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## Where Our Money Went

If you want to read a chapter in high finance  
and of recklessness expenditure of public funds, pro-  
vided by the Liberty bonds which we bought,  
read the report of the joint committee on print-  
ing which investigated the operation of the com-  
mittee on public information of which George  
Creel was head.

Creel will be remembered as the official cen-  
sor of press matter during the war, and some of  
his effusions, especially that of an alleged fight  
between American naval units and German sub-  
marines, still cause newspaper men to smile and  
grin.

The joint committee in its report to congress  
reveals some interesting facts.

For instance, \$135,000 a year was expended  
by Creel for the publication of the National  
School Service, the object of which the commit-  
tee says was to "convert the teachers of the  
country to the idea of the league of nations and  
to urge them to teach that doctrine to their  
school children."

friends than are undone by their  
enemies.

## GOING—GOOD.

(From the Cincinnati Enquirer.)  
M. V. Going and Natalie Good were  
married in Jonesboro, Tenn., last  
Saturday.

It is told of a Kansas farmer that  
he had filled his cellar so full of  
private stock that his family could not  
get in when the recent tornado struck.

John D. Rockefeller says that when  
a boy, his greatest ambition was to be  
a piano player. But how could he have  
played all the pianos in the country at  
once?

Many a man taking the perilous zig-  
zag course through life has zigged  
when he should have zagged and  
zagged when he should have zigged.

## SUITABLE EPITAPHS.

Sometimes we give too much, both  
for our own good and the good of the  
one to whom we give. But it is not so  
much in the fact that quantity of act  
has been performed as in the fact that  
a fine effort has been set forth to play  
its part.

Nature is very lavish. Wells says, in  
one of his interesting essays, that  
"Nature says!" But that is only so  
that the finest may remain to carry on  
its tradition of beauty.

The sun gives its light and heat and  
recreates back the gorgeous colors of  
the flower for pay. The very clouds  
gather in substance and burst their  
bodies into gentle rain, while  
the whole harvests to call it blessed.

And we all profit from these mani-  
festations. We see the hand of the  
Infinite pointing our eyes to a motto:  
"Keep Giving Away."

We can only keep so much. The rest  
must be given away—or else we  
sink into littleness, obscurity and  
oblivion.

## Dinner Stories

"And so you learned French thor-  
oughly while over there son?" said  
the proud father of the returnee son.

"Sure! I got so I could say 'Hello'  
and 'Good-night' and order ham and  
eggs, and I could ask a fellow to lend  
me money and tell a girl I loved her  
better'n anything, and that's all a  
fellow needs in any language."

One day little Ella was very nau-  
ghty, so her mother told her she was  
going to send her back where she  
came from. Ella replied: "You can't.  
You washed me and you combed me  
and I'm used now, and they won't  
take me back."

"What are your impressions of No  
Man's Land?"

"I didn't get into the war," answered  
the morose citizen. "My only vivid  
idea of No Man's Land is home while  
spring housecleaning is going on."

Two little girls were playing in the  
street when an automobile was seen  
approaching. Lovetta, the elder, said  
to her sister: "Look out, Sophia, or the  
automobile will run over you and you  
will never be alive again as long as  
you live."

## Good Evening

By Roy K. Moulton

One of the magazines presents a  
radical departure from custom this  
month by publishing the picture of a  
pretty girl on its cover. The world  
do move.

"What did people do before the age  
of the telephone?" asks an eastern  
college professor. Well, for one thing,  
they enjoyed a little contentment here  
and there.

More men are "done" by their

## DOING HIS DUTY

"For two years I suffered agonizing  
pains in my stomach, belching up sour  
and bitter fluids and gas. Tongue al-  
ways coated. Doctors were unable to  
help me. The first dose of May's  
Wonderful Remedy made me feel 100  
per cent better, and I am now feeling  
better than at any time in my life. I  
feel it my duty to advise other sufferers."  
It is a simple, harmless prepara-  
tion that removes the catarrhal mucus  
from the intestinal tract and allays the  
inflammation which causes practically  
all stomach, liver and intestinal aff-  
ections, including appendicitis. One  
dose will convince of money refunded.  
Clem Thistlethwaite's Six  
Stores; A. G. Luken & Co., and leading  
druggists everywhere. — Advertis-  
ement.

BE PRETTY! TURN  
GRAY HAIR DARK

Try Grandmother's Old Favorite  
Recipe of Sage Tea and  
Sulphur.

Almost everyone knows that Sage  
Tea and Sulphur, properly compounded,  
brings back the natural color and  
lustre to the hair when faded, streaked  
or gray. Years ago the only way to  
get this mixture was to make it at  
home, which is messy and trouble-  
some. Nowadays, by asking at any  
drug store for "Wyeth's Sage and  
Sulphur Compound," you will get a large  
bottle of this famous old recipe, im-  
proved by the addition of other in-  
gredients, at a small cost.

