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COTTAGE GROVE IS OVER THE TOP AND GOING

One of the Cities of the State to Report Having Quota Raised on the Opening Day

City Oversubscribes Sufficiently to Make Up for Country Districts Which Fall Behind. Total Sales Are \$66,000.00.

Cottage Grove has again demonstrated that it is a leader in all patriotic movements. While Portland, Eugene, Salem, and other large cities of the state were still behind their fourth Liberty loan quotas, Cottage Grove was in the velvet and was one of the cities of the state which actually went over the top on Saturday, the opening day. Bonds since bought bring the total up to \$66,000, on a quota of \$61,200.

The city district went well over its quota, making up for country districts which did not come up to their quotas. Some of those which fell behind have expressed their determination to make up for it in the next drive.

The following have purchased bonds since the publication of the list last week:

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| Arns, Rufus C. | Helliwell, Winnifred |
| Applegate, W. C. | Hull, Elmer and |
| Anderson, M. H. | Wife |
| Asby, John A. | Hart, Mrs. J. P. |
| Aubrey, Ivan | Hastings, Geo. W. |
| Adams, Chas. | Hawley, Geo. M. |
| Addison, A. H. | Haight, Mrs. C. H. |
| Addison, E. S. | Hubbell, Elmer K. |
| Allen, Carl | Hull, William F. |
| Ames, E. W. | Hubbard, Lester |
| Addison, A. H. | Huxom, Henry |
| Arrington, C. W. | Heine, Otto |
| Arrington, Lloyd | Hudson, A. B. |
| Atkinson, George | Hubbard, Wiley |
| Alford, Fairy | Hubbard, Bert |
| Anderson, Albert B. | Jones, Marion W. |
| Anderson, Carman | Jones, Edmer |
| Anderson, Citia P. | Johnson, Bartlett |
| Anderson, Edythia | Jones, Elmer |
| Anderson, Lena J. | Jones, Wm. T. |
| Anderson, Lester B. | Johnson, W. C. and |
| Anderson, Chester | Wife |
| Allen, John S. | Jones, P. H. |
| Anderson, George | Jorgenson, H. J. |
| Baker, J. H. | Jones, Adah |
| Bredlove, H. B. | Jones, Guy O. |
| Braswell, Axel N. | Jones, E. E. |
| Burnett, Frank W. | Jones, Emma G. |
| Beier, C. J. | Johnson, Wm. F. |
| Burge, C. W. | and Wife |
| Baker, Mary A. | Johnson, W. F. |
| Bales, Naomi A. | and Wife |
| Ayles, Rebecca E. | Kibbey, Mrs. H. H. |
| Burkett, W. E. | Knowles, Geo. O. |
| and Wife | Kayser, M. J. |
| Bruneau, C. B. | Kelly, Wm. A. |
| Burrows, A. E. | Knox, D. S. L. |
| Bennett, H. D. | Knox, Mrs. S. L. |
| Brasher, Thos. D. | Knight, Geo. J. |
| Burdick, Adolph | Kelly, Delbert or |
| Burns, J. B. | Florence |
| Boyd, S. W. | Kelly, Warren |
| Blackmore, Mrs. | Kirk, John H. |
| Martha | Knox, Mrs. S. L. |
| Braswell, Hattie | Kem, Mrs. Claude J. |
| Braswell, Lee | Kem, Omer M. |
| Bailes, George | Kelly, Arthur A. |
| Banton, J. E. | Kerr, Clyde L. |
| Baughman, H. D. | Kelly, Wm. B. |
| Buzam, Mary N. | Kelly, Wm. B. |
| Buchanan, John A. | Kabils, John |
| Beidler, A. T. | Kerr & Sibley |
| Cochran, Albert B. | Kelly, Fred |
| Cochran, M. C. | Layng, George and |
| Clark, Mrs. T. J. | Wife |
| Crowe, E. R. | Lennan, Joe |
| Cameron, C. J. | Lively, Wm. |
| Carr, John S. | Lockwood, Gertrude |
| Chapman, E. L. | Lynch, Ethel |
| Cooper, H. E. | Lynch, Ralph |
| Cooper, Mrs. Mary | Land, B. I. and A. |
| Croce, O. E. | N |
| Cox, Augustus C. | Linebaugh, Jas. B. |
| Curtin, M. C. | Land, M. A. |
| Cole, Algernon S. | Lindstrom, Adolph |
| Cox, Mr. and Mrs. | Lincoln, David |
| Thomas | Lemon, Bert |
| Cochran, E. V. | Little, Ernest R. |
| Crawford, George | Little, Wilson |
| Cox, Frances | Linguist, John |
| Crawford, Edwin | Longfellow, James |
| Davis, W. H. | Longfellow, Wm. H. |
| DesLarzes, Mrs. | McCord, Henry |
| Leon | McFarland, Laura |
| DesLarzes, Leon | McReynolds, G. W. |
| Oudd, E. B. | McFarland, C. A. |
| Burward, Wm. E. | McFarland, Geo. W. |
| Davis, C. C. | McKernan, S. H. |
| DeWald, C. C. | McKibben, M. A. |
| Dowens, Geo. | McKernan, Laura |
| Dugan, Dan and | McReynolds, E. L. |
| Wife | McQueen, G. W. |
| Duzham, John M. | McDole, Oscar |
| DeMorse, Mrs. | McQuire, Giffon |
| Frank | McQuire, Jessie |
| DesLarzes, M. P. | McKibben, Mearl |
| Estdbrook, H. | McDole, J. M. |
| Edelfsen, W. S. A. | Miller, Waldo or |
| Elliott, Norrie | Bertina |
| England, D. L. | Moore, Benjamin |
| Eddy, J. W. | Mackey, T. A. |
| Elliott, Georgia P. | Metcalf, Harry K. |
| Estes, Edwin B. | Marksbury, G. M. |
| Foster, Candis M. | Metcalf, John |
| Piney, Chas. A. | Miller, Thos. J. |
| Foster, Mrs. Z. T. | Mooney, Mrs. Edith |
| Foster, Candis | Mooney, Mary F. |
| Foster, Roy | Matthews, Charles |
| Finnerty, M. M. | Miller, Chas. F. |
| Finnen, Eugene | Miller, Edw. W. |
| Farmen, George | Montroy, James D. |
| and Lily | Miller, George M. |
| Gilbert, Virginia | and Arvilla |
| Garoutte, Alex | Mosby, Robert H. |
| Gibber, Gottfried | Maglady, J. S. |
| Groves, Margaret | Maglady, Thos. R. |
| Geer, Joe | Mounhan, M. |
| Geer, Levi | Mosby, Phillip L. |
| Garoutte, Earl | McIntyre, Frank |
| Garoutte, M. P. | Massey, John W. |
| Godard, Russell H. | Massey, Laura E. |
| George, Irwin | Massey, Wm. G. |
| Gillette, G. L. | Mayben, William |
| Geer, E. | Mo, Mr. and Mrs. |
| Gilham, C. C. | J. B. |
| Gerish, August R. | Newcomb, Georgia |
| Getty, Chas. | Newcomb, Edgar S. |
| Hack, Wm. A. | Nixon, W. E. |
| Hemenway, D. H. | Nixon, Leo M. |
| Helliwell, A. W. | Ostrander, Mae |
| Helliwell, F. J. | Overholser, Frank |
| Hart, H. C. | Overholser, John |

