

REED COLLEGE HAS NEED OF WAR FUNDS

Training Course for Women as Reconstruction Aides Requires More Money.

APPEAL TO CITIZENS MADE

Pledges of \$100 Yearly From Each of 10 Men or Families During Next Three Years Will Enable Carrying On of Work.

Plans of Reed College for its enlarged war activities, including the second class to train women for service as reconstruction aides, are now quite fully formulated with the staff of instructors arranged and the date for the opening of the Summer course set for June 24. The course will extend from this date to September 8. Among the faculty members will be several noted educators from other states. The first course, the only one that started on time in the country, is now in progress and will be finished June 1.

Portland people have reason to take pride in the fact that Reed College has been selected as the only institution in the West to give this training this Summer which is but one of at least three different special courses growing directly out of war needs. That the college will be in position to do a splendid humanitarian work if accorded adequate support by the people of Portland and Oregon is set forth in a statement made by a group of the city's most capable physicians and surgeons.

Medical Men Approve.
This is the statement of approval just given out by the medical men: "War work begins at home. And the particular part of war work which the Surgeon-General of the United States has called on Portland to perform makes a powerful appeal to our humanitarian impulses. He asks us to train aides for the rehabilitation of our wounded soldiers."
Because of the reputation of the Reed College department of physical education, the Surgeon-General has named Reed College as the only center west of Michigan for the training of reconstruction aides. These aides must be prepared to assist in necessary exercises and massage and other therapeutic treatments to patients, and to assist in the gradual recovery of the use of fractured and shell-shocked limbs and be prepared for re-education.

The college needs at once \$10,000 for this and other war work, and also the loan of a house for the three summer months possibly for the duration of the war, to be used as a hospital and clinic in connection with the training of reconstruction aides and the treatment of wounded men and crippled children.

Of all the opportunities we have had of beginning war work at home, we doubt if any leads more directly to healing the human ravages of war.
(Signed)
R. C. COFFEY,
T. L. MILLER, W. M. LADD and
NOBLE WILEY JONES,
E. J. LARBE,
H. A. J. MACKENZIE,
A. R. NICHOLS,
A. W. SMITH,
A. A. J. SOMMER.

Pledges of \$100 Yearly Asked.
To meet the demands of the Government and of the times the trustees of Reed College have deemed it necessary to augment the usual income derived from endowments and other sources. Careful survey of the situation disclosed that because of increased demands and the falling off of revenues, directly traceable to the war, \$50,000 will be needed in the next three years. For this purpose a "war fund" has been started.
The initial appeal for war fund aid for the college met with gratifying response. Citizens and firms of Portland quickly pledged \$100 of the amount needed. To make up the remainder the war fund trustees—H. C. Campbell, T. L. Miller, W. M. Ladd and W. P. Olds—have appealed for annual pledges of \$100, for the three-year period, from 40 families or citizens.
With these pledges assured, the situation of the trustees will have accomplished its goal. Just how quickly the task may be finished, point out the committee members, depends on the nature of the patriotic spirit in which the public recognize the needs and give response.
The list of those who have already subscribed for the purpose of enabling the college to widen the scope of its war activities was announced yesterday as follows:
E. F. Elrod, \$5000; Ladd Estate, \$5000; W. P. Olds, \$5000; Me. and Mrs. T. H. Wilcox, \$5000; W. B. Ayer, \$2000; M. H. Houser, \$2000; Ben Salting, \$2000; Meier & Frank Company, \$2000; Mrs. Isaac White, \$1500; Thomas Roberts, \$1000; W. T. Foster, \$1000; Messrs. Edwards and Co., \$750; Mrs. A. C. Allen, \$400; Dr. Ossa Akin, \$300; J. C. Hanson, \$200; Hildreth Guthrie Company, \$200; H. C. Campbell, \$200; H. C. Carey, \$200; H. L. Corbett, \$200; Mrs. Elias Dalbig, \$200; Dr. Robert Hill, \$200; J. M. O'Brien, \$200; Miss Mary Frances Inam, \$200; M. J. Kinser, \$200; Mrs. A. J. Meier, \$200; Dr. Herbert C. Miller, \$200; Me. and Mrs. E. W. Walter, \$200; H. J. Ottenheimer, \$200; Dr. George N. Pease, \$200; Mrs. Clara E. Walsh, \$200; W. M. Ladd, \$200; Mrs. Alice Wilbur, \$200; Woman's Club, \$200; W. D. Beebe, \$150; A. H. Devers, \$150; Mrs. Teresa L. Campbell, \$150; J. P. O'Brien, \$150; Milton Markewitz, \$100; David S. Stearns, \$100; W. Parker, \$100; J. H. O'Brien, \$100; Dr. Herbert Hill, \$100. Total, \$42,000.

