

NURSES FALL VICTIM TO SELF-SACRIFICE

Many Volunteers, Stricken in Influenza Epidemic, Seal Devotion With Lives

Scores of volunteer nurses are suffering in Philadelphia homes today as a result of their sacrifice in helping others who fell victims of the waning influenza epidemic.

In many cases the nurses have met death while their patients recovered. Failing to realize the limits of human energy, many of these bedside workers neglected to take proper rest after working unceasingly to save those afflicted. When they were stricken there was no strength to fight the disease, and they succumbed.

In the death columns today double funerals in one family tell the story of daily sacrifice.

Two sisters, Clara and Florence Pennington, will be buried tomorrow from their home, 924 North Fifth street. Both were stricken at the same time and each sought to save the other. They were well known in Catholic church circles and attended St. Peter's Church, Fifth street and Girard avenue. They will be buried in Holy Redeemer cemetery.

Robert J. Hurlston and his daughter Elizabeth will be buried tomorrow from their home, 4411 Fairhill avenue. The father, who was prominent in fraternal circles, was taken ill several days ago. His daughter although but eleven years old, assisted other members of the family in many useful ways in caring for him.

Mrs. Alice Connor, who died of pneumonia, one day after her husband, Robert L. Connor, succumbed to the same disease, will be buried with him from their home, 281 Chatham street on Saturday. She was in constant attendance at his bedside until failing strength brought about her collapse. They will be buried in St. Ann's cemetery.

NOTED FRATERALIST DIES

T. K. Donnalley Was Great Chief of Records of Red Men

Thomas K. Donnalley, great chief of records of the Improved Order of Red Men, died on Tuesday at his summer home in Ocean City, N. J. He became a member of the order in 1889 and continued his membership fifty-eight years. He filled various offices in subordinate and State councils until 1910, when he was elected great chief of records and held the office until his death.

Mr. Donnalley was born in this city October 20, 1828, and served in the Civil War. No member of the Red Men was better known than the great chief of records. He was a member of many other organizations, including the Masons, Odd Fellows, Knights of Pythias, Brotherhood of America and Grand Army of the Republic.

His funeral will be held on Saturday at 415 Girard avenue. Services for Red Men will be held tomorrow at 9 p. m.

NIENTE PACE CON IL PRUSSIANISMO!

La Replica di Wilson alla Germania Implica Resa Incondizionata

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Washington, Dec. 24 ottobre. Nessuna pace con il prussianismo, ma ressa! Così può riassumersi la storica risposta del Presidente Wilson alle offerte della Germania per trarre dagli Stati Uniti e le nazioni dell'Europa l'accettazione una pace incondizionata. Il Presidente ha aggiunto che non vi potrà essere nessuna armistizio senza che il

Maresciallo Foch ed i comandanti delle armate americane si trovino sul campo di battaglia repentina che sia possibile da un punto di vista militare. La risposta di Wilson rispecchia il pensiero del popolo americano e di quello di tutte le nazioni dell'Europa, e fu preparata da un piano d'accordo con i governi inglese, francese ed italiano.

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THE DAILY NOVELETTE

KNIT, KNIT, KNIT
By *Hermine K. Trask*

IT WAS two years ago—and it was the same old story, they had quarreled. They were Betty and Bob. Betty was a teacher and Bob was a lawyer in Hilldale and Bob had been a summer boarder—two years ago—at the town inn; and during his stay in Hilldale he and Betty had become great friends. They had danced together, sung together, walked together, tramped together, motored together, and last, but not least, they had quarreled together. Betty the reason why they had quarreled was unknown. All the people of Hilldale knew was that they had returned from a neighboring town late one afternoon in August, and that the car had hardly stopped when Betty jumped out and ran pell-mell into the house, without so much as a glance toward Bob, and immediately drove away, and never returned.

If Betty's heart was heavy she was

An expert at camouflaging the fact, for she acted as gay as ever, as if it was an ordinary daily occurrence to quarrel with a friend.

Room after Betty began to do Red Cross work, and when war was declared she turned her attention to the knitting of olive drab sweaters.

Every time any of her acquaintances came away he received a blue, gray, or khaki sweater from her. After a time, however, her friends were supplied. But Betty did not cease to knit.

One afternoon when she was knitting in her room, and her needles were clicking away, some small boy passed by whistling "I Wonder Who is Knitting for Me," and, almost unconsciously, Betty began to hum it to herself. After singing it over a number of times, she began to think of its meaning, and exclaimed to herself "The words said 'I Wonder Whom I Am Knitting For'."

Betty had a cousin from Boston who was at Camp Devens. She had made him a sweater, and now she was going to claim a reward.

She put away her knitting, went to her writing desk and wrote him a letter, telling him how her list of friends had all been supplied with sweaters, and that she had made another and wondered, if she sent it to him, if he would find some worthy young man to give it to, with her compliments.

