

VICTORY FIRST, SAYS PASTOR

Some Put Money Before Winning War, Declares Dr. Alexander

Pittsburgh.—Increasing interest was shown at the daily noonday meeting at the First Presbyterian Church when Dr. Maitland Alexander spoke on "Shall We Put Anything Before Victory?" in part as follows:

"What effect has this submarine raid had on you? What are your feelings when you realize that our very shores? Passenger steamers, schooners and small boats, all are prey for the submarine. Are you scared? Are you saying, 'How awful.' Are you saying, 'We cannot get troops over.' Well, I am not. You must not. I say if the submarines want to come over here, we will do our best to keep them from going back home again. Then we will send them back as part of our Navy. If there is one arm of the service that we can trust more than another it is the Navy.

"This raid lends 'punch' to our subject. First things first, and first of all 'victory.' Some people are obnoxious, selfish and un-American. They put feelings before victory, as the mourner moaning everywhere. They put money before victory, the profiteer gaining wealth unduly at expense of the soldier. They put organization before victory, as the labor agitator against proposed Chinese labor to work the farms only while the war lasted. They put pleasure and amusement before victory, those who do not yet realize how serious the contest is.

"How can we be victorious? The early and late question. Foch has his problems, so has Pershing, so has Haig, and on down the line to mothers, fathers, writers, preachers, bankers, manufacturers and laborers of all classes. The problem of the war for you is not to plan for Foch, nor for Pershing, nor for Haig, nor for Lloyd George, nor for Poincaré, nor for President Wilson, but plan for yourself alone and when you have so done, the problems will be solved for all.

"It is the duty of everyone to work and work and work for victory, which God in Heaven demands from the righteous on earth. Dr. Alexander stated that on the day war was declared a member of his family was at the home of Lord Roberts, England's great soldier. When the news came Lord Roberts called his family and servants all into the little chapel for prayer and composed the following words for that service:

"Almighty Father, I have often sinned against Thee. O, wash me in the precious blood of the Lamb of God. Fill me with Thy Holy Spirit so that I may lead a new life. Supreme to see again these whom I love at home or fit me for Thy presence in peace. Strengthen us to quit ourselves like men in our righteous cause. Keep us faithful until death, calm in danger, patient in suffering, merciful as well as brave, true to our country and our colors. If it be Thy will, enable us to win the victory for human liberty, but above all, grant us the better victory over temptation and sin, over life and death; that we may be conquerors through Him who loved us and laid down His life for us—Jesus Christ, Our Saviour, the Captain of the Army of God. Amen."

Managers See Ruin in Higher Film Tax

Washington.—Representatives of the moving picture industry and the vaudeville managers have appeared before the House Ways and Means Committee to present their arguments against any increase in the admission tax, and appealed for a change in the law making vaudeville managers subject to the capitalization tax. William A. Brady, president of the National Association of Moving Picture Shows, said that the business could not stand a heavier burden than the 10 per cent.

admission tax now imposed and that a greater tax would bring ruin to many men in the business and no larger return to the government.

In the course of the testimony it was developed that the admission tax during the period it has been in operation, from November to June 30, would produce \$28,000,000, and

the treasury officials estimate that it should pay in taxes in the next fiscal year, on the 10 per cent. basis, \$54,000,000.

United States to all the foreign countries and told the lesson that could not be reached by language to the people of Russia. In every town in North Carolina, in every town in the South, it helped put over the last Liberty Loan, and has done much patriotic work for the government.

RED CROSS USES AUTO SERVICE IN FRANCE What the motor truck and car can accomplish as a means of wholesale transportation is being demonstrated daily in France by the American Red Cross fleet of 634 vehicles. These not only handle an average of 2,500

tons of freight monthly at fourteen ports, move nearly a thousand tons per week from the Paris stations and the Seine landings but transport supplies, workers, refugees and wounded in all sections of France, not omitting those parts under shell fire. If a hospital suddenly wires in that it needs emergency supplies,

if a car or truck will get them there quicker than will a train, the load goes with a Red Cross driver. If a German drive threatens a village, Red Cross trucks are there to move the civilians and their belongings to a point of safety or hasten them to refugee trains waiting at distant stations.

