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ARE THERE ANY MORE NAMES

Already 171 on Bulletin Board. 25 More to be Added. But There May Be More Yet.

Although much attention has been attracted to Lents through its bulletin board containing 171 names, there are about 25 more which have been handed in since the last batch were added, and it is planned to add the final batch to the board Monday. Mr. Peterson of the Lents Pharmacy, Tabor 2074, will be glad to have the name of any Lents boys who should rightly be included in this honor roll and whose names have not already been displayed on the Board. He would like them by Saturday at the latest as he will have to turn the list over to the sign-writers for them to handle Monday.

For the past two issues the Herald has made it known that we would be glad to send The Herald each week, free of charge, to all enlisted boys from Lents whose present addresses were handed in to this office. We have a nice list, but have a good appetite for more. We are willing to send to all, even if the list exceeds 200. Send 'em or bring 'em all in. You're welcome!

FRANKLIN HIGH.

The music department of the school presented the Red Cross with \$100 at an assembly held Wednesday. Mr. Walsh acting in behalf of the music department and Miss Johnston received the gift for the Red Cross. The money was part of the proceeds from the Mikado. The remainder will be used for better equipment in the music department.

Miss Johnston gave an interesting account of the Red Cross work in the Franklin District.

Another interesting feature of the assembly was the study of the Star Spangled Banner. Mr. Walsh assisted. This was followed by "Keep the Home-fires Burning" sung by both Glee Clubs. The boys club then sang an interesting song.

The basketball season is about completed and the new sports are track and tennis. The boys have begun their practice and are out to win. The tennis team is not thoroughly organized. The Girls' Athletic Association was organized Tuesday evening. Mr. Ball encouraged the girls to join as it is a benefit to health as well as to school.

The usual Sophomore-Freshman dancing class will be held Friday, March 8, instead of Tuesday, in the gym. The admission will be 10 cents as well as the ticket. This is strictly a dancing class.

Celebrates 7th Birthday

After all there are few joys like a birthday, especially when one is still young. We believe that the birthday which was celebrated at Gresham the other day is no exception. Our esteemed contemporary, The Gresham Outlook, entered upon the first number of its eighth year with their last issue. The Mt. Scott Herald, then known as The Beaver State Herald, was present at its birth, we understand, being at that time published at Gresham also, consequently we feel a little closer bond of fellowship with them than with other papers. We are glad to add our word of appreciation. The paper is clean, in contents and in make-up, comes twice a week, and is patriotic in every line, a real credit to the community.

COUNTY AGENT TO HAVE OFFICE IN PORTLAND

Home Garden Work to be Furthered.

Beginning with the first of March, County Agent S. B. Hall will spend two afternoons each week in the Portland office. He will have desk room in the Oregon Development Bureau, Oregon Building.

From this office the home garden work will be furthered and it will be a general headquarters for the agricultural work for this part of the State and a Portland headquarters for the Oregon Agricultural College.

Last Friday a Oyston woman found a pearl in some oysters, the gem being valued at \$100. Which is another argument in favor of oysters as a substitute for meat.

Hating is a boomerang that come back and hits the hater in his tender emotions, if any.

WAR COOKERY LENTS LIBRARY

Mrs. Percy Will Explain Substitutes For Meat.

A food conservation meeting will be held at the Lents Branch Library, Saturday Mar. 9th. Mrs. Percy will give a talk on the substitutes for meat. Everyone is to bring a sample of their best meat substitute.

There will be an exhibit of war cookery from the domestic science classes of the Lents School, also samples of some of the things that we can eat instead of meat. Tea will be served from 2 until 4 o'clock.

LOCAL RED CROSS DOING COMPREHENSIVE WORK

All Find Chance to Serve Here.

This unit has grown to over forty active members, and the amount of work turned out is very encouraging, under the active leadership of Mrs. Myrtle Sager, chairman; Mrs. Pearl Freeburg, Assistant chairman. Today's work finished is as follows: 11 tea bandages, 10 handkerchiefs, 2 packs of gunwipers, 3 pillows, 12 suits of pajamas. Many members are doing their bit by knitting. We have four sewing machines, and it was necessary to rent two additional ones. Anyone having a good machine who would be willing to have it used in red cross work, please communicate with the Secretary, Telephone, Tabor 3398.

