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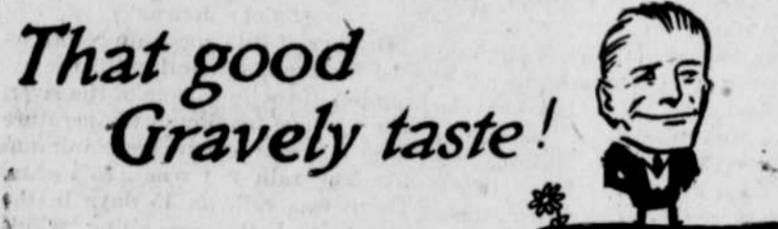
CLYDE T. ECKER, Editor.

While The Post does not believe that a candidate should be elected to congress, or to any other office, because he is a Democrat or Republican, we have no criticism for the President because he has asked for a Democratic congress. Undoubtedly, he believes that it would be for the best interests of the country, a contention we have no desire to affirm or deny. If Mr. Wilson was a Republican, he would ask for a Republican congress.

In the election this Fall, a number will be elected to congress, by a plea of loyalty, who will be servants of "big business" rather than servants of the people. In fact, "big business" wants to control congress in order to "reconstruct" during the reconstruction period after the war in its own interests to the detriment of the common good.

For the benefit of American people, The Post hopes for election of Borah in Idaho, Thomas in Colorado, Norris in Nebraska, Capper in Kansas, Kenyon in Iowa and Ford in Michigan. Fortunately, in Oregon both of the senatorial candidates are one hundred percent progressive. Unfortunately, our congressmen are not.

Evidently a number of Mr. Withycombe's friends think that there may be a slip next Tuesday.



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Chocolate Sponge Roll

1/2 cups flour
1/2 teaspoon salt
1 cup sugar
2 eggs
2 squares melted chocolate
3 tablespoons melted shortening
1/4 cup hot water
1 teaspoon vanilla
2 teaspoons Royal Baking Powder

The old method called for 4 eggs and no baking powder. DIRECTIONS—Sift flour, baking powder and salt together three times. Beat whole eggs. Add slowly sugar, then boiling water slowly; add next vanilla, melted chocolate and melted shortening, without beating. Sift in dry ingredients, and fold in as lightly as possible. Pour into large baking pan lined with oiled paper, and bake in slow oven twenty minutes. When done, turn out on a damp, hot cloth, spread with white icing and roll.

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HOW YOUR MONEY WILL HELP "BOYS"

Official Statement of Seven Great Welfare Organizations.

Citizens of Oregon, in the week of November 11-18, will respond to the call of the United War Work Campaign for funds to make happy and effective the fighting men of the Nation. That the citizens will uphold the Commonwealth's notable record in doing its share to win the war is taken for granted, once the needs are understood.

Oregon's quota in the joint drive of the seven great organizations doing war service work is \$770,000. President Wilson authorized this united drive and named the participating bodies. The purposes for which the funds are needed and to which they are dedicated are vital to the war's success.

The Y. M. C. A. has more than 2000 huts in the great battle zone and is ministering to the boys overseas, in trench and camp, leaving undone nothing it can do to help them. In America the "Y" is in every camp and cantonment. It is with the boys "crossing over" and, at request of the War Department, has recently joined in the task of instructing selectives even before they are called.

War work of the Y. W. C. A. is thus outlined by Mrs. William MacMaster, state chairman:

"Already we have in this country 2,000,000 women doing actual war work, while another 2,000,000 have released men for service by undertaking their work. To the Y. W. C. A., 'the best big sister in the world,' has been committed by the government and military authorities the serious responsibility of directing the thought, creating the environment and furnishing the material needs of this army of girls. Already 105 hostess houses have been opened, War Service Clubs organized, the Patriotic League created, nurses sent where needed and now we are asked to furnish emergency housing for thousands of girl war workers."

John W. Kelley, associate drive director, says of the Knights of Columbus:

"Knights of Columbus halls are in operation in all cantonments, training camps and naval stations in the United States and the halls are also established with the American Expeditionary Forces in France, Italy, Russia and England. The motto is 'Everybody Welcome,' service being given irrespective of race, creed, or rank. Millions of cigarettes, pipes, bouillon cubes, gum packages and tons of chocolate have been given free to the soldiers overseas. One of the specialties is the promotion of athletics and a considerable item in the budget is for baseball equipment, boxing gloves, etc. In the war zone the troops are followed with motor trucks which are virtually traveling huts, fully stocked with athletic goods, stationery, cigarettes, and the like."