Every Department Crowded With Values For Tomorrow, Saturday

KAUFMANS MARKET SQUARE UNDERSELLING STORE

SHIRTWAISTS Beautiful For Summer Wear and at Exceedingly Low Prices

Advertisement for shirtwaists featuring 'Fine White Voile Shirtwaists' at \$1.15, 'Pretty Silk and Voile Shirtwaists' at \$1.95, 'Crepe de Chine and Georgette Crepe Shirtwaists' at \$2.95, and 'Beaded and Embroidered Silk Shirtwaists' at \$4.95. Includes an illustration of a woman in a white blouse.

Saturday Specials in SHOES

Advertisement for shoes featuring 'WOMEN'S AND MISSES' White Shoes' at \$1.49, 'WOMEN'S AND MISSES' PUMPS' at \$1.95, and 'WOMEN'S AND MISSES' OXFORDS' at \$1.29. Includes an illustration of a woman's feet in shoes.

Kaufman's Bargain Basement

Large advertisement for 'Kaufman's Bargain Basement' featuring various household items: Fruit Jars for Canning (Ball Mason Jars), Porch Swings, Deltax Rugs, Screen Doors and Window Screens, Vacation Luggage (Traveling Bags, Suit Cases, Dress Trunks, Fiber Trunks), and more. Includes illustrations of these items.

Tomorrow, Saturday Brings Another Big Lot of SUITS

Advertisement for suits featuring 'Former Selling Prices Were \$20, \$25 & \$29.50 SPECIAL SATURDAY \$9.50'. Includes an illustration of a man in a suit and hat.

KAUFMANS MARKET SQUARE UNDERSELLING STORE

Here Are Illustrated a Few of Many Smart Wash Skirts

Advertisement for wash skirts featuring four different styles with prices: 'Stylish White Gabardine Wash Skirts' at \$2.95, 'White Crash Wash Skirts' at \$1.95, 'Newest White Gabardine Wash Skirts' at \$3.95, and 'Smart White Wash Skirts' at \$3.45. Includes illustrations of the skirts.

COATS! COATS! COATS! COATS!

Advertisement for coats featuring 'Women's & Misses' COATS' at \$9.95, \$12.95, and \$14.95. Includes an illustration of a woman in a coat.

MEN! Save \$5.00 On These Suits

Advertisement for men's suits featuring 'New Summer Suits \$14.50 and \$16.50' and 'New Summer Trousers \$1.95, \$2.49 and \$3.49'. Includes an illustration of a man in a suit.

More Big Values in Our Amazing Sale of

Advertisement for silk dresses featuring 'SILK DRESSES' at \$12.75. Includes an illustration of a woman in a dress.

Saturday Attractions For Boys

Advertisement for boys' clothing featuring 'BOYS' NORFOLK SUITS' at \$2.95, 'BOYS' NORFOLK SUITS' at \$4.95, 'BOYS' NORFOLK SUITS' at \$6.95, 'BOYS' KHAKI CLOTH PANTS' at 85c, and 'BOYS' WASHABLE PANTS' at 75c. Includes an illustration of a boy in a suit.

MEN! Saturday Specials

Advertisement for men's clothing featuring 'MEN'S UNION SUITS' at 69c, 'MEN'S SHIRTS AND DRAWERS' at 45c, 'MEN'S SUMMER SHIRTS' at \$1.10, 'BOYS' SPORT SHIRTS' at 59c, and 'MEN'S SILK HOSE' at 49c. Includes an illustration of a man in a suit.

Girls' Summer Dresses

Advertisement for girls' clothing featuring 'Girls' WASH DRESSES' at \$1.45, 'Girls' WHITE DRESSES' at \$3.95, and 'Girls' WHITE DRESSES' at \$4.95. Includes an illustration of a girl in a dress.

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