

PUBLICITY PROVEN PROPER WAY

Power Illustrated to Force People To Do Their Share.

In the list of liberty bond slackers and shirkers offered to the newspapers for publication the other day were four names instead of three.

The fourth man got wind of the intent of the liberty loan committee and hastily sent in a substantial subscription. His name was therefore stricken from the list before it was printed.

Appearance in the press of the list of three was an evidence that more names would be printed unless subscriptions were forthcoming. Numerous dilatory persons therefore hastened to forestall publicity.

Here is a practical illustration of the power of publicity to force persons who can do their duty to do it. There is a similar provision now in the Oregon tax laws. The tax shirker is first given notice by mail of his delinquency. He knows that if he

does not respond within a certain time his name will be published in connection with an advertisement announcing the availability of a tax loan upon his property to any person who will pay his taxes for him.

For an unexplained reason an avowed single tax advocate wishes to dispense with this publicity. At a time when the adequacy of public revenues is made precarious by war conditions and when other folk are devoting their chief energies and their available means to prosecution of war work, he finances an initiative measure seemingly designed to interfere with the collection of taxes.

The lesson of the liberty loan committee's publicity ought to be plain to the most ordinary understanding. Tax money, like bond money, must be had. There are always slackers and shirkers. Moral force must be used to compel some to pay.—Oregonian.

HUNDRED LIVES SNUFFED OUT IN EASTERN PLANT

PORT AMBOY, N. J., Oct. 4.—A hundred lives are believed to have been lost and many persons have been injured in a great disaster at the T. A. Gillespie Shellloading plant at Morgan, N. J., near this city.

The plant covers a huge area and employs about 7000 men and women. There were 2000 men in the building that was destroyed.

Flames broke out following a series of explosions and spread rapidly.

Two ambulance loads of injured have arrived here and the victims were taken to the city hospital. They brought with them reports that more than 100 hundred workmen are believed to have been killed in the explosion as the full night shift was at work at the time.

After questioning doctors who returned from Morgan with the patients, the police said that in addition to 100 persons killed many others were stunned by the force of the explosions, but had been able to crawl from the buildings.

A dozen explosions occurred within an hour.

INFLUENZA BREAKS UP SESSION IN CORVALLIS

Prevalent of Spanish influenza at Corvallis caused a sudden postponement Tuesday of the annual Congregational state convention, and the Oregon City church delegates, Rev. and Mrs. Herbert G. Crocker, Mrs. W. A. White and Mrs. J. M. Mark, who left Oregon City for Corvallis Tuesday morning, returned home Tuesday afternoon, after spending only a few hours in the college town.

It was reported to the delegates that several hundred cases of influenza had developed at Corvallis, and the city council, after a night session that lasted until 2 o'clock Tuesday morning, decided to forbid all public gatherings, and ordered the city schools closed, as well as the motion picture theatres and other places where people congregate until the epidemic is checked.

While the Oregon Agricultural college is still open, the convention of the Congregational church, after a few minutes' session, adjourned, and the delegates left for their respective homes, the Oregon City contingent arriving there at 11:30 A. M., and leaving on the 2:18 train.

While no cases have yet been reported in Oregon City, it is not at all improbable that the dread disease may

make its appearance here, as it has broken out in many Northwest points, and several deaths have occurred at the United States naval station in Bremerton, Wash. It was reported here Tuesday that the public schools and the University of Washington in Seattle had been closed indefinitely.

Canby

Mayor W. H. Blair was a fairly contented man last Sunday night when his day's hunting on the islands below Portland, along with George Reid, of the Portland Seed Co., Ed. Burnett, of Burnett & Son, and Vick Payne, the three latter from Portland, netted the party something like 100 fine mallard and Teal ducks. Of course the mayor says it is so, and the people must believe him, although they have tried to make him understand that they are "from Missouri". Mayor Blair says there are lots of ducks, and the outlook for the winter's shooting is encouraging.

M. J. Lee announces that he expects to start his bus line between Canby and Oregon City next Saturday, with the first bus leaving this city at 7 in the morning in order to accommodate those mill workers who are employed at Oregon City. The bus line is receiving considerable notice from the people, and it is believed it will be a popular affair almost from the start.

Carl Schmitt, local representative of the Hazelwood company, was a Portland business visitor Saturday. Mr. Schmitt has been offered a position with the Hazelwood in Portland this winter, as well as a lucrative position as lighthouse operator on one of the Salem newspapers, and is somewhat in the air as to which to accept.

