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### Kamela News Items

Mrs. Mustard's Father Sick—Dick Wicks Arrives—Inch of Snow Fell Saturday Night.

Kamela, Ore., June 6—(Special)—Mrs. Annie Mustard went to Pendleton Saturday to see her father, J. A. Padon who was in the hospital there. He accompanied his daughter home as the doctors were unable to better his condition.

Basil Collins of Heppner stopped off Wednesday to visit old friends for a few days.

Geo. White was in Milton on business for a few days last week.

Walter Bray, of Heppner, is in Kamela in the interest of his fuel business.

Mrs. Chas. McFall and Miss Viva Ingerson attended the memorial exercises in La Grande.

Mrs. Mary E. Swanger and granddaughter made a trip to La Grande Monday to consult a doctor.

Dick Wicks, of La Grande, came up Thursday to take the place of master-mechanic. Burt Savage, the present mechanic will take a switch engine at either Huntington or Rieth.

G. A. White made a business trip to La Grande Saturday, returning Sunday morning on No. 17.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Hillman returned from La Grande Friday.

Mrs. G. H. Fredrick, third trick operator of Hilgard, was in Kamela visiting her husband, who is also third trick operator here.

Mrs. Wm. Vernon spent a few days

# Fashion

MARGARET MASON'S FASHIONS

BY MARGARET MASON.  
(Written for the United Press.)

Dolly's hat's red, white and blue  
Her parasol's those colors too  
As she parades the Avenue  
Yet Dolly is a shirker.

Molly's frock's brown calico  
No red or white or blue doth show  
As she plants onions in a row  
Yet Molly is a worker.

You can't always tell by the way they're dressed. The longest crepe veil doesn't make the mournfullest widow nor the whitest satin the happiest bride.

I know a German rooming house-keeper in New York who is very Prussian yet her house flies one of the largest American flags in the vicinity. Her roomers clubbed together and bought it and she didn't dare refuse them permission to hang it from her brown stone front.

All the shop windows are full of patriotic apparel these days. To top the list are parasols made of red, white and blue ribbons, some radiating from the center, while on others the ribbon stripes run around. One blue parasol is sprinkled with silver stars and has a red, white and blue border. White parasols are embroidered with red, white and blue stars or bordered in the tri-color. Parasols like these are bound to attract rather than keep off native suns.

Next are the patriotic bonnets. A sailor has a brim of red, white and blue gros grain ribbons radiating from the white straw crown and in front is a cluster of large blue stars cut out of silk. A broad brim white straw hat has tiny flags embroidered in yarn around it's crown while another shows yarn stars of red, and blue.

A close turban of red, white and blue straw has an enormous pom-pom of the three colors set at a perky angle in front and another lovely white straw garden hat has a wreath of poppies, daisies and corn flowers.

Then there are boas of tri-color, plented maline collar and cuff sets of silk and linen banded in red, white and blue, handkerchiefs bordered in the same and even white kid and silk gloves with red, white and blue stitching.

Conceits in patriotic purses are legion and legion also are those fair ones who are eager to carry the colors when thus embodied in a bag. Some are made of alternating strips of red, white and blue ribbon finished with a tassel of red, white and blue. Others are crocheted of silks in the three colors or even beaded in stripes or designs of flags and stars. White leather handbags have flags embossed or stamped in colors on their sides and white moire or faille bags have the flags embroidered or beaded on them.

There are red, white and blue striped sport shirts and red, white and blue striped sweaters and every feminine frill and furbelow in the three colors that you can mention. Between you and me, however, these three colored things look much better in the shop windows and are in heaps better taste so placed than on the heads, hands and hearts of our American maids.

You don't have to get yourself up like an American flag and make a noise like an American eagle to show you have the best interests of your country at heart during this time of stress and war.

If you really feel that clothes make the man or in this case the woman, if you are convinced there is a psychological connection between your inmost emotions and your outward apparel, then invest in one of the tiny flag pins. Its a big enough badge and incidentally you will be helping the allies since all the Italian fruit vendors are putting their money in and are peddling war emblems these days instead of bananas. Otherwise if you really want to help your country don't dress the part but act it. Carry a hoe instead of a red, white and blue parasol and wear a red cross instead of a red, white and blue hat.

The American girl who is "white," true blue and well read doesn't need to drape herself in an American flag to show her true colors.

In La Grande visiting her husband, who is firing out of La Grande.

A. C. Sherman was a La Grande visitor Tuesday.

Mrs. J. A. Waters made a shopping trip to La Grande last week.

Miss Stella Padon went to La Grande Sunday morning to spend a few days.

Jno. Beck came back from Milton, bringing several head of stock with him which he has been wintering in the valley.

Howard Schaffner, went in to La Grande Saturday evening.

Jno. Mentzer arrived from Pendleton Friday and went back on his homestead.

J. S. Rose is moving his family out on their homestead.

W. T. Simmons is putting a new roof on his house. The snow caved it in last year.

An inch of snow fell Saturday night.

C. A. Norden is giving his houses a new coat of paint.

THE SECOND LINE OF DEFENSE—THE U. S. ARMY

The War Secretary and some of his officers.



Photo by American Press Association.  
Secretary of War Newton D. Baker.



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Major General Thomas H. Barry.



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