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"My Country 'Tis of Thee, Sweet Land of Liberty."

Leads in Men, Money and Morals.

The city of Portland awakes to its responsibilities late Saturday night and the band quota for that locality was raised with a slight margin to spare. The rural part of the state has been over the fence for some time and it only remained for the people of the metropolis to make good and save the reputation of the state. This they have done, although at the eleventh hour, and this is sufficient. It is now claimed that Oregon is entitled to first place as against Iowa and Michigan, which have claimed honor. The claim of Oregon is based on the fact that the subscriptions here came from the mass of the people and were not guaranteed or "underwritten" by the banks. The claim is of sufficient validity that it will be taken up and thoroughly investigated by the treasury department. Michigan is a new competitor for this honor, although Oregon and Iowa were practically a tie in a former loan campaign.

But regardless of the decision that may be reached as to the relative standing of the states in the Victory loan, it is a matter of pride to every resident of Oregon to know that this great commonwealth has never lagged in the business of winning the war. Oregon did her share most conspicuously and most nobly in sending such a large proportion of her young men to the front; the state earned a place not only for loyalty in this respect but the records further showed that her young men held the highest percentage of physical fitness of those who were sent to the field. Now the state is again in the lead in the essential of money, which the war made necessary.

It will not make so much difference how this contest with Iowa and Michigan ends. The country now well knows that Oregon in the war stands preeminent in men, money and morals.

Arrived Late But Finally Got There.

(Well, part of the Germans got to Paris in April, after all! Of course they are not the Germans who expected to be there, nor was this the April

they had in mind four years ago, nor was the peace terms to which they agreed exactly the ones which were to be presented. But after all, it was a famous victory, and the Germans have from now on until the end of time to tell their people and all the world how it all came out exactly as they had planned.

Perhaps it is a sad trial to Wilhelm and his six sons that they too are not among those present. They really expected to lead the van. But let them not despair. They are to come to Paris by special invitation a little later; and if it is a trial not to come right now, it will be a still greater trial when they do arrive.

"On to Paris!" That was their cry up to last spring, wasn't it? But, self-deceived in that as in everything, they are beginning to realize that from start to finish, they never were on to Paris.

Their Slight Lapse May Be Condoned.

The Paris report is that Orlando and Sonnino will start tonight on their return to the peace conference. The forecast is that Italy will be on hand and have a voice in the disposition of German affairs and also become advisers in the league of nations. It is doubtless beginning to dawn on them what an extremely undesirable plight they will be in if they insist on making for themselves a place of isolation in the world.

They realize, as they think things over, that they are economically helpless without the co-operation of the Allies. And they must realize, too, as their passions cool, that they are pleading a bad case, and that moral isolation would be as bad for young, struggling, modern Italy as economic isolation.

Italy in every way needs her allies more than they need her.

With the Italians coming around into such a mood, it is only wise and right for America, France and Britain to meet them half way—not in a compromise of basic principle, but in a renewal of friendship and respect. Italy left Paris; Italy is welcome to return, and let bygones be bygones.

The Allies can properly enough show this spirit without any flourish of magnanimity, because their debts to Italy are certainly as great as Italy's debts to them. It must not be forgotten, in this period of Italian wrong-headedness, that Italy went into the war on the allied side at great risk to herself, at a time when the allied cause was critical, and that she contributed largely to the victory. Her rout of the big German-Austrian drive on the Piave last summer was the beginning of allied triumph, and one of the chief factors that made the crowning victories of the British, the French and American armies possible.

The emotional Italian public of late has been sadly misguided by imperialist statesmen and jingo demagogues. Let this aberration not be held against a brave nation, if it comes to see the error of its way.

These sentiments of the Dallas News paraphraser will strike a sympathetic chord in many Kansas City souls: "Sometimes we feel as if the only chance we have to gain anything from our old men is to climb derrick and try to catch a bird."

A reader of the Minneapolis Tribune writes the editor of that paper: "Does the Mississippi River flow up or down?" Evidently the editor might decide him, be then asks for the respective altitudes of Lake Itasca and the Gulf of Mexico.

Naturally optimistic, we are betting all corners that Annetta Gabri-Guri's venture into the movies meets all the success that crowned the recent efforts of Enigma Caruso in Hollywood.

THE NEIGHBORHOOD CLUB

bids you listen to Orpheus give his interpretation of the oldest hymn in existence—the Hymn to Apollo—Adv. 5-4-21

CLUB'S PROGRAM IS CHOICE ONE

FIRST OF THREE ENTERTAINMENTS TUESDAY NIGHT.