Mrs. Minnie Bradford and daughter, Mrs. Josephine Burgess, were surprised by the following relatives and friends, who spent Sunday with them: Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Reher, of Jefferson, Or., Mr. and Mrs. A. Spaulding, Mr. and Mrs. VanFridagh, Mr. and Mrs. McMillan and two children, of Portland.

Miss Catherine Evans is spending a couple of weeks at Seattle, Wash., a guest at the Delta Gamma sorority house, of which chapter she is a member. Miss Evans was a student of the University of Washington last year and expects to resume her studies there after the Christmas holidays.

Rev. Henry Spies, the new pastor of the Canby M. E. church, conducted services last Sunday, but has not as yet moved his family from Estacada, although he expects to do so at once. Rev. Mr. Carlos was transferred to Medford, where he has already entered upon his new duties.

Elroy W. Bates and wife expect to leave this week for Hood River, Or. where they will remain during the winter for the benefit of Mrs. Bates' health.

Cabinet Member's Wife in Y. M. C. A. Costume



Mrs. JOSEPHUS DANIELS Mrs. Josephus Daniels, wife of the secretary of the navy, is an ardent member of the Young Women's Christian Association, which is heavily engaged in war work. This shows Mrs. Daniels in her costume, the regular costume of the organization.

FESTIVITIES CALLED OFF BECAUSE OF INFLUENZA

The festivities to have taken place on Saturday, October 14, at Oregon City, by the Oregon City banking district, celebrating Columbus Day have been called off, owing to the fact that there is a case of Spanish influenza in the county, and every precaution is being made to keep the dreaded disease from spreading. It was planned to have a parade and this was to be followed by a patriotic program at the Liberty Temple. At a meeting held Wednesday by the committee having the event in charge, it was decided to give up the affair.

The committee was composed of T. W. Sullivan, J. E. Hodges, John W. Loder, L. Adams and O. D. Eby.

OREGON MEN NAMED

WASHINGTON, Oct. 9.—The department of agriculture has appointed the following as agricultural advisers to the districts boards of Oregon.

William Schulmerick, Hillsboro, division No. 1, Portland.

Richard Scott, Corvallis, division No. 2, Eugene.

Jay H. Dobbin, Enterprise, division No. 3, LaGrande.

PROPERTY GOES TO WIFE IN FORBERG WILL

The will of Carl August Forberg was filed Wednesday. All of the property of the deceased was left to his wife, and after her death their son David, is to receive \$1000, and the balance to be divided among the other five children, share and share alike.

The will of August Kempin has been filed for probate, and the wife of the deceased named as executrix. Under the terms of the will the life insurance of Kempin is left to his daughter, Flora Christensen, of Hillsboro, and his personal effects are devised to his wife, the residue being left to his wife and daughter equally.

PRACTICAL WAR TALKS HEARD BY 1300 MEN

Nearly 1300 men, between the ages of 18 and 46, packed Busch's hall to its doors Thursday night to hear talks of a practical and instructive character directed to them by men engaged in war service work. The big crowd lined the sides of the hall and listened eagerly for two hours while Dr. A. J. Montgomery, formerly pastor of the Presbyterian Church of Oregon City; Captain J. Frederick Thorne of the American Red Cross, and Captain Richard Russell, of the U. S. Medical Corps at Camp Lewis gave them needed instruction that was forceful, yet entertaining. Senator Walter A. Dimick, chairman of the local instruction board presided.

Every section of the county was represented in the audience, and practically every man was within the draft ages. They came from miles around and a pin drop could have been heard during the interesting addresses.

The meeting was opened with vocal music, Miss Naomi Armstrong leading in "Star Spangled Banner," accompanied by Miss Erna Calavan, Dr. W. T. Milliken delivered a brief invocation and Miss Armstrong sang "After the War is Over."

Dr. Montgomery talked of the work of the army Y. M. C. A. and Captain Thorne gave a practical address of interest to the prospective inductees. He explained allotments, compensation, and told how to proceed upon entering camp, and what to take to camp, and many other details that every drafted man should know.

Captain Russell made the principal address, dealing primarily with the medical aspect of the recruit and the soldier. He gave some highly entertaining figures relative to diseases in the army and the methods of treatment. His was essentially a man's talk to men.

