

WAR STAMP DRIVE TO BEGIN JUNE 28

President Wilson Pleads for Practice of Thrift by All Loyal Americans.

HOUSE CANVASS PLANNED

Women Teams Will Conduct Campaign Throughout Multnomah. Oregon's Quota, \$17,500,000, to Be Raised in Day, Hope.

A copy of President Wilson's proclamation pleading for support from the people in the promotion of thrift and appealing to every man, woman and child in the United States to buy war savings stamps on or before June 28, the day set for the opening of a National drive, was received by telegraph at the Portland headquarters of the war savings stamps committee yesterday.

"I appeal to all who now own either liberty bonds or war savings stamps to continue to practice economy and thrift," states the proclamation, "and to appeal to all who do not own Government securities to do likewise and purchase them to the extent of their means. The man who buys Government securities transfers the purchasing power of his money to the United States Government until after this war and to that same degree does not buy in competition with the Government."

"I earnestly appeal to every man, woman and child to pledge themselves on or before the twenty-eighth to save constantly and to buy as regularly as possible the securities of the Government, and to do this as far as possible through membership in war savings societies. June 28 ends this special period of enlistment in the Government volunteer army of production and saving here at home. May there be none who is not enlisted on that day."

**Economy is Necessary.** The President explains that all of the 100,000,000 people in the United States must be economically and industrially adjusted to the war conditions if this nation is to play its full part in the conflict. The problem confronting the Government is not primarily one of finance, but rather one of increasing war essentials and the savings of the materials and labor necessary for the support and equipment of the Army and Navy.

**Thrift is Virtue.** "To practice thrift in times of peace is a virtue," continues the President, "and it brings great benefits to the individual at all times; with the desperate need of the civilized world today for materials and labor which tend to end the war, the practice of thrift now is a patriotic duty and a necessity."

**Junkmen to Aid.** A new method of disposing of the war savings stamps was brought to light yesterday when Sam A. Meher, representing the Junk Dealers' Union, appeared at war savings stamps headquarters and applied to the interests of the organization for a license as a salesman. Junkmen start out each day with \$20 and try to purchase junk from housewives and storekeepers to that extent. Hereafter they intend carrying \$15 in change and \$5 in stamps and on every purchase they propose to ask the customer to accept one-fourth or more of the sum to be collected in stamps. The members of the union believe that they will be able to dispose of about \$65 in stamps daily by this means. Bishop Sumner will address a meeting of all the members of the Portland

Don't wear a veil to cover up skin trouble. Resinol makes sick skins well. Is your appearance marred by unsightly patches of eruption? There is no need of enduring such discomfort because, unless it is due to some serious internal condition, Resinol Ointment is almost sure to clear the trouble away—promptly, easily, and at little expense.

Federation of Women's Clubs at the Central Library at 2 o'clock this afternoon, and will issue instructions as to how everyone can make the war savings stamp drive of June 28 a success.

**Women to Help.** The fact that men alone cannot handle various war activities without the aid of patriotic women has been duly recognized by the drive committee and as a result thousands of women will be required. The success of the house-to-house canvass will practically depend on the aid given the movement by the women and since the Portland Federation of Women's Clubs has its constituents in all parts of the city and is probably the largest organization of women in the city, it is the desire to interest the members in the war savings stamp drive.

According to plans, the women, with the aid of some men, of course, will canvass the entire business and residential districts of the city. The plans call for teams of women in every precinct, several teams being needed for each precinct to cover it within a few hours. Bishop Sumner will give a detailed account of the history of the thrift stickers, will tell of the vital necessity for them and will explain to the members their part in the drive here.

COL. I. M. STANDIFER DIES

FATHER OF GUY STANDIFER TAKEN BY PARALYSIS.

Widow, Three Sons and Daughter Survive Prominent Portland Citizen Who Planned Trip South.

Colonel I. M. Standifer, prominent Portland citizen, died at 3 o'clock yesterday morning from paralysis at his



Colonel I. M. Standifer, Prominent Portland Citizen, Who Died Early Yesterday.

home, 497 East Sixteenth street North, after an illness of about four months. Only the day before he had been making plans to go to California in the hope that the change of climate would be beneficial to his health.