Music By Monday Club and Dancing By Mrs. Harold Grady and Others Will Be Fine Feature.

Much interest is being shown today in the three evenings to be given by the Neighborhood Club Arts Club. An Orpheum road show could not contain any more interesting features than these three entertainments—each night different, but all leading up to the climax in the last evening, the destruction of Rheims.

Mrs. Richardson's Monday Club will have an important part in the program. This talented organization has always proved a stellar attraction wherever it has appeared.

At this time La Grande is fortunate in having Mrs. Harold Grady, a premier dancer, who has appeared on the Orpheum circuit several seasons. Her efforts the last month have been tireless in training the girls who will the first evening interpret the spirit of the ancient Egyptians and Greeks in their dances.

Each evening in itself is a complete unit, but to fully appreciate the spirit which has produced the evolution in architecture through man's eternal grasp for the spiritual, one should attend the whole series.

The program of the first of these three entertainments, which will be given in the High School auditorium, will be as follows:

Egyptian Temples—Cleopatra.
Ancient Egyptian Dance—Garda.
Song and dance of Miriam and her Maids.

Grecian Temples—Helen.
Hymn to Apollo—Orpheus. (The oldest hymn in the world.)
Solo Dance—Psyche.

Flower Dance—Athenian Maidens.
Roman Temples—Cornelia.
Vestal Virgins—Tableau.

The program will commence at 7 o'clock. Tickets are on sale at Silverthorn's Drug store. Season tickets are 75 cents, single admission 35 cents.

ENTERPRISE TO BE HEADQUARTERS

Principal Offices of East Oregon Lumber Company Are Removed From Kansas City

The sales department of the East Oregon Lumber Company is being moved from Kansas City to Enterprise, and in the near future other offices will follow and all branches of the business will be managed here says the Record-Chief. This means the addition of many substantial families, and an increase in general business for the town. The company has solved the problems of early organization and financing and is in splendid condition in every way.

L. K. Campbell, general sales agent, arrived from Kansas City this week. His office will also employment to several persons, probably meaning the addition of five or six families.

J. H. Higley, vice-president of the company, is on the way to Enterprise from the east, and will make his home here. These men are fore-runners of still others who will come when the financial, accounting and bookkeeping departments are shifted to the west.

For some time it has been the

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WALLA WALLAN'S SUDDEN DEMISE

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After lingering around the spot for some time he decided that he must seek help. He started back the way they had come and when he had covered about four miles came to a ranger's cabin, where, however, he found no one. The cabin was locked and he and his dog spent the night in the forest. Next morning, Friday, they covered the rest of the distance back to Palmer Junction, and there made known the circumstances of his father's death.

A phone message was sent Coroner Bohlenkamp from Palmer Junction and he set out about 3 o'clock Friday afternoon by automobile. His was the first car over that road this spring. At the Junction a couple of men were picked up and they proceeded with a hack for some distance up the mountain. When they could take the hack no further, on account of the bad roads, they left it at a cabin and proceeded on foot with the horse. On the way they picked up a small sled which the boy had noted lying about half a mile from the place he had camped the night before.

Reaching the spot where Mr. Chadsen's death had occurred, they found the body as the boy had left it, and still unmolesed. It was not until this time the lad gave way to his grief. The remains were loaded upon the sled and hauled on for three miles, until the sled broke down. The roads were fierce, says Mr. Bohlenkamp, with snow drifts from one to eight feet deep lying across them. It was over those that the boy had traveled alone the night before and over which they now had to haul the body.

When the sled broke down the boy was tied into the saddle and brought in this manner the balance of the distance to the back, and finally back to Palmer Junction. From there the trip to La Grande was made by automobile.

The recovered had been kept at the home of Coroner Bohlenkamp until yesterday morning, when he was sent back to his home at Walla Walla, to his mother and her five other fatherless children, all young, than Milton. The father and mother of the deceased also reside at Walla Walla.

No inquest on the remains was considered necessary, owing to the fact that deceased had been in ill health.

More fresh families in boxes and in bulk, just the kind you like, at Silverthorn's. 5-5-17

THE NEIGHBORHOOD CLUB invites you to note with them the graceful dance of Urda just as she danced in the first Egyptian dynasty millenniums ago—adv. 5-4-21

The ice cream sundae and all kinds of soda water drinks are going rapidly at Silverthorn's drug store. Ice cream cones are still 5c each. Why not try the fresh strawberry sundae with whipped cream, at this fountain. 5-5-17

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