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## OREGON CITY ENTERPRISE, FRIDAY, APRIL 5, 1918.

Titled German Spies Caught by American Secret Service Men

## **BANQUET GIVEN** TO LAST QUOTA FOR CAMP LEWIS

A banquet and entertainment was given in the Commercial Club parlors Sunday evening previous to the departure of some of the young men of Cinckamas county, who have been drafted and sent to American Lake, where they will go into training. The affair was given under the auspices of the business men of Oregon City. There were fifteen young men, who were in this draft, and in whose honor the affair was given.

At 6:30 o'clock a banquet was served, at which time L. Adams was toastmaster. Among those who gave addresses were Gilbert L. Hedges, district attorney; Walter A. Dimick, George A. Harding, Mayor F. C. Hackett, John W. Loder, Judge Grant B. Dimick, O. D. Eby and Rev. C. H. L. Chandler.

Corwin S. Harvey, one of the young men who has joined the colors, responded in behalf of the young men in whose honor the entertainment was given. Flechtner's orchestra played a number of selections that were highly entertaining and enjoyed.

Miss Marie Friedrich, one of the favorite sopranos of Oregon City, sang "Keep the Home Fires Burninz." Miss Friedrich received a hearty ovation. She was accompanied on the piano and violin by Mr. and Mrs. Frank Busch, Jr., who added much to the musical program. Dr. Roy Prudden also favored the audience with a solo, and was well received, singing a patriotic selection.

pot to wish them God speed.

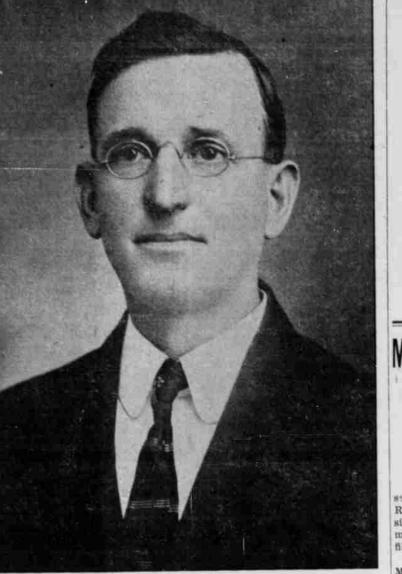
Those who left Sunday night were: Albert Hubert, Chester Carothers, Adolph Franzel, Harry Crawford Reid, Hopfer, Theodore Hagen, and Sub- interest of economy and for the wel- "All corporations organized for pro- the secretaryship in a very able man-Zimmerman and Chester Dickey.

MEREDITH CLACKAMAS FARMER ARRESTED

mas county farmer, recently told two power that has placed on the tax roll well as the employee. P. M. Meredith, prominent Clackamas county farmer, recently told two Mt. Pleasant school boys, R. G. and million dollars of assessed value that million dollars of assessed value that Eugene Osburn, that the thrift stamp never paid taxes before. advising them to quit the work at

three shift basis.

Attorney C. Schuebel, who has Announced His Candidacy for Representative in the Legislature.



"In announcing myself as a candi- for the Legislature is to prepare and Jacobs, chairman of the finance com-The young men left for Camp date for the Legislature I would re- assist in the passage of laws for the mittee, "we were severely criticized Lewis on the evening train, and many spectifully ask you to examine my general welfare of our country and by some for employing a paid secrefriends accompanied them to the de- record for the two terms that I to prevent the passage of bad laws. tary to do this work. Before we will served the people in that capacity, "I am preparing the following bills, appoint another paid secretary we will and from that record you may judge and if nominated and elected I should give an opportunity for someone to whether I am worthy of your support. endeavor to pass them ::

"The Legislature is the body that "No man should be permitted to charge. In the event we can get no Edward Coffey, Corwin Harvey, Frank- prepares and passes the laws that own land in the state of Oregon and one to volunteer their services, it In Ritenour, Otto Fiken, Joseph Gra- govern the people of the state, and if less he shall become a citizen of our will be necessary to employ another ham, John Busch, John Pierce, New- bad laws are passed the people suffer. country and assume the responsibili- secretary as the work must be done. by United States secret service men four have been issued, and is was power to act. ton Moak, Arthur Schwerin, James All of my efforts were put forth in the ties of citizenship.