\$150 IN PRIZES OFFERED
Local Bank Provides Stimulus for Letter-Writing Contest in Schools.
One hundred and fifty dollars in prizes will be awarded by the United States National Bank of Portland to the winners of a letter-writing contest which is being conducted in the public schools of this city.
The subject of the letters is "Thrill," covering the saving of money and its expenditure, the use of time, the preservation of bodily health, care of personal appearance, maintenance of home and its surroundings and other thoughts that may occur to the contestants.
Contestants will be classified in one of three divisions: (A) high school pupils, (B) seventh and eighth-grade pupils, and (C) fifth and sixth-grade pupils.
A prize of \$25, one of \$15 and one of \$10 will be awarded respectively to the writers of the three best letters in each division, and a special prize of \$25 will be given for the best paper of all.

MOVING PICTURE NEWS



Pauline Frederick and Thomas Meighan in 'Madame Jealousy' At Columbia



Edward Connelly as Rasputin in 'The Fall of the Romanoffs' At Liberty

TODAY'S FILM FEATURES.
Star—"Who's Your Neighbor?"
Sunset—"Enlighten Thy Daughter."
Liberty—"The Fall of the Romanoffs."
Majestic—Clara Williams, "Carmen of the Klondike."
Peoples—Douglas Fairbanks, "Mr. Fix-It."
Columbia—Pauline Frederick, "Madame Jealousy."
Globe—Kathlyn Williams, "Out of the Wreck."

Liberty.
THE story of Russia for the last 15 or 20 years, the inside story of the intimate personal reasons that led to the downfall of one of the world's mighty dynasties, is entertainingly pictured in Herbert Brenon's spectacular eight-part photoplay, "The Fall of the Romanoffs," the unusual Liberty Theater film offering which opened an engagement yesterday.

Rasputin is the central figure in this drama of timely interest. The picture unfolds the life of this illiterate, drunkard, seducer, a ruffian and degenerate of the deepest dye, who, by working on the superstitious fears of a weak czar, became the uncrowned ruler of all the Russians.
After visualizing certain incidents showing how Rasputin earned the title of prophet, the picture then goes on to show him engaged in an evangelic campaign for personal gain; his meeting and infatuation with Anna, a young girl; the disappointment of the czar over his failure to have a son; invitation of Rasputin to the Winter Palace; his dramatic entrance and prophecy that the next child born to the Czarina would be a son; the fulfilling of the prophecy and Rasputin riding on the crest of imperial favor; the bringing of Anna to the palace and the making her into a great lady of the court; the revolution of 1905, and the engaging of Rasputin to suppress it; orgies of Rasputin; trial and condemnation by the church; triumph of his accusers; the unfrocking of Rasputin, while his players include Christine Mayo, Anders Randolph, Evelyn Brent, Gladys Fairbanks and Frank Morgan.

Sunset.
"Enlighten Thy Daughter," one of the strongest sex-propaganda photoplays ever made, has enjoyed such prosperity at the Sunset Theater that Manager Jennings will exhibit it for the remainder of the week.
This picture strongly advocates the imparting of vital information to young people by their parents, lest they suffer because of ignorance. It's a subject which is ever becoming more popular, and is being discussed frequently at Parent-Teachers' Association gatherings and women's clubs.

Majestic.
"Carmen of the Klondike," a photoplay of Alaska which has proved one of the most popular Majestic Theater attractions in many weeks, closes its run tomorrow night with "The Sunset Trail," Rex Beach's story of the great Southwest, opening on Saturday.
"Carmen of the Klondike" is a most unusual picture, both from the viewpoint of plot construction and impressive scenic effects. There are sand storms and rain storms and night scenes which make it intensely realistic. The production is full of stirring, dramatic action, and the story carries an atmosphere of adventure and gamble—that great, big gamble of life, love and happiness and the power to possess, which instills the spirit of romance that has caused courageous men and women to penetrate that far distant country of the midnight sun.

Peoples.
Douglas Fairbanks' Peoples Theater engagement in "Mr. Fix-It," an Artcraft production which has proved a popular offering, comes to an end tomorrow night, with Nasimova's famous picture, "Revelation," following on Saturday.
"Mr. Fix-It," a picture which presents "Doug" with a quartet of leading women, is a departure from the wild and woolly western stuff Fairbanks has been regaling his admirers with for some months. He wears a dress suit during much of the action, but that doesn't keep him from performing various athletic stunts and engaging in a terrific free-for-all fight in a saloon.
In "Mr. Fix-It" Fairbanks has a role reminiscent of that in "The Habit of Happiness." It's Mr. Fix-It who brings joy to a household and acts as matrimonial agent for young people about to be mated.

SCIENTISTS AT WORK

Preparations Begun for Observation of Sun Eclipse.

CAR WITH APPARATUS DUE

Instruments Will Require Five Weeks to Put in Place for Observations at Baker—Sun Atmosphere to be Studied.

