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RECREATION AT OUR BACK DOOR

Probably because of the present transportation difficulties, the recreational possibilities of the lake at the Cottage Grove dam has been largely overlooked by the public of this section. Before long we hope additional recreational facilities will be added to the lake by the Cottage Grove Rod and Gun club and possibly others.

In the meantime our young people and juveniles feel the need of some sort of outings and recreation in the form of swimming and boating, but so far not a great deal of effort has been put forth by any adult group to see that these things might be provided. To those interested in the juvenile problems and juvenile delinquency, we venture the suggestion some form of entertainment might be provided before the winter months and before any sort of improvements have been made, designed to add outdoor activities. Both Major Lalonde, resident engineer, and Mrs. Lalonde have issued a cordial invitation to use the lake and have expressed a hope that the public generally will visit the lake more often. The only provision is that the fire rules be obeyed and the youth groups be properly supervised. Mrs. Lalonde has also suggested that if the gasoline restrictions hamper too much and groups might find it profitable to furnish transportation by commuting.

ADVERTISING

In England, the government gets its messages about salvage and rationing and other home front activities to the people by paid advertising—paid by the government. In America, government makes no appropriation for advertising. It has been opposed on the ground that freedom of the press may be jeopardized. How, then, can the public be kept informed? The answer has been provided by the War Advertising Council, made up of advertising agencies, publications and radio stations and industrial companies. The companies have already paid for $250,000,000 worth of space. Many big companies have pledged 5 per cent of their entire advertising budgets to the council's work. The council has a list of 446 advertising agencies, including all of the biggest, who have agreed to take on any task assigned by the council. Messages go to the public through copy prepared by advertising men over the signatures of regular industrial advertisers whom the public has learned to trust. Here's an example of how the council operates: Recently the War Manpower Commission found it needed 2,000,000 more women workers in war industries. It consulted the Office of War Information on means to rouse the country. OWI called on the War Advertising Council which agreed that advertising should be used in addition to regular news reports. One of the council's dozen coordinators—A. O. Buckingham, vice president of Cluett, Peabody & Co.—was assigned to manpower problems and he is preparing a campaign to enlist the 2,000,000 women.

THE INEVITABLE EFFECT

The Senate War Mobilization Committee in a recent report declared that the home front is "sagging dangerously." A free people have found themselves shackled by bureaucratic red tape at almost every turn.

They try to increase production—they try to get a war job—they try to raise crops—and in many instances they are slowed down or actually stopped by some restriction, decree or law that has so complicated our economic life that a citizen used to doing things for himself is stumped by a multiplicity of bosses.

Don't forget that the success of our war effort has been due to the drive of free private enterprise. Don't expect to hamstring that enterprise and not confuse and bewilder, and even destroy, the spirit of individual initiative and independence which built, maintained and must perpetuate this nation if our country remains as we have known it.

EMPTY STOMACHS

"Despite Pollyanna reassurances . . . it looks like a long hungry war," says the Portland, Oregon, Journal.

"Agriculture . . . hasn't gone for . . . . food subsidy proposals. It seeks instead what it terms necessary prices, that is, prices sufficiently high to pay increased costs of labor, seed, fertilizer and transportation. It wants all artificial restrictions on food production removed. It demands the abolition of arbitrary and shortsighted limitations placed on agricultural gasoline and farm machinery.

"The decade of farm problem fumbling, experimentation, and bureaucratic bungling, a decade in which a 47,000,000-acre cut was made in 17 leading farm crops, isn't over, it appears. We are still hanging on to some of our outworn crop-restricting regulations. We are still picking at the food problem through half a dozen overlapping, ofttimes conflicting agencies. The . . . theorists . . . are still in there pitching."

