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Von Hin, the hun, seems to have struck a stone wall.

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Are you putting that conserved hour to good use for your country? Get busy.

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The hen's reprieve has expired, and Biddie may now prepare to pay the final debt.

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We still have a sneaking suspicion that Villa has a German ancestor somewhere in his family history.

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A noted actress is billed to appear in "A Pair of Silk Stockings." Gosh! That ought to draw a house.

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Up-to-date no enterprising Paris reporter has interviewed von Hindenburg to learn how he likes the city.

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Uncle Carranza must be getting mighty impatient waiting for Germany to keep her promise and deliver Texas to her.

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It might be suggested that American mobs couldn't harm the enemy aliens if the latter were safely behind iron bars.

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And now it developes that the cubist movement in art had its origin in Germany. Another reason why the hun should be suppressed.

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Historians are engaged in an investigation to determine when the first submarine boat was used. They have strangely overlooked the evidence of old Jonah.

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Dispatches tell us that Secretary Baker has set before three kings during his visit to the other side. Shucks, that did'nt put any change on Newt. He can always hold a better hand than three kings.

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Berlin newspapers object to the tone of the President's latest messages, wherein he assures that nation that we shall use force to destroy force. Why their objections? Hasn't the kaiser declared he wants no soft peace?

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A subscriber suggests that in dealing with the loiters we exempt the fishermen. We'll agree to that if they are required to establish the absolute truth of every tale told, and demonstrate that they have really contributed to the mess supply.

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After the United States Senate had debated for eight hours whether the word "intended" should be substituted for the word "calculated" that body must have adjourned with very jaded intellects. How proud we should be that not the smallest matter escapes the Argus eyes of our law-makers.

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And now complaints come from all over the country that, in spite of government orders to the contrary, wholesalers are hoarding food stuffs to make a killing on soaring prices. Will we never stop this piracy? Every hog among the lot should be placed behind bars and his holdings be taken by the Government. Our people can be crowded too far.

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Chancellor von Hertling insists that Russia has not been "dishonored." If the treatment Russia has been subjected to at the hands of Germany contains no element of dishonor Americans may form a pretty fair conception of what our fate would be should we fall into their hands, especially if they should decide we need a little chastening in their kind way.

A NEW BABY

John, the great seer of Patmos, saw "a new Heaven and a new earth." Ever since his day the human race has been yearning toward that new earth, especially. Many times some portion of earth's peoples have fondly imagined they had attained to it, only to be disillusioned when thru the rosy mist of optimism the same imperfect old world emerged.

The latest effort toward a radical change of earth and earth's people is the effort of the Russian Bolsheviki to attain thereto, mainly by a repudiation of all earthly obligation and a throwing down of all responsibilities.

These gentry have it seems preached an absolute personal liberty as the ultimate attainment toward perfection in this life. To a life to some they appear very skeptical.

Their teaching has, however, defeated itself, in that they failed to perceive that there can be no such thing as absolute personal liberty without degenerating into anarchy. That was the inevitable and logical effect in Russia, and it will be the same with any other nation which undertakes to put personal freedom and license ahead of the interests of humanity in the large.

Whether or not a stable government will emerge from the chaos into which its masters have plunged poor Russia, it is an impressive object lesson for all free peoples, a lesson that should impress them with the fact that man may have entirely too much freedom for his own good, and that the safest course is to keep close to the old landmarks.

—WSS—

OUR OBLIGATION

The speech of Premier Loyd Goerge in the British House of Commons on the question of the Man Power bill now pending, should be read by every American and read carefully. There is much in this speech to give us serious thought.

Mr. Loyd George practically admits that Great Britain is making little if any headway toward winning the war, and that England is nearing the limit of her resources in men. The bill proposes to call men of 50 and boys of 18. The speaker is careful to state that not all the older men will be sent to the front, but that they are needed to take the places of younger men who can participate in the fighting.

In this emergency, America's duty is plain. We can no longer sit back and wait for the Allies to stop the German hordes. We are vitally interested as they and have as great a stake in the final outcome as any one of the European nations.

Certainly no person of average intelligence could doubt for a moment that the fate of America is inevitably linked with that of the Allies. Certainly none can doubt that an allied defeat would prove a staggering blow to American progress and American prosperity if not to her very existence as a free nation.

America must win the war. Her power must be the added force that shall turn the scale in favor of the allied cause. To that end all her immense power must be exerted. President Wilson has assured our Allies that our armies will be rushed to Europe as fast as it is humanly possible to put them there.

But while our fighting men are hastening to the fray, there is also a herculean task for every man, woman, boy and girl who remains at home. We must work—work and save. We must feed our troops and provide them with all the necessaries of war. And we must practically feed the allied world. There is no escaping the obligation. The cause is our own, and the man who shrinks now must forever bear the brand of the slacker and the coward.

