

Sutton is loyal. The people of that town and community proved it last Saturday when they held their Red Cross rally. The snow of the previous night and the raw weather in the morning, would dampen the spirit of many people, but not those Sutton patriots. At noon time, farmers from all the tributary territory had arrived in town and at one o'clock every business place in town, except the restaurant and hotel, closed their doors and suspended business activities for the afternoon. The program started with exercises by the school children, followed by an address by Judge A. T. Cole of Fargo. Mr. Cole delivered a stirring, patriotic address, unmercifully arraigning the murderers who dominate the German government, and, who would, if they could, inflict the same tyrannical system upon our own free people. He said the present offensive of the Germans on the western front, of which the kaiser said he was willing to sacrifice 300,000 of his soldiers, shows the utter disregard of the war lords for their own people. After the address the auction sale was commenced with F. G. Lewis, of Binford, officiating. Too much credit cannot be given Mr. Lewis for his efforts. For three hours he kept up an excellent spirit among the bidders, and the enthusiasm, liberality and good will of the large crowd made the sale a success from beginning to finish. The list of donations from farmers and townspeople was a long one and at least \$2,500 is added to the Red Cross branch of Sutton as a result of their liberality. It was indeed a true Red Cross day. The Sutton people are doing their share to "Keep the Home Fires Burning."