

SUPPORT PLEDGED
TO WAR-GOVERNOR

Unsolicited Letters, Received
by Hundreds, Favor the Re-
election of Withycombe.

"BOYS IN KHAKI" WRITE

Announcement of Candidacy for
Second Term Reaches France
Through the Columns of The
Oregonian Sent Soldiers.

"Among the hundreds of unsolicited letters which are being received by Governor Withycombe expressing satisfaction over the decision to make the race for a second term and pledging hearty support quite a number are from Oregon boys now on military duty either in France or in various parts of the United States," said Senator Conrad P. Olson, manager of "The Re-elect Withycombe Governor Committee," yesterday.

"As one of the most gratifying surprises of the campaign, Governor Withycombe, a few days ago, received a letter from an Oregon boy, now stationed on the firing line in France, enclosing a check which he asked might be used in contributing to the success of Governor Withycombe's campaign.

Oregonian Carries News to France.

"After reciting how thankful all the Oregon soldiers are for what the Oregonian has done for them this particular soldier, who has never in any way been associated actively in Oregon politics, expressed the wish that the Oregonian, upon his return to Oregon after the war, find Governor Withycombe still in his chair, where he has served so faithfully and well."

"It is with great pleasure that I picked up The Morning Oregonian here at the barracks a few days ago and noted that you were in the running for re-election," runs another letter from a soldier who formerly knew the Governor casually at Oregon Agricultural College. "I only wish that I might quit my duties as a marine just long enough to support you with my vote, but I feel that will be unnecessary, for the people of Oregon can recognize the right man in the right place."

Soldiers Strong for Governor.

"We are all strong for the Governor and proud of him for the way in which he has stood for us and helped every little fellow possible."

"I am dropping you this line just to assure you that you will have my hearty support in the coming campaign," runs another letter which Senator Olson says is typical of many. "You have given us a clean administration, have consulted the interests of the people, have stood for the practical enforcement of law and supported the government vigorously in this time of testing. This expression is unalloyed and I am not looking for any effect of favor of any kind."

"Nearly all the letters refer to Governor Withycombe's record as a war Governor and dwell upon the lack of any need for a change at this time," says the "Oregonian" in its editorial crossing the stream might prove dangerous," said Senator Olson.

"The committee that is working for Gus C. Moser for Governor on the Republican ticket, has opened headquarters on the 16th floor of the Yeon building. It is from these offices that Moser's active campaign is being directed."

LOAN IS STILL CLIMBING

Oregon Subscription Is Sure to Total
\$26,000,000, Says R. E. Smith.

Not less than \$25,000,000 is the confident estimate for Oregon's total in the third liberty loan, according to Robert E. Smith, state campaign manager.

"It is likely to be nearer \$26,000,000," said Mr. Smith yesterday, "as present totals do not include many heavy subscriptions, nor do they include any of the business of the close of the year."

Present compilations show that more than 100,000 subscribers participated in the liberty loan totals for Oregon, or more than twice as many as enlisted in the second drive.

Returns compiled yesterday show the total to be \$24,500,000. Portland returns for Saturday not included, and with the closing reports of many large communities yet to be added. In addition to these large sums are yet unreported from railway subscriptions, while one or two heavy subscriptions from shipyards have not been reported.

Joint Flag Service Held.

SOUTH BEND, Wash., May 6.—(Special)—Pacific Eagles' series, of South Bend, and Willapa tribe, Improved Order of Red Men, held a joint flag service here in Eagles' Hall yesterday for the four local Eagles and the two Red Men who are in the service. Commander F. H. Wright accepted the service flag on behalf of the Red Men, delivered an address, and Edwin M. Connor did likewise for the Eagles. The men from the Red Men's tribe are Dr. G. W. Overmeyer and Paul Rowley, and from the Eagles, Eric Erickson, Eric Easterlund, Fred Martin and Peter Wain.

Naturalization Bill Adopted.

WASHINGTON, May 6.—The conference report on the bill amending the naturalization laws to expedite naturalization of 120,000 aliens in the National Army as to protect them in the event of capture was adopted by the Senate today. The legislation now goes to the President.

