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Mrs. J. P. Frye, Twin City Club Woman Addresses Board Meeting of the Visiting Nurses.

HAS BEEN BOON TO THE RICH

The installation of rooms in local hospitals so that "twilight sleep" would be available to poor women of the city was advocated in a talk before the board meeting of the Visiting Nurse association by Mrs. J. Paul Frye, a prominent club woman of St. Paul and Minneapolis. Mrs. Frye represents the Motherhood Educational society, a national organization, which is sponsoring illustrated lectures on the Frieburg discovery by Mme. Adele Robeson, who will lecture at the Auditorium next week.

"Painless childbirth has proved such a boon to women of the wealthy classes that progressive and philanthropically inclined women should do everything in their power to make the twilight sleep available to those who cannot afford it," said Mrs. Frye.

Mrs. Frye, who is at the Presbyterian hospital during her stay here, addressed the current topics department of the Omaha Woman's club Tuesday.

Holland Has Plan to Recoup Loss to Its Treasury

(Correspondence of the Associated Press.) THE HAGUE, Netherlands, April 2.—The war has so far cost Holland \$140,000,000. Further, reckoning the demands of the intervening period at \$5,000,000 a month, the new minister of finance, Dr. Anton van Gyn, estimates that by August 1 next \$180,000,000 will have been spent on the mobilized land and sea forces and in meeting the various other extraordinary demands made on the treasury by the war crisis.

Of the amount mentioned \$150,000,000 was raised by a 5 per cent loan issued after the first three or four months of the war and the problem now facing this country is how to provide the balance of \$30,000,000. Three bills have been presented to the Dutch Parliament embodying a solution of the question. The new minister of finance proposes to raise \$12,000,000 by a special levy, termed a "defense tax." In the financial year beginning May 1 next to obtain another \$18,000,000 by a tax on war profits, and to have recourse to a loan for the balance of \$10,000,000. The actual loan, however, is to amount to \$6,000,000, out of which, assuming the war is over, the extra \$20,000,000 will be utilized to consolidate the floating debt accruing from the ordinary budgets of 1914, 1915 and 1916.

Seeing that the floating debt of the Netherlands' East Indies will also have to be consolidated shortly, it is evident that heavy demands will be made on the money market here before long. As, however, it is largely a matter of replacing floating by a fixed debt, it is not expected that the market will be greatly influenced, and the powerful position of the Netherlands bank, whose gold stocks now amount to \$180,000,000, and the general plentifulness of money here renders the prospects of the coming loans bright.

Canadian Soldiers Are Sent Home to Plant Their Crops

(Correspondence of the Associated Press.) WINNIPEG, Canada, April 2.—An official order extending to every non-commissioned officer and man on active service in Canada leave of absence not exceeding one month to go out on farms has solved western Canada's problem of finding help to plant this year's grain crop. In the opinion of government officials here.

Under the provisions of the order, the order the soldiers will receive full pay for their services in the army in addition to the payment received from farmers for their work. Free transportation from camp to farms will be provided by the government to the extent of 200 miles and operation of the military order will begin as soon as conditions permit of working the land.

Twenty-seven thousand men are under arms in Military District No. 10 and the proportionate number who can go out to plant the crop should be adequate for the provinces of Manitoba and Saskatchewan. Units farther west will take care of the Alberta province.

To prevent soldiers taking unfair advantage of the order, the authorities added certain regulations, one of them stipulating that leave of absence would be given for no other purpose than to aid in the agricultural work and that the man applying for leave must present proof that the offer of farm work has been obtained. Returning from the field, the men must produce a certificate from the persons for whom they worked, each certificate must be countersigned by the signature of a clergyman or two responsible residents in the vicinity of the land on which the work was done.

Franklin T. C. Norris of Manitoba at.

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UNMARKED GRAVE FOR ANNA STULIK

Last Resting Place of Little Bohemian Girl May Be in the Potter's Field.

INDIGNATION NOW RUNS HIGH

In an unmarked grave, probably in the potters' field, and without ceremony, the body of Anna Stulik, 24-year-old Bohemian girl, will be laid to rest this morning.

This is the end of Anna Stulik, the unobtrusive, modest daughter of obscurity, whose brief career gave such brilliant promise, but who died a hopeless, maniacal sacrifice to conditions which permit a male brute to drug and abuse womanhood unmolested.

Coroner Crosby has sworn in a jury to investigate the affair. The inquest will be held Saturday, probably in the afternoon, in order to permit several school teachers and representatives of women's organizations to attend.