The Friends church is helping greatly in this work and same is highly appreciated. Mrs. Nellie Katzky has given four lectures on conservation of food, which were very interesting. Meetings are held every Thursday from 10 a. m. to 4:30 p. m. at the Lents School, Room 15. All are cordially invited.—Lents Auxiliary of the Red Cross.

ARLETA LIBRARY DISCUSSES FOOD CONSERVATION PROBLEMS

W. K. Newell to Speak Friday Evening

From 8:00 to 10:00 p. m. tomorrow (Friday) evening at the Arleta Library there will be a War Food Conservation program and demonstration. There will be a special speaker from Portland, and it is expected that W. K. Newell, first assistant to W. B. Ayer State Food Administrator, will be on hand.

CHAUFFEURS NEEDED FOR ARMY WORK

May Be Drafted From Available Men in Class One.

Portland, Ore., March 7.—Are you an expert automobile or motor truck driver? Then volunteer immediately and avoid being drafted, for the army needs you.

Oregon must furnish 100 volunteer chauffeurs or automobile truck drivers for the army by Friday, March 8, or that number of men qualified for such service will be immediately inducted into service by the various local boards, acting under rush orders from the War Department.

General Pershing, in France, has cabled for a large number of skilled chauffeurs to drive motor trucks. He must have them right away. The need is so urgent that the War Department has announced that unless the required number volunteer by March 8, they will be drafted from the available men in Class One.

Oregon's quota, to be raised either by volunteers or draft, has been set at 100 men.

The men accepted as volunteers will be inducted into the aviation section of the Signal Corps, and sent to Kelley Field, San Antonio, Texas, preparatory to going to France.

Following are instructions from the War Department to local draft boards relative to these men:

"Boards may accept applicants for voluntary induction who fully possess the required physical and technical qualifications. If the calls have not been filled by March 8 by voluntary induction, the boards will immediately induct a sufficient number of qualified men to fill the respective allotments by selecting from Class One qualified men in sequence of order number."

Volunteer now, and escape the draft. There is still time if you do it TODAY.

Adjutant General's Office,
648 Morgan Bldg.,
Portland, Ore.

DISTRICT NUMBER 45 HOLDS PATRIOTIC RALLY

Prominent Speakers Assist at Dedication of Service Flag.

A Patriotic Rally was held last Thursday evening at District No. 45 school house. This rally was attended by a large crowd gathered from all parts of the community for the chief purpose of seeing the service flag dedicated.

The service flag was dedicated by Judge Stapleton of Gresham who gave a stirring patriotic address. There were twenty-one stars on the flag which represented the twenty-one boys of the community who have responded to the call of the colors. The following are their names: Charles Johnson, J. E. Heiman, Merle Hotchkiss, J. W. Steiger, Joe Byers, George Hogan, Hearne Haislip, J. C. Liden, Albert Ewaldt, F. A. Hurst, L. G. Hurst, Albert Wagner, Carrol Ten Eyke, C. Valentine, James Reed, D. E. Wheeler, Chris Phund, Ray Starbard, Roy Starbard, Edward Woodman, C. T. Johnson.

Judge Stapleton's address was stirring and beyond any doubt it aroused the patriotic spirit of the audience. He spoke of the negligence of the American people to do as much as they should in supporting the cause of the war.

Among the things the Judge spoke of are the following: "The I. W. W.'s are pro-German and in every way are going to prevent the government's progress in the war. A few days ago a number of I. W. W.'s in Portland were arrested for saying seditious things about the government. The same thing was done in Seattle; and in Chicago a mob of I. W. W.'s led by the assassin, Haywood, were arrested for the same reason. This shows plainly enough that these are real enemies of U. S. But what is done to these unruly I. W. W.'s? 'Nothing', is the answer. It is just as important to prevent the Pro-German actions of these I. W. W.'s at home as it is to beat the Germans abroad. Several days ago four soldiers who were I. W. W.'s at Camp Lewis were removed from the Service. It was plain that when once in Europe, these soldiers meant to betray our army to the barbarous Germans. Therefore it is plainly our duty to report anyone who seditiously speaks of the government."