The funeral will be held at 10 o'clock this morning from the chapel of Finley & Son, Fifth and Montgomery streets. Rev. A. A. Morrison, pastor of Trinity Episcopal Church, will officiate. His widow, three sons and a daughter survive. Guy M. Standifer is head of two shipbuilding companies, a steel shipbuilding plant at Vancouver and a wood shipbuilding yard in North Portland. Thomas Standifer, another son, is associated with him. The third son is Lieutenant Mayfield Standifer, who is serving with the Twentieth Engineers in France. The daughter, Miss Ruth Standifer, resides at home. Mrs. Standifer is the sister of L. B. Menefee, head of extensive lumbering interests in Oregon. Frank Standifer, a brother, lives in Oklahoma.

Colonel Standifer was born in Mississippi 60 years ago and after graduating from the law department of the University of Virginia, he went to Texas. He practiced his profession many years in Houston. He was prominent in the political and civic life of Texas. He served as a Colonel on the staff of Governor Charles Culbertson, now United States Senator from Texas. He served in the Texas legislature and held other public offices. About five years ago he removed to Portland and divided his time between this city and Los Angeles. He was a close student of political and historical events and a wide reader. During his short residence in Portland he formed strong friendships with many local business and professional men.

BRAKEMAN GETS \$22,500

Fred Geyer, Injured by Train, Awarded Verdict Over Company.

ST. HELENS, Or., May 31.—(Special.)—Fred Geyer, who was injured at John Day tunnel, on the line of the S. P. & N., last December, while working as brakeman on a work train, has been awarded a verdict of \$22,500. The trial began Friday, May 24, and was concluded Wednesday night. The plaintiff, who is a young man, sued for \$75,000. He alleged he was injured by the negligence of the defendant company. When injured Geyer was on the top of the work train and was struck by a chute which the contractors were using in daylighting the tunnel. He was knocked from the train and fell under the wheels. His right arm was cut off and his left arm and hand badly mangled and he was otherwise injured. It is understood the railroad company will appeal the case.

MRS. A. E. MANN BURIED

Portland Resident Who Died Suddenly Monday Is Interred.

The funeral of Mrs. A. E. M. Mann, who died suddenly at an early hour Monday morning, was held from her late residence, 41 Third street, at 10 o'clock yesterday morning. Dr. J. H. Boyd, pastor of the First Presbyterian Church, conducted the services. Interment was at Riverview Cemetery. Representatives of organizations with which Mrs. Mann had been affiliated were in attendance, including members of the Portland Woman's Union, Oregon Pioneer Association, Martha Washington Home, Children's Home and the Mann Home. Many of the inmates of the various institutions also attended. The pallbearers were: W. M. Ladd, Dr. A. S. Nichols, H. C. Ewing, J. S. Bradley, Dr. C. R. Tompkins and J. F. Ewing. Read The Oregonian classified ads.

ANTI-DAY LEADERS PLAN CEEER COUP

Opponents of Chairman Will Seek to Prevent Seating of Committeemen.

JAMES ABBOTT IN CONTEST

Lockwood Club Charges That 25 Per Cent of Day Candidates Are Disqualified From Serving. Meeting Is Called.

In their efforts to defeat the reelection of John L. Day, chairman of the Multnomah County Republican Central Committee, opponents of Mr. Day at the meeting of the committee next Tuesday night will seek to prevent the seating of a number of the newly-elected precinct committeemen as members of the committee on the grounds that they are disqualified and ineligible, either by residence or failure to register, from serving under the law. The anti-Day crowd charges that the great majority of these disqualified committeemen were induced to become candidates by Day and his friends and were elected for the single purpose of supporting the present county chairman for reelection. Active in their opposition to Day are Charles E. Lockwood, secretary of the Republican Club of Oregon, and Ferdinand E. Reed, both of whom caused a number of candidates to file for precinct committeemen who were unfriendly to Day. The opposition also includes an element that considers Day is getting a little too strong politically. Still others included in the opposition are those Republicans who resented the activity of Day operating through the Radiators, a secret political organization, which cut some figure in the last two elections in this county. They are all out after Day's scalp. Most of them are supporting James D. Abbott for county chairman, but they would be satisfied with anybody but Day.

