WAR STORY MOVES THRONG AT HEILIG

Mrs. Vernon Kellogg Appeals to Portlanders in Behalf of Starving Belgians.

HUN OUTRAGES ARE RETOLD

Great Audience Sits in Silent Awe as Speaker Paints Marvelous Picture of Heroism—Bread Lines Are Described.

BY EDITH KNIGHT HOLMES.

Ten million suffering people, prisoners within a cruel steel ring, 10,000,000 who know the heights and depths of self-sacrifice and isolation and who yet are strong in spirit, held out their hands in supplication yesterday to Portland.

And before those unconquered, dauntless souls there stood the figure of a red-robed cardinal, a saint sustaining his martyred people, and he, too, held out his hands saying, "Belgium will be strong. She will keep the faith. My children never will give up. They look to America and they will not be disappointed."

It was Mrs. Vernon Kellogg, the only woman member of the Belgian Relief Commission, who, speaking under the auspices of the Food Administration, brought this picture, this appeal, to this city yesterday when she spoke in the Heilig Theater. Mrs. F. S. Myers, chairman of the conservation department of the local Food Administration, introduced Mrs. Kellogg.

Patriotic Music Stirs.

A fitting opening ceremony was a song, "The Star-Spangled Banner," sung by Mrs. Jane Burns Albert, costumed as the Goddess of Liberty. Pretty girls in Belgian costume ushered. The theater was filled and throughout the address there was a hush. Scarcely any applause. Portland sat in silent awe as it beheld that marvelous picture of heroism such as the world has never before known and the message went home to every heart to save the wheat, sugar and fats for the 10,000,000 and the soldiers of the allied armies who are waging the fight for these people and to save other peoples from just such a fate.

Mrs. Kellogg said she gave but a glimpse of the many phases of life within that electric-charged steel ring, that relentless boundary that the Germans have made round Belgium and Northern France. But her glimpses were pictures made in colors that cannot fade from the minds of the 2000 who heard her. They realized as never before the heroism of their sisters across the seas.

Hun Cruelties Are Retold.

They saw the Belgian man in a new light. They saw him standing imprisonment and torture and yet not yielding even when the Germans offered him food and money for himself and family with the proviso that he work in the German munitions factories. They saw how he might die from wast and suffering, but his spirit never would yield.

And the Belgian women. Mrs. Kellogg, who lived with them for six months, could paint them in words that were tender, reverent, luminous, for she knows their privations and their courage and how they are glorified by what they have gone through for four long years, never flinching, keeping their caps and their aprons snowy white, tending their flower gardens so that the little children might see gay flowers in the charity dining-rooms and that the women might look clean and hope-inspiring.

America Land of Plenty.

"There is only one table in the world that I want you to see," said Mrs. Kellogg, "and that is the table of the allies. America's plate is heaped high. What of England's, France's, poor little Belgium's and all the others? Can you take your bounteous repast and give them nothing? I need not say this to the majority of Oregonians. You have done so well, and yet there are still some who do not realize. Sixty-eight thousand tons of wheat should be entering Rotterdam every month and 110,000 tons of foodstuffs to keep the people fed.

"It is your business and mine to see what is on those other plates. If they starve, the fault will be ours. If the lines of the allies ever break the fault will be on our shoulders. The worst system of human atrocity is being practiced. Germany is trying to break their spirit by slow, torture, slow starvation. Let's do our part to help the sufferers to keep strong in spirit by sending the food that will keep up the bodily strength."

Hunger and Misery Vie.

The souplines of Belgium were described graphically, those long lines of hungry people seen at every turn. "The quickest record for feeding is about 50 minutes," said Mrs. Kellogg. "Imagine standing for 50 minutes every day for four years in a soup line and often, so often, in the rain. It seemed to me it rained almost every day. And the one question each one asks is, 'How much fat is there on my soup?' They know that in the fat they will have sustaining power.

"The little school children meet daily at the public dining-rooms and get two tablespoonsful of stew and a small piece of gray war bread and on very lucky days they have a little taste of milk. And always on the tables there are gay red geraniums that the women have grown in their gardens. And the wee babies are placed in pens and these, too, are made gay and attractive, although they be built among ruins. The women paint little cribs white and they carve out rabbits and kittens and birds and paint them. They will not let the babies see all gray and black and desolate things.

Parting Picture Pitiful.

"Do you realize what kind of courage it takes to be gay and make bright toys and keep a smile for the children when such relentless cruelty is being practiced and hope seems so remote?"

