



ANY MAN TO ANY MAN

By GERALD STANLEY LEE

I DO not know how other men feel about it, but I find it hard, with all that is happening to the world today, to look a small boy in the face.

When a small boy looks trustfully up to me and I see his world—the world he thinks he is going to have, in his eyes, I am afraid.

The look in his eyes of the world he thinks he is going to have cuts me to the quick.

I have always felt I had an understanding with a small boy before.

But the last four years when he looks at me in that old way and I think of his world—the one I see in his eyes—the one I had myself—the one every small boy has a right to, I see suddenly instead the one that is being left over for him by me, by all of us, the one he will have to try to put up with, have to live in, have to be a man in, when you and I have stopped trying.

Then when I face the small boy I want to go off in a wide high place alone and think and ask God. I want to go down into the city and fight—fight with my money and with my hope, go over the top with my religion and then come back and face the small boy.

There are days during this struggle when my soul is spent and all the world seems made of iron and glass and all these crowds of people flocking through the streets who do not seem to care.

It seems as if I would not turn over my head to save a world to live in myself. . . . It does not matter about me—and some days the people I see go by almost make me think it does not matter about them. . . .

Then suddenly I go by troops of school children at four o'clock pouring out into the streets. . . . pouring like fire, pouring like sunshine out into the streets!

It is as the roll of drums for the Liberty Loan! I want to ring great church bells to call people to the Red Cross!

My rule for a man's finding out just how much he should subscribe to the Red Cross is this:

Put down your name and address on the blank and leave the amount open to blank. Then try going past a schoolhouse about four o'clock when the children are pouring out.

Or in the evening when the house is quiet, put down your name and the best figure you dare on the white paper.

Then for upstairs a minute—look in the crib.

Then look at your blank when you come down once more.

A MESSAGE FROM EDWARD H. HURLEY,

Chairman of the United States Shipping Board.

EVERY dollar that has been spent in the American Red Cross in this war has yielded clear that relationship between the United States and the nations of the Eastern Hemisphere that will have a marked effect upon the peace council that is coming.

If this work of spreading the gospel of mercy is to continue, every man, woman and child in this republic must give the American Red Cross his fullest support in its second campaign for \$100,000,000.

Our boys in Europe are looking to us to back them up and I know of no better means of supporting them than through the instrumentality of the American Red Cross.

The good it has already accomplished and the comforts and welfare it will provide later when the stress of war becomes greater for the United States forces, make it imperative that the second fund of \$100,000,000 be a spontaneous gift on the part of the American people.

THE WAR'S RECOMPENSE

The original of this verse was found on an American soldier who bravely fought and as nobly died. The man is yet unknown.

Ye who have faith to look with fearless eyes Beyond the tragedy of a world at strife, And know that out of death and night shall rise The dawn of ampler life.

Rejoice, whatever anguish rend the heart, That God has given you a priceless power, To live in these great times and have your part In freedom's crowning hour.

That ye may tell your sons who see the light High in the heavens—their heritage to take— "I saw the powers of darkness put to flight, I saw the morning break."

INAVALE Mrs. J. W. Vance left Saturday, P. M. for Omaha called there by the illness of a sister.

Mr. Raby and wife on Tuesday night with Guy Barker and family.

Albert Raby and wife and baby spent Sunday with Guy Barker and family.

Mr. Tupper and family of Riverport attended the services at the Christian church Sunday.

Mr. Everett Bean and wife accompanied their son, Eustace, and wife to Lincoln Thursday of last week.

Joe Topham Jr. and wife of Red Cloud spent Sunday with Will Topham and family.

Mrs. W. H. Cloud spent Sunday in Red Cloud.

C. A. Waldo accompanied the Bean's to Lincoln and returned with their car Saturday of last week.

Miss Mona Hersh is assisting Mrs. Nelle Hunter with her household duties.

Don't forget Sunday May 12 is "Mother's Day." Services at the M. E. church morning and evening.

Mrs. Guy Fernant of Red Cloud is helping care for Mr. Ethridge Jr. and mother.

Everyone enjoyed the patriotic address given by Rev. Draliner of Red Cloud Friday night at the hall.

Mrs. Eli Strong and Mrs. Art Myers spent Tuesday in Hastings.

Mrs. T. F. Jones has been very poorly for sometime and is no better at this writing.

Art Myers and friends were somewhat startled Friday night after the patriotic meeting when he went to get his Ford and could not find it. Some one had moved it over a block from where it stood and left it standing on the side of the road.

Mr. Raleigh's harness was also removed and put in the back of the buggy. Someone probably intended it as a joke, but it was not considered as such.

Mrs. Miles Putnam and children returned from Ringwood, Okla. Sunday night where they had been visiting Mrs. Putnam's parents and other relatives for several weeks.

