

PORTLAND LAGS IN BUYING WAR BONDS

Banks Not to Be Able to Float \$2,000,000,000 Liberty Loan Unaided, Say Financiers.

CASH CANNOT BE SPARED

Public Must Shoulder Burden to Make Launching of Issue Successful—Denominations Not Yet Announced.

There is a grievous lack of enthusiasm in Portland in regard to floating the \$2,000,000,000 liberty loan, say Portland bankers.

Perhaps the folks are down at the tail end of the war, or the soldiers or are attending patriotic meetings, they say. Anyway, so far, there has been a singular lack of inquiry for the bonds that are to help the allies win from Germany.

One banker called up six of his customers recently and asked if they were ready to do their bit as regards taking some of the war bonds, and if so, how many should they buy? One of the four men, in each case the customer said he had not as yet thought about taking the bonds.

Immediate Action Is Urged. Financiers of the city say it is high time Portland people were giving thought to the matter. The Liberty Loan, it is stated, must be taken by the people very largely, and everyone who is able to raise funds for the purpose should participate in it.

The banks cannot subscribe for the bonds because it would not do to have their funds tied up in such securities. If they did the business of the country would suffer for the lack of liquid funds to take care of pressing needs.

The Liberty Loan is a patriotic one if it is to be successful, it is declared. The public must shoulder the burden and everyone in Portland must do all that he can in this direction.

Denominations Not Yet Known. Just the denominations of the bonds are not yet known. It is assumed they will be as small as \$100, and the probability is that they may grade down to \$20 and \$25.

The bonds will pay 4 1/2 per cent but because of their low rate they are free from taxation the investor will realize more from these bonds than from the average security of similar soundness.

W. A. MacRae, president of the Portland Clearing-House Association, said the banks will do all they can in respect to buying the war bonds, but that the public will have to come to the front generally in order to float the loan.

At the request of the Federal Reserve Bank, Mr. MacRae said Portland banks will sell the bonds at par without profit to the banks. It will be impossible for the banks to use their resources to generally to purchase in the bond purchases with bank funds by reason of the fact that money must be kept in hand to take care of general business.

Resources Cannot Be Tied Up. "The public is generally inclined to think that the banks can attend to the liberty loan by themselves. The fact is they cannot, and the people must come in and take the bonds generally.

E. G. Crawford, president of the Lumbermen's National Bank, is also impressed by the apathy throughout the community in respect to the loan. He said: "When the first loans were made as a temporary measure, the banks took them up, and I presume from this circumstance it is thought the banks will take care of this loan, too. The community would suffer if the commercial banks tied up their resources in the bonds and the people would be hurt. The public will have to find the money for the bonds, which will probably be issued within 90 days. The Portland banks will receive applications at any time for the bonds and the public is urged to indicate their interest and co-operation in making the loan a success."

RADIATORS VOLUNTEER AID Eugene Marching Club to Help Take War Census.

EUGENE, Or., May 8.—(Special)—The Radiators Eugene's marching organization, including 150 of the city's business men, last night volunteered the services of its members, subject to the call of Sheriff J. C. Parker, for war census work.

The appointment of the following non-commissioned officers for the drill were announced last night as follows: Sergeants, D. H. Hayes, Clyde Fisk, H. R. Knight and Donald Young; corporals, J. W. Hill, E. D. Paine, P. R. Willoughby and W. W. Britton.

Luke Goodrich, Frank McAllister and A. J. Gillette were appointed to make arrangements for the Radiators' part in the Eugene excursion to the Strawberry Festival at Roseburg, May 19.

Missionary to Speak at Turner. TURNER, Or., May 8.—(Special)—Miss Roberta Barr, of New York City, field secretary of the Freedmen's committee of the Woman's Presbyterian Board of Home Missions, will speak at the Presbyterian Church here Thursday evening on the "The Freedmen and the Work for Missionaries." Miss Barr will hold a missionary conference for the women of the church at the home of Mrs. Wesley Smith.

FOUR-FOLD BENEFIT

From Two Grand Medicines in Spring. You know that physicians often give two prescriptions, perhaps more, or medicines to be taken together, or alternately or at different times.

One reason may be that the medicines are "incompatible" do not agree when closely mixed in taking—or that desired results cannot be secured by one medicine alone.

