

ONE CIGARETTE MAY SAVE TRENCH

Little Roll of Good American Tobacco Great Gloom Dispeller on Battle Line.

SOUVENIR WILL COME BACK

All Nations Engaged in War Emphasize Urgent Necessity of Supplying Men in Army With Tobacco to Soften Hardships.

Who else will give a quarter to buy cigarettes for American soldiers in France?

The need is urgent. The American soldier, if he is to be comfortable and cheerful in the trenches, must have all the cigarettes he can smoke.

For the sake of democracy, give a quarter to buy cigarettes. One little package of cigarettes may save a trench, for a man who is cheerful fights harder than one who is blue.

The cigarette is the great gloom dispeller on the battle line.

For 25 cents, one quarter of a dollar, any person can send 45 cents worth of tobacco and cigarettes to some American soldier at the front.

Wholesale Price Is Made. Just send the two-bits to The Oregonian, with your name and address. This newspaper has made arrangements with the American Tobacco Company whereby tobacco and cigarettes that would retail for 45 cents will be sent to a soldier at the front for your quarter.

The United States Government has heartily indorsed the plan to send cigarettes to the soldiers.

Of course, contributions are not limited to 25 cents. The Oregonian will be glad to receive tobacco contributions of \$1, \$2, or \$5, or \$10, or even \$100, if anyone cares to send that amount.

But for each quarter of a dollar in your contribution one package of tobacco and cigarettes will be rushed to the front.

Better yet, enclosed in each package will be a stamped postcard. On the package will be printed a request for the soldier recipient to mail back the postcard to the person whose name will be written on the package as its sender.

War Souvenir Will Return. Could you want a better war souvenir, or one that would make you happier, than one of these postcards from a soldier actually on the battle line, thanking you in his own words for what you have done to make life more comfortable for him?

The British, the French, the Italians, and all the other allies, and even the Germans, all emphasize the urgent necessity of supplying the men in the army with all the tobacco they want or can smoke. Cigarettes, especially, are desired. They are the soldier's favorite smoke. With this great war, the old prejudice that cigarettes are disappearing, and it seems destined to become the world joy smoke.

First Quarter Acknowledged. The honor of being the first person to send in a quarter to The Oregonian's tobacco fund goes to J. C. Burrows, of Ridgefield, Wash. His 25 cents was the first contribution received.

There will be so many contributions that The Oregonian cannot undertake to acknowledge them in print, but the acknowledgment you could want will be the personal postcard you will receive in reply from the soldier who gets the package you send.

To contribute to the fund, fill in the following blank and send or bring your money to The Oregonian: The Oregonian, Portland, Oregon:

SOLDIERS' TOBACCO FUND. Herewith I inclose \$..... for..... packages of tobacco at 25 cents per pack to be sent to American soldiers in France.

(Name) (Address)

GAMBLING CHARGES MADE Blazier's Resort to Have Hearing Before City Commissioners.

Gambling charges against Blazier's resort for workingmen in the North End will be heard by the City Council at a special meeting at 10 o'clock this morning. Policemen who played in card games in the place will be the principal witnesses.

It is charged the same methods have been employed in Blazier's when he was employed in Fritz' pool hall and workingmen's resort, which place was found guilty by the Council of allowing gambling. It is charged that both places issued merchandise checks to patrons and allowed them to gamble for them. A 5-cent check was issued to each player and the high man in each game took all the checks and the low man paid for all.

FREE LOVERS ARRESTED Husband of Runaway Wife Has Man Held Under Mann Law.

Guy York was arrested last night, together with Mrs. Edna Aronson, aged 19, of Skamokawa, Wash., and is being held for Government officials on a charge of violating the Mann white slave law.

It is charged by Thor Aronson, husband of the woman, that York spent some time in Skamokawa, and Saturday he persuaded the girl to come to Portland with him. The girl admitted to the detectives last night that York had purchased the tickets to Portland. The husband tried to induce her to return with him last night, but this she refused to do, saying that she loved the other man. She is being held as a witness against York.

Phone your want ads to The Oregonian. Main 7979, A 5035.

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Y.W.C.A. WILL APPEAL

Prominent Officials of National Board Coming to Oregon.

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Mrs. William MacMaster, General Chairman of War Work Council for Northwest, Outlines Plans of Hostess Houses.

The visit of Mrs. John R. Meigs, Mrs. Frances de Lacey Hyde, Mrs. John R. Mott and Miss Harriet Taylor, representing the national board of the Young Women's Christian Association and the War Work Council, will bring to Portland today an appeal that will find its way to the hearts and the interests of all who hear it.