Publication of Anna's wrong in the columns of The Bee has aroused a storm of indignation.

One prominent woman has offered to supply any money needed to obtain a complete and thorough investigation. Others have agreed to devote their time to the case to see whether or not it is too late for proper administration of justice.

RED CAPS TO CAUTION MEN THAT LEAVE HAS EXPIRED

(Correspondence of The Associated Press.) LONDON, April 4.—A new feature of London life is the appearance of the red caps, or military police, wearing cap covers of scarlet, an outward sign of stiffened regulations and a call to caution which the troops are quick to recognize. The red caps frequent the railway stations, theaters and public places where soldiers are most likely to gather for the purpose of discovering those who may have forgotten the duration of their leave of absence from duty at the camps or the front.

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WIRELESS APPARATUS OF HAMBURG LINER IS SEALED

(Correspondence of the Associated Press.) STOCKHOLM, March 29.—The wireless apparatus on board the Hamburg-American liner Mecklenburg, lying at Nyssa has been seized by the authorities following the alleged discovery that the ship has been in daily communication with Germany and has been receiving wireless war reports for foreign vessels. The same action was taken with regard to all the other German boats. Since the outbreak of the war, foreign vessels were forbidden to use their wireless.

High Taxes Forces English Landlords to Sell Holdings

(Correspondence of the Associated Press.) LONDON, April 2.—Thousands of stately homes of England are now changing hands, according to the real estate authorities. The old owners have in many instances been forced by increased taxes to seek more moderate places and some of these estates are being purchased by people who have profited by the war through contracts. There is talk of wholesale migration and predictions that country life will undergo a revolution such as perhaps England has not witnessed since the Norman conquest. Many of the estates may even be cut up and parcelled out among disabled soldiers whose jobs are gone and for whom no other employment can be found.

In discussing the effects of the war upon the landed gentry, Frank Hirst, an economist, said that it was only a woodcock that the pinch more than the poorer classes for many years to come. "It is impossible," he said, "to arrive at anything better than an approximate estimate of the economic cost of the war, even if we assume that it ends tomorrow. The mere economic effect of the loss of hundreds of thousands of your men in the prime of life and vigor is almost incalculable. We may safely assume that by November we had lost through the war about a tenth of all the wealth we possessed before."

"The present public expenditure of the government is believed to be about equal to the whole of the private incomes of the inhabitants of the United Kingdom put together. The figures of other combatants are too small, because a very large part of their expenditures has been met, not by loans, but by debasing currency."

"We are now adding to the national debt every five or six weeks what we added during the three years of the Boer war. We spend as much in a minute as we then spent in half an hour."

"If Alfred the Great had lived till now and had throughout his long life burned one £5 Bank of England note every hour of the day and night, he would not have destroyed nearly as much money as is being added every fortnight to the national debt."

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Golden Kites of Japan Get Pensions

(Correspondence of the Associated Press.) TOKYO, April 10.—About 1,500,000 yen, or \$300,000, has been granted to the officers and men who took part in the Tientsin campaign against Germany, while the pensions due to the holders of the order of the Golden Kite, given in connection with the campaign, represent an annual disbursement of 800,000 yen, or \$160,000.

The grand expenditure total stands at 37,055,300 yen, or about \$13,500,000, an increase of some 2,500,000 yen over that of the last fiscal year and of some 3,500,000 yen over that of the year before last.



Keith Neville

ready has begun active work for carrying out the order. He said that western provincial governments would cooperate in the distribution of men.

AUSTRIAN WAR LOANS NOW PAYING SIX PER CENT

(Correspondence of the Associated Press.) VIENNA, March 30.—Up to January of the Austrian war loan banks had made \$500,000,000 for a total of \$46,000,000. Of these 2,700 were for sums under \$100 and 100 for sums over \$100.

The rate of interest at the beginning was 7 per cent, but this has now been reduced to 6 per cent. The loans are mostly made against deposits of securities.

HUNGARIAN REPORTERS MUST "BOIL DOWN" COPY

(Correspondence of the Associated Press.) VIENNA, March 29.—The Hungarian authorities now limit the size of newspapers, according to their price, says a Budapest dispatch to a local labor paper. Papers which sell at 1 cent may not use more than six pages of ordinary size, while 2-cent papers may use from eight to twelve pages. No newspaper may print more than twelve pages at a single issue.

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