Don't stay gray! Try it! No one  
can possibly tell you have darkened  
your hair, as it does so naturally  
and evenly. You dampen a sponge or  
soft brush with it and draw this  
through your hair, taking one small  
strand at a time; by morning the gray  
hair disappears, and after another ap-  
plication or two, your hair becomes  
beautifully dark, glossy and attractive.  
—Advertisement.

The committee compelled the administration  
to cease publishing 111 of 226 periodicals at an  
annual saving of \$1,200,000; cut down allowances  
for field printing plants \$898,000, and has cur-  
tailed the activity of the government printing  
plant to such an extent that \$908,184 was saved  
on print paper alone this year.

Money was "wasted recklessly" on scores of  
publications in army and navy camps during the  
war, says the report. Officers of the Great  
Lakes Training Station not only issued an eight-  
page daily but also put out a pictorial magazine  
which rivaled any publication in the million copy  
class.

When the committee compelled the Official  
Bulletin to discontinue, it was put out as a private  
enterprise, the new owners obtaining the name,  
good will, prestige, value as a going concern, mailing  
lists and subscription accounts without pay-  
ing the government a cent for the transfer.  
"There seems to have been a deliberate effort to  
loot this \$600,000 a year publication," says the  
committee's report.

The disclosures of this committee serve to il-  
lustrate the high handed manner in which the  
public money was extravagantly and foolishly  
spent.

No wonder that the national debt has not  
been reduced. It is easy to see why the govern-  
ment must put out treasury certificates quarterly  
and redeem them with the income tax payments.  
A tolerant American public is growing weary of  
the shameless expenditure of money for which it  
is being taxed heavily. It wants economy in high  
places.

## Answers to Questions

W. B.—Who invented the rotary tur-  
bine? C. A. Parsons, of England, in  
1891.

Subscriber.—Describe a pagoda. A  
hindoo place of worship, containing an  
idol. It consists of three portions;  
an apartment submounted by a dome,  
resting on columns, and accessible to all;  
a chamber into which only Brahmins  
are allowed to enter; and, lastly,  
a cell containing the statue of the  
deity, closed by massive gates. The  
most remarkable pagodas are those of  
Benares, Siam, Pegu, and that of the  
Juggernaut, in Orissa.

E. C. R.—Do different nations use  
different colors of money? In the  
United States and Europe the usual  
color is black; in China, it is white;  
in Turkey, blue or violet; in Egypt,  
yellow; in Ethiopia, gray.

C. M. L.—What does the abbrevia-  
tion H. M. S. stand for? His (or Her)  
Majesty's service, ship, or steamer.

H. H.—In what year did the Boxer  
uprising take place? In 1900.

Readers may obtain answers to  
questions by writing the Palladium  
Question and Answer Department.  
Questions should be written plainly  
and briefly. Answers will be given  
briefly.

## American Legion

Posts of the American Legion in Indiana,  
including Harry Ray post of Richmond,  
began a campaign for new  
members Monday night. Arrangements  
were made at the regular meetings  
of the Marion county posts for the  
promotion of the membership  
drive, which, it is hoped, will obtain  
30,000 new members in Indiana by  
May 28, a month before the Vincennes  
convention on June 28. The Posey  
county and Richmond posts are the  
only ones that have already started an  
on.

TO RELIEVE CATARRH,  
CATARRHAL DEAFNESS  
AND HEAD NOISES

Persons suffering from catarrhal  
deafness, or who are growing hard of  
hearing and have head noises, will be  
glad to know that this distressing affliction  
can usually be successfully treated at home by an internal medicine  
that in many instances has effected  
complete relief after other treatments have failed. Sufferers who  
could scarcely hear have had their  
hearing restored to such an extent  
that the tick of a watch was plainly  
audible seven or eight inches away  
from either ear. Therefore, if you  
know of someone who is troubled with  
head noises or catarrhal deafness, cut  
out this formula and hand it to them  
and you may be the means of saving  
some poor sufferer perhaps from  
total deafness. The prescription  
can be prepared at home and is made  
as follows:

Secure from your druggist 1 ounce  
Parmint (Double Strength). Take this  
home and add to it 1/4 pint of hot  
water and a little granulated sugar,  
then dissolve. Take one tablespoonful  
four times a day.

Parmint is used in this way not only  
to reduce by tonic action the inflam-  
mation and swelling in the Eustachian  
Tubes, and thus to equalize the  
air pressure on the drum, but to cor-  
rect any excess of secretions in the  
middle ear, and the results it gives  
are nearly always quick and effective.

Every person who has catarrh in  
any form, or distressing rumbling,  
hissing sounds in their ears, should  
give this recipe a trial.

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