Large Sum to Be Raised. The welfare of these workers and of all the young people lies so closely to the hearts of the Y. W. C. A. leaders and other good workers who are patriotic and in earnest in looking for the same time realize the need of the right kind of social environment, that they are determined to raise a large sum of money, and a wave of enthusiastic interest that will make possible the realization of the plans they have in mind.

Already a number of hostess houses have been erected and others will be established in any place where they are needed. At Camp Lewis, American soldiers are working in the North End will be at this hostess house that Miss Mable MacMaster will be in charge.

The council wishes these houses to be above all, homelike—places where the young men can meet their friends, their wives and mothers in the best of surroundings. In addition to Mrs. MacMaster, there are on the War Council committee for the Northwest Mrs. Helen Ladd Corbett, of Portland; Mrs. Chester Thorne, Tacoma; Mrs. C. D. Stinson and Mrs. E. B. Burwell, Seattle.

Mrs. MacMaster Outlines Work. In Mrs. MacMaster's council is a leader who is giving her time and energy and best talents freely and devotedly. Mrs. MacMaster is intensely patriotic and in earnest in looking for the interests of the girls and the young men of the country. In outlining her work yesterday she said: "Mrs. John Meigs, a vice-president of the War Council, and Miss Taylor, one of the secretaries of the National Y. W. C. A. Board, will address a group of women this afternoon at Mrs. Helen Ladd Corbett's home, and tomorrow at noon the same women, both heralded as eloquent speakers, will address a number of prominent business men at a noon meeting at the Hotel Portland. These have been invited by Mrs. MacMaster, Mrs. Corbett and Mrs. William D. Wheelwright, of the local committee.

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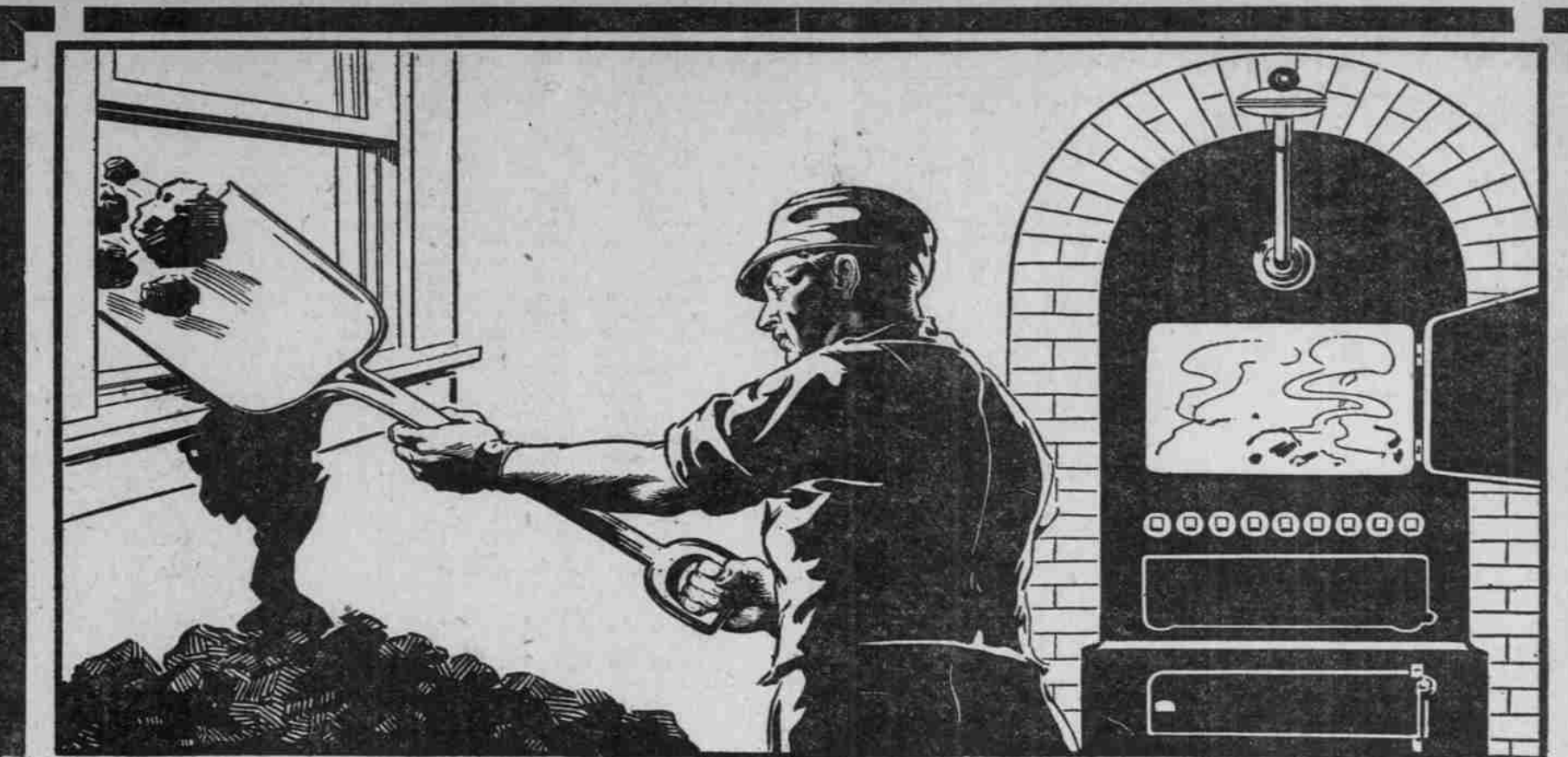
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HEADLINER AT PANTAGES IS DENOMINATED "COCKTAIL"