Mrs. Kellogg told how the old clothes sent in to Belgium had been made over in sewing rooms established for the purpose and of what a godsend these had been. She pictured the homes and the lives of the families formerly well-to-do now trying to keep out of the soup line. She gave incidents and experiences that came under her eye as a member of the commission of which Herbert Hoover was head, and of which Professor Kellogg was an important member. She told of her entrance into Belgium and how she used to wonder when America would realize and come to the rescue, and how at last she had to leave when war was declared and of the parting picture made by Cardinal Mercier as he stood, tall, pale, resolute, inspiring his countrymen with courage and behind him the background of peoples whose spirit will not fail if America does her duty.

PORTLAND EAGER TO ASSIST

Women Pledge Hearty Support in Behalf of Stricken Nation.

That the seeds of Belgium's message to America, as delivered by Mrs. Vernon Kellogg at the Heilig Theater yesterday afternoon, did not fall on barren ground was indicated by the number of inquiries made at the Food Administration offices immediately following the lecture, by women and girls eager for definite directions as to how they could best help in food conservation.

"Most of these inquiries," said Federal Food Administrator Ayer, "were from those who were already observing the general conservation rules, but who after hearing Mrs. Kellogg's most forceful and appealing address, found themselves dissatisfied with what they were doing and eager for further personal effort. There seems to be some confusion as to the most important conservation measures to be observed just at the present time, and in order that people may be clear on this point I wish to say that the first and most important thing is to save wheat, and to save wheat to the utmost limit. The second is to save sugar,—to eat sparingly of anything containing sugar."

Mr. Ayer advises those who wish information as to how to conserve wheat and sugar to go to the Liberty Temple where under the auspices of the Food Administration conservation demonstrations are being made every day.

MILITARY SHOW IS PLAN

BENEFIT FOR 91ST DIVISION PROPOSED FOR JULY 3 HERE.

Soldiers of Camp Lewis to Be Principal Performers With Army Band as Special Feature.

Plans for a monster military vaudeville show, with members of the National Army stationed at Camp Lewis as the principal performers and the 364th Infantry Band as the added attraction at the Auditorium, July 3, are being formulated.

Captain L. A. Milner, commanding headquarters company, 364th Infantry, called on Acting Mayor Bigelow and Hal M. White, secretary to Mayor Baker, yesterday to discuss preliminary plans for the event.

The proceeds of the affair will go into the overseas athletic fund of the 91st division, a fund which is now sadly depleted. This division expects to leave Camp Lewis within a short time and the Portland appearance will probably be the last public function held to enlarge the fund.

The 364th Infantry Band, awarded the honor of being the best band in Camp Lewis in a recent competition, will not only appear at the performance, but should the tentative plans work out successfully, will also be in Portland's Fourth of July parade.

Stars of the legitimate stage and from the motion picture world, men who have enviable reputations before the footlights, are included in the roster of the 364th Infantry, and if the show is held in Portland, it will undoubtedly be the greatest performance of its kind yet held.

Captain Milner left Portland last night to complete arrangements and to secure, if possible, the leave of absence for the number of men necessary to stage the event. Definite word as to the completion of these arrangements is expected by Acting Mayor Bigelow Monday.

FISH REMOVAL BARRED

FEDERAL OFFICIAL RULES SALMON MUST STAY UNDER FALLS.

City Commissioner Kellaher's Request That Nets Be Used to Get Fish for City Market, Denied.

Efforts of City Commissioner Kellaher to obtain permission from Federal Fish Commissioner Frank M. Warren for the removal of the fish said to be under the falls at Oregon City failed.

Mr. Kellaher proposed that Oregon City fishermen be allowed to remove the fish with nets, one-third of the catch going to the state, one-third to the Municipal fish market and one-third to the fishermen.

Mr. Warren refused to sanction such a plan, stating that if the fish were to be removed the supply must go to the state institutions.

Between 75 and 100 tons of fish are beneath the falls, unable to get over the obstacles and proceed to the spawning grounds, according to Mr. Kellaher. If the salmon could be removed, the supply could be sold at a price low enough to allow the public to can it.

SCHOOL ELECTIONS COMING

Officials in Outside Districts to Be Chosen Monday.

In all the school districts of Multnomah County outside of Portland annual elections will be held on Monday. At this time one Director and Clerk will be elected in each district.

In announcing the election yesterday County Superintendent W. C. Alderson said the qualifications for voters in the outside districts are the same as in Portland. The law specifies that the voter must be a citizen of the United States and must have resided 30 days in the district. A common belief that only property owners may vote is erroneous, Mr. Alderson said.

