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"MOTHERS, WHERE ARE YOU?"

(Warren Daniel, Indianapolis News)

The little child in fright or pain cries out, "Mother, where are you?" It is mother's voice that reassures him. It is mother's presence that makes him bold in the dark. It is mother who wipes away the tears and "kisses the hurt to make it well." It is mother who saves him from all harm. It is mother who shares his joys and troubles. It is mother who prays daily for his protection. Mother is the guard that never sleeps when he is in danger. How safe he feels in the arms of mother! Home and God and Mother are all the same to him. Would mother fail to do all possible to protect him from the dread diseases of fever and plague and war? Will mother vote to continue a system that sometime—and it may be soon—will destroy his life, or blind his eyes, or mangle his limbs, or eat up his lungs? Mother, where are you? Ask the little child. He will tell you.

Your son has reached manhood. He is stricken with a disease that under the old method of treatment has always proved fatal. But a new remedy has been discovered that will cure in nine cases out of ten. How long would you tolerate a physician that insisted on sticking to the old sure death methods and refused to give the new life-saving remedy a trial? Mothers of America, forty-one nations have adopted a remedy that will prevent the sacrifice of their sons in war. Are you unwilling that a trial be given this remedy to save your sons? Let us assume that our country refuses to give the remedy a trial. Without the league of nations, the laws relating to the coming of wars are as unchanging as were the laws of the Medes and the Persians. Let us look ahead a few years to the coming war. It is inevitable under the old system. Your son on battlefield, or in muddy trench, or in fever-stricken camp or hospital, suffering from body wounds, or mutilated limbs, or struggling for the breath of life through bleeding, poisoned lungs, cries out in his delirium, just as he did as a child when no one else could save him, "Mother, where are

you?" Can mother save him then? Will mother save him now? Need we ask?

Mother that has just come out of the valley of the shadow of death with the wee bit of helpless humanity; mother of the sweetest, dimpling, cooing babe that ever crowded for kisses; mother of the laughing, prattling, inquisitive toddler; mother of the little man of six ready for school; mothers of the boys and youths of America; mothers of the men of the greatest nation on earth; mother, "the holiest thing alive," we thank God that you are to participate in the settling of this great moral, life-saving question. It is the greatest issue of the age.

But beware! The reactionaries and opponents of the league are employing their cleverest brains to distort the meaning of the covenant, to misrepresent its principles and belittle its importance. They are telling you of its evils, mostly imaginary, and based on the absurd assumption that nations will habitually violate their agreements. They never tell you of the great good it will accomplish, nor that its defects can better be discovered by a fair trial; nor that it can be amended; nor that we can withdraw from it if we don't like it. Was there ever an attitude more depraved and uncompromising than that determined, through misrepresentation, to prevent the trial of a method that promises to save to you in the future the lives of your sons?

Be not deceived. We had no league and more than 100,000 of our best men have just been sacrificed. The league is to prevent a repetition of this, and greater, sacrifices. It is not believed that the mothers will be diverted from the path of righteousness by the misrepresentations and efforts to confuse and deceive them. Mothers see and know the right intuitively.

Queen of the world, "the mother holds the key to the soul, and makes the being who would be a savage a Christian man." Through her prayers and her votes she will force the nations to discard the age-old man-savage way of settling their disputes. In its stead they will have the civilized, Christian way of the covenant. Civilization and other nations in despair are crying, "Mothers of America, where are you?" The hope of the world lies in the motherhood of America. Mother will keep the faith with the sons who have gone before and the sons of the coming generation. Her influence through the vote will put civilization a thousand years ahead. And "her children will rise up and call her blessed."

Mother, where are you?

An Alabama professor thinks he has a plan for locating oil that will avoid sinking dry holes. But he only thinks he has.

SPECIAL INDUCEMENT FOR NAVAL RECRUITS

The local navy recruiting office, with headquarters at the Alliance postoffice building, has been doing a fair business since its establishment two weeks ago. To date seven recruits have signed up for hitchhikes on the high sea. Enlistments for both army and navy are dragging somewhat, due to the especially fine weather, but as soon as the cold winds begin to blow and the snow piles up on the streets, there should be a rush to the colors.