Before she received an answer the sweater was finished, and as she felt that this answer would be in the positive she wrapped it up and sent it to him. For the next two weeks she came every year straining her eyes watching for the postman, but all in vain.

You see, all unknown to her cousin, she had enclosed a little note, telling him she was very grateful to the receiver if he would send her a little card, as a souvenir of the camp.

But not long ago Betty received a letter from over there, and this is what she read:

"Dear Betty—The day I left Hilldale you told me that you never wanted to see or hear from me again. You know that I did not try to force either myself or my letters upon you, but the day I

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left camp for ever there a strange chain handed me a bundle, and upon opening it I found a sweater, and a little note from you.

"I did not have a chance to write to you and thank you for both the sweater and the note until I reached this side, which was the night before last. However, I hope that you will look upon this bundle as better late than never."

"If you are not too busy I would be very grateful to you if, for old times' sake, you would write to me now and then. Your old friend, BOB."

Tomorrow's Complete Novelle—*"THE DUNCE"*

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"P. S.—Please don't be angry at me for the question I am going to ask. Will you answer the old question I asked so long ago, and let me know whether or not I will have some one to come back to 'Après la guerre'?"

Now Betty does not have to camouflage to hide a heavy heart, and Bob will probably rest easy concerning "Après la guerre" when he receives Betty's letter.

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Help Fight the Epidemic

General Blue Tells How to Cure "Spanish" Grip

Spanish influenza and what to do for it are described by Surgeon-General Rupert Blue of the Public Health Service as follows:

"The disease is characterized by sudden onset. People are stricken in the street, in factories, shipyards, offices or elsewhere.

"First there is a chill, then fever, with temperature from 101 to 103; headache, backache, reddening and running of the eyes, pains and aches all over the body and general prostration.

"Persons so attacked should go home and to bed and call a doctor immediately.

"Treatment consists principally of rest in bed, fresh air, abundant food, with Dover's powders for relief of pain. Every case with fever should be regarded as serious and kept in bed at least until temperature becomes normal."

The army doctors at Camp Devens are using dichloramine-T, in solution with eucalyptol and liquid vaseline, or combined with chloroform, in prophylactic treatment as a precaution against Spanish influenza with good results.

But this remedy is for doctors only. No layman should attempt its use, as the ingredients are dangerous if used in improper proportions.

Let everyone take precautions to prevent the spread of Spanish Influenza (or the grip). This disease, carried by germs, attacks you through the air you breathe.

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Fancy Brap. Apricots, lb., 27c	Old Dutch Cleanser, can, 8c
Best Peanut Butter, 1/2 lb., 12c	Corn Meal, lb., 5 1/2c
Aunt Jimmie's Pancake Flour, pkg., 14c	Fine Table Salt, pkg., 5c
Choice New Peas, can, 17c	Corn Flour, lb., 7c
Lima Beans, lb., 17c	Fancy Shrimp, can, 14c
Pure Jelly, glass, 12c	Choice Pink Salmon, 1/2-lb. can, 15c
Threaded Codfish, pkg., 8c	Hershey's Cocoa, can, 8c, 15c
"Ace" Threaded Codfish, pkg., 12c	Asco Buckwheat, pkg., 14c
New Dried Hakefish, brick, 22c	
New Mince Meat, lb., 18c	
Shoe Peg Corn, can, 18c	
Crushed Corn, can, 17c	
Choice String Beans, can, 16c	
Choice Asparagus, can, 16c	
Choice Pumpkin, can, 12c	
Quaker or Mother's Oats, pkg., 11c	
Macaroni, pkg., 10c, 12c	
Heinz Baked Beans, can, 14c, 20c	
Fresh Noodles, pkg., 5c	

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New packed—very fine quality—splendid value—just the size for a small family.

Oleomargarine, lb 30c, 36c

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Jack Frost Brings Out Men's Overcoats

There's a sparkle of white on the roofs in the early morning and a nip to the air. Overcoats are none too warm!

The right coats are of all-wool materials, for these have the maximum of warmth with the minimum of weight. Wanamaker coats are that kind. They are of Oxford gray, blue and gray mixtures with overplaits, invisible plaids and quiet stripes.

Most men like the ulsters and ulsterettes with their big storm collars that can be worn open or closed. Men of very conservative tastes like the single-breasted coats of Oxford gray.

All these coats are in good Winter weight with plenty of warmth to them. \$25 to \$35.

Men's New Neckties—Special at 25c

They are in good Autumn colorings and the designs are numerous—stripes and figures of many kinds.

We did not expect to have neckties at this price, but one of our manufacturers sent us this little lot of good ones.