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CIVIC CLUB

Andover ladies organized a civic club Monday evening with the following officers:

President, Mrs. R. B. Burrows
1st Vice President, Mrs. C. L. Barley
2nd Vice President, Mrs. T. R. Bassett
Secretary, Miss Strickland
Treasurer, Mrs. Mary Driscoll

—WSS—

When You Want to Buy a Home, watch study—investigate the real estate ads.

WOMAN'S SPHERE

It is not our intention just now to enter into a discussion of the great question now agitating this country, the apparent outcome of which will place women, at least, on a perfect equality, politically, with men. Our state has already answered the question and answered it right.

We do wish, briefly, to call attention to some very erroneous views as to woman's proper sphere."

We regret to note a tendency on the part of some of the more prominent advocates of feminine emancipation, to belittle the idea that woman's natural place is in the home. This can have no good effect and is liable to work great harm.

Admitting that there are women who are capable of greater things than mere home-making (if there can be any greater occupation) at the same time we must recognize the fact that these women are greatly in the minority. While we may count this class by hundreds there is another class that must be counted by thousands and millions, whose tastes, inclinations and natures fit them to be home-keepers, and only home-keepers. The women who really would throw off the cares of the home for public life are very few as compared with the great number of those who are not only willing to assume those duties, but who really prefer them to any other sphere in life.

The incrutable wisdom of Providence has decreed that women must bear children if the race is to continue. The idea of children in any place but home is one that has never yet found favor with our people. And the thot of a home in charge of any but the mother is another thot to which we have not yet become accustomed.

By all means grant women the ballot and perfect equality with man wherever they do not now have it, and by all means grant her the privilege of public life if she prefers it and is fitted for it. There are a few such and we would speed them in their careers But while this is the case, there are thousands whose highest aspirations is for a home of their own, and we protest against any policy that would tend to sow discord in their lives and cause them to yearn for a career for which they are totally unfit.

—WSS—

The desperate German drive on the western front had one effect that will not give any satisfaction to Germany. It has resulted in the United States speeding up preparations and troops are to be rushed to France as fast as the combined transportation facilities of both the United States and Great Britain can put them across. As they arrive on the other side they will be absorbed into the armies of the allies, and what they may lack in training will be rubbed into them in short order. This will prove of benefit to the troops themselves, as well as to materially strengthen the allied front. With the help of Great Britain we should be able to make our power felt on the front very soon now. And surely there is need of the help our troops can give. America will watch with feverish interest the transportation of our troops and hail the day when we shall have sent enough to turn the tide into an allied victory.

—WSS—

Ireland is untrue to herself. For centuries the term "Irishman" has stood for all that was gallant, brave, loyal and true. That she should refuse to bear her share in the great world conflict, when the very principles for which her history has been one long contention are trembling in the balance, is inexplicable. It is sincerely to be hoped that she will now accept the home rule tendered by England, submit to the same rigorous conditions England imposes on herself, and forever clear her name of the odium that must attach to it if her past course of resistance is pursued any farther.

—WSS—

Our boys are going across, by hundreds, by thousands, by hundreds of thousands. They MUST be sustained. Let every American solemnly ask himself this question: "If either must suffer privation that they or some I?"

Spring Display of Oxfords, Colonials and Pumps

A great variety of styles in all leathers, black, tans and grays, priced $2.50 to $6.50.

White Pumps and Oxfords, $1.50 to $5.50.

White High-top Canvass Shoes, $2.50 to $4.50.

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COMFORT SHOES

We have new lines of medium and low heel Comfort Shoes, made of the finest kid skin, in medium and extra widths, $2.50 to $4.50.

NEW THIS WEEK

Infants' Soft, Solid and Turned Shoes in two-tone and plain colors, 29c to $1.25

Boy Scout Shoes sizes 9 to 2 $1.90 sizes 3 to 6 $2.45

SEE OUR SATURDAY BARGAIN COUNTER—A big display of Shoes and Pumps at Reduced Prices

Men's Work Shoes Marked Down.

Men's Black Blucher Shoes, heavy soles, $2.45, were $3.50

Men's Goodyear Welt Tan Calf Shoes, $4.50, were $5.50

Men's Tan Blucher Solid Leather Shoes, $3.00, were $4.00

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His Daddy Has Gone To War

POOR LITTLE KID! He has played hard all day with the toy soldiers his father brought home to him the day he left for France. And he's been keeping his spirits up because his father said to him—"Boy, take care of your little mother—and keep her happy till I come home again." And he has been trying very hard to back up that soldier in France. As his head sinks down on his arm he sees that big soldier—his gun in hand, his face set towards Victory.