The most successful Combination Spring medicine treatment that we know of—because perfectly "compatible" and productive of the best results—is in Hood's Sarsaparilla and Peptonin Pills. The former thoroughly searches out and expels impurities from the blood, while Peptonin Pills give the powerful tonic—they literally "put iron into your blood."

Hood's Sarsaparilla should be taken before meals and Peptonin Pills after meals—patients taking them so report the benefit is four-fold—prompt, positive, permanent. Both these medicines are economical and pleasant to take.

Portland Agents Ladies' Home Journal Patterns and Publications—Portland Agents Gossard, Nemo, Bon Ton, Bien Jolie, Royal Worcester Corsets—Artistic Picture Framing to Order at Lowest Prices, 4th Floor—Manicuring and Hairdressing Parlors, 2d Floor—Kodaks, Cameras, Lawn Swings, Fishing Tackle, 4th Floor

Grocery Specials Grocery Dept. 4th Floor—Royal Baking Powder, 1-pound 39c can on sale today at only 39c—Bulk Peanut Butter on sale today at, the pound 14c

SODA FOUNTAIN AND ICE CREAM PARLORS IN BASEMENT SHOE-SHINING PARLORS IN BASEMENT

The Standard Store of the Northwest Olds, Wortman & King Reliable Merchandise—Reliable Methods

S. & H. GREEN TRADING STAMPS GIVEN ON ALL CHARGE ACCOUNTS IF PAID IN FULL BY 10TH EACH MONTH

Tea Room Fourth Floor—Plan your shopping tour to include luncheon here. Service from 11:30 to 2:30. Afternoon tea from 2:30 to 4:30.

Double Stamps Today With Charge or Cash Purchases Take Advantage of This Special Double Stamp Offering and Supply Your Summer Needs

Today—A Notable Showing of Beautiful New Waists Ranging in Price, \$2.50 to \$9.50

NEW VOILE WAISTS in a large selection of exquisite new models in fancy and tailored effects. All have the new large collars and many are trimmed with deep ruffles edged with fine laces. We also show some in the new sport styles. Priced at \$2.80 to \$6.95. NEW WASH SILK WAISTS, made up in fancy colored stripes, with white collars and cuffs of same material. Latest sport collars and novelty cuffs. Large pearl buttons form the trimming. Prices range from \$3.49 on up to \$4.50.



Notions and Small Wares At Special Low Prices Dressmakers and Home Sewers Should Profit by These Special Offerings Today at the Bargain Circle, First Floor.

Machine Oil, 6-ounce bottle, 17c Wood Coat Hangers, special 3c Dora Hooks and Eyes, in black and white, two cards for 5c Boned Belting, blk., white, 11c Bias Folds, sizes 1 to 7, bolt 5c The Protection Garment Bag—a bag that all can buy—price 39c Sanitary Aprons, special 15c Dress Shields, Nainsook, some silk, in sizes 2, 3 and 4, at 15c Rubberized Household Aprons, very special today at only 39c Ric Rac Braid, in red only, a four-yard bolt today at only 7c Curling Irons, special today 7c Tourist Folding Curling Irons, very special today at only 11c Cube Pins, in black only, at 5c Franklin Safety Pins, size 3 only, very special, the card 3c Hercules Stocking Supporters for infants and children, in blue, white and black, at pair 10c Sanitary Belts, small, medium and large, special at only 10c Hair Nets, with or without elastic, in all shades, packed, five nets to package, at only 10c 20th Century Hip Hooks, \$1.59 —WAYNE WARDROBES of cedar-lined paper—moth-proof and dust-proof. The modern way to protect your furs and woollens. Made in 10 different sizes for all purposes. Prices, 50c to \$2

Special Sale of New Silk Waists At \$2.29 Smart Tailored Effects and Fancy Styles

Center Circle, First Floor—Charming new styles fresh from the maker and shown for the first time today. Novelty styles and tailored effects. Splendid quality crepe de chine, stripe wash silks, Jap silks and pongee. Many are neatly trimmed with embroidery and lace. Tailored styles show the new large sport collars. Shown in white, flesh and colors. An excellent opportunity to select a beautiful new Waist at a big saving. Your choice \$2.29 of these Waists today at only