Among the registrants were a group of limited service men, on their way to Fort McDowell from Clackamas to report for duty.

The work initiated at Thursday night's meeting will be continued in various sections of the county by the local board of instruction, consisting of Walter A. Dimick, John W. Loder, Dr. W. T. Milliken, Jos. E. Hodges, H. E. Cross and A. C. Howland. They have been appointed by the local draft board, which will name five others to assist in this important work, and meetings will be arranged in practically every section of the county so that all registrants may be reached.

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MEINDL IS TAKEN FOR SEDITIOUS UTTERANCE

Joseph Meindl, for many years a resident of Clackamas County, and a prominent member of the Socialist party, was arrested Monday at his farm on the Abernethy road, charged with violation of the espionage act. It is alleged that he uttered seditious words. Meindl was taken to Portland by Sheriff Wilson and Assistant United States Attorney Earle C. Latourette and will have a preliminary hearing in the federal court.

It is charged that Meindl said that this war is a rich man's war, and that the Americans were just as bad as the Germans, and had murdered families in the Philippines. He had not purchased Liberty bonds of any of the four issues.

Assistant United States Attorney Latourette said Monday that three of the Clackamas county espionage cases had been set for trial in the federal court for this month. These are the cases against I. H. Phipps, of Boring, and P. W. Meredith and A. A. Uease. The latter two are Socialists. Mr. Latourette emphasized the statement that it is the patriotic duty of every citizen to give authorities any evidence in their possession relating to disloyal utterances.

TWENTY FOUR CLASS 1 MEN TO LEAVE HERE FOR ACTIVE SERVICE

Twenty-four Class 1 registrants have been called to report here October 21 for active service. Two calls for 12 men each were issued today by the local board, 12 men to report at a Southern camp and the same number to be sent north. The calls affect the following draftees:

- Carl Frederick Kleeb, Milwaukie; Peter Olsen, Molalla; Glen Rhodes, West Linn; James Lee Cannon, Portland; Albert Edward Berner, Hoff; Henry Rye, Mt. Angel; Harvey Jackson, Molalla; Lester Rivers, Vancouver, Wash.; Edward Earl Kenny, Portland; Charley Allen Buckman, Boring; Lloyd McKinley Massey, Milwaukie; Carl Dewight Douglas, Barabon; George Arnold LaChapelle, Salem; Abel Hart Jacobson, Mt. Angel; Rae Albert Erickson, Estacada; Clarence Edward Frossard, Milwaukie; Harry Porter Aasele, Milwaukie; Frank LeRoy Flanery, Clackamas; Normer Leonard Peterson, Lents Station R. F. D. No. 3; James Birden Green, Parma, Idaho; Ralph Arthur DeShazer, Eagle Creek; Henry Kylio, Aurora; Walter Willard Helm, Mar-mot; Herbert Keebaugh, Canby.

Alternates—Harry Earl Davids, Aurora; Edward G. Meyrick, Oregon City; Ernest Arnold Morgan, Milwaukie; Robert Avery Snodgrass, Oregon City; Clyde Ernest Fischer, Aurora.

NASKE POSTED DELINQUENT

Alex Naske has been reported by the local draft board as a delinquent. He gave his address in care of E. L. Brown, Oregon City, R. F. D. No. 3, and his questionnaire was returned by the postal authorities.

- COLUMBUS, O., Oct. 4.—Pas-quall Blondi, of Akron, convicted of the murder of a policeman, was electrocuted today; a few hours before papers granting a stay of execution reached the prison.

IN SOCIETY CIRCLES

Mrs. Dean Butler of Oak Grove, was taken completely by surprise Wednesday evening, when Mr. Butler planned to have a number of her friends call to remind her it was her wedding anniversary, but that gifts of any nature must be left out of the surprise. A number of friends gathered at an appointed hour and specified place at Oak Grove, and awaited for the signal of Mr. Butler, who in the meantime was arranging to take his wife to Clackamas for an automobile trip, where he said he was to give an address. Mr. Butler was to return with the car and his wife and son were to be ready to take the trip. When the husband returned with the automobile he escorted the guests to the home. At once Mrs. Butler realized the surprise was on her, and is now planning to "get even" although she thoroughly enjoyed it.

The evening was devoted to a social time, and the guests had the pleasure of viewing the many souvenirs of Mr. and Mrs. Butler they secured while in the Philippine Islands several years ago.