**Many Are Disqualified.** In a report made yesterday a committee appointed from the Lockwood Club makes the charge that 25 per cent of the so-called Day candidates elected on the county committee are disqualified from serving from the fact that they do not reside in the precinct from which they were elected or are not registered members of the party they seek to represent. This committee even alleges that three of these precinct committeemen are actually registered as Democrats. In its report this committee said: "The Multnomah County Republican Central Committee, of those members who were filed by what is known as the Amidon-Day-Radiator ring, some 250 odd in number, appear, after a careful checking over the list, contain among the number apparently acting as three registered as Democrats, 23 not registered in precinct, 13 registered in wrong precinct, five not living in precinct in which elected, and 45 holding appointive public positions and, therefore, ineligible to serve as members of party committee under section 3506 of the Oregon code."

**Law is Made Plain.** The law requires that the party committeeman, in order to be eligible to serve on the party committee, must be a member of that party. He says in his declaration when filing, that I am a duly registered member of the Republican party residing in that precinct. The law specifically requires that he must be a resident of that precinct; and residence is defined, in the case of a married man, where his wife sleeps. From a careful examination of the lists of the Republican committee in the County Clerk's office, it appears that about 93, or about one-fourth of the committee, are ineligible under the law to serve on the committee.

**Camouflage is Charged.** Neither are the opponents of Day convinced of the genuineness of the candidacy of Professor E. H. Whitney for secretary of the committee to succeed Elmer L. Amidon. They charge that the professor's candidacy served a bit of political camouflage and that at the proper time the game is for Whitney to step aside and then the Day crowd will slip his running mate, Amidon, into the secretaryship for another two years. Day's friends, on the contrary, positively assert that Amidon will not be a candidate. Asked for a statement last night, Mr. Day said: "I am gratified that any opposition to my candidacy for reelection should be headed by Charles E. Lockwood and Ferdinand E. Reed."

On the same night the Democratic County Central Committee will meet for the purpose of organization in the Journal building. For county chairman the names of Alex. Sweek, John D. Mann and Oglesby Young have been discussed. In the recent primary election the Democratic voters of the county elected precinct committeemen from 221 of the 413 precincts in the county. Committeemen will be named for the other precincts by the regularly elected members of the committee as soon as it has completed organization.

NORTH AND SOUTH UNITED

Dr. J. R. N. Bell Gives Stirring Address at Monmouth Exercises.

MONMOUTH, Or., May 31.—(Special.)—The North and South clasped hands here today in a joint Memorial day programme. When Dr. J. R. N. Bell, of Corvallis, had concluded his address he said that as a Confederate veteran he had been at Winchester and Cedar Creek, and asked if there was any Northern man present who had been in either battle. A veteran of Cedar Creek, a member of the Independence Army of the Republic Post, responded. They clasped hands in a pledge of support to the Nation in its war on the Hun and then called for three rousing cheers for the Stars and Stripes. More than 1000 people participated in the parade which preceded the programme. British Society to Meet. The weekly meetings of the British

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IN SPITE OF THE PRODUCER'S DEMAND THAT WE SHOW IT AT A DOLLAR A SEAT (AND EVERYONE WHO HAS SEEN IT ADMITS IT'S WORTH IT); IN SPITE OF THE TREMENDOUS RENTAL COST OF THE FILM; IN SPITE OF THE LENGTH OF TIME IT TAKES TO SCREEN IT; WE SHOW IT AT

MATINEES, 35c—EVENINGS AND SUNDAY ALL DAY, 50c (Children 15c, Including War Tax) (After 6 o'Clock, Children 25c)



Red Cross Society will be held tonight in the Knights of Pythias Hall, Eleventh and Alder streets, at 8 o'clock. Lieutenant Blyth, of the 5th Battalion and Lieutenant Joyce, of the Canadian Field Artillery, will address the meeting. Lieutenant Joyce arrived in Portland this week to take charge of the British recruiting mission. A musical programme will be given. All interested in the work are invited. Women's Clubs to Evolve. NEWBERG, Or., June 1.—(Special.)—The Federation of Women's Clubs of Yamhill County will hold their annual meeting in the city park here on Saturday, June 8. An excellent programme including numbers from various clubs over the county, is almost completed. A general invitation to all interested in club work is extended. In a kite frame patented by a Wisconsin man ribs radiate from a central disk of metal. Cuticura Heals Itching Burning Skin Troubles. All Druggists; Soap 25c, Ointment 25c and 50c, Tablets 25c. Sample each free of "Cuticura, Dept. E, Boston."