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BOTTLE OF LIQUID THROWN IN PLAY PROVES TO BE DANGEROUS ACID

Through Inexplicable Good Fortune, None Touches the Flesh of School Children.

It was by the merest chance that several boys did not suffer painful injuries at the high school building a few days ago when one of the boys of the lower grades found in the basement of the old building a bottle of acid which he playfully threw onto his playmates. No one had any idea of the danger of the contents of the bottle until it was noticed that it had burned through the clothing which it had touched.

It is almost inexplicable that none touched the faces or other parts of the bodies of any of the children. Evidently the bottle had been accidentally left in the basement by someone who had been doing repair work on the heating system.

Parents and Teachers to Meet.

The first meeting of the parent teacher association for the year will be held next Wednesday evening, when the annual election will be held. All teachers, parents and patrons are urged to be present.

BUSINESS MEN PROTEST AGAINST CLOSING ORDER

Drastic War Measure Enforcement Would Mean Ruin to Many.

All retail business in Oregon was to have come to a halt at 6 p. m. each business day of the week, and to close entirely all day Sunday, beginning October 1, according to a ruling made by the state council of defense, but protests by business men all over the state caused a postponement of the enforcement of the order for several days. The confectioners, especially, declared it would ruin them, as a large part of their business is done at night. Cigar dealers and many others are against it.

