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Newspapers Exempt.

In a recent ruling of an Eastern Exemption Board a young newspaper man was exempted upon the grounds that his business was a patriotic necessity of the government. We believe this decision was a just one. Fully half of the correspondence that reaches our office each week, are requests for the immediate publication of various items which the government wishes to put before the people, in order to stir up their patriotism and rally their services to the government. It is impossible of course to print anything like all we receive, but every loyal newspaper strains its resources to the utmost to give freely just the services that the government is requesting. In both the first and second liberty loan, there is not a shadow of a doubt in the minds of anyone who is acquainted with the facts that it would not have been possible to succeed in this undertaking had the newspaper men not loyally and without stint, given their space without any compensation. An effort was made before the last loan was launched, to have it launched through paid newspaper publicity but the government rightly judged that the newspapers were loyal enough that they would give their services gratis, so the money they had to spend was lavishly used in getting out the most expensive class of posters known to the printers trade and the newspapers did the rest. The only thing a newspaper has to sell is its space and when the government needs and demands that, they should be just as willing to pay for it as they are to pay for any other commodity which the government purchases, in the propagation of its plans.

No Army Canteen.

A matter of great concern of the mothers of Oregon boys now serving in France is the persistent report that has gotten out that there are no restrictions placed on the soldier boys over in Europe as to drinking. General Pershing has cabled that no canteens are maintained with American forces in France and none such are contemplated, and the only drinks sold are soft drinks under the auspices of the Y. M. C. A. This is encouraging news and we sincerely hope that the highest possible standard along this line will ever be maintained under the Stars and Stripes. We cannot afford to send good clean sober Oregon boys to the front and have them come back drunkards or immoral wrecks. That is a greater price than any mother should ever be asked to pay.

One Boy's Influence.

A little boy in Graves County, Ky., is responsible for that county having an agricultural agent, a pure-bred live stock association, and a consequent improvement in general agricultural conditions. A report of the State agent in charge of boys' agricultural clubs to the United States Department of Agriculture says that two years ago he received a letter from Earl Gary, a little boy at Mayfield, Ky., expressing a desire to join the boys' corn club and so win his way to the State fair. The State agent went to the town in response to this letter and assisted the boy in securing the necessary number of members to organize a club. The State agent called on the county school superintendent to interest him in the boy's plan. The school superintendent became interested in the work of a county agent, and the conversation resulted in Graves County securing an agricultural agent. In turn that resulted in the organization of a pure-bred live-stock association, of which the little boy was a charter member.

Church Notes

Evangelical Church.

Next Sunday morning the Woman's Missionary Society will be in charge of the services. There will be special music, "The Jerico Road of To-day" by Mrs. H. P. Scheneman and Mrs. C. S. Bradford; readings by Miss Gladys Gilbert and Mrs. Esther Fankhauser; solo, Mrs. W. O. Ash; reading, Mrs. Nettie Myers; "Our Little Red Box", Mrs. H. Ulrich; Jerico March. The public is cordially invited. At the evening service Mrs. Frasell, on behalf of the Portland Library Association will speak on "Books That Children Should Read."

Friends Church.

The services last Sunday were all well attended. The interest and attendance is growing steadily in the regular services and Miss Terrell is preaching the Gospel in the power of the Spirit. We were glad to have Mr. and Mrs. Marion Cook from Nampa, Idaho, and Mrs. Heacock and Mrs. Morris from Newberg with us Sunday morning, all of whom have moved among us. We hope to have them as regular attenders and members soon.

The Junior Young Peoples Class of the S. S. are making preparations to entertain their fathers and mothers in the near future with a unique entertainment of which we shall hear more soon. They also expect a liberal contribution which will be used to beautify their S. S. room.

Monday night the C. E. had charge of the Portland Commons Mission. Those present were Miss Terrell, Miss Isler, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. L. Carr, Mrs. Arna Bass and Miss Dora Dunbar. Mr. Carr gave the message.

A number of Thanksgiving baskets are being given by the ladies of the church to needy families, and a Thanksgiving dinner for those who do not expect one at their home will follow the Union meeting for worship to-day.

Kern Park Christian Church.

There will be a Thanksgiving Dinner at the church, 45th avenue and 89th street Wednesday evening at 6:00 p. m. Everyone is invited. The proceeds will be used in the Church funds. The C. W. B. M. will meet as follows: Nov. 30 in the church at 8:00 p. m. Dec. 2, at the church at 8:00 p. m.; Dec. 5, at the home of Mrs. Mulkey, 6130 83rd street from 2:00 to 4:00 p. m.