Another speaker of the evening was Mr. Easter, Naturalization Clerk of Portland. He spoke of thrift and war saving stamps and how important it is to purchase them. Prof. Ager appointed a committee to carry on the war saving stamp campaign. The amount to be raised at this campaign has been set at five thousand dollars and it is expected that each will do his part in bringing it up to this amount. The following are the names of the committee: Mrs. Renne, Mrs. Franco, Mrs. H.bson, Mrs. Bretell, Mrs. Steiger, Mrs. Snuffins, Mrs. Haygarth, Mrs. Wakefield, Mrs. McCulloch, Mr. Snuffins, Mr. Leitheiser, Mr. Reide, Mr. Himebaugh, Mr. Gilbert, Mr. Henderson.

Mr. Easter also told us of a loyal Russian who had taken the oath to become a citizen that morning. "It was an unusual case," Mr. Easter stated, "because the Russian so plainly showed the loyalty he felt toward this country. And after the war it will be much harder to become a citizen of the U. S. than it was before. There will be laws made which will prevent unloyal Germans and I. W. W.'s from becoming citizens."

Other features of the program were the Spanish Dance by Margaret McCulloch in costume, and a male quartet which entertained the audience with several songs.

LENTS P. T. A. MEET.

The Lent's Parent Teacher Association will meet March 15th, at 2:30 p. m. in the Assembly Hall. An interesting program on a health topic will be the chief feature of the meeting.

U. S. NAVAL TRAINING CAMP REOPENED

Unusual Facilities Available.

Enlistment in the naval service has been reopened at the U. S. Naval Training Camp, Seattle. Any citizen between 18 and 35 is eligible.

This Camp is regarded by naval officers as having the best all-round combination of advantages of any naval training camp in the country. It is located on the grounds of the University of Washington and fronting on Lakes Washington and Union. All the facilities of the University are available for instruction.

GREAT MEN AT ARLETA

Meetings Arranged by Arleta Baptist Church Feature Drs. Hinson, Waldo, Marshall and Nored Tenor.

Arleta Baptist church, Pastor W. G. Handley, is to be congratulated upon the talent they have secured for their ten night Special Revival Meetings which begin tonight. The Evangelist is H. E. Marshall and he will be assisted by singing-evangelist J. W. Troy, the great tenor, who will have charge of the music at all services. Tomorrow night (Friday) Dr. W. B. Hinson, formerly of the White Temple will be the speaker, and a great mass meeting has been arranged for Sunday afternoon with Dr. W. A. Waldo, the present pastor of the White Temple as speaker. At this afternoon mass meeting it is promised that Portland's finest male quartette will sing.

PORTLAND GARDEN PLANS APPROVED BY SPECIALIST

Use of Vacant Lots Promises Success

The Portland war garden plans call for the use of 50,000 vacant lots under skilled supervision. Owners who can not grow gardens on these lots will turn them over to those who can. The Patriotic Garden League will see that the lots are plowed and harrowed ready for laying out and planting.

The aim of the drive is to prevent failures, provide for successive crops, save the crop by home use, marketing and preservation, and insure fall planting for all-the-year-round gardens.

War garden headquarters were established by the O. A. C. Extension Service last year at 704, Oregon Building, and will be maintained there again this year. County Agent Hall, of Multnomah county, will be on hand at headquarters each Tuesday and Friday, to assist in the drive.

Garden literature—O. A. C. and U. S. D. A. garden bulletins and other garden helps will be on hand for distribution. These bulletins will deal with all phases of production of crops, protection from insects and disease, and methods of harvesting, using and marketing.