And as the soldier goes "Over the Top" he turns his head and smiles—smiles at the boy who means so much to him—who stands to him for home, country, love, happiness, success—all he holds most dear.

Look well at this Child! He represents the future of America—the future of Liberty—do your share to help his father win the great fight for all the children of the world.

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East

Train No. 4. . . . . 9:00 A. M.
" 26. . . . . 1:30 P. M.
" 8. . . . . 7:45 P. M.

West

Train No. 7. . . . . 10:30 A. M.
" 3. . . . . 7:45 P. M.

Tuesdays and Fridays—Trains No. 3, and No. 8.—mails close 1:30 P. M.

W. F. O'CONNELL, P. M.

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COMMON SENSE

Unless your head is of solid bone,
You'll dig all you can for the Liberty Loan.

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—Bought your bond yet?

—L. H. Thompson has purchased a Chevrolet roadster of P. L. Lynch & Son.

—Fifty converts came forward at the Hamilton evangelistic meetings, being held in Canisteo, Sunday evening.

—The many friends of Ellen Walsh will be pleased to hear she is improving slowly from a bad case of neuritis.

—The Social Circle will meet with their president, Mrs. E. Thorpe, next Wednesday p. m., for important business.

—Miss Flossie Motonyu and Herman Worrel, of Alfred, were united in marriage by Rev. M. N. Longenecker, at the Baptist parsonage, Sunday evening.

—Miss Lena Gray, instructor of music and drawing in the Warsaw school, informs the News that that school has done its bit, by buying over $25,000 worth of Thrift Stamps up to date.

—To-day is War and Thrift Stamp Saving day in Andover school. There will be a patriotic program in which the several grades will take part and a general rally for sale of stamps.

—Mrs. Adelaide Hoadley, aged 81 years, died at her home in Friendship, April 16th. Mrs. Hoadley had been ill several weeks suffering with a broken wrist and shoulder, the result of a fall.

—Thirty-six draft registrants from Steuben County, who had been classed in class No. 2, because they were married men, have been transferred by the federal authorities into class No. 1, as it appears they were married since May 18, 1917.

—The W. F. M. S. of the Methodist Church met with Mrs. Ernest Theetge last Tuesday evening, to help the hostess celebrate her birthday. A tureen supper was enjoyed and a rare program rendered. The company left a suitable purse for your[illegible] enjoyment of the pleasant occasion.

—Read what The Forum has to say on "Americanism" this week.

—Regular meeting of Andover Rebekah Lodge, Wednesday evening, May 1st. Initiation.

—The Erie canal is to be opend the middle of May when our transportation troubles will soon be over.

—Keep your eye on that clock in Baker Bro's. window. It is ticking off the amount sold for Andover third Liberty Loan.

—Word comes to Andover that Nick Cretokos, a former Andover business man, has gone "over there," having enlisted and started for France Tuesday of this week.

—Miss Thelma Alvoid had the misfortune to injure her ankle, breaking the small bone and straining the ligaments, in a game of basket ball, at the school building, Friday afternoon.

—Albert Arnoys had his knee badly bruised and received other minor injuries when he ran his car against the bridge this side of Hornell Friday night. The car was damaged to considerable extent. Mr. Arnoys was taken to St. James Mercy Hospital.

—The late Carrie Mitchell, of Wayne, Steuben County, in her will endows a home for aged and infirm Episcopal clergymen to be known as the John B. Mitchell Home, in honor of the first Episcopalian in the town of Wayne, a grandfather of the testatrix.

—The Methodist Sunday School of Cohocton, showed their patriotism by subscribing for $5,000 of the third Liberty Loan Bond.

—A dozen or more Hornell lads have arrived safely in France is the report received Monday. These soldiers were in the February draft.

—Mrs. Knight Driscoll died at Wellsville, April 13th. For several years Mr. and Mrs. Driscoll lived on a farm near Andover. About ten years ago the family moved to Wellsville, where Mr. Driscoll died some four years ago. Funeral and burial were at Wellsville, Tuesday.

—Raymond Wilson an employee of the Up-to-Date at Canisteo, claims to have found ground glass in chewing gum. He noticed that his tongue was becoming sore and investigation revealed the fact that there were countless minute particles of ground glass in the gum.

—Among the casualty list, dieing from disease, in France is the name of Charles Costello, of Penn Yan, horseshoer. He was one of seven men working with Mortimer Driscoll, of this village at Camp Dix, and went across in March. Mr. Costello was a fine young man and an intimate friend of Mr. Driscoll.

—Remember when the Liberty Loan Committee call on you to-day they are simply doing the duty required of them by our Government. This is no pleasure excursion for them. So be prepared to meet them with courtesy and if within the possible, do your part toward putting this Andover over the top on the Loan.