Needs and activities of the Jewish Welfare Board, explained by Ben Selling, are:

"In one year the number of our field representatives has grown from 10 to 213. Now we are faced with the demand for 400 additional workers in this country and 100 overseas. The money going into our fund pays necessary expenses and salaries, furnishes Bibles and prayerbooks by the thousands and letterheads and envelopes by the million, and provides camp, educational, and recreational activities for the fighters, both here and abroad."

"War Camp Community Service," explains Emery Olmstead, state chairman, "developed from the commission created by the War and Navy Departments, first known as the Fosdick Commission. The community is its particular field and thousands of workers are assisting the towns in caring for visiting soldiers and sailors, providing wholesome amusement and clean recreation and surrounding the camps with hospitality."

Functions of the American Library Association, says William L. Brewster, state chairman, are "to provide books and reading matter to the soldiers and sailors through co-operating agencies and directly." Thirty library buildings have been provided at cantonments; 3,750,000 donated books distributed; 1,000,000 books and tons of magazines sent abroad, and 600,000 needed military technical books bought and given the men.

These are some things the Salvation Army does, according to O. C. Bortzmeier, state chairman:

"On lines of communication our huts are open day and night. Then, following their methods, our men and women go right to the trenches and distribute chocolate, coffee, doughnut, and pies. Sixty per cent of the 1000 workers are women. We have now 703 huts and 60 ambulances in service. In the past few months aid has been given the Red Cross in sending abroad 100,000 parcels."

Here's your chance—give to the Y. M. Y. W. C. A., Salvation Army, Jewish Welfare Board, Library Association and the War Community Service and you help make a soldier, sailor or marine happier and better.

Do you want to get a good book to a soldier, sailor or marine? GIVE to the American Library Association.

GIVE to the war welfare agencies and keep up the morale of our fighting forces.

Send a doughnut to the front line by giving to the Salvation Army.

UNITED WAR FUND SURE TO BE NEEDED

Even End of Hostilities Would Not Change This.

Though the war should cease immediately it is said that every cent of the \$170,500,000 sought in the United War Work campaign in the United States, for the seven approved organizations ministering to the American fighters, will be needed just the same.

This is the word of leaders of the fund-raising campaign and their explanation is easily comprehended. In the first place, it has been officially estimated that 18 months to two years must elapse before all the American boys can be returned from foreign soil. There are the men of many other countries to be transported home when the war ends, so the number of boats for use of the Yankees will be limited. Then there is also the fact that thousands must remain so long as the great properties and stores of the United States have not been disposed of or returned.

Immediate cessation of war activities in Europe would plainly create grave problems connected with the care of the men. Remove the great motive which actuates every man at the front today and throw him into dull inactivity, with nothing much to do but await his chance to return to home and loved ones, and the work of keeping him cheerful increases in magnitude. The soldier welfare organizations foresee all phases of this grave contingency. They foresee how great would be the need for reading matter, entertainments, amusements, recreation and the cheery personal touch.

PERSHING WARNS OF GERMAN PUBLICITY

Germany's efforts to involve the United States and her Allies into a consideration of peace terms and an armistice did not impress James F. Pershing, brother of General Pershing, as being sincere and designed to give the world what it is praying for. Mr. Pershing, who was in Oregon recently in the interest of the United War Work drive, which opens November 11, cautioned the American people against the too-common tendency to become apathetic under the idea that peace and the cessation of hostilities are at hand.

"When heaven is ready to negotiate with hell," he declared, "then will America be ready to make peace with Germany." He told of the great work being done in Europe by the Y. M. C. A., Knights of Columbus, Salvation Army and other agencies, and called on Americans to respond liberally in supporting the campaign about to open for raising money with which to carry on these activities.

GENERAL PERSHING MODEST MAN

"All that General Pershing wants now is the success of the American boys in France, and to avoid, so far as possible, any glory for himself," declared James F. Pershing, brother of America's leader in the field, in an address delivered in Portland recently in behalf of the United War Work drive, which opens November 11. The speaker paid a tribute to the men in the ranks, and gave his audience an idea of the high esteem in which the boys are held by their commander. He showed the importance of war work in this country as an imperative necessity to the victory of the Allies in the battles for Democracy, and urged that no diminution in speed be allowed to result through recent peace proposals. Unqualified endorsement of the United War Work drive was voiced by Mr. Pershing who is one of the leading authorities on conditions now existing along the battlefield, and he was especially desirous that there be no relaxation of efforts in behalf of the several war work funds.

