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year in advance.....\$1.50My Country 'Tis of Thee, Sweet Land  
of Liberty.

## A BIG STEP.

The grave of absolutism is visi-  
bly yawning.Bulgaria, tricked into participa-  
tion in the war on the side of au-  
thority in the first place, has  
yielded to every demand and makes  
unconditional surrender. One of  
the conditions was severance of re-  
lations between German and the  
other junkers. This, of course,  
has been complied with and hostil-  
ities ceased at noon. Bulgaria will  
now necessarily and in good faith  
become an ally instead of an enemy.With this much settled a break  
has been made in the line of com-  
munication between Germany and  
Austria on the one hand and Tur-  
key on the other. The Sultan will  
be the next to yield; Austria's dis-  
memberment is the same as a set-  
tled fact, and the war will finally  
—possibly within a few weeks—  
settle down to the place it be-  
longs. It will be a withering,  
wasting conflict as far as Germany  
is concerned and will end with the  
aims of the civilized world vindic-  
ated and triumphant.The only asset now left the kaiser  
is the ability the junkers have  
of fooling their own people.But this sort of thing is also on  
the wane. Bulgaria has quit and  
this within about two weeks from  
the time when Kaiser Wilhelm  
told the Krupp workers, among  
other things:"Just look at the four years of  
war! What immense achievements  
we have behind us! Half the world  
stood against us and our royal al-  
lies, and now we have peace with  
Russia and with Rumania, Servia  
and Montenegro are finished."The news all along the line is  
just as significant, although a little  
less dramatic, than in the instance  
which the kaiser so recently declar-  
ed to be "finished."

## A POTENTIAL MEANS.

The war organization of Union  
county is being emulated by the  
big city of Portland in the matter  
of getting bond subscription quotas.  
When the incident of the last drive  
became public, it was received by  
the Portland press with somewhat  
dubious comment. One of the pa-  
pers thought the Union county war  
was at least better than mob viol-  
ence, but was not altogether to be  
commended.With practically all localities in  
the state, except Portland, over the  
line and the big city between three  
and four millions behind, there is  
the necessity of doing something  
drastic. The loan committee in  
Portland, according to the reports  
received today, will begin publica-  
tion of those who are classed as  
slackers in bond subscriptions. In

## BRITISH GIRLS MAKING AIRPLANES

Upholstering department of a great airplane factory in England where  
girls are putting on the fabric covering for the decks and fuselage.fact, three names have already been  
published in the papers.Those who think this is too dra-  
matic should contemplate for a min-  
ute what it means to take the  
young men of the country and put  
them at the front. There is just  
as much reason and justice in  
drafting money as in drafting men,  
and the Liberty Loan committee is  
the proper authority, and the good  
sense and public approval of the  
people is the way to back it up.  
It is this same public sentiment  
that will smoke out the bond evad-  
er, and it is less troublesome and  
reaches the desired end sooner than  
any other plan. The thing has  
been found out to be a fact in Un-  
ion county. It will also be effective  
in Portland.

## MANY USES FOR GLUE.

Household Economies Made Possi-  
ble in Several Ways.NEW YORK, Sept. 27.—With  
our government demanding all possi-  
ble conservation in American  
households, several newly-discovered  
uses for glue present to the  
thoughtful woman opportunities to  
prolong the life of household arti-  
cles.An every family has, or should  
have, on hand, a bottle or tube of  
good glue, the following practical  
suggestions can be acted upon with-  
out delay or expense.

## Put New Life In Broom.

A teaspoonful of glue mixed in  
a basin of hot water poured over  
a broom and then allowed to thor-  
oughly dry will greatly stiffen it,  
and prolong its usefulness and life.

## Shoes Barbed Or Scoured.

Very often a small piece of the  
leather is lifted or loosened. Don't  
cut it off and try to cover the place  
with blacking. Flatten the piece  
in place with a little glue and at-  
tend it to dry. Then apply blacking  
and the surface will be as good as  
new.

## Tears Or Hints In Silk.

Another piece of silk or fabric  
of the same color placed under the  
tear with a thin coat of glue will  
bring the edges more firmly to-  
gether than can be done with a  
needle. Allow to dry thoroughly.

## Keep Rubbers From Slipping.

Rubber overshoes often become  
so loose that they slip off at the  
heels, especially in the winter and  
spring when the ground is muddy  
or slippery. This annoying trouble  
can be entirely eliminated by glue.has a felt band around the inside  
top of the rubber.