—Men are being rushed to France with the greatest possible rapidity.

—Harold Dawson is working in J. P. Cannon Co. Clothing Store in place of Chas. Foster.

—Andrew J. Hill of Lindley, has been granted a judgment of $450 against the Elmira Herald on a libel suit.

—Misses Veronica Hyland, Mable Tidd and Viola Clare were entertained at dinner Thursday evening by Miss Beatrice Witter.

—Remember that our American boys in the trenches are watching this Liberty Loan. Stand back of them. Do your duty to the last dollar.

J. C. Greene fell at his home on Pleasant Ave., last Friday evening, injuring his hip and side seriously; fortunately no bones were broken.

—Mrs. K. Carpenter, of Belfast, who has been seriously ill for some months, has been brought to the home of her daughter, Mrs. H. W. Boyd of this village.

—While home on furlough Private Samuel McRae, of Allegheny and Miss Freda Hess were united in marriage at the bride's home in Belfast, Sunday.

—About thirty members of the Social Circle and neighbors enjoyed a tureen supper at the home of Dr. and Mrs. Common, last Wednesday evening. A very pleasant time was reported.

—Frank Horan was driving in from Hornell, Tuesday evening and in making the turn from Elm to Main Street, the car skidded on the wet pavement striking the curb and smashing a front wheel on his Buick roadster.

WANTED — Boy to run shoe-chair, Saturday afternoon and evenings. J. Caruso.

—A very pleasant reception was given at the parlors of the Presbyterian Church, Tuesday evening in honor of Rev. Hamilton B. Williams, who is soon to leave for camp, having enlisted in Y. M. C. A. service.

—The marriage of Miss Ruth C. Edson, of Instanters, Pa., and Charles M. Barnes, of Wellsville, was solemnized Saturday, April 20th, Rev. E. N. Edson, father of the bride officiating. The News extends hearty congratulations.

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MASONIC

A special meeting of Andover Lodge No 558, F. & A. M., is called for Monday evening, April 28th. The first degree will be worked.

B. S. BRUNDAGE, W. M.

—WSS—

RED CROSS KNITTERS

Mrs. J. M. Brundage, chairman of the knitting division for Andover Red Cross, has returned to her home and resumed charge of the work. Completed garments should be returned to her.

—WSS—

DRAFTED MEN

Andover men, in the next draft, or leaving for service, are requested to call at the home of Mrs. J. M. Brundage, where they will be furnished with a knitted [illegible] from the Red Cross.

LONGWORTHY DEAD

Daniel L. Longworthy died Wednesday morning, at his home in Rockport Valley, after a brief illness.

Funeral service will be held at the Seventh-day Baptist Church, at Alfred Station, Saturday afternoon, at 2 o'clock.

—WSS—

DANIEL BURDICK

Oliver Daniel Burdick was born in East Valley, Town of Andover, Dec. 30th, 1840, son of Welcome and Prudence Pettibone Burdick. His entire life has been passed on the farm until about three years ago when failing health made it imperative that he retire from active life and with his wife he moved to Alfred to make their home.

In 1861 he was united in marriage to Miss Adelaide Fowler, who died April 4th, 1878. To them were born three daughters, Mrs. Rodolphus Howland of this village, Mrs. Dayton Burdick and Mrs. Fred Hemphill, of Erie, Pa. November 10th, 1879 he married Miss Susan A. Davis. One child was born of this marriage, Mrs. W. W. Sheldon of Alfred. Beside his wife and daughters he is survived by one brother, Charles Burdick, of East Valley.

Mr. Burdick was a member of the Seventh-day Baptist Church of this village which he joined at the time of its organization in 1871, and of which he has always been a consistent and faithful member. The last time Mr. Burdick called at our office, but a few weeks ago, he mentioned the fact that he had one more errand before leaving town, that of calling on the church treasurer to meet his financial obligations to that body. Upright, industrious and genial he was held in highest esteem by his townsmen.

Funeral service was held at the home in Alfred, Saturday afternoon, Rev. W. L. Burdick officiating. Interment was in Alfred Rural Cemetery.

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"HIS WIDOWED MIGHT," Comedy
And a PATHE NEWS

Monday Evening, April 29
"AN AMATEUR ORPHAN," Drama
"POLICE PROTECTION," Comedy

Wednesday Evening, April 24
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Men's $1.50 blue stripe Overalls, $1.25
Men's Canvass Gloves, 15c.
Men's $1 Athletic Union Suits, 75c.
One lot Men's Ribbed $1.25 Union Suits, $1.00.
Men's $1.75 Khaki Pants, $1.50.
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