NEW WAISTS of Georgette Crepe and Nets. Beautiful models, featuring the very latest style touches. Many in combinations of various colors, trimmed with bead embroidery. New high collars. Priced \$4.50 to \$9.50. NEW WAISTS of Crepe de Chine in tailored effects, \$3.49 to \$6.95. NEW SMOCKS of Georgette Crepe and Silk Belted style or with tie sash. Prices range from \$8.75 to \$25.00. New Middy Blouses and Cotton Smocks, white and colors. Middies are made up in galatee—smocks in galatee, cotton chevrots and cotton gabardines. Shown in great assortment of latest colors. Priced now at \$1.39 on up to \$6.75

Women's New Sport Coats Special \$14.95

At \$14.95 Women's and Misses' smart new Coats, made up in flannels, wool Jersey, velours, Bedford cords, whipcords, gabardines and many other fabrics. Scores of handsome models in this assortment. Many in belted effects, others in loose-fitting styles. New large collars. Shown in all the wanted plain colors, also novelty checks and plaids. Half and three-quarter lengths. Extraordinary values. Priced special \$14.95

Women's Coats at \$19.85 At \$19.85 there are Sport Coats, Street Coats and velours, chevrots, poplins, gabardines, burellas—also many of silk Jersey, silk poplins, Shantung, etc. Fashionable, loose-fitting effects with large sport collars and novelty cuffs. 1/2 or 3/4 lengths. Great assortments of colors. Special today \$19.85

Men's, Women's and Children's Underwear and Hosiery In a Great 4-Days' Sale in the Basement



Double Stamps with all Charge or Cash Purchases Wednesday in all departments of the store. Don't fail to take advantage of this saving.

An event of utmost importance to everyone within reach of the store. Thousands of dollars' worth of Men's, Women's and Children's Summer Underwear are included in this mighty sale at prices far below regular value. By placing our orders with the manufacturer nearly 12 months ago and buying in immense quantities we enabled to give our customers extraordinary bargains. The entire Main Aisle in the Basement will be given over to a special display of underwear—many lines of which are not advertised. Double Stamps with all charge or cash purchases made today all over the store.

Men's Union Suits Special 33c

Basement—Men's White Gauze Union Suits of splendid quality. Styled with short sleeves and knee length. Sizes 36 to 46. 33c On special sale today at

Men's Union Suits 50c Basement—Men's Mesh and Balbriggan Union Suits—knee length, short sleeves, closed crotch. Priced 50c very special per garment

Athletic Shirts 19c Basement—Men's Athletic Shirts of splendid quality white muslin. V-neck style without buttons. 19c Special Sale, the garment 19c

Men's Balbriggan Shirts and Drawers—short or long sleeves, 48c

Boys' Union Suits 45c Basement—Boys' Balbriggan Union Suits of excellent quality. Short sleeves, knee length. Shown in white and ecru. Sizes for boys 6 to 18 years. Sale price, suit 45c

Boys' Union Suits 79c Basement—Boys' Union Suits of first quality Balbriggan. Perfect fitting and nicely finished. White or ecru. Short sleeves, ankle length. Ages 8 to 18. Special the suit 79c

Women's and Children's Hosiery —WOMEN'S WHITE HOSE of good quality. Double heel and toe, garter top. Shown in a complete range of sizes. Supply your needs in 15c the Basement at only, pair

—WOMEN'S HOSE of splendid grade, fast black cotton with white sole. Elastic top, double heel and toe. Shown in all sizes. In 17c the Basement Sale at, pair

—FIBER SILK HOSE for Women. High spliced heel, double sole and toe. Fast black, shown in all sizes.

—BOYS' STOCKINGS—Good heavy rib for school and vacation days. Elastic top, double heel and toe. Basement Sale Price, pair 17c

—CHILDREN'S HOSE—Medium weight for boys and girls. Shown in black or white. Elastic top, double heel and toe. Basement Sale Price, special, a pair 19c

—HALF HOSE for little tots—white with pink or blue tops. Sizes 4 1/2 up to 8. Basement special offering at the pair, only 15c

Women's Union Suits Special 25c Basement—Women's ribbed Union Suits, low neck, sleeveless, tight or lace trimmed knee. Sizes 34 to 44. Priced special, a suit 25c