that are now on the statutes prepar- partment a statement showing the to do in connection with the 45 aux- furnish information to the Germans. against them. ed by me and placed there on account actual amount of money invested (not llaries in Clackamas county, enough of my efforts are the following: "The ten hour Labor Law that has the dividends and profits received

been responsible for placing the mills from the investment, the number of that run 24 hours per day, on a men employed and wages paid, and American Gas Mask Worn connected with this system of arbitra-"Providing for the taxation of water tion that will protect the employer as

sitting with the County Court in the plan was only a Wall Street scheme "The repeal of over one million dol- county where the road is being conto rob the common people. He made lars of standing appropriations: The structed that the Highway Commisseveral other statements to the boys, General Fund Bill which has been and sion need not let contracts but may will continue to be a great saving to construct the road in the same manadvising them to quit the work at once and immediately dispose of the taxpayers of the state, as shown the taxpayers of the taxpayers of the state, as shown the taxpayers of the taxpayers of the state, as shown the taxpayers of the taxpayers of the state, as shown the taxpayers of the taxpayers of the state, as shown the taxpayers of the taxpayers of the state, as shown the taxpayers of the taxpayers of the taxpayers of the state, as shown the taxpayers of the taxpayers of the taxpayers of the state, as shown the taxpayers of the taxpayers of the taxpayers of the state, as shown the taxpayers of the taxpayers of the taxpayers of the state, as shown the taxpayers of taxpayers of



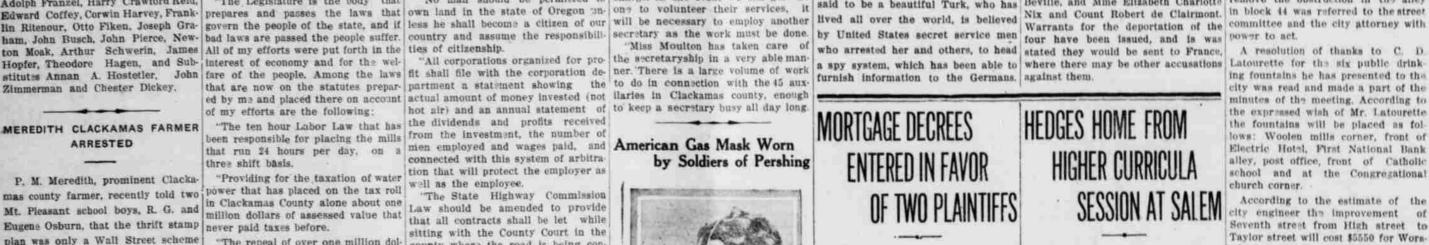
Red Cross auxiliaries to accept a position in Portland and the finance committee is looking for a secretary to fill the vacancy.

"At the time we appointed Miss Moulton as secretary," said A. R.

