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WARNING!

The State Council of Defense is urging all farmers and others who will have need for repairs for harvesting machinery, to take the matter up with their local dealers at once, as the prospects of serious car shortages and other like difficulties are growing.

Prineville merchants will care for your wants as quickly as anyone under normal conditions, but must first have your orders.

The latest warning issued in this matter is as follows:

"The railroad situation is critical. Local freight shipments are sidetracked for weeks at a time. Express and mail service is being re-

duced to give way to movement of government supplies and troops. Delays in the shipment of farm machinery and repair parts are bound to occur.

"Even during a normal season it is profitable foresight to place orders for repair parts early. This is not a normal season. The only solution is immediate orders. Don't wait another day. Prepare now for the coming season so that you will not be disappointed later on.

"Order repair parts early. Put every machine in good working order now—don't wait—Delays may be costly.

"Take the time now before the rush starts to look over every machine that will be used this year. Make a list of the broken, worn or missing parts. Give this list to your dealer and insist that he order them at once. Delay may mean serious loss.

"We should go into the field this coming spring prepared for emergencies. A machine with one part broken is often useless. The ordering of repair parts now will reduce to a minimum the time lost in breakdowns.

"It is imperative at the present time that every precaution possible be taken to lengthen the life of machinery. Raw materials are scarce, labor difficult to secure, and in addition to the domestic demands the American manufacturer must supply our allies with farm implements.

"To put the production and use of machinery on a war footing requires unselfish co-operation on the part of manufacturers, dealers, and farmers.

"We must take better care of our machinery. We must use our machinery more efficiently, reducing in every way possible the man labor required for producing maximum crops.

"We must anticipate our needs, ordering our new machines and repair parts early—before they are needed for immediate use."

COMMISSIONER LISTER

The great stock country south and east of Prineville is represented on the county court for the first time in many years.

The importance of this part of the county is such that it should never again be without representation.

The proper administration of affairs of the county is only possible when the court is made up of men who actually represent the different industries in the county.

The deplorable condition of the Prineville-Paulina roads would never have been possible had this fact been considered in the past, and regardless of the bad condition of the county's finances, will be corrected if men of the Lister type are always elected on the board of commissioners.

Mr. Lister has not announced his intention to be a candidate to succeed himself, but no doubt could be induced to do so, if he were assured the support a man of his ability should get.

All candidates for county offices must file their petitions before April 17, and it is important that some good business man, some big man, be elected as commissioner, from the Paulina country.

H. J. Lister fills every requirement, has made a good record thus far in the office, and should be elected to succeed himself if he can be prevailed upon to accept the office.

WAR GARDENS

Your activity during the next thirty days will determine whether or not you will have a profitable garden this year.

Proper selection of seed, preparation of ground and care in planting will spell success or failure of many gardens.

Now is the time to get busy. Plan your war garden today.

WAR COST MONEY

This table shows the approximate

history:	
Napoleonic Wars	\$ 6,250,000,000
Crimean War	1,700,000,000
American Civil War	8,000,000,000
Franco-Prussian War	3,500,000,000
South African War	1,200,000,000
Russo-Japanese War	2,500,000,000
Great War, 1914-17	97,450,000,000

THE RED CROSS NURSES OF EUROPE ARE GIVING TOASTED CIGARETTES TO THE BOYS

To anyone who doesn't know of the wonderful advances that have been made in the preparation of smoking tobaccos in the last few years it may sound strange to speak of toasted cigarettes.

Strictly speaking, we should say cigarettes made of toasted tobacco; the smokers of this country will recognize it more readily by its trade name, "LUCKY STRIKE"—the toasted cigarette.

The American Tobacco Company are producing millions of these toasted cigarettes and these are being bought in enormous quantities through the various tobacco funds conducted by the newspapers of the country and forwarded through the Red Cross Society to the boys in France.

This new process of treating tobacco not only improves the flavor of the tobacco but it seals in this flavor and makes the cigarettes keep better.

The Red Cross nurse is always glad to have a cigarette for the wounded soldier, as, in most instances, that is the first thing asked for.

NOTICE

Notice is hereby given, that the partnership heretofore existing between Addie S. Kimble, E. W. Kimble and M. A. Black, associated in the operation of a general Stock Ranch and General Merchandise Business at Meadow, Crook County, State of Oregon, was on the twenty-second day of August, 1917, by mutual consent, dissolved, closed, and discontinued, and the undersigned will not hereafter be responsible for any debts or other obligations or acts contracted by, for or on behalf of said partnership.

Dated Feb. 28, 1918.
M. A. BLACK.

POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENT

Political announcements run until after the primaries at the flat rate of \$10.00 each, payable in advance. Political matter other than announcements, run at special advertising rates, 25c per inch for display matter and 10c per line for readers, and must be signed and marked as paid matter.

For Sheriff

I hereby announce my candidacy for the democratic nomination for sheriff of Crook County, subject to the approval of the democratic voters at the primaries to be held May 17, 1918.

JOHN WIGLE.

For Sheriff

I hereby announce my candidacy for the democratic nomination for sheriff of Crook County, subject to the approval of the democratic voters at the primaries to be held May 17, 1918.