The idea was to close up all kinds of business houses, with no exceptions, promptly at 6 on five days of the week, at 9 o'clock on Saturday, and to keep the doors tightly locked all day Sunday.

Governor Withycombe has advised going ahead slowly with the sweeping Sunday closing order and, in communication with Chairman Woodard, of the defense council, declared that no such radical move should be made until a complete investigation had been carried on as to just how much the branches of business affected had a bearing upon the crippling of war industries.

ROY SMITH SURPRISES NIGHT CHICKEN THIEF

Roy Smith has a chicken in his coop that wouldn't be there if he hadn't got up in his night clothes a few nights ago. Hasty judgment should not be passed. Mr. Smith did not "lift" it from a neighbor's coop. Mrs. Smith was awakened during the night in question by a squawking noise, which evidently emanated from her chicken coop. She had quite a time arousing her better one-quarter, who was sleeping soundly and not even dreaming of chasing chickens, especially at that hour of the night. When he finally reached the seat of hostilities the enemy had escaped and Mrs. Smith's pet huddle had also taken her departure. The hen returned with her feathers badly ruffled but with her head unturned by the attention paid her. Evidently the thief had dropped her to facilitate his escape but she could not find her way home until the next day. The marshal is pretty certain that he knows the boys responsible for disturbing Mr. Smith's slumbers.

ARTICLES TO BE GIVEN NEED NOT BE LINEN

Linen Shower for Red Cross Is Being Conducted This Week.

This is linen shower week for the American Red Cross. Sheets, towels, napkins and handkerchiefs will go directly to the hospitals caring for the American sick and wounded, and on account of the hard usage which they will receive, the Red Cross requests that the articles given to the cause be durable, not its technical sense. Such towels, napkins, handkerchiefs and sheets as are regularly used in American homes are what is asked for. The sheets should be of litrg size.

Young Folks Have Tipover.

A party of young folks in a car driven by George Lammers had a narrow escape from injury Friday night when the car overturned in front of city park. None of the occupants were seriously injured but the car was quite badly damaged.

Freshman Class Elects.

The freshman class elected the following officers at a meeting held last Friday: President, Merton Harding; secretary, George Damewood; treasurer, Helma Pooler; sergeant at arms, Ernest Kurke. Purple and white were selected as the class colors.

Are You Patriotic Your Government Is Calling for Linen

HERE is an opportunity for a genuine sacrifice that will be a service worth while to the country. Linens must be had by the army hospitals, but the supply of cotton and flax is way below an average crop while the war demands are greater, than ever before. Cotton is needed in the making of munitions. Flax is needed in the making of airplanes.

Every family has some linen which it could do without during the period of the war. The government is asking that every family make some sacrifice in that respect. Every piece of linen which is given to the government and is not replaced by purchase will add that much to the available supply for the use of the army and will save the labor that would be used in making up the goods at a time when labor already is scarce.

The collection of linen is in charge of the Red Cross and donations should be left at the main Red Cross room not later than tomorrow.

When the government says that it wants linen, it does not mean that the goods must be pure linen, but they should be durable and of the quality which passes generally for linen. The articles wanted are bath towels, size 19x38 or larger; hand towels, size 18x30 or larger; handkerchiefs, size 18x18 or larger; sheets, size 64x102 or larger, with two inch hem at top and one inch hem at bottom.

If you are patriotic, here is your opportunity to show it.

HOME GUARD MEMBERS ARE COMMISSIONED OFFICERS IN H. S. COMPANY

Francis Lacey Captain, Evert Weeden and Earl Fullmer Lieutenants; Non Coms Not Chosen.

The organization of a military company at the high school is being rapidly completed and all members soon will have uniforms. Francis Lacey has been elected captain and Evert Weeden and Earl Fullmer lieutenants. All three have been active members of the home guard, thus fitting themselves for such positions. Lacey was but recently promoted to corporal in the home guard.

The non-commissioned officers of the high school company will not be selected until there has been sufficient drill to develop the boys qualified for the positions.

There is some talk of mustering in the high school company as a whole into the home guard, thus forming a two company battalion, in which case Cottage Grove would be one of the few cities in the state to have such an organization.

EDD F. JONES BARN AND HAY DESTROYED BY FIRE

The barn on the Edd F. Jones place on Mosby creek was struck by lightning Saturday afternoon and the building and contents were completely destroyed by the flames which resulted. There were ten tons of hay in the barn and no insurance was carried. The neighbors of the community have offered to donate time in assisting Mr. Jones to rebuild and he will do so at once.