FOR THROAT AND
LUNG TROUBLES

And coughs and colds that persist in spite of care and treatment and threaten permanent disability. Try
ECKMAN'S ALTERNATIVE
For many years this Calcium preparation has been conspicuously evidenced its worth, especially where throat troubles are concerned. It upbuilds. Contains no Alcohol, Narcotics or Habit-Forming Drugs. 25¢ size, now \$1.00. 5¢ size, now 25¢. Price includes war tax. All druggists. Eckman Laboratory, Philadelphia.

Many School Children are Sickly

Mothers who value their own comfort and the welfare of their children, should never be without a box of Mother Gray's Sweet Powder for Children, for use throughout the season. They Break up Colds, Relieve Feverishness, Constipation, Teething Disorders, Headache and Stomach Troubles. Used by mothers for 30 years. THESE POWDERS NEVER FAIL. All Drug Stores. Don't accept any substitute. Sample FREE. Address, Mother Gray Co., Le Roy, N. Y.—Adv.

MOVING PICTURE NEWS



TODAY'S FILM FEATURES.

Sunset—Jack Pickford, "Tom Sawyer."
Liberty—Charles Ray, "Playing the Game."
Majestic—Rex Beach, "Heart of the Sunset."
Columbia—Forbes Robertson, "Passing of the Third Floor Back."
Star—The Shooting of Dan McGrew.
Globe—Wallace Reid, "The Golden Fetter."

Tax Hits Players.

THE income tax has hit some of the young actors and actresses, and others not so young, in an unusual manner. The year 1917 was one of big producing activity, but, owing to the sudden drop in production, a number of people who formerly earned large salaries are now out of employment and in most cases without funds. Several men who during 1917 earned an average salary of \$300 a week have been drawing practically no salary at all during 1918. Unfortunately these same men saved little money during their period of affluence and even in cases where they did they exhausted these savings in their "at liberty" period.

It will, however, be imperative that these people in some manner obtain the money necessary to pay their income tax, and it's a mighty big problem with some of them.

In several instances, notably that of Charlie Chaplin, the situation is just reversed. Charlie did little work in 1917 and consequently his tax is small in comparison with that paid by Douglas Fairbanks and Mary Pickford.

Star Lobby Attracts.

A few years ago the lobby displays of the Star Theater, Park and Washington streets, were one of the theatrical features of Portland, attracting large crowds each Sunday—people eager to see the latest in novel and original lobby display advertising. Of late Manager J. C. Stille, of the Peoples Amusement Company, has been reviving the old days of striking advertising stunts, one of the most noteworthy being the front heralding "The Shooting of Dan McGrew."

The entire ground floor front of the theater has been transformed into an Alaskan log-cabin, with a snow-covered roof, snow-covered logs lying on the ground, snowshoes and skis on display, and the cabin window providing the ticket-taker with a place to meet the public.

Recently the war lobby featuring "The Zeppelin's Last Raid," with a huge zeppelin in front of the theater and a huge canvas depicting the raid of a French village, attracted much attention.

Many Children Invited.

Manager Jennings, of the Sunset Theater, has issued 1000 invitations to pupils of the 70 schools of the city and county who participated in the essay contest in conjunction with the third liberty loan, and they will be invited to the theater this week during the screening of "Tom Sawyer" and "Huck and Tom," the two Mark Twain pictures, starring Niles Welch.

Beach Interested in Pictures.

If the Goldwyn press agent is to be believed, Rex Beach, the well-known author, is devoting much of his time nowadays to the proper filming of his popular stories.

To select locations for "Heart of the Sunset" he is said to have spent five months in the Southwest preparing for the producing of his story of the border, and retraced his steps and traversed every part of the section he visited for data and inspiration four years ago.

In a little ranch house near San Antonio the author and Frank Powell, the director, wrote the scenario. Then they chose locations, picked several hundred Mexicans to play the roles of the mob, etc.; arranged for a herd of 10,000 cattle, and finally Beach's little note to a commanding officer of a band of sharpshooters to add realism to the story.

Not only did Beach play a personal and leading part in all this, but he chose Anna Q. Nilsson for the lead-

ing role after seeing her in a picture called "Infidelity."

Screen Gossip.

Marin Sals, who was prominent in so many Kalem pictures, is to be leading woman for Sessue Hayakawa in his new star series of pictures made by his own company.

Constance Talmadge is back at her studio after a vacation of a month. Harrison Ford is her new leading man. Clara Kimball Young raised more than \$100,000 in one day's soliciting in Los Angeles for the third liberty loan.