Racks and Racks of Beautiful Coats to Guard Against Winter's Winds

They are cozy and warm as well as good looking and a woman has a choice from many styles if she comes to the Down Stairs Store.

A Worthy Collection at \$35

deserves special mention because of the number of becoming styles. They are all of velour, but made in many ways with various trimmings. Many have generous collars of nutria, Australian opossum, racoon and scalene or collars and trimmings of plush. Others are perfectly plain and depend for charm upon their lines and their large self-collars that button snugly up around the neck.

Between \$35 and \$59.75

dozen of styles of velour coats with deep fur collars—raccoon, Australian opossum, nutria, kit coney and the like. Many also have trimmings of the fur. All of the coats are in lovely warm Autumnal colors—all boast pretty linings.

The Handsome Coats

of silvertip, silvertone, pompon, Bolivia, Ivora are all soft and warm and beautiful with their trimmings of fur and soft, lovely linings. Prices go from \$62.50 to \$145. The coat sketched is \$79.50.

Women's Frocks and Suits for All Occasions

New Jersey frocks show a great variety between \$23.50 and \$29.75. Wool embroidery, tiny bone buttons, buckles, covered buttons and fine silk embroidery are some of the interesting new features.

Velvetten Frocks

are represented in all their charming models. Collarless necks are here a-plenty, and many white satin collars are to be seen. Black, dark blue and various Autumn shades are quite lovely. \$24.50 to \$42.50. Inexpensive satin and serge frocks begin at \$10 and \$16.50—good frocks, too!

Suits Elaborate and Business-like

A splendid small group of young women's suits shows excellent colors. The suits are made of burella, serge and poplin. \$25.

Serviceable Wool

suits for women and young women are made mostly of poplin. Among them are many suits in navy blue. The jackets are prettily lined—usually so. You may choose set-in pockets or outside pockets. \$29.75.

Trim Suits

that so many women like are of black serge, gabardine, velour and broadcloth well lined. \$32.50 to \$45.

The Sturdiness of Japanese Crepe

has made it a desirable material for children's frocks, men's shirts; women's house dresses and such.

A 27-inch width in white grounds with stripes of many colors is 28c a yard.

A 32-inch width, also in white grounds with colored stripes, is 38c a yard.

Little Bloomer Drawers

Flannellet drawers for children of 2 years to 10 have bloomer legs. Some are finished with neat embroidery.

For babies of 1 year to 3 years are small drawers especially made for them. 60c a pair.

Many New Frocks Will Be of Silk

And of such silks as these. Soft satin, of good quality; 35 inches wide, comes in wistaria, brown, taupe, navy blue and black. \$1.85 a yard.

Black crepe de chine of good quality at \$1.55 and \$1.85 a yard is 35 inches wide. Other good black silks at \$2 a yard are peau de soie, taffeta, satin and messaline. Indestructible voile in navy or Copenhagen blue, taupe, brown, black, dark green and red, 40 inches wide, is \$2.25 a yard.

Flannellet Nightgowns Sound Comfortable

and feel even more than comfortable with the nights turning much cooler.

Tables are piled with new nighties that have just arrived. At \$2, pink or blue striped gowns are braided on the collar and cuffs.

At \$2.50, plain white gowns are feather-stitched in color and pink and blue striped nightgowns are trimmed with color.

At \$3, extra size nightgowns (18, 19 and 20 sizes, generously cut) in pink and blue stripes, are scalloped in pink or blue.

Smiling Windows Mean Welcome Home

White, ivory and ecru lace window panels are 2 1/2 yards wide—the length of a window—and you can get them as long as your window is wide so that your curtains will each be in one complete piece. An average window, 36 inches wide, will need, of course, a yard of lace panels, which will be six or nine panels, according to the width of them. \$1.40 to \$4 yard.

Light-Weight Drapery

Lovely mercerized cotton drapery material has a lustrous finish much like silk. It is in green, brown, red, yellow, two shades of rose and two shades of blue. It is 50 inches wide at \$1.25 a yard.

Special Corsets 65c

A big collection of good, wearable corsets in a variety of models. They are of coutil and batiste in pink or white and have had their prices reduced because assortments are incomplete and some of the corsets are mused. There are styles and sizes for all types of figures.

Brassieres, 20c

Mused brassieres and bandeaus in broken sizes.

Women's Good, Winter Shoes Below \$5

At \$4.40 a pair, high button shoes of black kidskin on long, slender lines or on medium lasts have welted soles and high, straight heels. The lines are good.

At \$4.90 a pair, white, gray or ivory kidskin shoes have high, covered heels. Black kidskin shoes on splendid lines have gray cloth tops that lace high. The soles are welted and the heels are medium.

And at \$5.40 a Pair

there are many, many styles of women's fashionable and common-sense shoes of black or dark tan calfskin. All of them lace high and the heels are medium. The soles are sturdy welted.