Attending the party were: Mr. and Mrs. John Etchison, of Oregon City; Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Davenport; Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Fellows; Dr. L. J. Lavanture.

ESTACADA MAT ENTERS SERVICE AT CAMP WORDEN

ESTACADA, Or., Oct. 5.—Walter Givens, a business man of Estacada, has just received orders to report at Camp Worden, Wash., on October 15, to be commissioned chaplain with rank of First Lieutenant. He came here seven or eight years ago as agent for the P. R. L. & P. Co., later started into business for himself and organized the Walter Givens company, to deal in merchandise. While in business he studied for the ministry and last summer was ordained at the Eugene Bible university for the ministry of the Christian church. In addition to his business duties he has been preaching Sundays at Kent, Sherman county, making the trip of over 100 miles each week by auto. His wife will carry on the business while he is absent in war service.

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CLEVER EVASION MADE BY PIERCE IS LATEST CLAIM

Discovering, apparently, that his affiliation with promoters of the Non-Partisan league in the state last January is militating against his candidacy among loyal and patriotic citizens, Walter M. Pierce, Democratic nominee for governor, is denying in the country press that he participated in the organization of the league and also that he is a member of it, according to the Portland Telegram.

The denial is considered by politicians a clever evasion of the facts, for it is significantly silent concerning Mr. Pierce's attendance at the meeting held in Portland January 19 for the immediate organization of the league in the state. The meeting was held behind closed doors in the Mul-nomah hotel, and after the star chamber session, lasting all day, the immediate organization of the league was decided upon. According to published stories concerning the session, C. E. Spence, master of the State grange, was made chairman of an executive committee appointed to formulate a plan for permanent organization and a plan of procedure for the meeting. Mr. Pierce was in attendance at the meeting, participated in discussions during the day, and served as a member of the legislative committee, which submitted a report recommending somewhat radical legislation.

Politicians also recalled today that Mr. Pierce at the annual meeting of the Oregon State grange at Salem this year supported C. E. Spence for reelection as master after Mr. Spence had delivered an address against a resolution introduced in the grange repudiating its indorsement of the league a year before, and which was adopted by a vote of 76 to 3.

Mr. Pierce is a running-mate of ex-Governor West, Democratic nominee for United States senator, and in whose behalf the ex-governor has signified his intention of stumping the state, despite the fact that the former governor went publicly on record during the primary campaign in favor of the Hooverization of candidates and the suspension of politics during the war.

SEVERAL REAL ESTATE DEALS ARE REPORTED

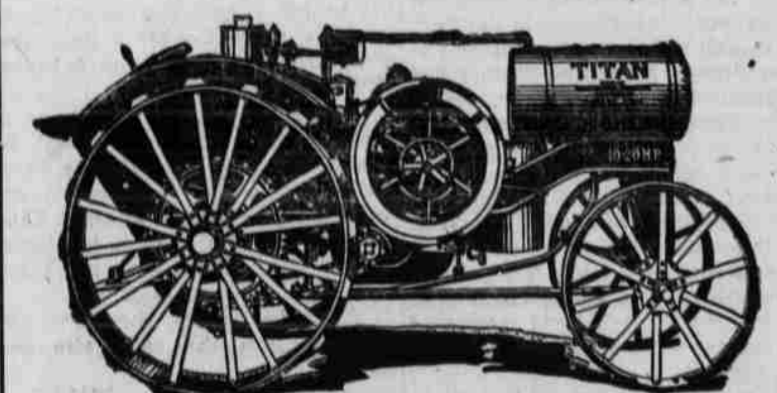
Realty transactions reported by Dillman & Howland are as follows: The 21 acres farm of George Grover, 1 1/2 miles from Robbins station on the Linn's Mill road, has been purchased by Charles Wakeman for \$4000.

James Dawson has purchased the dwelling at 212 Monroe street, Oregon City, from H. Schraeder for \$1200. A. W. Ely, of Eugene, has exchanged his property in that city for Mrs. Birdie Plath's property at Milwaukie.

W. J. Wilson has purchased from the city of Oregon City the vacant lot on Monroe street between Fifth and Sixth streets for \$400.

- AVIATOR KILLED LONDON, Oct. 7.—Lieutenant Captain Artemus L. Gates and Chapin C. Barr was killed and an unidentified American sergeant are missing. It was announced by U. S. naval headquarters.

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