## Protect Furs From Moths.

It is commonly known that moths  
very much dislike the odor of ink  
in old newspapers. Several thick-  
pieces of old newspapers firmly  
glued together may be made into  
the form of a bag and the gar-  
ment placed inside. After the end  
and all joints are firmly sealed  
with glue, the bag is absolutely  
moth and dust proof, and your  
protection from moths has cost  
practically nothing.

## PAPER IS VALUABLE.

Principal Reasons Why It Should  
Not Be Wasted.The War Industries Board has  
given some of the principal rea-  
sons why paper should not be wast-  
ed.The government's requirements  
for all kinds of paper are increas-  
ing rapidly and must be supplied.  
Paper making requires a large  
amount of fuel which is essential  
for war purposes. A pound of pa-  
per wasted represents from one to  
three pounds of coal wasted.Paper contains valuable chemi-  
cals necessary for war purposes.  
Economy in the use of paper will  
release a large quantity of these  
materials for making ammunition  
or poisonous gases.Paper making requires labor and  
capital, both of which are needed  
in every service.Paper making requires transpor-  
tation space. Economy in the use  
of paper will release thousands of  
freight cars for war purposes.Greater care in the purchase and  
use of paper will save money.  
Your savings will help finance the  
war.Strictest economy in the use of  
paper will prevent a shortage.

## ANNUAL MEETING.

The regular annual meeting of La  
Grande Chapter, American Red Cross  
will be held at the city hall, La  
Grande, Oregon, Wednesday Octo-  
ber 2 at 7:30 p.m., for the purposes  
of receiving reports of the officers  
and electing an executive committee  
for the ensuing year. All members  
requested to be present.DR. M. K. HALL,  
Chairman.

9-14-18.

These new Brass Clocks and Bin-  
go Clocks that you can see in the  
Show Windows at Silverthorn's are  
the kind that make all buyers early  
visitors. Better buy one and see.Silverthorn's  
FAMILY DRUG STORE  
LA GRANDE, OREGON.  
Daily 9-5:45

## It's the Oregon Way

To put over the Fourth Liberty Loan even as it  
is opened—is the way they do things in Oregon.  
To think, talk and figure in advance; anticipate  
our quotas and volunteer our applications for  
subscriptions—is the plan of OUR campaign in  
which for the fourth time, we send our DOL-  
LARS to back our BOYS.In the past, proof of patriotism has not been lacking. But there  
are still a few—a very few, thank God, who do not realize the  
immensity of this War or appreciate the principles involved. A  
very few others would "let George do it"—while still others fool  
themselves into thinking the war is almost over.EVERYBODY'S HELP IS NEEDED. WILL  
WE HAVE YOURS?UNION COUNTY FOURTH LIBERTY  
LOAN COMMITTEE.

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# Get clothes that last more than one season

## That's the way to save

MANY men are wearing their last year's  
clothes, cleaned, pressed and looking as  
good as new. And yet others find their clothes  
looking shabby after a few months' wear.Where does the difference come in? It's all in the quality of the  
original garment.When you buy Good Clothes you save for yourself because the  
clothes last longer; you save labor and material for the coun-  
try because you don't buy so often.

That's the reason we say

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Materials, designing, tailoring are the best  
obtainable. That means good service this  
year and next; we guarantee your satisfac-  
tion.

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THE QUALITY STOREStore Closes  
Saturday  
8:30 P. M.Store Closes  
Saturday  
8:30 P. M.

## Experience the Best Teacher.

It is generally admitted that experi-  
ence is the best teacher, but should  
we not make use of the experience of  
others as well as our own? The ex-  
perience of a thousand persons is more  
to be depended upon than that of one  
individual. Many thousands of per-  
sons have used Chamberlain's Cough  
Remedy for coughs and colds with the  
best results, which shows it to be a  
thoroughly reliable preparation for  
these diseases. Try it. It is prompt  
and effectual and pleasant to take. Av.

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A desirable well-established Gro-  
cery Business; centrally located.—  
Inquire as to terms, etc.F. L. MEYERS,  
Trustee for Creditors,  
at La Grande National Bank.

9-24-18.