volunteer to do this work free of "Miss Moulton has taken care of

hot air) and an annual statement of to keep a secretary busy all day long

by Soldiers of Pershing



Above - MME DBSPINA D. STORCH

BELOW-MME ELIZABETH NIX and COUNT ROBERT DECLAIRMONT

Two mortgage decrees were enter- J. E. Hedges, of this city, has just mondity pavement. ed Wednesday. The foreclosure of a returned home from Salem and other Eighteen arrests were made during chattel mortgage by James M. Tracy, cities in the southern part of the Sr., against D. O. Smith and the Port- state. Mr. Hedges is a member of the the month of March, as shown by the land Seed Company, a corporation, the Board of Higher Curricula that con report of Chief of Police Cooke. One subject matter being considerable vened at Salers. The members of the of these was for drunkeness. farm property, was decreed. The other Board were extended an invitation to On behalf of E. E. Brodie, publisher suit was that of the Hibernia Saving visit the Oregon Agricultural Col. of The Morning Enterprise, a flag was Bank vs. Jos. Hawkins and Luella, lege, when the college was inspected. presented to the city to fly from the his wife, and W. W. Dugan, decreeing Eugene was visited by Mr. Hedges, flagstaff on the city hall, replacing foreclosure of certain real property who took an active part in the dedica- the tattered one there now. The counof defendants to cover a judgment of tory ceremonies of the service flag, cil voted a resolution of thanks to Mr. of the University of Orsgon, this flag Brodje and instructed the chief of \$1,512.00. The suit of Rosalind Gibson vs. Con- containing 651 stars, one of which police to preserve the flag carefully. tinental Realty and Improvement Com- represents Joseph Hedges, Jr., son of lowering it every evening and raising pany, a California corporation, and J. Mr. and Mrs. J E. Hedges, now in it in the morning. L. Barger, has been transferred to France. The street committee was instructed to repair the railing along the the U.S. district court upon the aptiff, who is the wife of John Gibson, ORDERS PLACED sidewalk on the South End road and on the Abernethy bridge as it was well known Wichita realtor, claims pointed out to be in a poor condition FOR THIRD LOAN \$10,000 from the California concern and a menace to pedestrians on these for damages sustained, by the comtwo thoroughfares. This committee LIBERTY BONDS was also instructed to prepare plans pany's actions in cancelling a real for repairing the housing of the eleestate contract claimed to be exist vator shaft. ing between the parties. The defend-T h o m a s Broomfield, Lloyd The fire and water commission was ant is a California real estate com-Riches, Miss Lena Costley and instructed to remove the old and worn Dany Adams, placed their orders through out fire truck from fire house No. 3.

## LIVE WIRE **MOVEMENT** : IS SHELVED **BY COUNCIL**

The petition of the Live Wirzs to submit to a vote of the people a proposition to issue bonds to an amount not to exceed \$10,000 and to levy a special tax of not to exceed one mill for the purpose of buying a motor fire engine and maintaining a paid fire department of two men came up before the regular council meeting Wednesday night and was laid on the table.

In taking this action the council decided the proposed measure was not judiciously framed in that It did not provide for enough taxation to pay for the running expenses of the fire department each year and at the same time provide for a sinking fund to take care of interest on the bonds and to retire them in the specified time.

There was no members of the Live Wire committee having this matter in hand at the council meeting to explain the proposed plan.

Estimates of the city engineer for the improvement of Washington street from Fourteenth street to the Abernathy road placed the total cost of Worswick pavement at \$3378 and that of Richmondite pavement at \$2314.70. The estimates were referred to the street committee.

Petition of Edward Nuttall asking Mme Despina Davidovitch Storch, With her were taken Baron Henri de that the council require C. Fudge to said to be a beautiful Turk, who has Beville, and Mme Elizabeth Charlotte remove the obstruction in the alley

city was read and made a part of the

minutes of the meeting. According to the expressed wish of Mr. Latourette the fountains will be placed as follows: Woolen mills corner, front of Electric Hotel, First National Bank alley, post office, front of Catholic school and at the Congregational church corner.

According to the estimate of the city engineer the improvement of Seventh street from High street to Taylor street will cost \$5550 for Worswick pavement and \$4110 for Rich-

years ago.

however, renewed their sales with in- its passage: creased vigor and reported Meredith's statments to local officers. Sunday Meredith was arrested by Deputy violation of the espionage act. Meredith is well known in Oregon City as a radical Socialist and was formerly an officer of the Clackamas County Farmers' union, launched here a few

They have purchased nearly \$100 never occur as long as this law reworth of stamps themselves, and it is mains in force as it now it. said that Meredith talked to them for nearly an hour in an effort to dissuade them from helping along with the work. The matter was simultan-

Loyalty League and it was whispered district should cast their votes for none. about Oregon City Monday that had the him, not because he is a good fellow, federal government failed to take but he should have some object in been "waited on" by a committee of tions for the people whom he serves. future as I have in the past. highly incensed citizens who felt that "I am interested in better laws and my only object in being a candidate his actions were most unpatriotic.