Big Aggregation of Everything Good is Composed of Acts Each Intoxicating in Itself.

DANCE TO HELP SOLDIERS Admen to Raise Fund for Ambulance Corps at American Lake.

Admen of Portland will dance, September 13, that the members of the ambulance corps at American Lake, which they have adopted, may have more money for their mess fund. Donations of cash amounting to nearly \$150 have been made and the proceeds from the dance are expected to swell this fund much more.

Members of the Woman's Auxiliary are presiding over the dance and are handling the sale of the tickets. The entertainment will be held on board the boat Swan.

Explosion of Cakes and other dainties will be received at 323 Morgan building, between 2 and 4 o'clock today.

BURGLAR DANGLES IN AIR Householder Surprises Thief and Halts Dive From Window.

TACOMA, Wash., Sept. 3.—(Special.)—A bold burglar, rifling the house of George H. Wallace early this morning, was almost captured single handed.

Mr. Wallace surprised the thief in his work and engaged in a struggle with him. The burglar managed to break away, however, and rushing to the pantry window he dived through, head first. Mr. Wallace caught him by the feet. For several minutes there ensued a struggle between the two, the burglar hanging, head foremost, as eloquent speaker, will address a number of prominent business men at a noon meeting at the Hotel Portland. These have been invited by Mrs. MacMaster, Mrs. Corbett and Mrs. William D. Wheelwright, of the local committee.

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SHERIDAN'S PRISONER DIES

Mrs. Grace Wheeler, One of 1700 Taken by Lieutenant, Expires.

SHERIDAN, Or., Sept. 3.—(Special.)—Word from the mountain districts of the old Grand Ronde Reservation, 15 miles west of here, today told of the death there last Friday of Mrs. Grace Wheeler, one of the few aged survivors of the early reservation days, when 1700 Indians were gathered in the confines of the Government property by the then Lieutenant Phil Sheridan.

The passing of Mrs. Wheeler, who was a Santiam Indian of the Lebanon country, leaves but a scant dozen of the original 1700 Indians. Mrs. Wheeler died of tuberculosis. She leaves three sons, Arthur, Edwin and Frank.

Her age was set on the death certificate at 80 years, but those who knew

OLD RESIDENTS CALLED

John Russell Stockton and Mrs. D. W. Proudfoot, of Walla Walla, Dead.

WALLA WALLA, Wash., Sept. 3.—(Special.)—Two well-known residents died today, John Russell Stockton and Mrs. W. D. Proudfoot. Mr. Stockton was 63 and Mrs. Proudfoot, 66. Mr. Stockton had lived in the West nearly 40 years and Mrs. Proudfoot 35.

Mr. Stockton when a young man joined the United States Army and came West, engaging in a number of Indian wars. His widow and a son, Arthur, survive.

Mrs. W. D. Proudfoot died this afternoon of heart trouble. She settled in Walla Walla with her husband, who survives her, 35 years ago. Other relatives are two sons, Harry, deputy county clerk of Walla Walla, and Rollie, of North Yakima, formerly county assessor of Walla Walla, and a sister, Carrie Deming.

Several houses in a Spanish town are built of meerschaum, a coarse variety of which is mined in the neighborhood.

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