Best Big Sisters.

The Y. W. C. A. is known as "The Best Big Sister in the World." Of the \$170,500,000 to be raised in the United War Work campaign \$15,000,000 will go to the work of this organization.

Hospitality to the fighting man and to his visiting friends, is the motto of the War Community Service, a mighty necessary thing.

"CARRY ON," IS OFFICIAL CRY

The caution issued recently in Portland by James F. Pershing, brother of General Pershing, against relaxation of war work activities, has been echoed in messages issued by departmental heads in Washington, D. C., copies of which were sent to Executive Secretary John Klock, of the Oregon State Council of Defense. "Carry on" is the theme of those telegrams whose senders felt the German peace proposals might interfere with campaign plans just formulated. Consequently, the United War Work drive, which opens November 11, will be conducted with even more vigor than had Germany not sought to bring about peace on her own terms. The departmental heads, as well as Mr. Pershing, emphasize the need of continued activities by the several affiliated organizations participating in the drive, even after hostilities have ceased.

SAMPLE BALLOT FOR GENERAL MUNICIPAL ELECTION FOR CITY OF INDEPENDENCE, ORE., TO BE HELD NOVEMBER 5th, 1918.

Mark Cross "X" between the number and each candidate voted for.

For Mayor Vote for One.

12 W. H. WALKER

13 C. W. HENKLE

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For City Councilmen: Vote for Six.

15 W. H. COCKLE

16 C. D. CALBREATH

17 J. S. BOHANNON

18 W. G. GRANT

19 W. E. CRAVEN

20 M. W. MIX

21 R. E. DUGANNE

22 J. C. DONALDSON

23 G. G. WALKER

24 M. H. PENGRA

25 W. M. HUFF

26 H. L. FITCHARD

27

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For City Recorder. Vote for One.

29 B. F. SWOPE

30 R. W. BAKER

Manock drugs for A. J. Frum deceased 95c.

Jail

Oregon Power Co. \$1, Dallas Water Co. \$1.

Bridges

W. L. Soehren \$76.20, Chas. K. Spaulding Logging Co. \$293.69, Chas. K. Spaulding Logging Co. \$103.20, Builders Supply Co. \$84.41, Spencer Hardware Co. \$8.36, W. T. Grier & Co. \$31.98, A. F. Counter & Co. \$6.25, Ray L. Farmer Hdwy. Co. \$12.40, J. W. Ash \$15.06, W. W. Ulery \$15.00, F. B. West \$130.62, Willamette Valley Lumber Co. \$191.45, John W. Ash \$15.06, W. W. Newman \$11.75, Hickman & Elliott \$115, Clyde Getchel \$76, Bill Jones \$138, J. A. Tate \$15, Elmer Bradley assigned \$36, I. H. Sullivan \$4.50, T. J. Sullivan \$2.25, E. A. Sharp \$126.50, H. P. Mathers \$103.50, Thos. Bean \$94.50, E. C. Bushnell \$168.23.

Ferry

J. M. Graves \$80, Chas. K. Spaulding Logging Co. \$2.10.

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Contingencies

Lipman, Wolf & Co. \$1,256, Agricultural College Home Demonstrator \$50, C. Lovelace \$4.90, Philip Winters \$4.85, Dallas Armony \$10, J. C. Hayter \$20, C. L. Crider \$17.45.

Polk County Itemizer \$8, Dallas Telephone Co. \$2.25, \$2.25, Phil Beglin \$4.75.

Circuit Court

H. Holman \$9, F. K. Hubbard \$9.

Road Districts

1—\$497.97.

2—\$961.17.

3—\$27.35.

4—\$119.75.

5—\$560.10.

6—\$458.80.

7—Oregon Gravel & Con. Co. \$93.

65, Joseph Tethrow \$30.

9—Chas. K. Spaulding Logging Co. \$2.70.

11—Oregon Gravel & Con. Co. \$182.

70, Chas. J. Lehman \$89.25, Farmers State Bank \$687.65, R. M. Fowle \$60.

Rex Womer \$99.75, E. M. Turner \$63, C. E. Staats \$63, Fred Boyer \$9, J. F. Ulrich \$1.50, Wm. Boyer \$60, J. W. McBee \$12, Charlie Tartar \$12, W. E. Williams Jr. \$27, H