Women's Vests 12 1/2c Basement—Women's Summer Vests with dainty lace-trimmed yoke and wing sleeves. Shown in 12 1/2c all sizes. Now, garment

Extra Special WOMEN'S and Children's Ribbed Cotton Vests. Limit 6 vests to a customer. Priced Special 10c

—WOMEN'S Union Suits—"Lady Grace" make; pink or white 49c

—CHILDREN'S Vests and Pants. Shown in all sizes. Lace 12 1/2c trimmed or plain. Now



DOUBLE S. & H. STAMPS

FUND FOR ANESTHETICS

CHAIN LETTER ASSISTS BRITISH HOSPITALS IN FRANCE. Red Cross Takes Over Management of Money Raised by Plan Suggested by Nurse.

Many Portland people are contributing funds to the American committee of the British Red Cross through the Whitman chain letter, which now is being circulated throughout the country.

The purpose of the letter is to secure funds for the purchase of hospital supplies needed by the British Red Cross in the hospitals of France, as owing to the scarcity of anesthetics, operations that cause indescribable pain have to be performed daily without their aid to mitigate suffering.

The chain-letter plan of raising this money was conceived some time ago by Miss Elizabeth C. Whitman, a nurse, in New York. It met with instant success, but as the returns began growing in volume it was necessary for the Red Cross to take it over.

The money is being handled by the American committee, and the supplies purchased therewith are going forward regularly to the armies in Europe. A short time ago, through an evident misunderstanding, a number of Portland business men gained the impression that the so-called Whitman chain letter was fraudulent, and they temporarily broke their units of the chain, but this misapprehension since has been corrected and the chain has been renewed to the increased advantage of the Red Cross fund and to the obvious benefit of the sufferers in the European hospitals.

Turner Has Red Cross Branch. TURNER, Or., May 8.—(Special)—A Red Cross rally was held at Turner recently, with Mrs. Staples chairman. Residents of near-by places joined in this event. August Hockenstadt and Mrs. Edith Squire Beck, from Salem, with Mrs. A. H. Traskler, a Canadian

EUGENE SENDS 11 TO CAMP

Ex-Navy Man Ordered to Report at Bremerton.

EUGENE, Or., May 8.—(Special)—Eugene and the University of Oregon have sent 11 recruits to the officers' training camp at the Presidio, of San Francisco, and a large number of others who have taken the examination expect a call at any time. Calls were received yesterday by Cecil F. Bell, son of former Mayor W. A. Bell, and Frank M. Moore. Mr. Moore is a graduate of the Oregon Agricultural College and had a course in military training at that institution.

J. J. Delaney, chief clerk in the engineering office of the Southern Pacific Company in this city, who recently enrolled in the Naval Reserve, received a call to report at Bremerton yesterday. Mr. Delaney was an ensign in the Navy during the Spanish-American War. He is the second employee to be called from the Southern Pacific engineering office within a week.

J. S. MONTGOMERY DIES

Native of Missouri Spent Much of Life at Cottage Grove.

EUGENE, Or., May 8.—(Special)—John Sidney Montgomery, Oregon pioneer of 1857, died at the home of his son, Al Montgomery, in Springfield on Sunday, after an illness of six weeks. He was 80 years of age and a native of Schuyler County, Missouri. On coming to Oregon, after crossing the plains with an ox team, he settled at Cottage Grove, where he made his home until recent years.

80 WOULD BE LAWYERS

TESTS TO BE HELD AT SALEM MAY 29 AND 30. Of Total List, 54 Are From Portland and Rest From Smaller Cities of Oregon.

Eighty applicants, representative of all sections of the state, are to be examined for admission to the bar at tests to be held at Salem, Or., May 29 and 30. A preliminary educational test will be held on the day preceding to determine the qualifications of applicants.

Of the men who have applied for admission to the bar 54 are from Portland. The remainder of the 80 are from various other towns and cities of the state.