Kansas Pickups

Be it known that family spent 8 days of P. M. at Kan.

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NATIONAL PATRIOTIC EDUCATION FACULTY

Organized by Study League from Prof. and Donated by Col. Colleges and Universities.

A National Patriotic Education Faculty, composed of eminent professors selected on full pay by their colleges and universities, who will tour all parts of the country doing patriotic work in connection with the National Security League's great campaign of Patriotic Through Education, is being organized by Dr. Robert M. McElroy, educational director of the League. On this faculty already are: Dr. W. F. Hall of Princeton, Prof. W. B. Munro and W. H. Schofield of Harvard, Dr. Franklin H. Giddings of Columbia, Prof. C. H. Van Tyne of the University of Michigan, Miss Elva V. Leighton, vocational instructor in the Poudre, N. J., public schools, and Prof. Charles Libbey of the University of Colorado.

Leland Stanford University, the University of Oregon, and Hamilton and Williams Colleges have also promised to assign a man to participate in this work, and other additions to the "faculty" will be made in the near future.

WHAT GERMAN VICTORY WOULD MEAN.

(Contributed by ARTHUR TRAIN to the National Security League's campaign of Patriotic Through Education.)

A German victory—or an inconclusive peace—would mean the ultimate realization of the German idea that Germany for the good of the world must rule the world. This has been taught in her universities as philosophy and in her pulpits as religion. The German nation unquestionably accepts it and intends to force the rest of the world to accept it. They call it "Kultur," which they claim is "above morality, reason and science."

Kultur teaches that there is only one sort of right—that of the stronger. It argues with specious probability that in the relations of nations will one another there can be no such thing as right or wrong. It teaches the world that the German people are not their "selves" but slaves of their "Kultur." It tells us that all our rights and our duties are only "shams of paper" and that the German nation is the only real one.

The Germans believe themselves to be a nation of supermen and the Kaiser the more perfect—out of the God of humanity but the "super prior God" of the Kaiser. They believe that the world is theirs by right and that they have the right to rule it. They believe that they are the only nation that has the right to rule the world.

This is the concrete result of what the Germans call "The Religion of Valor" and "The Gospel of Hate." Says one of their spokesmen: "Must Kultur build its cathedrals on hills of corpses, seas of tears and the death rattle of the vanquished? Yes, it must."

If Germany wins the war the United States will either be paying tribute to the Kaiser or German soldiers will be bayoneting American girls and women in Jersey City rather than take the trouble to shoot them.

If Germany wins all our ideals of truth, justice and humanity—which we call Christian—will be trodden down into bloody mire under the iron heel of the Kaiser's armies, and the coming generation will be taught that there is no God but the merciless God of Battle, who speaks through Germany's treacherous tongue and by her brutal sword.

Arthur Train

1. Mann in the "Neue Rundschau" November, 1914. 2. "Das Kulturideal der Kriege" pp. 11-13, 31-32, 61, 105, 339. 3. Works of Frederick II Berlin Ed. 1815. 4. Speech from the throne, April 11, 1847. 5. Proclamation of the Army of the East, 1914. 6. The Kaiser's speech to the Chinese Expeditionary force, July 27, 1900. 7. General von der Goltz, "Ten Iron Commandments of the German Soldier." 8. Orders of the Day, Aug. 26, 1914. 9. Johann Wenger, Ferone, March 16, 1915. 10. Walter Bloem in the "Kölnisch Zeitung," Feb. 10, 1915.

Swindlers Ever Active

Relatives and friends of soldiers are being victimized by swindlers who write or wire for money to be sent to some point enroute home. Having been discharged and coming home is the usual explanation of the request. Persons receiving such a request would be wise to verify it by wiring the commanding officer of the camp in which the man whose name is used is stationed.

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Are you doing your share while our boys are offering their lives?

If a free America is worth fighting for, it is your patriotic duty to lend your money and your credit to our Government. The whole Nation must take part.

Our boys in France are appealing to us to furnish them in great abundance with the arms, the ammunition and the supplies which will make an early victory possible.

If we are not to prolong the slaughter or suffering, if we are not to risk defeat, if we do not want an inconclusive peace, we must act quickly.

We must put forth our every effort NOW Nebraska Liberty Loan Committee

Notice of Hearing

Notice is hereby given that on May 2, 1918, at 2 o'clock P. M., at the County Court in the City of Red Cloud, Nebraska, the estate of May A. D. 1918, (SEAL) A. D. HANSEN, County Judge B. W. Stewart, Attorney for estate. (May 2-28)



When the Firemen Appear

the insured man's first thought is one of thankfulness that he is so. How about your thoughts if a fireman should appear at your home?

The Day Before the Fire

is the day to insure. As that day may be tomorrow for all you can know or do, it follows that prudence would impel you to stop in our office to-day and have us issue you a policy.

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