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FOOD CONSERVATION DRIVE ON NEXT WEEK

Food Conservation Pledge Cards
Will Be Presented to the House-
wives of Ontario to Sign.

The Hoover food conservation drive will start next Sunday, October 28, and continue one week. During this period it is expected that every housewife in Ontario will be given an opportunity to sign a food conservation pledge card and to become a member of the National Food Administration which is serving under the leadership of Mr. Hoover.

At a meeting of the members of Malheur county's board in charge of this matter at the city hall recently the manner of presenting the appeal to the women of the county was discussed and it was decided to reach the housewives through the school children, the committee in charge visiting only such homes as they cannot reach through the school children. This plan it is believed will cover the field systematically and readily.

To comply with the appeal made by Hoover to the women of the nation is their opportunity to serve the country in her hour of need. The youth of the country have answered the appeal and the women can make no greater sacrifice than to Hooverize their table menu.

Judge McKnight of Vale is acting as chairman of the county committee and his assistants are P. J. Gallagher and Mrs. E. M. Greig of this city; Mrs. Weant and Mrs. Mueller of Vale; Mrs. Spier and Mr. Boydell of Nyssa, with Miss Fay Clark, member at large.

H. S. SCIENCE CLASS BUYS LIBERTY BOND

The first year General Science class was the first class in the Ontario High School to purchase a liberty bond. The class was so thrilled with patriotism just before the big drive for the sale of liberty bonds, that they felt sure they could do this much.

The idea was first suggested by one of the members of the class. At first it looked as though it could not be done, but after each student had duly considered all ways and means it developed that sufficient amount could be raised to purchase one bond at least. The example they have set is one that is becoming to a real scientific class but just the amount of sacrifice it will require will probably be noticed in the sudden dropping off of sales in the chewing gum market and the possibility of foregoing the pleasures of an evening at the movies. However, although the movies may be forced to close and the chewing gum factories cease to be, the Ontario High School scientific class are determined that Bill Kaiser shall go to the scrap heap also. The bond was accompanied by pins which each member is now wearing. The members are: Harry Cleveland, Jas. Biggs, Donovan Boorman, David Udick, Lee Broderick, Harry Niece, Homer Maddux, Mitchell Moore, and Lee Williams.

ASSOCIATION DISCUSS DRESS REFORM AT MEETING

The meeting of the Parent-Teachers' association last Friday afternoon at the assembly rooms of the school was not as well attended as it should have been, the program being worthy of a much better audience. A misunderstanding of the hour of meeting was accountable in a way for the lack of attendance. However, a fair sized crowd enjoyed the program as it was previously arranged. The paper presented by Mrs. Irwin Troxell on "The Aims of the Parent-Teachers' Association," contained many points that were of especial interest. The matter of dress reform among the students was one point that was brought out and was generally discussed in the discussion that followed.

The next meeting of the association will be held some time in November, the program having already been arranged.

AN HEIRLOOM BIBLE IN CHRISTENSEN FAMILY

In the Sanitary Barber Shop window there is on display a bible which is a fair rival of the prehistorical bones that are being exhibited in the Argus window. The bible is the property of Mr. Christensen's mother-in-law who brought it with her to this country from Russia when she was a child ten years of age. It was the property of her mother who came into possession of it through her mother and it had then been passed down several generations.

The book is printed in German and dates back to 1738 as the time of publication. It contains the Apocryphal books and is a complete volume of the bible as it was before the days of Martin Luther.

Though yellowed with age the leaves are yet intact and the binding consists of one-quarter inch wood veneered with a thin coat of leather which shows only such wear as would be the result of common usage. As an heirloom the book has acquired considerable value and as a relic of early history its value is enhanced.

INSPIRING PARADE BY SCHOOL STUDENTS

Take Half Holiday Liberty Day and
Join in Boosting for the Sale
of Liberty Bonds.