Arrangements for 20 lectures on these same subjects by College specialists and local authorities have been made with the firm of Meier & Frank to be given in the store auditorium. The lectures will be free, but those attending will be given registration cards, which will be punched for each attendance. This series, as arranged by Director Center, will begin Friday, March 8, at 3:30 p. m. and be held weekly thereafter.

LUMBERJACKS IN GREAT BRITAIN

Ten Saw Mill Units From New England Cut Down English Forests.

England's ancestral forests, jealously guarded by many generations, are being cut down by American brawn.

Word of this latest sacrifice came to this country in reports of the ten saw mill units which New England contributed to the warfare against autocracy.

These units, numbering over 300 sturdy lumberjacks, from the backwoods of Maine, New Hampshire, and Vermont, have been engaged for some time in the forests around which much of the best of English literature has been written.

As they level the forests which are the last strongholds of the Old England many of their forefathers knew, the men conjure up a mental picture of the forces responsible for Belgium and the Lusitania, and swing extra vigorous and vicious strokes in consequence.

The units are scattered along the banks of a river for ten miles and each is a small community in itself, gathered around a central hut presided over by a Young Men's Christian Association secretary, where the men assemble for amusement in their leisure hours.

To illustrate the inexhaustible energy of the men—the statement that basketball is the most popular amusement after hours of vigorous work means much to those who know the strenuous possibilities of the game.

A habitual diner-out has estimated that each eat costs him, in addition to the original price, about \$30 in fees, which he is compelled to pay at hotels and cafes.

LENTS GRANGE MEETS SATURDAY

Interesting Program Planned for Open Session in Afternoon.

The Lents Grange will meet Saturday beginning at 10:30. T. J. Kreuder, Master, will preside. Work from the first and second Degrees will be conferred upon a class of candidates and other business will be transacted.

An old fashioned, country dinner will be served at noon. The lecture hour will begin at 1:45. Program: Some weak spots in the Criminal Law, Roscoe Hurst; A Bigger Payroll for the City, A. G. Clark; The Care of Small Fruits and Berries, Prof. Brown of O. A. C. Other literary features will follow.

RELIEF FOR ARMENIAN AND SYRIAN SUFFERERS.

Oregon Sends Large Check.

Portland, Ore. Mar. 2nd. The largest check for charity ever sent from the Northwest was one for \$70,000, mailed February 20th to the American Committee for Armenian and Syrian Relief from Portland, by the Oregon Branch, of which J. J. Handsaker is Secretary and Ben Selling, Treasurer. This check is a part of the quota of \$150,000 asked from Oregon for relief of over 2,000,000 sufferers in Asia Minor. County campaigns are being launched all over the State, in an effort to raise or pass this quota.

DAN CUPID BUSY.

Mrs. Emma A. Coe, 608, Halsey St., announces the engagement of her daughter, Gladys C. to Wilbur Haworth, 8042, 63rd Ave. S. E. Miss Coe is well known in Lents as the family formerly lived here. Wilbur Haworth has a host of friends here also. All the many friends of the young couple extend congratulations. The wedding date? Well, that is a profound secret!

Saving Cancelled Stamps

Don't waste time and energy saving cancelled postage stamps for the Red Cross. Somebody, somewhere, has started one of those pleasant but likely-to-be annoying fictions concerning the value of postage stamps which have served their original purpose. This time the idea spread abroad is that the American Red Cross has devised a method of extracting the dyes from the cancelled stamps and putting the dyes to practical use. There is nothing more in the scheme than a figment of someone's imagination; but the Postoffice Department reports that several bags of old stamps have accumulated through the good will of persons who have thought they were doing something to help win the war. Within the last two weeks, also, scores of letters have been received at Red Cross headquarters, from persons asking information regarding the matter.

The Red Cross wishes to advertise, as widely as possible, the absolute falsity of the report that used postage stamps have any value through the extraction of the dyes contained in them.

A BIT OF FINANCIAL HISTORY.

The credit of the United States was so high and unquestionable that in 1900, two years after the Spanish War, 2 per cent bonds were offered at par and oversubscribed. This is a financial performance no other nation has ever equaled.