"Any time I'm wanted to go to war, I'm ready," says Bill Hart. "I've seen wars and I've seen liberty loan drives—give me war." Bill asserts that his liberty loan tour was much more strenuous than his country-wide trip a few months ago.

Alla Nazimova, star of the remarkable picture, "Revelation," is to return to the stage.

Who would have believed that such a classic as "Uncle Tom's Cabin" had been overlooked this long by producers? This discovery was made by Paramount, and Marguerite Clark will be seen before long as Little Eva.

Charles Richman is again before the footlights in a vaudeville playlet. This is his first appearance on the stage for three years, during which time he was with Vitaphone and an independent organization.

Here's a new Fox press story. Virginia Pearson was making a war picture and had to wear a German uniform. She was about to mount a horse for the "wild ride" after the papers, when the horse saw her German uniform and bolted.

The Zionist organizations wish to deny that they are interested in motion pictures. Their name has been used in connection with the making of a propaganda photoplay.

Lucille Zintheo, one of the winners of the Photoplay Magazine beauty and brains contest, is to have important parts in "Missing," produced by J. Stuart Blackton, and in "The Firefly of France," starring Wallace Reid.

James Young, hubby of Clara Kimball Young, is to direct Sessue Hayakawa in his new pictures.

Niles Welch, handsome young juvenile, will be seen with Mary Pickford in "How Could You Jean?"

The Essanay company is no longer active. The Chicago studio suspended

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We always make it a point to tell the public exactly what we mean through our advertising talks. No misrepresentations ever appear in any of the Union Painless Dentists', Inc., advertisements—consequently we can refer with pleasure to the thousands of highly satisfied patients who have had high-grade dental work done at our Modern Painless Dental Parlors. Our practitioners are all capable dentists—men who have made a life study of their profession and have had years of active practice, besides the technical knowledge to make painless dentistry a successful practice and a host of pleased patients.

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"Quality first"
is the standard
by which we sell
our clothes.

Whether it's a suit,
coat, hat or shirt,
a Mathis garment is be-
yond question the best
to be had for the price
you pay.

All-Wool
SPRING SUITS
a great display at
\$25, \$30, \$35
Others at
\$20 AND UP TO \$57.50

Manhattan Shirts
\$2 to \$12
Dobb's Hats \$5

Mathis
MEN'S WEAR
Corbett Bldg. Fifth and Morrison

operations recently and released its two remaining stars, Little Mary McAllister and Taylor Holmes. Exceedingly well known only an occasional photoplay, with specially engaged players.

Robert Andersen, a star in Griffith's new picture, "Hearts of the World," was a \$20-a-week actor. It is said. It is now up to some thicker-headed producer to induce him to leave the man who made him, for a lot of money. Griffith's stars are never borrowed celebrities. They are flexible, pliable young people whose minds and bodies are entirely open to the expression of the Griffith idea.

Lots of people thing nothing Charlie Chaplin could do is quite as funny as the line he was careful to have inserted in his contract, to the effect that he was not to be required to do anything that would detract from his dignity as an artist.

Edward Abeles, who will play the part of Simon Rosedale in the new

Metro picture, "The House of Mirth," was a well-known lawyer and newspaper man before he became an actor. Perhaps it is just this training that leads to his portrayal of such parts a most convincing note.

Courtney Foote, who is appearing opposite Madame Cavalieri in "Diamonds," has a penchant for dogs and parrots. He also has decided ideas about their education. One of his cardinal principles is to speak to them only in French.

According to Marie Pagano, "doubting" is a thrilling though unappreciated part of the movies. In it one has all the excitement of being the center of interest though none of the credit. She has done some very successful work in this line, but hopes soon to reach the stage where she can do her stunts under her own name. At present she is playing the heavy opposite June Elvidge in "The Judge."

You can kill two birds with one stone

Let's Get at the Facts

No. 6—Why a Six-Cent Fare in Portland?

(Continued)

In the two advertisements immediately preceding this one we have shown you that the financial crisis confronting the street railway industry is nation-wide in scope, that it is not local, and that Portland is not a "jay town" unless every other community in the country is to be classed as such.

In this advertisement we shall deal with the conditions that led up to the granting of the 6-cent fare to our Company. In other words, we shall discuss the local situation purely.