To the spirited beating of the drum by Billy Lees 500 of Ontario's school boys and girls marched over the city's principal streets Wednesday noon bearing banners proclaiming the importance and necessity of buying liberty bonds. The parade served the purpose of inspiring the spectators with the idea that this country is really at war and that Uncle Samuel needs money to win or the sacrifice of many a young life will be in vain.

Owing to the fact that it was not decided until a short time before noon that the school would take a holiday on this occasion the demonstration was lacking in the enthusiasm it would have had if time had been given for more preparation. While the spirit of '76 was not manifest with life and bugle, yet the military company with their rifles and cartridge belts as they trod soldierlike over the streets sent the thrills into the hearts of the onlookers; the Home Guard girls, too, in their Red Cross uniforms, did much to lend inspiration to the spectacle. Six boys from the grades bearing a large flag was also a patriotic feature.

At the corner of Oregon and Nevada streets the company was halted and gave a military drill that was most creditable. This was followed by a song by the grades, it being the chorus of the song entitled "Don't Rite the Hand that's Feeding You." If you don't like your Uncle Sammy, Then go back to your home over the sea, To the land from where you came whatever be its name, But don't be ungrateful to me, If you don't like the stars in Old Glory, If you don't like the Red, White and Blue, Then don't act like the cur in the story, Don't bite the hand that's feeding you.

The company under Captain Claude Christensen then gave a liberty loan yell and proceeded back to the school campus.

The entire affair was a splendid demonstration of the patriotic spirit that seems unbounded in Ontario's student body and faculty.

School was dismissed for the afternoon and the teachers were conveyed in automobiles through the farming districts where they did their bit in soliciting subscriptions for the liberty bond quota.

RED CROSS LADIES ARE APPRECIATIVE

Although the Red Cross workers are coxily located now in the Commercial Club rooms in the city hall they are none the less thankful to Wm. Lees who so generously and patriotically extended to them the use of his roomy store building on Oregon street during the summer months. They take this means of publicly acknowledging the courtesy of Mr. Lees' generosity.

Liberty Loan Total In Ontario Is Near \$80,000

Liberty Loan sales in Ontario have passed the minimum mark set and by Saturday night when the sale of the bonds cease, it is hoped by the local committee that it will be well towards the maximum. In the drive Wednesday some twenty-five of the citizens and business men of Ontario were out among the farmers and by night 129 subscribers with a total of \$8,350 had been added to the Liberty Loan list.

A generous and splendid response was met by the teams in their Liberty Loan work Wednesday afternoon by the farmers and very few visits were made where a Liberty Bond sale was not made. The team covering the Dead Ox Flat country were greatly pleased with their reception by the farmers there whose subscriptions added quite a sum to the total raised during the day. And this was true of every section visited. The farmers were loyal and willing to do what they could.

Reports from the state indicate

that Oregon will reach its quota of \$15,000,000, over \$16,000,000 having already been subscribed and that the Liberty Loan throughout the nation has passed the three billion mark and is now well on its way to the five billion maximum.

While several towns and cities in the state have exceeded their allotment, Westfall is the banner town, having nearly doubled its quota.

The banks of Ontario will remain open Saturday evening from 7:30 until 9:30 for the sale of Liberty Bonds only.

BUY LIBERTY BONDS—TO THE LIMIT OF YOUR MEANS—TODAY. EVERY DOLLAR SO LOANED TO THE GOVERNMENT—AT GOOD INTEREST—IS A LETTER TO EUROPE; A LETTER OF WORDS THAT ARE BACKED BY DEEDS. IT IS A LETTER THAT CANNOT BE HELD UP BY ANY CENSOR.

ARTHUR GORDON SUC- CUMBS TO TYPHOID

Death Came Sunday Morning After
Having Apparently Recovered—
Funeral Tuesday Afternoon.