THE TIMID SOUL By Webster

Ex Libris... By William Sharp

THE CIGARETTE DRIVE BY CALVIN FUNK POST

It is all very well to say "yes folks the cigarette fund is o.k." But it is just as well to let people know where it goes. So during the war of 1917-18 a few er organizations shall we say? managed to get hold of doing the er giving?? I won't elaborate. We of '18 were born 25 years too soon. But in that 25 years we've been around—you bet your life we have—and in the war of 1940-44(??) these kids are going to get, free gratis, and for nothing, exactly what we send them—and the American Legion, composed of veterans who know just what a fellow soldier (and sailor) needs. Some folks say "they smoke too darn much" others reverse this and say "no they don't get enough"—and I agree with the latter. You can't set quotas for kids giving the last ounce of devotion to country — and that means—to you, and you, and you, and me. Yes, indeed! so we give of our means and trust that the men of the Legion are wholly honest and do what they say they will do. All over this broad nation are 11,013 Legion posts—all bent on getting funds and shipping to the boys anything they can buy for the boys comfort (if any)—try laying down in a wet foxhole and pulling the water over you for a cover—or try laying on the ocean bed all day, waiting for night, so you can surface for a smoke and a breath of God's pure air—comfort eh' try eating desert sand—that's no dessert (pardon the pun). Now here's the figures to date: we have made three collections of the bottles placed around the stores. In the three trips we have collected $70.54 and of that amount which is banked in the Post account—$50.00 was sent to Liggett and Meyers for 2 cases of cigarettes amounting to 20,000 smokes. The balance is in the bank till we again can send 2 cases. This time we will give another concern a chance—and so we will continue. Yes, the Legion is true to its trust, and we expect to remain that way. — Edw. Gotch, Commander-elect.

Wooden Manhole Cover

Newest war material for street construction and maintenance is the wooden manhole cover, which, if initial tests are to be relied upon, may even become a permanent competitor of the time-honored cast iron type. One advantage is that it will not rattle.

Canadian Agriculture

Farmers in Quebec province have cultivated 98,700 extra acres of land this year under a wartime plan for agriculture.

Steel in High-Explosive Shells

The steel that goes into a single sewing machine will make a high explosive shell for a 75-mm. field howitzer.

Buy all the bonds you can, and then help some more by preventing forest fires. Fire fighting costs money, and a dollar saved is a dollar earned.

RADIO REPAIRS
By
Dexter Somers
318 Main

THE DEVIL TELLS ADOLPH

Adolph met the Devil at the gates of hell.
Said the Devil to Adolph you are doing quite well.
Said the Devil to Adolph, I'll take you to task
You're doing much more than I'd ever ask.
Your heart is black and as hard as stone.
In your dreams you can hear those poor orphans moan.
Then you'll wake up and laugh with glee
Say there is no one cruler than Goering and me.
Your intuition and plots and schemes will fail,
At the end of the war you'll be locked up in jail.
You'll answer to God and the law as well,
Then I'll place you dear Adolph in the depths of hell.
Tojo, Mussolini, the poor silly fools,
They're beginning to see they were only your tools.
Now look here boys you put me to shame,
If you land here in hell yourselves are to blame.
You are all my disciples, you've gone a fast pace.
Don't give me that hooey you're a superior race.
You did pretty well with no opposition,
But now my dear axis you're in a different position.

—L. D. Tucker,
Cottage Grove.

What You Buy With WAR BONDS

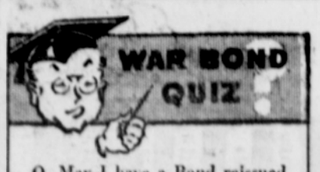
The mess kit is one of the most important items in the Soldier's equipment. It consists generally of a pan, a plastic canteen and cup, a fork, knife and spoon, all in a canvas pack cover. The total cost runs up to about $2.60.

Canteens and other items such as handles on knives and forks, formerly made of aluminum, are now plastic. Alloy has replaced stainless steel. You can buy many of these mess kits for our boys with your purchases of War Bonds and Stamps. Invest at least 10 percent of your income in War Bonds or Stamps every pay day and top the quota in your county *U. S. Treasury Department*

Time to Worm
your sheep. Get P. T. Z.
—the sure wormer.

We also have a car of hay salt.

