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Letters From Malheur County Boys Now Fighting In France

Clermont Ferrad, 7 A. I. C., Am. Ex. Force, France, U. S. P. O. No. 723, Sept. 3rd.

Dear Mother—I suspect you think I have lost the writing habit, but the truth of the matter is I have gotten back from my long looked for furlough. You know every four months we fellows are entitled to a seven days spent in one of the leave areas. Counting time traveling and all I was gone thirteen days and believe me I saw things every hour of the time. There is a large area where in we are allowed to go and I went to Aix Les Bains a small town in the French Alps and near Lake Bourget which is about fifteen miles long and three of four miles wide with fine facilities for rowing and swimming. The water is noted for its medicinal qualities and has been famous since its occupation by the Romans who built splendid baths there. It is now a fashionable watering place, hence my choice, see. The Italian border is only about ten miles to the south. The town is very historic as the Romans held it as a pleasure resort in the eleventh century and the new city is built on these old ruins.

There is an old Abby on the Italian side of the lake that was the place of worship for the Kings and Queens of France and Italy for centuries. One of the largest gambling houses in the world is there and the government has leased it for a Y. M. C. A. home and is certainly some "Y" with all kinds of amusements for the fellows who go there. Seems like every thing that both man and nature could add has been done to make it an ideal spot.

Being in the Alps there are so many fine places to take trips. The greatest sport we had was going on bicycle trips thru the mountains. We usually walked out and led our wheels but as the shades of night drew near we certainly split the wind on our way back down to Aix.

There are several buildings that were built by the old Romans and this old Abby (of which I spoke) has some statues and paintings that are much older than the building which has been the place of worship for the Royal families since the 12th century.

They are the most wonderful work of art that one can imagine. There was one painting that if you saw it you would never forget. It is the "Star of the East". The star is resting just over the Christ-child and the three wise men are beside the cradle with the mother of Christ kneeling close by. I gazed and gazed and that how wonderful. There were many others just as good but somehow this one held me longest.

There are statues there that I nearly had to touch before I could believe they were not real.

Lights out—will continue this to my next so good bye for this time.

EARL
September 6.

Will try and finish my serial. Lets see, I had just finished telling about the Abby, had I not? Well we bathed in the sulphur water and swam an rowed and climbed mountains until our time table said "retrace your steps" and we did.

For my home we spent sixteen hours in Lyon. It is next to the largest and one of the prettiest cities in France. I saw many sights there that I never saw in Ontario. A large new bridge has just been completed there and they have named it "President Wilson".

My trip was a decided success but wish I could have taken it with some one from home.

I got a letter from Glenn Brown and if it had come a little sooner we could have gotten our furlough at the same time but mine was all signed up when his letter came and I had to take it or lose it. Glenn is well and fine only he is like the rest of the volunteers he frets at having to stay in one place so long and so far from the front. Suppose our time will come some day but it seems mighty slow in arriving.

What are the plans of all the old bunch at Tario for the winter? Suppose some are going to the U. of O.

and some to O. A. C. and this new draft will likely take a number of the younger bunch. How about Bernard and Art C.? Do they get in on the it?

I am still at Clermont Ferrad. Have never moved since I came over. It is 200 miles Southeast of Paris at the foot of a range of extinct volcanoes. The place consists of two towns, Clermont and Ferrad connected by an avenue of fine trees but the place seems to have a generally gloomy aspect and makes one feel melancholy especially when it rains, which it does about thirteen months out of the year.

There is lots of manufacturing done here and we have access to a fine library of which being a red blooded American I can read but very little but very little. The French treat us so fine that it does one good to get among them, "if we only understood."

Dad I am very much pleased to receive your letter with the pictures. Was that my mare? It looks just like her but at the same time don't see how she can be so large. Uncle Ben told me she would grow at least four inches taller and he must have been right or the picture is very deceiving. The old open hills in the background sure made me homesick to gaze upon them once again.

How is Old John Day anyway?

Dad, you seem to be putting on quite a bit of size around the region of your belt. I don't believe you are Hooverizing as you should. How about it?

EARL
Mrs. Esther Garrett while nursing severe cases of influenza was severely attacked by the disease but has now recovered and is able to be out.

NOTICE OF SCHOOL MEETING

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN to the legal voters of School District No. Eight of Malheur County, State of Oregon, that a SCHOOL MEETING of said District will be held at the High School, on the 29th day of November, 1918, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon to vote on the proposition of levying a special district tax.

The total amount of money needed by the district during the fiscal year beginning on June 30, 1918, and ending on June 30, 1919 is estimated in the following budget and includes the amounts to be received from the county school fund, state school fund, special tax, and all other moneys of the district.

BUDGET.

ESTIMATED EXPENDITURES	
1. Teachers' salaries	\$22,000
2. Furniture	250
3. Apparatus and supplies, such as maps, chalk, erasers, stoves, curtains, etc.	100
4. Library books	75
5. Flags	30
6. Repairs of schoolhouses, outbuildings or fences	1000
7. Improvements grounds	100
8. Playground equipment	250
11. Janitor's wages and Enginers	2100
12. Janitor's Supplies	50
13. Fuel	1800
14. Light	100
15. Water	100
16. Clerk's salary	180
17. Postage and stationary	40
18. For the payment of bonded debt and interest thereon, issued under Sections 117, 144 to 148, and 422 of the School Laws of Oregon, 1917	3272
19. Printing	75
20. Registered warrants and interest	3300
21. Insurance	328
22. Miscellaneous	250
24. Total estimated amount money to be expended for all purposes during year	37000

ESTIMATED RECEIPTS	
From county school fund during the coming school year	2232
From state school fund during coming year	1466

Estimated amount to be received from all other sources during the coming school year	700
Total estimated receipts, not including the money to be received from tax which it is proposed to vote	3978

RECAPITULATION	
Total estimated expenses for the year	37000
Total estimated receipts not including the tax to be voted	3978
Balance, amount to be raised by district tax	33022
Dated this 8th day of November,	

Attest:
W. L. TURNER,
District Clerk.
J. W. McCULLOCH,
Chairman Board of Directors.



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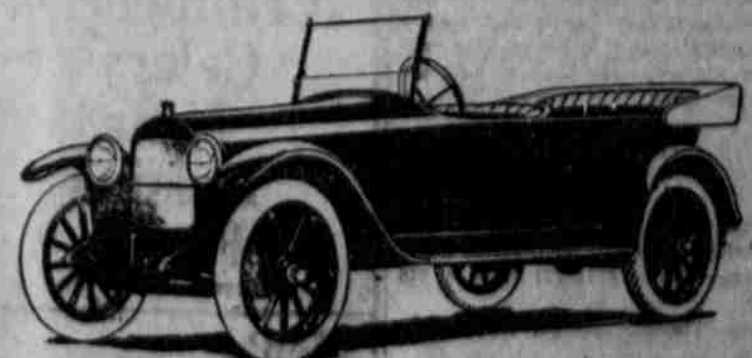
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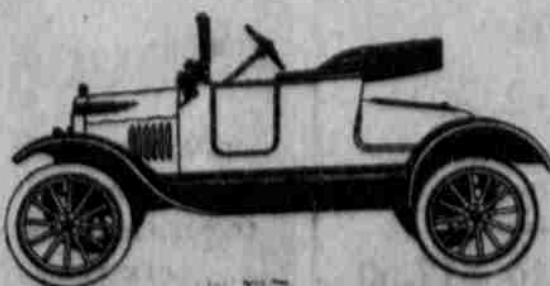
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