Boy Orator Leaves for East.

E. C. Price and his little son Knox left Tuesday for Portland and from there they will leave for the east on a Liberty loan tour, Knox being one of the official speakers. Mrs. Price remained for a longer visit at the home of her mother, Mrs. S. L. Knox.

'Beast of Berlin' Draws Crowds.

Large audiences were present at each of the three presentations of "The Kaiser, the Beast of Berlin," shown at the Arcade Friday evening and Saturday afternoon and evening. Manager White received many compliments for undertaking the presentation of so expensive a picture.

7 Births, 2 Deaths for September.

A party of seven births and two deaths during the month of September, according to the report filed by Health Officer Oglesby. Of the births five were males and two were females. Of the two deaths one was a male and one a female.

Houses Scarce in Portland.

Mrs. Alice W. Jones writes from Portland to have the address of her paper changed and says: "We were on the eve of returning to Cottage Grove because we could not find a house. The housing problem here is serious. We had to promise to move in 10 days in case this house is sold and were lucky to get a house even on that condition."

You still get want ads. at before-the-war prices—and they are of the same quality they always were. ***

WILBUR WRIGHT, WALKER IS KILLED IN GUN ACCIDENT

Piece Is Discharged as He Attempts to Take It From the Car Holding It by the Muzzle.

Wilbur Wright, of Walker, 16-year-old son of John Wright, was killed almost instantly Sunday afternoon by the accidental discharge of a shotgun. Young Wright was on his way from Lowell to Walker and stopped at a Creswell garage for gasoline. The gun was standing against or between some sacks of grain in the rear seat. Evidently he attempted to pull the gun out from the sacks by the muzzle and the trigger became entangled with the sacks, discharging the piece. The shot tore out part of the lower arm and entered the breast. Young Wright ran about 40 feet and fell, being unconscious and past medical aid when reached.

Coroner Marion Veatch, who was returning to Eugene from a trip to Crater Lake, came along in his car soon after the boy was killed, and made an investigation of the shooting, concluding that there was no possible reason for an inquest.

The funeral was held at Walker Tuesday afternoon.

G. F. MILLS, FORMER S. P. AGENT, IS DEAD

Death Occurs at Railroad Hospital After Illness of Two Years.

Word has reached here of the death of G. F. Mills at the Southern Pacific hospital at San Francisco, which occurred Monday. Mrs. Mills, who was on the way to the bedside of her husband, failed to reach there before his death.

Mr. Mills was the Southern Pacific agent here for some time. He had been sick for about two years as the result of too heavy lifting which aggravated an old injury to the spinal column. He once recovered sufficiently to resume his old position for several months. He was one of the best liked agents which the Southern Pacific has ever had here.

The funeral will be held at Salem today. Surviving children are Mrs. George Boyd and Miss Georgina Mills, of this city, and Kenneth, who is in the navy and stationed at San Francisco.

ADDITIONS TO HONOR ROLL AND S. A. T. CORPS

The Sentinel has been informed of several other names which were omitted from the roll of honor of boys in the service and is glad to add them here with. They are Frank Brumbaugh, Oscar McAllister, Charles McAllister, Gay Whitlock and Leonard Willis. Roy Hazelrigg, whose name was published, is now out of the service.

Of the boys who left for the S. A. T. C., George McQueen, Claud Kime and William Ostrander were not accepted because of being under the required age made necessary by the large number of applications for admission.

Glen Smith was rejected at the U. of O. because of a bad ankle and athletic heart and will go back to his job of firing for the Southern Pacific. He had previously volunteered and had been rejected for military service.

The following names of those who left to enter the S. A. T. C. were omitted last week: Elxin C. Spray, Wilbur Spray, Clarence Smith, Fletcher Harlow, Ray Woolley and Claud Sherman. Wilbur Spray was not accepted but may be later.

John Holladay, who has been employed in Portland this summer, writes from Salem that he has joined the S. A. T. C. at Willamette University.

HARREL TO PROSECUTE BOYS WHO KILLED DOG

Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Harrel are mourning the loss of their little dog and feel worse over the manner of his death than over the loss of the animal, which was clubbed to death by several boys, the affair being witnessed by women at work in the surgical dressings department in the upper story of the Masonic temple. They were unable, however, to reach the street in time to save the dog. Mr. Harrel has taken the matter up with the district attorney and expects to prosecute the boys for their inhumane conduct.