F. A. ROWELL.

For County Judge

I hereby announce my candidacy for the republican nomination for the office of county judge, subject to the approval of the republican voters at the primary to be held May 17, 1918.

COL. F. SMITH.

For County Judge

I hereby announce my candidacy for the democratic nomination for the office of county judge, subject to the approval of the democratic voters at the primaries to be held on May 17, 1918.

N. G. WALLACE.

The invention of a Baker man, R. G. Neider, a German subject, designed to render ineffective the attack of a submarine on a ship, has been approved by O. H. Babcock of the naval advisory board at San Francisco and the drawing and plans have been forwarded by him to the navy department and naval board at Washington. With a few changes which he suggested, Mr. Babcock stated that the invention would prove very efficient.

For U. S. Senator

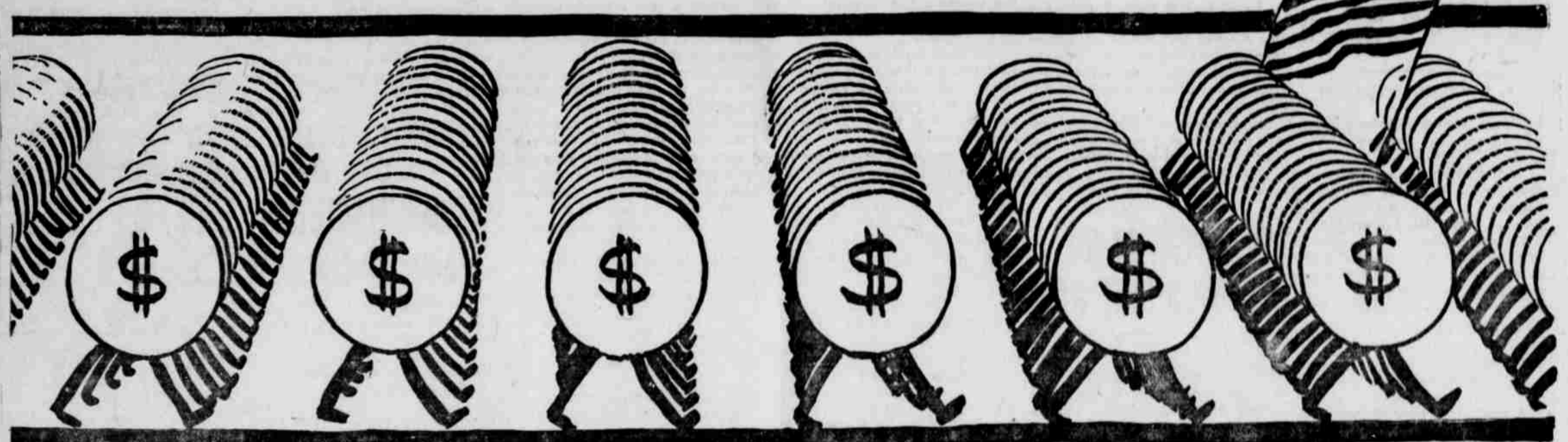


R. N. STANFIELD
Farmer, Stockman and Businessman

A man who does things. Who has accomplished something. Who knows how to work and get results. Who knows Oregon's needs, requirements and resources. Who has the experience, knowledge and business understanding. Who, as a state legislator for six years, has already done much for Oregon. Whose republicanism is unquestioned and whose ability has been proven. (Paid Advertisement by Stanfield Committee, Stanfield, Ore.)

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This Is Your Regiment of Marching Dollars



Save Till It Hurts—Why?

Because—the United States is at war.

Because—the only safe road to Peace is Victory.

Because—soldiers and sailors cannot win unless the entire American people—every man, woman and child refrains from everything not absolutely necessary to health and efficiency, and thus releases labor for the production of materials of war and the support of our army and navy.

Because—every pair of shoes, every suit of clothes, every hat, every suit of underwear, etc., not necessary, used by us at home, means one less pair of shoes, one less uniform, one less overcoat, one less muffler for our boys who are fighting to make our homes safe.

Because—U. S. Bonds, War Savings Stamps and U. S. Thrift Stamps must be purchased by the people from money saved from their incomes—every dollar spent for an unnecessary thing is a force for evil. When that dollar buys labor and materials for equipping our army and navy it has a double force—first it ceases to aid the enemy and second it is fighting for us in behalf of mankind. Be sure that your pennies, nickels, dimes, quarters and dollars are enlisted in the cause of your country. An idle dollar is a SLACKER dollar, but a dollar wasted in war time is a TRAITOR dollar.

Because—you should not let another day go by until you have actually given up some real thing—for your country—"until it hurts."

The United States Government Offers You the Opportunity to Save and Serve

You can buy a United States Thrift Stamp for 25 cents. A card is furnished on which to paste it. Sixteen of these, plus a few cents cash will buy a War Savings Stamp. On January 1, 1923, the United States Government will pay you \$5.00 for each stamp pasted on a War Savings Certificate—this is 4% compounded quarterly when the stamps are held till January 1, 1923. A simple and secure investment—yielding a good income on your money. When you do this, you become an actively loyal American citizen—one who is saving lives by saving money.



Begin NOW—Enlist Your Dollars in Your Country's Service

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