BAKER, Or., May 1.—(Special.)—Professor J. C. Hammond, in charge of a United States naval observatory party, consisting of C. C. Wylie, W. M. Conrad and L. G. Hoxton, together with Professor S. A. Mitchell, director of the Leander McCormick observatory at the University of Virginia, Charlottesville, Va., who will supervise the spectroscopic work, who arrived in Baker Monday, have begun their preparations for observation of the eclipse of the sun here on June 8.

They are the first of a number of parties expected here from numerous universities and scientific institutions. A carload of apparatus to be used by them, shipped by freight from Washington, is expected today and will require five weeks to set up and make ready for use during the eclipse.

According to Professor Mitchell, the principal object in the observation of the eclipse is the study of the sun atmosphere, the height in miles of the sun vapor from the surface and the corona, with other scientific details beyond the ken of the lay mind, which are possible of study only during an eclipse.

They will also set up, with special permission from the Government, a complete wireless station which will be in communication with the Government radio station at Arlington, Va., from which the time signals will be given the party. One of the cameras which will be used has a focal length of 45 feet.
Professor Mitchell's study of eclipses has taken him to all corners of the earth. In 1914 he went to Russia, where, owing to bad atmospheric conditions, results were very meager. Some parties from the United States there at the time have not yet received their instruments, which are still at Vladivostok owing to the upheaval which followed the entrance of Russia into the war and subsequent developments there, which tied up transportation.
He participated in the Government expedition to Spain in 1905, where good results were achieved which it is hoped to enhance by the observations here next month. He observed an eclipse in the Dutch East Indies in 1901 and the year before in California. The party has been given the use of the Baker fair grounds for their observations and room will also be allotted there for other parties coming later.

TODAY TOMORROW SATURDAY



Beautiful Pauline Frederick as 'Madame Jealousy'
The Wonderful Animated Weekly.

OVER THE WHITE PASS WITH BURTON HOLMES

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SIXTH at WASHINGTON

WHISTLER HEADS BILL

STRAND ACTS ARE VARIED AND INTERESTING.

Jewel Carmen, Former Portland Girl, Stars in New Fox Photo Drama.

"The Bride of Fear."
Miss Jewel Carmen, a former Portland girl, is starring at the Strand Theater this week in "The Bride of Fear," a new Fox photo drama.

The story of the photoplay deals with a girl, saved from suicide who marries her rescuer out of gratitude only to discover that he is a member of one of the lowest classes of criminals. Immediately after the marriage ceremony her husband is led away to prison. Years afterwards the girl falls in love with another man, believing her husband dead. It is then that he returns and the unexpected is introduced into the picture.

One of the best acts among the five acts of vaudeville is that put on by Fred Ferdinand. He is a Frenchman who has been in this country only eight months, and the French accent still lingers in his pronunciation of the English words. He is an unusually good whistler and whistles grand opera selections, a patriotic number and a medley of popular songs.

The Hanley girls are a couple of attractive maids, with several changes of costume, who dance and sing. One of them, did a Spanish dance with a castagnette accompaniment, and the other danced an old fashioned dance. Vera and Wilson were the two amusing folk on the bill. The man was a "nut" comedian. He told a lot of new funny stories while the girl changed costumes. hula-hula dance was a feature act.

An artistic number was that of Alexander and Swain. The man painted a number of scenes in oil paints, and part of the time the girl sang while he worked. The pictures were painted rapidly and when they were finished were good specimens of art.

The Renalles, an English comedian and a girl, told a number of stories and then gave a character portrayal of a novice and his best girl at the movies.

Klamath Schools Aid Loan.

KLAMATH FALLS, Or., May 1.—(Special.)—Klamath Falls school pupils and teachers now own liberty bonds and war savings stamps to the amount of \$11,070, according to a detailed report just submitted by City School Superintendent R. H. Dunbar, who has given this matter every possible stimulus. Of this amount \$9338.25 is owned by the pupils. The children's investments in the liberty bonds is about 50 per cent more than in the stamps. School pupils hold an average of \$6.40 in war savings.