The boys are said to have stated that they were to be paid by Night Police McKernan for killing any dog they could find. McKernan states that he offered 10 cents each for the catching alive of certain dogs, but that this dog was not one of those designated. It is understood that the boys have since admitted that McKernan's statement is correct in every detail.

CLOCKS NOT TURNED BACK UNTIL OCTOBER 27

The clocks of the nation will not be set ahead until October 27, the last Sunday of this month. There was some misunderstanding on this point, and many planned to set their timepieces ahead on the last Sunday of September. The act of congress designated October 27 as the day.

SPEAKER'S APPEAL ANSWERED AS HE TALKS

Cottage Grove Goes Over the Top While Yellow Demon Party Is in the City

Judge Stephenson, of Portland, Makes Fiery and Stirring Appeal to Patriotic Oregon to Maintain Her Place in the Sun.

"In the name of the boys who are offering their lives, their futures, their all on the bloody battlefields over there facing a foe who stops at no crime a sinister, corrupt, degenerate mind can invent; in the name of the boys who are languishing in German prisons starving on black bread and slop—in the name of humanity, democracy, decency and the lovely man of Nazareth in whose name we fight; in the name of mutilated children, in the name of outraged women, the helpless victims of hannah's frightfulness and lust, I appeal to the patriotic people of Cottage Grove to go over the top in the fourth Liberty loan, just as patriotically as they have before and just as bravely as the boys who are fighting our battles over there."

Thus appealed Judge Stephenson, of Portland, in his fiery address Saturday afternoon, and, while he was speaking, the report was brought to the platform that Cottage Grove actually had gone over the top.

Judge Stephenson was frequently interrupted by applause from the highly appreciative audience as he appealed to the people of Oregon not to allow the fair name of the state to drop one point below its present place in the sun as one of the leaders in support of the war.

"Our Christian faith demands that we support this war to a finish; a war in which the decadent Hapsburgs, the unspeakable Turk and the unmentionable Hun are linked together in a fight against the forces of humanity, of democracy, of decency, and we must not allow our fervor to go to low ebb. The coming months will be the winter of our discontent. With rising taxes, with more money to subscribe, with our burdens becoming daily heavier, we may expect the German peace propaganda to spring from the most unexpected places. We must fortify ourselves against it. We want no peace except a dictated peace, and that dictated by us after an unconditional surrender on the part of the central powers. None other will satisfy. We want nothing 'made in Germany.' The applause which these remarks received indicated that the people of Cottage Grove are of the same mind and of the same determination.

The speaker referred to Liberty bonds as "scraps of paper" which the Kaiser will be forced to respect, scraps of paper which he cannot cast aside.

Judge Stephenson was a member of the Yellow Demon party which was touring the state in the interest of the fourth Liberty loan. Other members of the party were Mark Woodruff, publicity man of the Multnomah hotel; Karl Nordenburg, an American soldier with a German name, and Ralph Hauser, son of Eric V. Hauser, who paid the expenses of the Yellow Demon party, and who will soon make his family a 100 per cent one by becoming the third and last boy to join the colors.

Mr. Woodruff took charge of the program and told some of the things that had been told at other places by Sergeant H. L. White, back from the trenches in Europe, where he was twice wounded and gassed, but who was compelled to leave the party at Roseburg. He gave Judge Stephenson a humorous introduction which the judge returned with interest.

A local chorus sang "The Long Long Trail" and "Keep the Home Fires Burning." All the stores and business houses and the postoffice were closed during the meeting, which was held in city park.

WHITE NOW COMMANDS COMPANY OF BLACKS

What's in a name? Lieutenant Noble White, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. White, of this city, has written his father that he is now in command of a black company, or rather in command of a company of black troops, who are doing their best for the country in which their ancestors were once enslaved.

George D. Foster Has Narrow Escape.

Divide, Ore., Oct. 2.—(Special to The Sentinel.)—Mrs. F. M. Chapman has received word from her brother, George D. Foster, with the 4th engineers in France, that he recently had a narrow escape from death. He stood his rifle against a tree and walked a few feet away. A shell dropped so close as to ruin the gun and Mr. Foster was knocked to the ground.

A want ad costs little and often brings big returns. Nothing too big or too little to be sold by a want ad. ***