Last Sunday morning at 9 o'clock the grim hand of death entered the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Gordon and claimed their second oldest son, Arthur, who on the fourth day of last September passed his 22nd birthday. Arthur had not been well all summer, having suffered an attack of appendicitis from which he had not fully recovered when he was taken with typhoid fever, but as he resisted the disease so persistently he continued about his work for some time after being stricken. While suffering with the fever he went over to Huntington to assist in laying over there but was finally forced to return to Ontario where he submitted to treatment and had practically won out when complications developed and death came quickly.

Arthur was born at Schuyler, Nebraska, where he spent his childhood and received his education. Four years ago he moved with his parents to this city where he has since resided he being engaged at the time of his death in working a ranch of ninety acres.

He leaves to mourn his untimely death a father, mother and three brothers and four sisters. So suddenly did the end come that his brother Hiram, of Burns, was unable to reach his bedside until death had claimed him. The other members of the family were all present. A brother-in-law, R. W. Bivins, of Schuyler, arrived to attend the funeral which occurred Tuesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock from the Farley undertaking parlors. Rev. Earl Hanna, of the Methodist church officiating. Burial was in the Ontario cemetery.

OIL COMPANY MOVES OUTFIT TO WYOMING

Derrick and Fixtures of the Alaska
Oil Company of Vale, Are Shipped
to Casper, Wyoming.

Mrs. A. M. Rinehart and her son, Arthur, and Mr. Frost of the Vale Oil company passed through here last Wednesday enroute to Casper, Wyoming, with two cars containing the derricks and fixtures of the Alaska Oil company of Vale.

Arthur Rinehart was formerly of Seattle and was commissioner of weights and measures of Washington for the past six years, and is now going to Casper to act as secretary of the Alaska company where they have a section of land purchased and expect to have a flowing well in the near future.

Mrs. A. M. Rinehart, who is president of the company, is a sister of Walter M. Glenn of this city.

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THREE FIGHTERS FROM THIS HOME



Photo by American Press Association.
A new flag authorized by the government which marks houses of men serving the country abroad. Each star means a man.

BANKS WILL GIVE LAST CHANCE TO LIBERTY BOND PURCHASERS

In order to give all a last chance to purchase Liberty Bonds both Ontario banks announce that they will remain open Saturday evening, between the hours of 7:30 and 9:30. No business will be transacted outside of the sale of Liberty Bonds.

BOYS GLEE CLUB IS ORGANIZED IN O. H. S.

Among the other symptoms of progress in the O. H. S. is the organization of a Boys' Glee club which was completed this morning and which will be under the leadership of Miss Benge, instructor of music and language in the High School. Plans for the winter's work are not yet mature but it is expected that the club will appear frequently at assembly with their best selections and it is probable that they will be in much demand for featuring entertainments in the city during the winter. The boys making up the chorus are: Claude Christensen, Edmund Frasier, Bernard Rader, Roscoe Conklin, Dwight Cox, Thel Lampkin, Paul McCulloch, Darrell Howser, Carl Brown, Ray Marshall.

About two weeks ago a similar organization was perfected among the girls of the High School and they will probably find a healthy rival in the boys' club. The personnel of the girls' club is as follows: Viola Husted, Gladys Emison, Mary Messé, Margaret Oram, Dela Hill, Ruth McCulloch, Lola Howser, Lucille Hagan, Lucille Biggs, Myrl Bingham, Opal Farley, Mary Bervin, Helen Blom, Helen Caldwell, Irma Von Readen, Maud Weiler, Gladys Franklin, Vivian Straton.

RED CROSS CONCERT IS HELD AT NYSSA

Joseph Cangelmo Assisted By Miss
Maxwell and Miss Peck Enter-
tain Nyssa Audience.

(Special Correspondence)

Mr. Joseph Cangelmo gave a piano recital last Friday evening at the Nyssa Opera House, and gave once more to the audience a conception of music only to be heard in the larger cities.

He was ably assisted by Miss C. Maxwell, cellist, and Miss H. Peck, violinist, who both proved artists with their respective instruments.

