found he was only playing 'possum, and I was a wee bit excited when I tumbled into a pit on top of two dead German snipers. But the climax to my Chateau Thierry fight experience came just as we had finished mopping up the town from which we drove the Huns.

"I was faint from hunger and thirst, and was wondering how long it would be before I could find the 'makins' of a smoke, when what should come along but a Knights of Columbus truck with hot chocolate, coffee and best of all—cigarettes! My first hot bite, hot drink and a real smoke at Chateau Thierry—I will never forget 'em."

SOLDIERS READ TO LEARN

The American soldier isn't satisfied to return home knowing no more than when he became a part of our great national army.

WHEN DEAF HEAR

By VINCENT G. PERRY.

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Vernon Montgomery, magazine and newspaper feature writer, had won prominence because his articles and stories were different. He never used second-hand information, every fact he quoted was gained by personal investigation; that was one of his bonats.

From the first he found the study interesting. As the days went by he began to take an interest in the pupils. There was one young lady especially that interested him. He was attracted to her first by noticing that she was always the first to catch onto the instructions of the teacher, and her enjoyment of the study seemed to be reflected in her face.

After the first two weeks had passed Vernon thought it time to set to work on the first of his articles. He didn't get more than started, however, for his mind would not settle on his subject. He pushed it aside and started on a love story with a deaf and dumb heroine.

The next day he managed to sit nearer the girl that had attracted him, with the result that he missed some of the instructions. What was her name, he wondered. Did she know it herself? Of course she knew it! Deaf and dumb people were often very clever and her cleverness could not be mistaken. How eagerly she watched the teacher!

It was hard to get back to his old routine of work but he buckled down to work on a new idea for some feature articles but the new idea didn't pan out as he had expected. Something had gone wrong.

Where were all his ideas? Was there nothing in his brain but thoughts of lip-reading and Ivy Sterling? That was it—Ivy Sterling was the cause of the whole thing. He was in love, and he had to admit it, and he hadn't even written to her. To tell the truth the thought of being in love with a deaf and dumb girl had never entered his head before, but now he knew that it was love he felt toward Ivy. After all what did it matter if she was deaf and dumb? They could converse and that was all that mattered. Some men would be thankful if their wives were dumb, but of course, if Ivy had been gifted with speech she would not have made that kind of a wife.

When it was completed, after weeks of the hardest work of his life, and yet the most pleasant, he made up his mind that it was best suited for a magazine serial, and he submitted it personally. "Your synopsis of the plot sounds promising," the managing editor said as he fingered the manuscript. "Lip-reading, eh?" His face lit up with a smile. "Young man, we shouldn't accept any of your work. Your lip-reading series scooped us, after we had put one of the best of our staff out over the story. To make matters worse she got started in the course and refused to leave off until she had completed it. Were you as interested in it as that?"

"I certainly was. It is a wonder I didn't meet your writer, though."

"Oh!" A gasp sounded in the office and the two men turned to face a young woman with a handful of copy. It was Ivy Sterling.

"You gave me a start to hear you talk," she gasped.

"Miss Sterling, aren't you deaf and dumb?" Vernon could hardly believe his ears.

"I should say I am not. So you are the man who scooped me on the lip-reading series—the first time I have been scooped, too. It is a wonder I never suspected you. There was a merry twinkle in her eye.

"You knew all along!" Vernon saw it in an instant.

"Of course, I did," she laughed, "and it is going to make the dandiest magazine story."

"I would have sworn you were dumb. Why the way you blushed the day we learned the word love, made me sure it was all new to you."

"Maybe it was. The way you said it." She was blushing again.

Pity, But 'Tis Not So. If it were as easy to raise one in Alabama as it is to raise Cain in the heart of perverse humanity, this would be a sweet old world.—Seattle Post-Intelligencer.

PAGE MR. ROOSEVELT

Hundreds of men highly qualified for overseas war work have been sent abroad, but none of them has equaled the record of J. W. Williamson, of Vancouver, British Columbia, who has been sent abroad as a K. of C. secretary. Besides, B. C., who arrived at the answering everything asked him in his questionnaire, Mr. Williamson added that he is the father of seventeen children.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

(Continued from Last Week)

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SEND WHEAT TO GALVESTON

Some of the wheat growers in the valley have expressed a fear that in dealing with the Grain Corporation of the Food Administration they were liable to receive unfair treatment. They were afraid that an unusual dockage might be made and that there would be a shortage in weights. Greenlee county has shipped out something over eleven cars of wheat and as far as the County Agent could learn there was no case of dissatisfaction. The figures from one farmer are available. He shipped 94 sacks of wheat, weighing at his shipping point, 11,370 pounds. The returns from the United States Food Administration Grain Corporation at Galveston, credited him with 11,750 pounds of wheat. He was docked 5 per cent for barley, etc., and received for this \$1.65 per hundred pounds. The increase of 380 pounds in weight was undoubtedly due to the absorption of moisture by the dry wheat from our Arizona valley. This farmer was well satisfied with his returns. A. B. BALLANTYNE, County Agent.

Well "Armed"!



When company comes there is no time to waste—no chances to be taken—so mother sees that there is always a can of CALUMET BAKING POWDER on hand. Cakes, pies, doughnuts, muffins and all good things to eat must be dressed up in their best taste and looks.

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MORE NURSES NEEDED

More than ten thousand additional nurses will be needed for the Army Nurse Corps by January 1st and another twenty-five thousand nurses will be needed by June 1st. This is the information wired to the State Council of Defense, by the Field Division of the Council of National Defense. The impression that no more nurses are needed in military hospitals is absolutely wrong. Nurses are needed and needed badly and the government calls on the patriotic women of the nation to enroll in this worthy work which means so much to the soldiers and sailors of the nation and which has so great a bearing on the winning of the war.

USE LOTS OF STATIONERY

At one of the Knights of Columbus buildings at an embarkation, there is distributed each day to soldiers applying, about 20,000 letterheads and 10,000 envelopes. Frequently, two hundred men are seen writing letters at desks provided by the K. of C. Recently one day, there were distributed 47,000 letterheads.

About Coughs

If your children are subject to croup, or if you have reason to fear their being attacked by that disease, you should procure a bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and study the directions for use, so that in case of an attack you will know exactly what course to pursue. This is a favorite and very successful remedy for croup, and it is important that you observe the directions carefully. adv-38-5t Buy War Savings Stamps.