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Look Your Best and Be  
Comfortable in a  
"La Camille"FRONT LACE CORSET  
—the only corset with the patented  
VENTILEBack and Front Shield  
Be fitted to the corset designed for  
your figure. There areLA CAMILLE MODELS  
for every figure. They are always  
fitted by a scientifically trained cor-  
setier. This service goes with the  
corset—and such comfort.  
A full line of the latest models al-  
ways on hand. Priced at \$2.00 and  
up.Mrs. Robt. Pattison  
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## SINGER SEWING MACHINES.

The agency is with Coolidge's Paint  
Store. Get one of these prize machined  
and your sewing troubles are over.  
Some good second hand machines for  
sale cheap. RICHARD WOOLSEY,  
9-28-61 p.

## NO TRESPASS—REWARD.

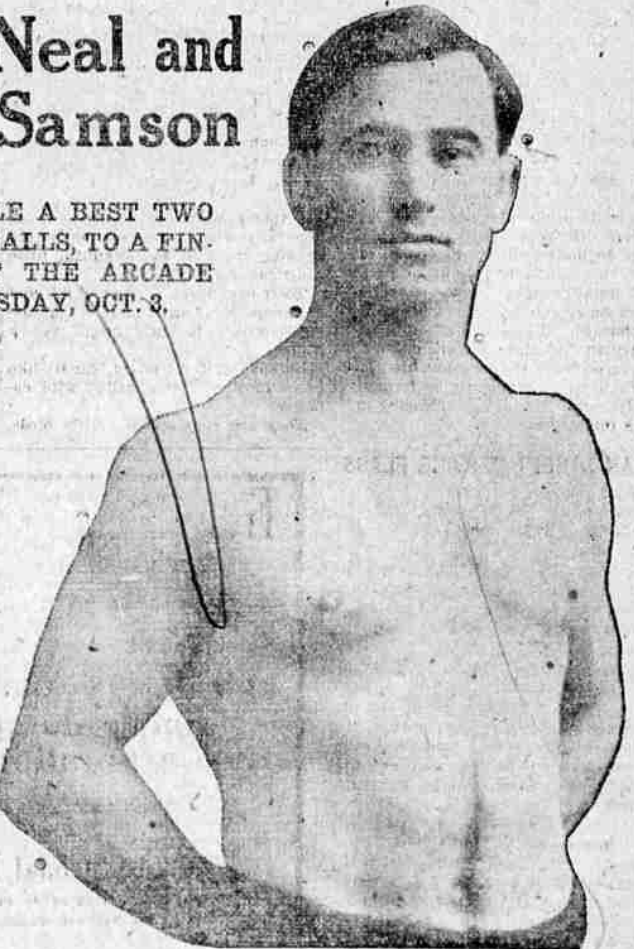
No trespassing for hunting will be  
allowed on the farm of Mrs. L. F.  
Prebostel, north of La Grande. Five  
dollars reward will be paid for infor-  
mation leading to arrest and conviction  
of trespassers. E. L. ECKLEY,  
Agent. 9-28-61 p.

## CHICHESTER'S PILLS

THE DIAMOND BRAND  
Ladies! Ask your Druggist for  
Chichester's Diamond Brand  
Pills in Red and Gold wrapper.  
Take one or two. Buy of your  
Druggist. Ask for CHICHESTER'S  
DIAMOND BRAND PILLS, for 25  
years known as Best. Made Always Reliable  
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# Wrestling Match

## Jack O'Neal and George Samson

ARE TO WRESTLE A BEST TWO  
OUT OF THREE FALLS, TO A FIN-  
ISH MATCH, AT THE ARCADE  
THEATRE, THURSDAY, OCT. 3.Samson is a clean-cut,  
manly fellow and a  
very clever athlete,  
and now holds the belt  
as undefeated middle-  
weight champion of  
the Pacific Coast; on  
one occasion meeting  
Mike Yokel for the  
championship of the  
world and they wrest-  
led 3 hrs. and 37 min-  
utes to a draw. The  
only defeat against  
Young Samson in the  
last five years was  
when Ad. Santell, af-  
ter 2 hrs. and 8 min-  
utes of hard work pin-  
ned his shoulders to  
the mat, which was in itself praiseworthy to Young Samson, with the handicap  
of 25 pounds in weight. Jack O'Neill holds the light heavyweight champion-  
ship of the Pacific Coast. There will be not more than five pounds difference in  
the weight of the two men, and lovers of the sport will witness a match that  
will be long remembered.

George Samson

JOHN E. ANDERSON, Promoter