The navy is making special inducements to get recruits. In addition to shortening the period of enlistment—something that hasn't been done before—as well as permitting recruits to choose their branch of the service and select special training, a new plan has been developed to stimulate enlistment. Foreign cruises are to be made by both Atlantic and Pacific fleets during the summer of 1921, and the lucky gobs who get berths in the fleet will have the time of their life. The following telegram, received yesterday, tells the whole story:

"The department has issued instructions to the commander-in-chief of the Atlantic fleet and the commander-in-chief of the Pacific fleet to submit tentative itineraries for the foreign cruises to be made by the respective fleets in the summer of 1921. The present idea is that the Atlantic fleet will visit ports on the east coast of South America and also Capetown, and possibly the Island of St. Helena, the home of Napoleon during his captivity. The Pacific fleet is expected to visit the South Sea Islands and ports in Australia and New Zealand. It is probable that the Pacific fleet will be able to visit ports in southern New Zealand and also Tasmania, or Vadiemans Land after the completion of this winter's maneuvers in the Pacific in January and February. The fleets will proceed to their target grounds on or before March 10, and finish up all target practice of the present year. It is expected that this will be completed about May 1. Then, after six weeks at home for repairs and the customary leave, it is believed that the vessels will get away on their foreign cruises about June 15, 1921. This will be a fine opportunity for recruits to see the world. It is noted that last week showed about twenty-three hundred enlistments, and that the enlisted personnel of the navy today had risen to over one hundred twelve thousand."

HOW TO MAKE HOME BAKING EASY

From all parts of the country come reports of a great increase in home baking. In fact, it has again become the fashion, as it was in grandmother's day, for women to take pride in telling about the good things they bake at home.

To encourage this great economy, and to make it easy for the beginner, as well as to give the experienced home bakers the benefit of the most modern discoveries, the Royal Baking Powder Company has published a book which, in itself, is almost a course in the art of cookery. There is included a wealth of information most unusual this sort of literature. Old and famous recipes have been improved and simplified. Economy and ease of preparation are the keynotes of the book, which is the result of three years of constant research and experimenting by the Royal educational department, which is conducted for the benefit of all housewives interested in the health, economy and betterment of the home table.

Political Advertisement

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Andrew M. Morrissey

"The political parties have made no nominations for Chief Justice. The Chief Justice is not elected as a party candidate, but his name will be found with other Judicial Candidates, and school officers on a separate ballot. "We favor the re-election of Chief Justice Morrissey because we believe in the law designed to take the courts out of politics and to elect Judges because of their qualifications. "Six years ago when he became Chief Justice the court was about three years behind. Today the court is as nearly up with its work as it is practicable for a supreme court to be. Credit for this is not wholly due to the Chief Justice, but other members of the court who have contributed to this result give full credit to Chief Justice Morrissey for his share in its accomplishment. "He has executive ability that gets results. He enjoys the friendship and co-operation of his associates. He has the respect and confidence of the lawyers who have business in the Supreme Court. He has helped to clear away many technicalities of the law. Law-breakers have been brought to justice and honest men enjoy the protection of the courts. "If you are in doubt about how to vote on Chief Justice, ask your District Judge."—Lincoln Tribune.

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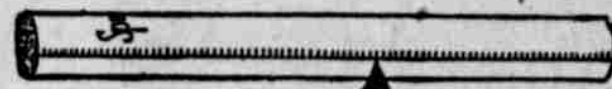
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Build a fortress against sickness, accident and old age—You save a surplus and it will save you sometime. And remember, by the way, that writing more deposit tickets than checks is the secret of both safety and success.

Ward off the inconvenience and worry—A checking account in our bank ranks with free mail delivery and the telephone. It saves you a long trip, and you always have the right to change. Your money is always available, payable on demand. No expense—we supply check books, passbooks and all necessary stationary free.

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POLITICAL ADVERTISEMENT

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The names of candidates for this office will appear on a separate ballot without party designation.

To the Voters of Nebraska:

I know you are interested in the schools, the ripest flower of civilization and the greatest cooperative enterprise of our democracy and for equal opportunity.

I was appointed State Superintendent last January to fill a vacancy, and wish to refer you to my record during the ten months I have served. I believe my experience, training, and knowledge of the work of the office, enable me to render the schools of the state a valuable service. Therefore, I should like to be elected that I might have this opportunity.

I have resided in the state 36 years, have had 24 years experience as teacher, principal and superintendent, and was superintendent of the Dodge county schools 14 years. I hold a college degree, a Nebraska professional life certificate and a city superintendent's professional life certificate.

It shall be my earnest endeavor to conduct the affairs of the office in an efficient, economical, businesslike manner; to serve all school interests with justice and fairness; and promote an upward and forward looking program of education.

YOUR SUPPORT WILL BE APPRECIATED