Sunday morning at 11:00 a. m., the pastor will occupy the pulpit as usual and in the evening at 7:30 p. m., his brother, Rev. R. E. Noon, a returned missionary from the Congo will give a missionary address.

Laurelwood Congregational Church.

Last Sunday at the vesper service at the Laurelwood Congregational church, Prof. Carl H. Douglas gave the second of a series of lectures on the general subject, "Mobilization of Our Nation For War." Prof. Douglas' particular subject was "Mobilization of the Financial Resources of the Nation." He gave a resume of the methods, past and present, used for securing war funds. He urged that the rest of the amount (eighteen billion dollars) to be raised by June should be secured by taxation; and that the burden of the assessment should fall on those who are making fortunes out of the war conditions, for he stated, it is not fair for a favored set of men to be making money out of the same circumstances which are causing other men to risk their lives. Prof. Douglas' remarks were well received by an attentive audience.

Methodist Church.

The Woman's Foreign Missionary Society will meet the first Wednesday in Dec. (5th) at the Parsonage.

Next Sunday morning, Miss De Witte of the Portland Industrial Center will occupy the pulpit. In the evening there will be an illustrated lecture on Home Missions.

Junior League will be held at 3:30 Sunday afternoon in charge of Mrs. Ohsfeldt.

Millard Ave. Presbyterian Church.

The work of systematically registering the old and new members of the Millard Avenue Sunday School is slowly but steadily going on. Like an octopus, the ramifications of the system are to reach out all through the community and by its medium of follow up calls the department hopes to help create a new and greater interest in church work, the nation's foundational bulwark.

A class for young men has been started and is being pushed by one or two wide-awake members. All men who are twenty-one at heart are invited to meet at 9:55 every Sunday morning to join the class in its live discussions of practical lesson applications.

TOWN TALK

If Mars was as good to us as Jupiter we'd be O. K.—Kreuder.

F. T. Ehrlich and Arnold Eggman motored to Silverton Sunday.

Get ready for wet feet; no more rubbers this winter—can't be bought—Goggins.

Goggins' aid-de-camp Hiller says business is sure lots better than it was a year ago.

Lents Mercantile believes in "an apple a day." They have a special on for this week.

Mrs. F. W. Tussey is entertaining a niece and nephew on Thanksgiving, Edith and Norman Smethurst of Astoria.

Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Wiley visited relatives, Mr. and Mrs. Mike Goggins and daughter, at Huber last Sunday, going down by auto.

Bill Goggins reports a fine time at Gresham last Thursday, but the fog was so thick that the going was worse than going to a midnight fire with both hose and chemical.

"Pete" reports that his son Roy passed his examination all right and is now rated as a pharmacist mate third class in the navy. He enlisted just a few days before war broke out.

T. J. Kreuder is all worked up over the fine showing made by Franklin's Football team. He said their great speed and fine team work did the trick. All credit is due to Coach Dewey.

P. P. Bernhardt's a slow thinker. Two weeks gone. Seems to be in the same boat as N. N. Nygaard. Still Pete did contribute something to this column this week. Believe he'll come through all right.

Bill Woodworth just loves "Doc" Osgbury, leastwise his fellow workman at the Lents Garage say Bill lays off three hours every other day while Doc does some repair work on his grinders—probably some new bushing.

A good many people wonder why the "lady" who has been sleeping for some time in Katsky's window doesn't wake up. Apparently the window display is used to advertise alarm clocks, but this particular sleeper must be Mrs. Rip Van Winkle.

Mrs. Mason, recently received a fine letter from Miss Warnock, who for the many years she lived in Lents used also to work at Katsky's. She writes from the Baptist Missionary Training School at Chicago. She has just completed her first year study and has been awarded the scholarship for the coming year. She expects to graduate in another two years. There are 150 lady students in the school.

The War-Savings Plan in Brief.

The war-savings plan provided for in the bond act of September 24, 1917, goes into operation Monday, December 3. Government certificates of indebtedness are to be sold in two denominations—thrift stamps costing 25 cents each and war-savings stamps costing from \$4.12 to \$4.25, according to date of purchase.

When \$4 worth of thrift stamps are obtained a war-savings stamp can be secured in exchange for them by paying the difference between \$4 and the current price of the war-savings stamp.

War-savings stamps can be purchased for \$4.12 during the months of December, 1917, and January, 1918, but will cost 1 cent more for each succeeding month in the year 1918. They are redeemable on January 1, 1923, for \$5, which amounts to 4 per cent on the amount invested compounded quarterly.