Submarine Destroyers
Our destroyers and scout ships are waiting for the sudden attack or the deadly torpedo—the watch on the Atlantic is on the lookout for the first indication of hidden danger—it's a fight for life. For those leading a quiet life at home it is often the unexpected that happens. It may be that you are mysteriously attacked by pain in your back or limbs, lumbago, "neuragic" pains—shooting anywhere. Backache of any kind is often caused by kidney disorders, which means that the kidneys are not working properly. Poisonous matter and uric acid accumulate within the body in great abundance, overworking the sick kidneys; hence the congestion of blood causes backache in the same manner as a similar congestion in the head causes headache. Perhaps you become nervous, despondent, sick, feverish, irritable, have spots appearing before the eyes, bags under the lids, and lack of ambition to do things. The latest and most effective means of overcoming such trouble, is to eat sparingly of meat, drink plenty of water between meals, and take a single An-uric Tablet before each meal for a while, or until recovered.
Simply ask your favorite druggist for Anuric Tablets (double strength). If you have lumbago, rheumatism, gout, dropsy, begin immediately with this newest discovery of Dr. Pierce, who is Chief Medical Director of Surgical Institute in Buffalo, N. Y. Send 10c for trial pkg. All druggists sell large package for sixty cents.
Dr. Pierce's Pellets regulate and invigorate stomach, liver and bowels. Compound of May-apple, aloes and jalap. Keep the body clean inside as well as outside.

Everyone Should Drink Hot Water in the Morning

Wash away all the stomach, liver, and bowel poisons before breakfast.

To feel your best day in and day out, to feel clean inside; no sour bile to coat your tongue and sicken your breath or dull your head; no constipation, bilious attacks, sick headache, colds, rheumatism or gassy, acid stomach, you must bathe on the inside like you bathe outside. This is vastly more important, because the skin pores do not absorb impurities into the blood, while the bowel pores do, says a well-known physician.
To keep these poisons and toxins well flushed from the stomach, liver, kidneys and bowels, drink before breakfast each day a glass of hot water with a teaspoonful of limestone phosphate in it. This will cleanse, purify and freshen the entire alimentary tract, before putting more food into the stomach.

Get a quarter pound of limestone phosphate from your pharmacist. It is inexpensive and almost tasteless. Drink phosphated hot water every morning to rid your system of these vile poisons and toxins; also to prevent their formation.
As soap and hot water act on the skin, cleansing, sweetening and purifying, so limestone phosphate and hot water before breakfast act on the stomach, liver, kidneys and bowels.—Adv.

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Are you compelled to arise from your slumber once, twice or more, because of pain, irritation and abnormal condition of kidneys and bladder?
Balmwort Tablets
are guaranteed to correct the alkalinity of your secretions, thus giving you undisturbed slumber, making for Rest at night and Energy by day. All forms of kidney disorders cannot be successfully treated with Balmwort Tablets, but when these symptoms exist you will receive a gratifying recovery if you use them: amount of urine secreted irregular, insufficient, too frequent, too copious, accompanied by pain, difficulty, smarting, burning, irritation, pains in back and groins and when the passage is foul of odor, highly colored, etc. Also stoppage of secretion followed by fever, chills, pains, headache, rheumatic pains, depression, etc. Balmwort Kidney Tablets.
HELP THE KIDNEYS
For sale by the Owl Drug Co. stores and all other druggists.—Adv.

Banish that Backache

Many persons suffer with backache every morning. They think maybe they have lain in a cramped position or slept a little cold. More than likely the backache is due to their kidneys, and the timely use of Foley Kidney Pills is just what is needed for quick relief.
Mrs. J. D. Miller, 601 Gifford Street, Syracuse, N. Y., writes:—I suffered with kidney trouble and rheumatism. I had severe backache and felt miserable and all played out. I bought some of Foley Kidney Pills and after taking two bottles, I can say my backache is gone, and where I used to lie awake nights with rheumatic pains, I can now sleep in comfort. Foley Kidney Pills did wonderful things for me, and I recommend them to all my acquaintances and friends.
For backache, lame back, stiff swollen joints, rheumatic pains, headaches and nervousness due to kidney disorders, Foley Kidney Pills are quickly effective, tonic, and most satisfactory in results. Try them.

AN OPEN LETTER

The Blackburn Products Co., Dayton, Ohio, Gentlemen:
I have taken 3 tubes of 3-Grain Cadomene Tablets and I am not nearly so nervous as I was, while I am now eating with keen relish and have no more trouble with my stomach whatever. You are very truly, R. F. Hamble, 23 Cottage St., Franklin, Mass.
Cadomene Tablets are absolutely guaranteed the best medicine to build up the body and nerves. Druggists sell and recommend them.
For sale by the Owl Drug Co. stores and all other druggists.—Adv.

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This veteran, R. B. Lamphere, was addicted to the excessive use of tobacco for many years. He wanted to quit, but needed something to help him.
He learned of a free booklet, "How to Quit Tobacco Habit and How to Conquer Nervousness, Anxiety and Ailments," and he got it. He read it carefully, and he quit tobacco habit and how to conquer nervousness, anxiety and ailments. Anyone desiring a copy of this book on tobacco habit, smoking and chewing, can get it free, postpaid, by writing to Edward J. Wood, 111 E. 12th St., New York City. You will be surprised and pleased. Look for kidney nerves, stronger heart, better digestion, improved weight, increased vigor, longer life and other advantages if you quit poisoning yourself.—Adv.

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