FOREST EXPERT TO TALK

W. B. Osborne to Address Soldiers on Prevention of Fire.

W. B. Osborne, forest examiner of the Portland district office, has been invited to give a course of lectures to the reserve officers' training classes at Vancouver Barracks, on the subject of fire prevention and protection. Mr. Osborne is the inventor of the Osborne fire finder, which is now a part of the standard equipment of every look-out station in the National forests.

His course to the prospective officers of the spruce division will consist of lectures and a practical demonstration at the end of the course.

Relief from Eczema

Don't worry about eczema or other skin troubles. You can have a clear, healthy skin by using a little zemo, obtained at any drug store for 35c, or extra large bottle at $1.00.

Zemo generally removes pimples, blackheads, blotches, eczema, and ringworm and makes the skin clear and healthy. Zemo is a clean, penetrating, antiseptic liquid, neither sticky nor greasy and stains nothing. It is easily applied and costs a mere trifle for each application. It is always dependable.

The E. W. Rose Co., Cleveland, O.

Cuticura For Baby's Itchy Skin

All druggists; Soap 25, Ointment 25 and 50, Talcum 25. Sample each free of "Cuticura, Dept. L, Boston."

U. S. Thrift Stamps and Savings Certificates for Sale at Main Office 4th Floor

We Give S. & H. Green Trading Stamps With Purchases Amounting to 10c or More—Stamp Books Redeemed in Cash, Fourth Floor

Manicuring and Hair Dressing Parlors, Second Floor—Trunks, Suitcases and Bags, Fourth Floor—Model Grocery, Fourth Floor

Ice Cream Parlors
and soda fountain in the Basement Store. A good place to meet your friends. Special 25c lunch served from 11 to 2 daily.

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

Tea Room 4th Floor
—All foods prepared under rigid sanitary inspection. Prompt service and reasonable prices.

June Sales Now in Progress All Over the Store
Featuring Special Offerings in Summer Wearables and Household Needs at Worth-While Savings

Women's Silk Skirts
—AT $5.50 we show three attractive new models in fancy plaid and striped satins and black taffeta. Latest sport styles, with large pockets and novelty belts. Good range of colors. Priced **$5.50**
—AT $7.50—Handsome new Sport Skirts of fancy striped, plaid and black taffetas. Yoke effects, panel styles and shirred models. Novelty belts and pockets. Exceptional values at only **$7.50**
—AT $9.75—Women's new Dress Skirts of silk poplin. Very full, with wide crush girdle and sport pockets. Navy, medium blue, gray, tan and black. In the June Sale at the low price of **$9.75**
—AT $10.00 there are several beautiful new models in fancy taffetas and satins.

Silk Petticoats Special $4.29

Second Floor—Excellent quality silk taffeta, silk jersey and jersey tops with taffeta or messaline flounces. Several pretty styles with ruffled, pleated or shirred flounces. Plain colors and changeables. Priced special for today **$4.29**

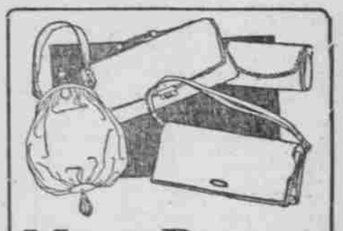
Sport Sweaters $10
Of Wool or Fiber Silk
Second Floor—Women's Shetland Wool Sweaters with square or roll collar. All the new colors and white. One model is of fiber silk in rose, turquoise, purple and gold. Styled with square collar and sash belt. Splendid values **$10.00**

Women's Silk Gloves 60c to $1.75
—At the Center Circle today we shall feature a special display of the new Silk Gloves in the celebrated Portland Maid and Kayser makes.
—Two-clasp Tricot Gloves in black, white and colors. The pair, 75¢
—Two-clasp Milanese Gloves in plain and fancy stitching. Black and white. Special, the pair, $1
—Two-clasp Milanese with plain and fancy pointings. Pair, $1.25
—Other Milanese Gloves priced today, the pair, $1.35 and $1.75
—Two-clasp Tricot Gloves in black and white. Pair **60c**