Although these investments do not mature until January 1, 1923, on 10 days' written notice after January 1, 1918, such certificates will be redeemed by postmasters at their cost to the purchaser plus 1 cent a month on each war-savings stamp. The thrift stamps do not bear interest.

The stamps and certificates can be obtained from post offices, banks or trust companies, at most railroad stations, stores, factories, and many other public places.

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Beautiful Table Linens at 65c, 75c and \$1.00.	Men's Suits, some bargains in small sizes
Huck and Turkish Towels, or by the yard	Men's and Boys Hats and Caps
Hosiery for Men, Women and Children at 10c to \$1.00	Beautiful Showing of Curtains and Curtain Strims
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Men's, Women's and Children's Underwear	Raincoats for men, boys, women and children
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DEC. 15 LAST CHANCE FOR DRAFT MEN

Only Exceptions Are Medkal, Navy Or Marine Corps.

The following information is supplied by the Adjutant General's Office, Portland:

Portland, Ore., Nov. 28.—If you want to be a volunteer, now is the time to enlist. After December 15, when the new draft regulations become effective, men of draft age will not be permitted to enlist voluntarily in the army, navy or marine corps.

Under the new classification system through which the draft will be conducted after Questionnaires to be sent every registered man in the next few weeks have been answered and returned to local boards, these men will be held for service under the draft.

Heretofore any man of draft age who has not been called up before his local board for physical examination could enlist voluntarily if he so desired. This will continue to be the case until December 15, but on that date the new rule goes into effect.

There are only two exceptions to this new rule. Here is the exact language of the regulations in regard to the first exception:

"Upon presentation to a recruiting officer of a certificate by his local board to the effect that his class and order number are so low that he is not within the current quota of his local board, any registrant may enlist voluntarily in the Navy or in the Marine Corps."

But no provision is made for voluntary enlistment of men of draft age in the Army. The other exception has to do with medical students, hospital internees, dentists, dental students, veterinarians or veterinary students, who will be permitted under regulations to be drawn up by the Surgeon General of the Army, to enlist in the Enlisted Reserve Corps of the Medical Department.

The new rule does not affect voluntary enlistments by men not of draft age.

The Three B's

A three-line report of a Kentucky county agent to the United States Department of Agriculture speaks volumes. This is his succinct account of his work:

"Had a meeting at the courthouse. I talked on whipping Germany with three B's—bread, bacon, and beans."

The Untired Horse.

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No. 85.

of the financial condition of

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at Portland in the State of Oregon, at the close of business Nov., 20, 1917.

RESOURCES	
Loans and discounts	\$ 64,579 91
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured	42 10
Bonds and warrants	30,971 80
Stocks, securities, judgments, etc.	324 57
Furniture and fixtures	4,000 00
Other real estate owned	12,676 07
Due from approved reserve banks	18,576 43
Checks and other cash items	27 00
Cash on hand	7,204 89
Expenses	3,583 69
Other resources	195 00
TOTAL	\$ 127,901 46

LIABILITIES	
Capital stock paid in	\$ 15,000 00
Surplus fund	1,500 00
Postal savings bank deposits	19,865 50
Individual deposits subject to check	\$72,587 14
Demand certificates of deposit	7992 92
Cashier checks outstanding	272 29
Certified checks	73 75
	\$80,508 10
TOTAL	\$ 127,901 46

State of Oregon, ss:
County of Multnomah, ss:
I, H. E. Boyd, Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

H. E. Boyd, Cashier.

Correct—Attest:
Henry Harkson
F. R. Foster, Directors

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 27th day of Nov., 1917.
Ralph Stans, Notary Public
My commission expires April 21, 1920.

NOTICE OF FINAL ACCOUNT.
In the County Court of the State of Oregon for Multnomah County.
In the Matter of the Estate of C. W. Budd, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned, executor of the Estate of C. W. Budd, deceased, have filed their final account in said Estate, with the County Court of the State of Oregon, for Multnomah County, and all persons interested in said estate are hereby notified that all objections to said final account, and the settlement thereof, will be heard by the above Court, on the 26th day of December, 1917, at the hour of 9:30 a. m., at the Court House, in the City of Portland, County of Multnomah, State of Oregon.

MARK A. BUDD,
HELEN U. BUDD, Executrices.

W. K. ROYAL, 810-13 Lewis Bldg., Attorney for Executrices.
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