Like all other street railway enterprises, our Company had been undergoing a number of very lean years, when, about a year ago, our platform men, motormen and conductors, pinched by the pressure of increased cost of living, asked for substantial advance in wages and a basic eight-hour day, requests that would, in the aggregate, increase our annual operating expenses about \$600,000.

Our officials frankly told the men that they were entitled to better wages and to the basic eight-hour day, which was being rapidly established in all the important industries throughout the United States, but called their attention to the fact that the current revenues of the Company were insufficient to meet their demands.

Our officials and our men carried on amicable negotiations for some time until the men were convinced that if they were to receive decent living wages and better working conditions, it was necessary for our Company to secure more revenue.

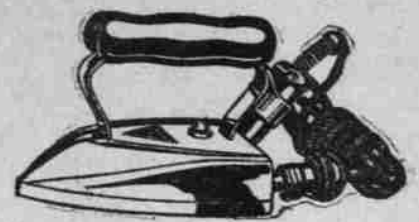
The men, therefore, agreed to use their efforts to assist the Company in securing the necessary relief. The carmen went before the Central Labor

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PORTLAND RAILWAY, LIGHT & POWER COMPANY.

Electric Irons

10-Year
Guarantee



\$3.50

3-Lb. Hotpoint Irons \$4.00

Hotpoint Toaster Stoves...\$4.50 Mazda Lamps, 10 to 40-Watt 80¢
Electric Grills (3-heat)...\$7.50 Flashlights Repaired, Electric
Tungsten Lamps, 10-40-Watt 27¢ Irons Repaired.

Your Old Hotpoint Taken in Exchange on New Iron.
We Save You Money on Electrical Supplies.
Open Saturday Night Till 10

EVINRUDE MOTOR CO.

Evinrude Motors and Electrical Supplies.
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"Honey and Tar will give you ease when you start to cough and sneeze."

FOLEY'S HONEY AND TAR

DON'T wait for a cold to attack you. Fight back. Attack it. Hit first, if you can.

At the first indication of the presence of the enemy, get busy. Go right after him and keep right after him until you know positively he has retreated and gone for good.

Watch—But Don't Wait

Don't be afraid of answering a false alarm. You never can tell what a cold will do when it gets a good start. So there's only good and no harm done when you stop a cold before it gets any start at all.

It is far better to take a dose of safe and harmless cough medicine when you don't absolutely need it than it is to fail to take it when you do need it. Play safe and sure. It pays in the long run.

How to Attack Successfully

The best way to attack a cold is to take a few doses of Foley's Honey and Tar Compound. It quickly checks the cold and by its action builds up a strong defense. It coats the raw inflamed membranes with a soothing, healing armor, stops the spread of inflammation, clears the air passage, loosens the phlegm, eases the breathing and banishes the stuffed-up, wheezing condition.

Foley's Honey and Tar Compound contains no opiates, is absolutely safe and harmless, and has been used in thousands of homes for many years to prevent and overcome coughs, colds, croup, whooping cough, la grippe and bronchial coughs. In 25c, 50c and \$1.00 sizes. You get the original and genuine Honey and Tar Compound when you insist on Foley's.

SOLD EVERYWHERE

OH! THAT AWFUL BACKACHE

IT'S YOUR KIDNEYS

An unhealthy body, and the unhappiness and misery which follow, may be prevented by ordinary judgment and care. Keep your stomach and kidneys in shape and you will have good health.

The kidneys' work is to throw off the poisonous matters which enter the body. If they perform this work regularly and automatically the other organs will take care of themselves.

Diseased conditions of the bladder or kidneys are indicated by nervousness, sleeplessness, that tired, worn-out feeling, dizziness, nausea, backache, lumbago, rheumatism, pain in the lower abdomen, many so-called "female troubles," severe pain and discomfort when

by sending for an autographed picture of Madge Evans. On each she is pasting a war saving stamp. Let us encourage you to start buying them, if you have not already done so.

Funkhouser, the censorship autocrat of Chicago, ordered eliminations of scenes showing brutality of German soldiers in Griffith's spectacle, "Hearts of the World," said to have been officially passed by both the governments of France and the United States, and the matter may be brought to the attention of the State Council of Defense or the Federal Government.

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