

EDUCATIONAL ALTERNATIVE TO THE BONUS

(By The Associated Press.) GLENDALE, Calif., Feb. 25.—An educational alternative to the national bonus is proposed by James T. Van Rensselaer of this city, who has been asked to take the place of Major General Peter C. Harris as national chairman of the National Memorial University Association.

The proposal states: "The attention has been called of the National Memorial University Association, and of the Chamber of Commerce of the United States, that a most fitting and proper educational memorial to the memory of the men who gave their lives to the country during the world war, was to be found in the following suggested alternative to the bonus:

"That the federal government share equally with states, religious denominations, fraternal and other organizations, and with individuals, and where ever possible, with institutions already functioning during the next ten or more years, in establishing self-supporting universities on the Oxford-Cambridge system of a score or more of colleges. These colleges shall be self-governing, and students are to be afforded the opportunity to work as well as study, thus making provision for the higher education of all children, qualified, of all men and women who are in the army, navy and marine corps in the late war.

"Each university, subject to a national agreement of all colleges concerned, shall also be self-governing, and it is understood that the cooperation of the government with the water will be the assumption of one-half of the liability for a socialized to carry out the purposes of the entire amount to be underwritten by the state or other parties concerned, even the question of the payment of interest to be left open for further discussion.

"Briefly, the suggestion is to persuade 4,000,000 ex-service men and women representing every section and every division of the country, and acting from the most enlightened self-interest, to join in one great national effort to create a highly educated American people in two or more generations. For many men and women who unselfishly served the country during the great war fully believe that education is light and light is from God, and that a movement has begun which, if it develops according to promise, will grow into the most important enterprise so far undertaken by man."

"The National Memorial Association was formed for the purpose of obtaining the necessary funds and the establishment of National Memorial Universities as a tribute to the memory of the men who gave their lives to the country during the World War, in which special scholarships and privileges are to be extended to the children of these World War men and women.

"The National committee of the association is composed of 50 members, one at large, one from the District of Columbia, and one from each state in the Union, and numbers among its members some of the leading citizens of the states, including a number of governors, former governors, members of Congress and financiers.

WALLOWA LAKE TO REAR YANKS WALLOWA, Feb. 25.—The Yanks are coming. 200,000 of them are going to enjoy the advantages of Wallowa Lake this summer. No dear readers, we are not talking of dough-boys or a ball team. We are referring to fish.

The game commission has made arrangements to secure a large quantity of silver trout eggs from Lake Washington near Seattle, to stock Wallowa Lake. The eggs will be hatched at the Union Hatchery, and sent here to be reared.

Rearing ponds will be constructed at the head of Wallowa Lake, if the grounds can be secured, as soon as the weather permits. These ponds will perform the same service that the Enterprise feeding pond is supposed to perform.

The young yanks will be shipped to the ponds as soon as they are old enough to be up and take nourishment. Through the summer they will take on size, and in the fall will be turned loose with their Wallowa brethren. They will be full fledged yanks, and will forget that they ever had such a high-toned name as silverside trout, states the Wallowa Sun.

Charles Vanover was a business visitor in Union yesterday. Frank Wigglesworth and family were visiting with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. Wigglesworth, of Union, yesterday.

The Hunter family of the Forks were treated to a pleasant surprise by receiving a parcel containing some "good cats," consisting of pickled pig's feet, and home-made sausage, sent by Mrs. Maud Vanover.

It is reported that John Lay, who occupies the Lucy place, is intending moving his family to some point in Idaho.

Francis Godsey arrived safe at the home of her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Art Murchick, at Lower Powder. She went by train from Union to Baker, arriving at her destination at 4:15 p.m. She reports that Mrs. McMurdo's baby is "just as fat and cute as it can be."

Frank Wigglesworth, of Raymo Flat, is mourning over the loss of a pet cat—he says the cat was fully worth \$25.00.

News has reached here that Art Miller, who last summer was looking after his brother's interests, superintending Ed Miller's sheep in this locality, was ill at the home of his son, Lester, in Union. It is hoped by his many friends here that his sickness will not prove serious.

Joseph Lay has been helping Bob Waukner, of Big Creek, in doing various kinds of work for him the last few days.

L. J. Foster helped Roy Jones a couple of days last week, hauling a load of hay, returning home in the evening.

L. E. Ingram, of Union, well known here, had his back hurt quite bad while hauling logs at North Powder. He has been confined to his home, but the last news is that he is getting along nicely, and soon will be able to return to his work.

J. W. Lay, the mail man, is again on the job, having recuperated from his late illness.

Reinhold Woods is working at Miller's, hatching sheep on the lower ranch.

Sydney Fisk, of the "Little Park", was working for Ed Miller at his lower ranch last week, it is reported.

The roads are in a very bad condition around Medical Springs, it is reported by the few who have traveled that way.

This last thaw has taken the snow down considerably, measuring only 14 inches at the Forks.

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Of great interest to society is the approaching marriage of Gloria Morgan (above), daughter of the American consul general at Brussels, and Reginald Vanderbilt.

points in California. He drove through in his car as far as Scottsbluff and reports fairly good roads and fine weather.

The Parent-Teachers' association will hold their regular meeting Friday evening. The scholars of the grades will give a patriotic program.

Tom Page and Joe Ross were hosts to an informal dance given Tuesday evening at the K. P. hall. About 20 guests were invited and all reports making had a very enjoyable evening.

The annual roll call for the K. P. lodge members was called at the hall Wednesday evening. Fifty-nine and change were present. After the meeting all enjoyed a little social dance.

It has been reported the sheriff has just purchased the ranch of Frank Blanchard. Mr. Blanchard expects to move to La Grande.

Frank Blanchard has been quite ill the past week and is threatened with pneumonia.

The weekly meeting of the Farmers' Union met at the home of Mrs. Edna Walker Thursday afternoon. The regular business topics were discussed. They are trying to put the old box factory building for a community home.

Several from here enjoyed a trip to La Grande Tuesday evening to attend the big basketball game.

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school was deserted for a half hour through in his car as far as Scottsbluff and reports fairly good roads and fine weather.

The Imbler boys' team and Elmer Truitt played basketball here Thursday afternoon. Elmer Truitt came into town after a small meeting, mounted on horses, with nothing but victory in sight but by the time the Imbler team had finished with three they had changed their minds. The score was 22 to 8 in the home team's favor.

Mrs. Dave Osborn met with relatives when she left Wednesday noon and plans her visit. Dr. Hildebrand was called from La Grande, but is resting on Sunday and will be expected under like circumstances.

Mrs. J. C. Ellis came from La Grande to visit several days with Mrs. Frank Christ.

SOCIAL NEWS FROM PROMISE

(Special to The Observer) PROMISE, Feb. 25.—J. M. Madison, 2300 Vermont road, Tuesday, Feb. 25, 1924.

G. R. Truitt made a business trip to Wallowa and back on the 25th. Mrs. Virginia Scott is a business trip to Wallowa.

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CRUEL DEEDS PIGSANTS... PHOENIX, Ariz., Feb. 25.—Five cases of China pigsants from the state game warden will be distributed in this county about March 1, according to word received by J. A. K. Brown, president of the Crank County Pigsants' association, from A. S. Hargrave, state game warden. The birds will be distributed in various "crank" spring country, where there are many pig-sants new birds at the present time.

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