United States 4 per cent bonds in 1888 sold as high as 130 and in 1901 brought 139 7-8 on the stock market.

The United States has never defaulted on any of its bonds. Not one of its bondholders has ever lost a cent of principal or interest except those who voluntarily have taken losses by selling their bonds in a period of temporary price depression. One hundred cents on the dollar, principal and interest, has the United States always paid.

Back of the \$250,000,000,000 to \$300,000,000,000 of our national resources stands the rugged honesty of America. Liberty Loan Bonds are the safest security in the world.

She Knew

"So you danced with George at the party last night?"

"Yes—but how did you guess?"

"I notice you were limping today."

Serve your country by saving food.

LENTS SCHOOL IS PLANNING GARDENS

Pupils Are Unanimous In Their Intentions to Raise Food to Help Win War

The Lents school from the third grade through the eighth grade are 100 per cent in their intentions to have home gardens to help win the war. A good garden requires some knowledge of gardening but "diligence, observation and enthusiasm" are qualities the gardener must have so we are told.

Light sandy loam or light clay loam are best suited for most vegetables but heavy soil will be a success if worked hard enough. All soil should be dug deep and made loose. A garden plot should produce a better garden each year.

Carrots, spinach, peas and onions are said to supply just the sort of nutriment needed to regulate our bodily activities.

A patch of potatoes and beans with a double row of each of the above mentioned vegetables would make a very profitable home garden. And the earliest of these vegetables can be followed by corn and tomatoes. A suggestive calendar of planting will follow next week.

True "Sammies"

By REV. WILBUR F. CRAFTS.

It was a stroke of genius when someone affectionally nick-named the American soldiers, then newly arrived in France, "Sammies", meaning, of course, that they are the soldier boys of "Uncle Sam". It is par excellence the best nickname given to soldiers of the various nations. It should mean to every soldier that he must always and everywhere be a true American. However excellent Great Britain or France may be, he should not ape their ways, especially not their faults, but be ever loyal to American institutions.

That is what LOYALTY means—not merely burrowing for the flag, but embodying what it represents. It would go hard with anyone who should trample on our flag in the presence of our soldiers; but let no soldier himself trample on our laws and ideals.

That is a disloyal motto, "When you are in Rome do as the Romans do". Shall we say also that when one is in Africa he shall do as the savages do? And when in Germany do as the Germans do?

KEEPING SUNDAY.

The American abnath, protected for rest and worship against commercialized amusements as well as work for gain, is regarded by the world's greatest thinkers as the most influential American institution. It is said that in the war "France has found its lost soul", but it has not found its lost Sabbath. Loyal American soldiers should show foreigners, so far as war exigencies do not prevent, how restful and uplifting is the true American Sabbath from which selfish work and selfish pleasures are both barred out. Presidents Washington, Jackson, Lincoln, Harrison and Wilson have all issued orders as commanders in chief of Army and Navy that all unnecessary work should be omitted on Sunday, even in war time. The American soldier who in Spain spends Sunday at a bull fight, or in France at a horse race, might as well pull down his flag and tread it beneath his feet. He is disloyal to American institutions.

Loyalty means obedience to law. When Chicago was in peril from riots, every law-abiding citizen wore a flag. When men wish to break laws for their own profit or pleasure they call them "blue laws"; but all laws are red, white and blue laws, and the man who habitually breaks them is a red anarchist.

MUST KEEP STRAIGHT.

When a soldier buys or receives as a gift wine or beer, he tramples on American laws in spirit, if not in the letter, and it makes a bad matter worse when it is done in a foreign land where a soldier should most of all heed the President's words: "Keep fit and straight"; "Add laurels to America's crown".

To show race prejudice, especially against soldiers of another color who are fighting with us against despotism, is particularly disloyal to democracy, which America introduced to the world in 1776, and now has opportunity to consummate. Not color but courage should be the badge of honor among soldiers.

Most of all, America is known for its chivalry to mothers, wives and sisters in its homes. Let the soldier prove himself a true American not only by

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