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THREE NEW WORDS

Three new words have come into the language from the war:
'Camouflage,' 'Hooverize' and 'Bolsheviki.' They have gone
around the world and are accepted in every day print and conver-
sation in such a way as to give promise of permanent additions.

'Camouflage' is a new French word, with a very definite
meaning: to conceal by disguise. A great piece of artillery is
covered with green boughs or a cottage, as a bit of camouflage.
Ships are painted to make them look like the waves of the sea;
roads are concealed under all manner of coverings, and long strips
of canvas are laid across fields to appear like well traveled high-
ways. The idea of the 'Quaker guns' of the Civil War has been
extended greatly.

To 'Hooverize' does not mean to go hungry, but to use less
of certain foods and materials, substituting others. It is economy
along prescribed lines with a definite purpose in view of releasing
supplies for war purposes. It is conservation intelligently directed
without loss of efficiency or output. This presents a very fine
idea of adapting the means to the end.

No one in the United States quite knows what 'Bolsheviki'
means, except that it is the appellation of a new party in Russia.
The leaders say they represent the proletariat, the ultimate laborer
without property or voice in government in aristocratic European
governments. They would raise this lowly, unfortunate person
and at the same time would reduce those above him, so that
all would be on the same level. With all on precisely the same
level, there would be none to profit by war, which is regarded
as an unmixed evil. As the world has so little knowledge of what
the Bolsheviki really stand for, what they seek and how they
would attain it, they are generally regarded merely as radicals
with untried theories. They should be studied, not execrated, and
sympathetically encouraged to bring out their best. If they and
their doctrines can better the world, their contributions should be
welcomed. The surest way to winnow the wheat from the chaff
is to put it through the mill of human experience.

Organization of War Savings Societies in every city and town
in the state will be the order of business for Thrift Stamp and
War Savings Stamp workers in Oregon between now and March
15. The Treasury Department has asked that 2,874 War Savings
societies be organized for systematic saving and purchase of stamps
in Oregon, a ratio of one society for each 300 of population. Ten
or more persons may organize a society, and a manual for organiza-
tion will be sent upon request of state headquarters.

Yamhill county leads the state outside of Multnomah county
in sales of War Savings Stamps in February to date with \$5,131.43.
Polk county is next with \$5,101.75. Marion county is third with
\$4,697.09. Morrow county is at the bottom of the list, reported
with \$82.60. Multnomah county sales for the month are \$39,
396.70.

GRAND OPERA SINGERS BATTLE OVER CHILD



The child in this picture is the
center of a bitter court fight being
waged in New York City by her
parents. Arianna—that's her
name—is four years old. She is
shown in the arms of her mother,
Mrs. Margarete Matzenauer,
Metropolitan prima donna con-
tralto. The baby's father, Ed-
uardo Ferrari-Fontana, former
Metropolitan tenor, was divorced
some time ago and Mrs. Matzen-
auer was given custody of the
child on condition the husband be
allowed to see it at the home of a
friend, every Wednesday and Sat-
urday. The father, now an Ital-
ian army officer, is now back in
this country on leave. He charges
the mother denies him the right to
see the child. Mrs. Matzenauer
was born in Hungary and objects,
the husband says, to his wish that
the child learn something of the
Italian language and customs.

STATEMENT AND PLATFORM OF J. L. SIMPSON

In announcing myself as a candidate for nomination for Governor on the Republican ticket at the primary election to be held on May 17, 1918, I desire to appeal to the voters of Oregon as individuals, who as such, are well qualified to judge the issues of the day and who can and will vote as their judgment shall direct.

I am a Republican and believe in the principles of the Republican party, and above everything I am an American and believe in the principles of my country. I am not a member of, nor affiliated with, any particular faction or part of the Republican party; nor am I pledged to support any of the candidates for office at the coming primary election.

I shall, as far as possible make a personal campaign, with the object of meeting as many individuals as time will permit, and shall endeavor to establish and maintain a close personal relationship with the people of the State, so that I may better know and understand their needs and requirements.

In the present struggle for world peace, democracy and the very existence of the nation itself, the first solemn obligation of every man, woman and child is to the land of their birth or adoption. Faithful to that obligation Oregon is proud of its contribution in men, money, food, lumber and ships. The entire wealth and all of the resources of the State have been placed at the disposal of the Government, and if nominated and elected, I shall accord the nation and the administration that full and complete measure of support and assistance which the patriotic citizenship has already accorded.

The people of Oregon have placed upon the State books certain laws which, if nominated and elected, I shall, with all the power and authority of the office of Governor, rigidly and uncompromisingly enforce. I favor the establishment of a national, universal eight hour day.

Advertisement for HART SCHAFFNER & MARX. Features 'FOWNES WHITE KID GLOVES FOR DRESS' and 'EVENING CLOTHES FOR ELKS BALL'. Includes an illustration of a boat with people and the text 'THE HOME OF HART SCHAFFNER & MARX CLOTHES'.

Always choice candles of the best and tastiest kind; you will find them at Silverthorn's Family Drug Store. 2-26-18. Good lotions for chapped hands, face and lips, and all kinds of the very finest of toilet preparations at Silverthorn's Family Drug Store. 2-19-18.

Advertisement for Fraternal Directory. Lists various fraternal organizations such as La Grande Lodge No. 850, Knights of Pythias, and Woodmen of America, along with their meeting times and locations.

Advertisement for 'For Hard-to-fit Women' corsets. Features an illustration of a woman in a corset and text from Pauline Lederle, Modart Corset Front Laced.

Advertisement for 'The Youth's Companion' magazine. Promotes 'Biggest Reading Value for your Family' and lists '12 Great Serials or Group Stories for 1918—then 250 Shorter Stories.' Includes pricing and subscription information.

Advertisement for 'No More Currency Panics' by La Grande National Bank. Discusses the Federal Reserve Banking System and the bank's membership in it.

Advertisement for 'Look Here!' by A. J. LARM. Promotes a sale of tobacco and cigars at the same price as a year ago, listing various brands like Lucky Strike and Chesterfield.