Beidler's Feed and Seed Store



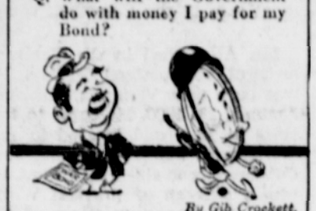
Q. May I have a Bond reissued so as to include the name of a coowner?

A. Yes; if the Bond is registered in your name alone, and if an excess holding does not result. The reissued Bond will bear the same issue date as the original Bond.

Q. May a creditor obtain information as to a debtor's ownership of War Savings Bonds?

A. The Treasury gives no information about the holdings of any person in War Savings except to that person or to such persons as have clearly established a legal right to the information.

Q. What will the Government do with money I pay for my Bond?



By Gib Crockett.

A. Your money will be put to work at once to help the Nation's war program.

Q. When will I make my income-tax report on the increase in the value of a War Savings Bond?

A. You may do either. You may report the increase in value of a War Savings Bond on your income tax report each year that you hold the Bond, or, you may wait until you redeem the Bond and then include the increase (the amount received over and above the price you paid for the Bond) as income for that taxable year.

Remember—the longer you keep War Bonds, up to 10 years, the more valuable they become.

WSS 707H *U. S. Treasury Dept.*

New Ration Books

Printing of the country's new all purpose ration books will take 87,009 pounds of ink, 7,500 pounds of paste, half a million pounds of boxing.

Better People

We cannot make the world better by better laws, but by better men and women.—Rev. Lewis S. Mudge, D.D.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE CHURCHES

"LIFE" was the subject of the Lesson-Sermon in all Churches of Christ, Scientist, on Sunday, July 18.

The Golden Text was, "Understanding is a wellspring of life unto him that hath it" (Prov. 16: 22).

Among the citations which comprised the Lesson-Sermon was the following from the Bible: "Oh that men would praise the Lord for his goodness, and for his wonderful works to the children of men! He sent his word, and healed them, and delivered them from their destructions" (Ps. 107: 15, 20).

The Lesson-Sermon also included the following correlative passages from the Christian Science textbook, "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures" by Mary Baker Eddy: "Life is, always has been, and ever will be independent of matter; for Life is God, and man is the idea of God, not formed materially but spiritually, and not subject to decay and dust" (pg. 200).

Salesbooks, receipt books, bookkeeping systems. The Sentinel.

Cranberry Merchant Enters Golf Hall of Fame, Makes Hole in 1

Harold Wolfard, who last week joined the golf immortals in shooting a hole in one. The feat of Wolfard, allegedly performed and verified, on a Eugene course was held as a military secret until yesterday, when it was no longer regarded as of any value to his local golf enemies. His rise in the golf world is said to be phenominal and is only equaled by his line handed out over the counter in peddling cranberries.

THE MIND IN THE HOME

The rights of the unborn child are these: To be equally desired by both parents, with ardor, unselfishness, idealism; and to be prepared for with all the scientific knowledge to be had. If we could analyze the hidden causes of things, we should find that children respect and obey their parents just to the degree that these prenatal rights have been observed.

Pity the day when the mother eclipses the wife, or the father outruns the adorer. What is parenthood for but to strengthen and lengthen the light of lovehood?

Things every child should be taught: To obey instantly and accurately; to work easily, rapidly, joyously; to do unpleasant tasks with a smile; to earn money, save money, and spend money; to be kind to dumb animals; to learn from those called inferior; to regard no difference as important; to acquire strength of body but to respect only the force of right; to find the best in everybody; to share all pleasures and sympathize with all sorrows; to plan a great life-work and presevere to accomplishment; to combine modesty and self-reliance, tact and independence, gentleness and willpower, tenderness and courage.

Poison Mice Bait

Clear sunny weather is the best time for placing poisoned baits for field mice in their runways about the orchards, gardens, and fence rows.

Navajos Are Sheep Owners

The Navajo Indians of western New Mexico own more than one-fiftieth of all the sheep in the United States.

Keep our forests green for our homecoming heroes. They want to forget destruction and devastation. Prevent forest fires.

BETTER USED CARS

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