The list of applicants follows: Ray N. Alber, Ransom S. Anderson, Alexander Grant Barry, R. L. Bartling, Henry Broske, George D. Bavor, Frank L. Buck, T. E. Burns, S. J. Claridge, Clarence H. Donky, Eugene H. Dowling, Sylvan F. Durckheimer, Edward T. Dwyer, Albert T. Elliott, Edward L. Frailey, William Hugh Gillespie, Charles S. Goldberg, Benjamin Goodson, Leslie W. Hartley, Ellis E. Hawkins, Alfred J. Horn, Charles T. Howe, Richard C. Hughes, June S. Jones, Dan J. Kenney, Morton Nathan P. Mosorovsky, Agnes L. Forester S. Macfarland, Hulda P. Malone, Richard Martin, Andrew McCann, F. Reed McBride, John J. McGreal, A. C. McIntyre, Oscar H. McPherson, Lee F. Miller, Darrell Warner Milton, Eugene J. Minor, Chester A. Moore, E. M. Morton, Nathan P. Mosorovsky, Agnes L. Peterson, Ailene F. Pratt, Charles W. Reames, P. A. Robbins, Walter E. Roberts, G. M. Rosenstiel, Francesco Santella, James M. Scudder, E. J. Shinners, Corlis D. Stringer, Leonard J. Vandenbergh, Lou Wagner, Edward J. Walsh, Portland; Albert A. Asbain, Fred S. Bynon, H. C. Gregg, James W. Mott, Charles Ross Randall, Miss Grace E. Smith, Harvey A. Wight, Salem; J. Bothwell Avison, H. E. Barnhart, Marion W. Skipworth, I. L. Uleary, Eugene; S. A. Wold, Albany; O. J. Bell, Medford; Duncan E. Douglas, Marshfield; James Donald Fletcher, Buell;

CHARLES GREGORY, DALLAS; JOSEPH D. HUGHES, GARDNER; JOHN P. LAMB, BEND; W. J. MOON, M. F. RICE, ROSEBURG; EMORY J. NOBLE, OREGON CITY; E. B. REEVE, ROAD 2, CEDAR MILLS; LOUIS K. RUDOLPH, LA GRANDE; J. R. STANNARD, GOLD BEACH; CECIL SWOPE, INDEPENDENCE.

Charles Gregory, Dallas; Joseph D. Hughes, Gardner; John P. Lamb, Bend; W. J. Moon, M. F. Rice, Roseburg; Emory J. Noble, Oregon City; E. B. Reeve, Road 2, Cedar Mills; Louis K. Rudolph, La Grande; J. R. Stannard, Gold Beach; Cecil Swope, Independence.

GUARDS TO GET COMFORTS

Reading Matter and Home-Cooked Food to Be Distributed.

GRANTS PASS, Or., May 8.—(Special)—The local Red Cross Chapter and Girls' Honor Guard have united in the first war activity of the stay-at-home forces.

A. M. Booser, representing the Red Cross, and Miss Maude Barnes, of the Honor Guard, left today for a trip of investigation along the tunnel and bridge guards stationed along the line of the Southern Pacific between this city and the Douglas County line. They will offer and arrange for their organizations supplying these men with plenty of good reading matter, needed additions to the shipments of clothing, medical supplies and home-cooked foods.

MEASURES TO BE PRINTED

Ten Thousand Copies Are to Be Distributed Among Voters.

Ten thousand copies of the measures to be submitted to the voters at the city election, June 4, will be printed this week ready for distribution to the public. Supplies will be placed in branch libraries, public offices and elsewhere.

Arrangements have been made for the publication later of a list of the places where the copies may be had. This plan has been adopted as a more economical method than the issuance of an election pamphlet for general distribution to all voters.

license all jitneys operating between this city and Bend. A license ordinance was passed recently by the Medford Council. The Jitney men who run on schedule time are back of the movement to provide some means of regulating the jitneys in order to eliminate the drivers who cut in ahead of the regular scheduled cars and demoralize the service.

Jitneys Seek Regulation. ASHLAND, Or., May 8.—(Special)—The City Council of Ashland is considering the passage of an ordinance to

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Golden West Coffee is "Just Right"

There are many ways of making good coffee, but the very best method known is the filtration or "drip" method. The Just Right Coffee Maker makes Golden West Coffee by the filtration method that's 100% perfect.



If your grocer cannot yet supply you send us 50c and we will mail you a JUST RIGHT COFFEE MAKER.

CLOSSET & DEVERS PORTLAND, OREGON SILVERTON MILLS REOPEN. SILVERTON, Or., May 8.—(Special)—Work was resumed in the logging camps east of Silverton Monday morn-