In accompanying the solos Mr. Cangelmo displayed absolute ease and freedom, and proved proficient in one branch of piano playing, entirely different than playing solos. In presenting a number of his own composition, he also proved a composer of no little merit, and there is no doubt that his music will find space on numerous programs.

In rendering the Fantasia Impromptu of Chopin, the Corelli Sonata, the Transcriptions of Travata, and Rigoletto, Mr. Cangelmo displayed absolute poise and proved very emotional as well as being technically equipped.

Mr. Cangelmo gives most of the credit due to his success to Moritz Lafson, a master pianist now residing in Philadelphia, Pa., who has many concert artists to his credit due to his own individual training.

This was Mr. Cangelmo's farewell concert as he leaves soon for the trenches.

CARTER HOTEL TO HAVE NEW MANAGEMENT

This week a deal was closed whereby Dr. E. R. Hunlock & Son will take over the management of the Carter hotel. They will assume control the first of November and have a lease covering a period of five years. Dr. Hunlock is a resident of Heppner, Oregon, while his son, who will have the active management of the hotel, comes from the Hotel Marion at Salem where he has been chief clerk for some time.

CHRISTMAS PACKAGES FOR THE SOLDIERS

Parcels to Reach American Soldiers
By Christmas Must Be Mailed
Before November 15th.

The time is approaching to give thought to bringing Christmas cheer to the American soldiers and sailors abroad.

Arrangements have been perfected whereby the Christmas mail to the American Expeditionary Forces in Europe is to be delivered by Christmas morning. Without the fullest co-operation on the part of the public it will be impossible to accomplish this result.

The three essential respects in which the public can aid in assuring a happy Christmas at the front are: Mail early, address intelligently, and pack securely. For this reason it is urgently requested that all persons having Christmas mail for the soldiers and sailors and the civilian units attached to the army in Europe observe closely the following directions:

1. Mails to reach the soldiers in France by Christmas must be posted not later than November 15.
2. Every package must bear conspicuously the words "Christmas mail," the complete address of the person for whom it is intended, and, in the upper left-hand corner, the name and address of the sender.
3. Every parcel must be so packed and wrapped as to admit of easy inspection by the postmaster. No parcel will be dispatched to France which has not the postmaster's certificate that it contains no prohibited articles.

TYPHOID PATIENTS DE- CREASING AT HOSPITAL

The epidemic of typhoid fever which has existed in Ontario and vicinity for the past month is apparently subsiding if the patients at the hospital can be taken as a criterion. Only one case has been entered since the 17th of the month, two of the typhoid rooms are now vacant and two patients were dismissed today.

Chas. Rose, of Ontario, was admitted on the 17th inst. suffering from an attack of typhoid. He is progressing nicely.

Elmer Elmore Kinsey of Payette, an eleven year old boy, son of Mrs. Annie Kinsey, was received on the 17th and underwent an operation for ruptured appendix and is now recovering.

A Japanese named M. Ando submitted to an operation on the 18th and is doing fairly well.

Robert Johnson an aged man entered the hospital last Saturday suffering from ailments due to old age and is now resting at this home of the sick.

Mrs. A. J. Tate is a medical case from Parma and is improving.

On Wednesday of this week James Hastings of Cape, Oregon, was admitted. He was suffering from the infirmities incident to old age.

Mrs. M. E. Williams of Boise is the guest this week of her friends, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Letson. Mrs. Williams and the Letsons were both formerly of Wisconsin where their friendship originated.

The number of soldier boys from the city schools for whom the girls are knitting suits is on the increase, it having mounted up to thirty at last reports.

WHY NOT CLOSE THE CHURCHES OF ONTARIO UNTIL AFTER THE WAR?

And Invest the Annual Budget of
Their Running Expenses in Lib-
erty Bonds?

The pastors could go to work or to war thereby increasing the man power of the nation. The ladies engaged in church work could enlist in Red Cross service. Why not? Herbert Livingston will discuss this proposition at the Congregational church Sunday morning at 11 o'clock. Opportunity will be given for others to express their opinion.