Girls' Dresses
Special Display—2d Floor
—GIRLS' TUB DRESSES of splendid quality chambrays and ginghams. Many attractive new models. Ages 6 to 14. Priced now at $1.98 up to $3.50
Bloomers to match above dresses at 65¢ to 90¢
—COOL SUMMER FROCKS, made up in voiles, organdies, ginghams, etc. Dainty surplice styles with fancy collars, sashes, etc. Many are lace trimmed. The prices range from $7.75 on up to $19.75
—GIRLS' SILK DRESSES—taffeta and foulards, in stripes, plaids and plain colors. Ages 8 to 14 years. These dresses are priced at $12.98 up to $35.00
—GIRLS' PARTY DRESSES—New shipment just received. Made up in nets, Georgette crepes, crepe de chine and taffeta. Priced at $9.25 up to $27.50

Dainty Net Flouncings
Ruffled—Tucked—Hemstitched
Main Floor—Easily made up into attractive Summer dresses for women, misses and girls of high school age. New lot just received. Various styles. Some in combination of ruffles and tucks. Others with hemstitched ruffles. Fine quality net. 40 inches wide. 3 to 3¾ yards will make a complete dress. Priced at, the yard, $1.65 to $3.75

35c Handkerchiefs 25c
Main Floor—Women's Embroidered Kerchiefs imported from Switzerland. Imitation of Appenzel embroidery patterns. Fine silver gray yarns. A standard 35c quality on special sale today at low price of **25c**
—Women's fine Cambric Handkerchiefs with linen finish. Good full size, plain white with neat hemstitched border. Not more than two dozen sold to a customer. Priced special for Saturday 5¢ each or doz. **55c**



New Purses and Bags
—New Hand Purses with back strap or handle. We have all the new sizes and styles. $1 to $20
—Fancy Bags in many novelty styles. Priced at $3.50 to $10

Hair Bow Ribbons At 29c

Bows Tied Free Saturday
Main Floor—New Hairbow Ribbons in all the best staple colors. Fine heavy quality wide moire in plain or with fancy edge. This ribbon is well worth 35c the yard. Hairbows tied free of charge at the ribbon counter. Hair Bow Ribbons on sale at, the yard **29c**

Narrow Satin Ribbons
At Special Prices
Main Floor—A standard quality Satin Ribbon, particularly adapted for lingerie and infant wear. On account of this shipment being delayed in transit we offer the entire lot at special low prices. Shown in white, pink, blue and rose. Supply your needs now.
—Widths 1, 1½, 2 and 5, 10-yd. bolts, 20c, 25c, 30c, 65c
—Widths 1, 1½, 2 and 5—by yard—3c, 3½c, 4c, 7c

Basement
Sport Sailors At $1.48
Basement—About 100 Women's and Misses' Sport Sailors in black and colors—just the thing for Summer wear. At **$1.48**
—OUTING HATS in various styles. Priced special **50c**

New Leghorn Hats
Basement—Special shipment just received. Women's beautiful new Leghorn Hats trimmed with flowers, fancy feathers, etc. Priced special today at **$3.98**

$12.50 to $20 Hats $10
Millinery Salons On Second Floor

—Beautiful white Milans, trimmed with ostrich fancies, imitation aigrettes, burnt goose feathers, flowers and ribbons; also pretty gray and tan lizere Hats, effectively trimmed with flowers, ribbons, etc., and a few Leghorn Hats. Large, medium and small styles—hats to please every fancy. None worth less than $12.50—most of them are $16 to $20 values. Saturday they go at only **$10**

See Display of These Hats in Morrison-Street Window

New Neckwear for Women
Main Floor—New vests, vestees, collars and sets. Beautiful styles from leading designers and makers. Dainty hand embroidery effects with Filet lace edges, also with St. Gall and French Val. laces, edges and hemstitching or tucks. Net, organdie, crepe, pique and satin materials. Priced each, 65¢, $1, $2, $5 up to $14
—SATURDAY SPECIAL—Women's new Collars, Sets, Vests and Vestees at 65¢ and **$1.25**

$1.00 Drape Veils 65c
Saturday Special
Main Floor—These are the new "THRIFT" Veils you hear so much about. Shown in black, white and various good colors. Splendid $1 Veils on sale at **65c**

New Motor Headwear
Main Floor—Stop at the Veiling Counter and see our great showing of women's motor Caps of silk and poplin combinations. Buckram interlined Visors $1.25

Men's Clothing
Standard Makes Popular Prices
Main Floor—Quality means more today than ever before. Men who shop carefully, who look for style plus serviceability in the clothes they buy, will find here a representative showing of the new suits ranging in price from $20 to $42.50—Suits for the younger men $20 and $25

Men's $1.50 Shirts $1.15
All Sizes, 14 up to 18
Main Floor—Famous Belmont Shirts. Made in standard sizes, full cut, not the skimpy kind. Splendid quality percales and madras in neat stripe patterns. Regular $1.50 Shirts on sale, special, at only **$1.15**

