

Never in the history of the world has there been so spectacular an example of the supreme importance of morale as is now being presented on the western front. The forces that confront each other are not widely dissimilar in number or equipment. Yet one army is constantly withdrawing and the other irresistibly moving forward. The difference is spelled in the single word—morale.

Now that the Liberty Loan is over there is just one more task for the American people—to provide the comforts of life for American boys through the United War Work Campaign, which has for the purpose of raising funds, amalgamated the seven organizations doing 'welfare work for the soldiers and sailors—the Y. M. C. A., Y. W. C. A., K. of C., War Camp Community Service, Jewish Welfare Board, American Library Association and Salvation Army.

It is the service rendered by these organizations that makes for the splendid morale of the American armies. General Pershing in a recent letter commenting on the work of these agencies quoted with approval the statement of one of his colonels who said, "Give me nine men who have a hut to spend their evenings in and I will have a better fighting force than ten men would be without it."

Dr. John R. Mott, director general of the United War Work Campaign says, "If it is worth twenty-four billion dollars to keep our boys under arms next year surely it is worth a hundred and seventy million and more to add ten per cent to their fighting edge to bring victory ten per cent nearer. This is the appeal of the seven united war work agencies to Americans and particularly to those four million homes where service flags fly.

"Viewed as a total sum, \$170,500,000 seems gigantic, but divide it by the four million men who will be under arms in our army and navy during the period it is expected to cover and it means less than fifteen cents a day per man.

"Surely there is no father or mother or friend of a soldier in this great country who will say that fifteen cents a day is too much to spend on his church, his home, his library, his theatre, and his club over there."

The United War Work Campaign is being made at the request of President Wilson.

The state quotas in the west are as follows:

California	\$4,688,750
Washington	1,278,750
Oregon	767,250
Montana	511,500
Idaho	426,250
Utah	341,000
Wyoming	196,075
Nevada	85,250

UNION HILL NOTES.

Mr. and Mrs. Adair and the latter's sister Miss Ida Lincoln from Silverton visited at Joe Lincoln's.

Mrs. Geo. Scott and son Verna were Stayton callers Saturday. They were accompanied home by Mrs. Scott's sister Miss Ethel King who is teaching school near Lyons.

Mr. W. D. Hurt has been attending to business matters in this part of the neighborhood. He will return to his family in Portland this week.

Mrs. U. H. Mollet and son Ralph motored to Stayton Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Scott and family and Miss Ethel King and Mr. and Mrs. Gilmour and family spent Sunday with Mrs. J. King.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Crabtree and family and Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Carter spent Sunday with W. H. Mollet and family, it being Mr. Mollet's birthday. Miss Bertha returned home with Floyd Crabtree.

Union Hill school is closed. The teacher, Miss Lois Miles, will return to her home in Salem.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Lincoln spent Sunday evening at the W. H. Mollet home.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Rabens were visiting relatives in Stayton.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Carter were Stayton visitors Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Carter and family spent Sunday at Elvin Carter's.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Barkmeyer and little daughter Louine spent the week end visiting friends in Mt. Angel.

Mrs. Elvin Carter and son Lyl have been visiting with her mother Mrs. Burnett and other relatives.

Wallace and Linn Neal are home from Stayton where they attend the high school.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Frank and family visited relatives in Sublimity Sunday.

Mr. Jake Scott has returned home from where he has been visiting relatives in Silverton.

Mt. Pleasant

Miss Selma Schuff of Stayton, spent the past week visiting at the M. F. Ryan home.

Henry Senz and son Joe motored to Salem Thursday.

The Misses Grace, Roxana and Crystal Shank and Melvin Shank motored to Salem Friday.

Miss Effie Pay left Sunday for Oregon City where she has employment for the coming winter.

Dave Aegerter and sons David Jr., Earnest and Johnnie, motored to Salem Sunday.

Mrs. Henry Senz and son Nick and Frank Laux spent Sunday with relatives in Albany.

Ona Shelton called on G. H. Ray Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Shank and son, Mrs. Lee Downing and Children and Miss Roxana Shank were Sunday visitors at the Ed Smith home.

Mrs. Selmer Brown called at the Mrs. R. Shank home Sunday. Lyle Lutz spent Sunday with Linn Lambert and wife.

Melvin Shank visited with Wayne and Willis Huber Sunday.

Nick Senz motored to Albany Friday.

Miss Bessie Shank and Hal Shelton motored to Albany Saturday.

Aumsville News

School has been closed to prevent the rapid spread of influenza.

Clair Johnson of Madras, has been visiting friends and relatives of this vicinity.

Mrs. Witman made a business trip to Salem Saturday.

John Mix is suffering with an attack of influenza.

Miss Gladys Simpson of Condon who has been visiting friends here, has returned home.

Mrs. C. K. Read who has been visiting relatives in Portland and Washington, returned home Saturday evening.

Miss Ethel McDonald and little niece of Lafayette, were visiting friends here last week. They returned home Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Sheam Swank were Portland visitors last Saturday.

After a brief illness, David G. Swank died at Mehama Monday, Oct. 28. Funeral services were held here Wednesday afternoon at the home of his son, Sperm Swank. Burial was in the Twin Oak cemetery near Turner.

Virgil Darby, who for several months has been working in a logging camp near Kingston, has moved his family back here. He now has employment with the Aumsville Flour Mills.

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