Meredith has a small farm east of Oregon City and has a family. Many few days. complaints have been lodged with

the local officers concerning his rabid Meredith is an American and forun-American utterances, and it is the merly was in newspaper work. The common belief here that the federal government has a strong case against officers took charge of the case in the him, not only the Osburn boys, but nick of time. Two other cases of dis- several other neighbors, who will aployalty are also in the hands of the pear when the matter comes up. The government charging similar acts on Osburn boys are the sons of thes late the part of citizens of the same com- Mrs. Mary Osburn who died at her munity and it is thought that these home in the Mt. Pleasant country recwill come to a head within the next ently.

The boys were far from convinced tion to prepare the bill as well as in only be allowed to contract the work. "The State of Oregon should pro

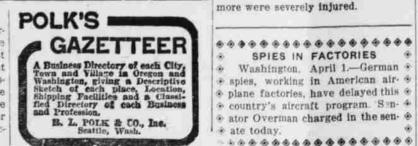
'Yours very truly.

'THOS. F. RYAN.'

'In reply to your favor of the 18th vide for taking care of the unfortuninst, requesting facts and figures re- ate and not one dollar of the people's U. S. Marshal Mass, and was taken to lative to the effect of the passage of money should be paid out to sectarian. Portland to face trial on charge of the General Fund Bill introduced by or non-sectarian institutes. This is a yourself at the session of 1915, I find critical time and the Legislature that the payment of interest upon en- should give our government the necdorsed warrants during the 15 years essary assistance, by proper legislaprevious to the enactment of the Gen- tion, to destroy every particle of disaral Fund Law, the state paid \$103, loyalty wherever it may be found, and 698.64. Some years the payments were a law should be passed that during much greater than others, as for in- the war every man, rich and poor The boys are both patriotic young- stance the year previous to passage, alike, should be compelled to work at sters who have been assisting in the of this law \$24,233 was paid out on some useful occupation to assist the school children's thrift stamp drive. account of accrued interest. This will government in carrying the war to a successful conclusion.

"In whatever position I have held I served the people to the best of my ability and always endeavered to pro-"Every candidate should be able to tect the taxpayer. My motto shall be cously reported to the Mt. Pleasant give a reason why the people of his "Justice to all, special priviledge for

Sincerely yours. "C. SCHUEBEL."





This is the type of gas mask worn "If the people should nominate and by General Pershing's men in France, elect me to the Legislature, I shall the kind one contingent of his troops charge of Meredith he would have making better and more just condin- serve to the best of my ability in the had when they were assailed by bursting German gas shells. Many of the men under attack were unable to adjust the masks in time to save themselves. As a result five died and many more were severely injured.

SPIES IN FACTORIES

Washington, April 1 .-- German \*

MERGE EXPPESS COMPANIES + City Wednesday for their quota of \* the Third Liberty Bonds. As the 6th

Washington, April 2 .- Merging . of April, the first day of the drive, ap-· of the express companies under a · proaches inquiries and applications \* new corporation to operate them \* for these iron clad bonds b come more \* as a unit and work out a basis of \* numerous. It is expected that every · distribution of profits, is under · true American will make his applica-@ tion carly in the drivs and thereby

\* consideration. assist Clackamas County in keeping \*\*\*\*\*\*\*\* per cent American." ............

PARIS IS BOMBARDED . SOLDIERS ADOPT ORPHANS .

PARIS, April 1 .-- Paris was 🐵 again bomharded by the long dis- 🌒 👻 \* tance German cannon this morn- \* \* soldiers in France will adopt \* can always continue the war by sea. Ing.

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Basle, Switzerland, April 1 .-- The Arbeiter Zeitung, of Vienna, a copy of which has been received here. sounds a warning to the Teutonic allies as follows:

"Do not be deceived. German's victories will never force the entente to with its past reputation, which is "100 accept a peace of violence. If the Gers mans could take Calais and Paris, and even force France and Italy to capitulate, there will ever remain the . English hidden in their isle and Am-PARIS, March 29 .- American & erica protected by the ocean. They · French war orphans and children . The greatest victory cannot impose There have been few casualties, \* \* of families made destitute by the \* a peace of violence on America and · England.