Men's Jap Panama Hats
$2.50 Grades $1.00
Main Floor—Only a limited number in this lot, so come early in the day. Broken range of sizes, but a good selection to start with. Hats selling heretofore at $2.50—Saturday they go on sale at special price **$1.00**

Men's Bathing Suits
—We show an excellent stock of men's and young men's Bathing Suits in all the popular colors—wool or mixtures. Prices range from $1.50 to $5.00.
—Men's Union Suits in Vassar, Carter's and Cooper's makes. Cotton, lisle, part wool, silk-and-wool. Regular and stout, $1.00 up to $15.00.

Toilet Needs & Drugs
—We reserve the right to limit quantity of any article in this list sold to a customer. S. & H. Green Stamps given with all purchases.

Ivory Soap 5 Cakes for **25c**
—Limit five cakes to a customer and no deliveries except with other purchases made the in Drug Dept.
—Waterglass for preserving eggs at 25¢, 50¢, 75¢ and $1.00
—Cuticura Soap, special at 20¢
—Lazell's Massatla Talcum 19¢
—Jergen's Violet Glyc. Soap 10¢
—Sempre Giovine, special at 49¢

Packer's Tar Soap, a Cake **22c**
—Colgate's Hand Grip Shaving Sticks, 25¢; refills at only 20¢
—Odorona at 27¢, 45¢ and 90¢
—Unguentine, for burns, at 25¢
—Espey's Sunburn Cream 20c-40c
—Milkweed Cream, 45¢ and 90¢

Hind's Honey & Almond Cream **45c**
—Woodbury's Facial Cream 22¢
—Daggett & Ramsdell's Cold Cream, in jar or tube, priced 43¢
—Borden's Malted Milk, ½-lb. size, 40¢; 1-lb., 80¢; hospital size at $3; 10-lb. tin, $4.50; tablets, 25¢
—Witch Hazel, 8-oz., 20¢; 16, 35¢
—Nujol Intestinal Lubricant 75¢
—Peroxide, 3 sizes, 10¢, 15¢, 25¢

Canthrox for the Hair, only **59c**
—Glycothynioline, 3 sizes, priced special at 25¢, 50¢ and $1.00
—Every-Week Shampoo now 50¢
—Domestic Castile Soap in large size bar priced special at only 29¢

Pebeco Tooth Paste, a tube **45c**
—Squibb's Liquid Petroleum, six full pint bottles for only $5.00
—Mentholatum, 2 sizes, 23¢, 45¢

Lunch Sets at $3.75

Like This Illustration
Third Floor—For anyone who finds it necessary to take meals away from home these sets are most convenient. Sanitary box keeps food in perfect condition and vacuum bottle keeps liquid warm or cold for several hours. Strongly constructed.
—Lunch Set, as illustrated, for $3.75
—Other Sets of similar style at $3.00
—Headquarters for Motor Lunch Sets, put up in cases; Vacuum Bottles, etc.

All Refrigerators Reduced
Third Floor—Our entire stock of Refrigerators included in the June Sale at substantial reductions. Every home should have a refrigerator, if for no other reason than to protect the health of the family. All styles. Sale prices range from $13.50 up to $52.65

We Give S. & H. Trading Stamps—Ask for Them!

Men's White Canvas Oxfords $3, $3.50, $4

Main Floor—Saturday the Shoe Store will have ready a new shipment of Men's White Canvas Oxfords at $3, $3.50 and $4 the pair. Leather or fiber soles, plain or tipped toes. Ideal for sport, street and outing wear. Full range sizes.

Children's Barefoot Sandals, Oxfords
Main Floor—Boys', Misses' and Children's Barefoot Sandals and Play Oxfords of tan lotus calf—just the thing for beach and play wear. Cool and comfortable. We give S. & H. Green Trading Stamps.
—SANDALS—Sizes 5 to 8, $1.40; sizes 8½ to 11, $1.60; sizes 11½ to 2, $1.85.—Dept., First Floor.
—PLAY OXFORDS—Sizes 5 to 8, $1.60; sizes 8½ to 11, $1.85; 11½ to 2, $2.25; 2½ to 7, $2.50

Portland Agents for Buster Brown Shoes

Sand Toys
Fourth Floor
—Sandy Andy, Old Mill and many other interesting toys to amuse the children at the beach. Headquarters for tennis, golf, baseball goods and fishing tackle.