

GOOD STAMP MADE

Thrift Stamps and War Savings Certificates Active.

STATE'S TOTAL IS \$814,960

Indications Are That Million Mark Will Be Passed This Month—Oregon's Quota for Campaign Is \$17,000,000.

Thrift stamps and war savings certificate sales in Oregon aggregated \$814,960, according to the latest compilation returns made at local headquarters of the war savings stamp organization.

Total sales for the month of February to date amount to \$814,960. Sales for January amounted to \$415,261.51, which with the December sales brought the total up to \$751,941.50 on February 1.

Sales in Multnomah County for the current month to date aggregate \$21,192.88, making a grand total in the county of \$188,118.17.

Outside of Multnomah County, Yamhill County leads for the month, with sales amounting to \$4721.43, and Marion, with a grand total of \$27,291.72, leads with aggregate to date.

The following table shows the standing of counties, the total sales to date, and the balance of the quota to be raised to bring the state's sales up to the \$17,000,000 goal of the year's campaign:

County	Quota	Total sales
Becker	271,229	6,989.22
Benton	218,500	18,925.00
Clatsop	275,888	19,112.88
Columbia	278,829	2,216.26
Cook	118,718	11,718.21
Crook	82,180	1,023.21
Curry	42,180	18.48
DeWitt	275,888	1,502.71
DeSha	468,910	14,193.25
Gilliam	275,888	2,815.59
Grant	112,149	6,194.01
Harney	226,400	2,829.25
Heald	226,400	2,829.25
Jackson	226,400	2,829.25
Jefferson	226,400	2,829.25
Josephine	226,400	2,829.25
Klamath	226,400	2,829.25
Lake	226,400	2,829.25
Lane	226,400	2,829.25
Linn	226,400	2,829.25
Lincoln	226,400	2,829.25
Linn	226,400	2,829.25
Malheur	226,400	2,829.25
Marion	226,400	2,829.25
Morrow	226,400	2,829.25
Multnomah	226,400	2,829.25
Polk	226,400	2,829.25
Sherman	226,400	2,829.25
Tillamook	226,400	2,829.25
Umatilla	226,400	2,829.25
Union	226,400	2,829.25
Wallowa	226,400	2,829.25
Wasco	226,400	2,829.25
Washington	226,400	2,829.25
Wheeler	226,400	2,829.25
Yamhill	226,400	2,829.25
Totals	\$17,000,000	\$814,960

Sales are picking up well, the sinking of the Lusitania having stimulated interest in the financial end of the war against the Hun and it is expected that the million-dollar mark in sales will be passed before March 1.

SHORT COURSE ARRANGED

Irrigation School at Redmond Will Be Profitable to Farmers.

REDMOND, Or., Feb. 9.—(Special.)—For the purpose of instructing old and new settlers in a thorough knowledge of irrigation matters, a week's irrigation course has been arranged by the Oregon Agricultural College, the county agricultural agent and the State Engineer's office, to be held in Redmond during the week of February 18 to 25. The school is a new feature in Central Oregon affairs and from the interest manifested in it by the farmers and irrigation men, promises to be a success. The formation of the Central Oregon Irrigation District, the construction of the Ontario project and the North Canal project, bring the subject of irrigation prominently into the affairs of the Central Oregon people. It is felt the irrigation school will supply a lack in teaching in a practical manner the correct measurement of water, the construction and maintenance of irrigation systems, and the irrigation of Central Oregon crops.

Among the prominent speakers who will lecture during the course are John H. Lewis, State Engineer; George T. Cochran, superintendent of water division No. 2; W. L. Powers, professor of irrigation, Oregon Agricultural College; Professor T. A. Teters, professor of irrigation engineering, Oregon Agricultural College; J. H. Upton, president Oregon Irrigation Congress; Fred K. Wallace, manager Tumalo project; and Hon. Denton G. Burdick, of Redmond. The course is being managed by County Agricultural Agent W. L. Lewis and registration is made through him at Redmond.

Elevator Company Incorporates.

PASCO, Wash., Feb. 9.—(Special.)—Articles of incorporation have been filed in the office of the County Auditor of the Burruss Elevator Company. The following are the officers of the company: President, L. E. Nolen; vice-president, F. G. Pierret; secretary, C. W. Kmsworth; attorney, Gerard N. Waller; L. E. Nolen, P. O. Farmer, W. Knight, C. A. Ingalls and W. Y. Dent were elected as members of the board of directors. The stock is held by farmers in the vicinity of Burruss Junction, and the object of the company is to prepare for the handling of wheat in bulk. Elevators are being built, and it is anticipated that everything will be in readiness for handling the new wheat crop.

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HIGH PRAISE GIVEN TO REINALD WERRENATH, AMERICAN SINGER.

California Papers Laud Soloist Who Will Appear at Heilig Theater in Recital Next Saturday, February 16.



REINALD WERRENATH.

MOST extraordinary ovations are being given Reinald Werrenath, the American baritone who comes under direction of Steers & Co. to the Heilig next Saturday, February 16, for a recital. His tour carries him through California on his way to Portland, and leading California papers give him high praise.

The Pacific Coast Musical Review says: "Whatever is pleasing and delightful in the exposition of genuine vocal art Reinald Werrenath possesses in the highest degree. His voice is round, limpid and resonant. It is a genuine baritone voice. It is bell-like and entrancing in the high notes, and it is lucid and vibrating in the lowest tones. In addition, the middle position of the voice is thoroughly well developed and does not reveal that threadbare quality which many singers exhibit in other words. Mr. Werrenath is a baritone soloist of the rarest character and one of those artists to whom you could listen for hours without becoming weary. But it is not only the voice quality that appeals so much when hearing this great artist, it is the intellectual and artistry that is infused into every interpretation he gives you, be the same ever so modest or brief.

MORE 'EYES' SOUGHT

Binoculars, Telescopes and Spy Glasses Need of Navy.

PORTLAND TO HELP CAUSE

Four-Minute Men Will Mount Stages of Local Theaters Tomorrow in Order That Portlanders May Do Share in Campaign.

Wanted—Thousands of binoculars, telescopes and spy-glasses by the United States Navy. This message, or words to this effect, flashed along the wires from Washington to every city in the United States yesterday. As a result, the Four Minute Men will mount the stages of Portland theaters tomorrow, and every day this week, to tell the audiences of the Government's crying need for more "eyes" for the Navy.

A bulletin issued by Franklin D. Roosevelt, Assistant Secretary of the Navy, to William M. Blair, head of the division of Four Minute Men, and contained in the information sent to F. L. Carlton, director of speakers for Portland, says that binoculars and other glasses are needed by the Navy in larger quantities than they can possibly be manufactured.

It is pointed out that, although the Navy is splendidly equipped for civilized warfare, it was not fully prepared at the outbreak of the war for such a menace as that of the submarine, and that the manufacture of high-powered glasses was practically confined to Germany, so that none have been imported since the war started.

More "Eyes" Are Necessary. In order to detect a submarine in time to prevent it from performing its deadly work, Mr. Carlton said, in speaking of the coming campaign yesterday, it is necessary to watch every square foot of the ocean around the vessel endangered, and the more glasses there are aboard the vessel, the greater is the degree of safety.

PORTLAND BOY WHO HELPED SCRAMBLE 740 EGGS FOR BREAKFAST



Joseph H. Ruvenky. How would you like to scramble 740 eggs for breakfast? Joseph H. Ruvenky, of Portland, son of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Ruvenky, does it every now and then, or at least he helps, as cook at the United States naval training station in San Diego. In a recent letter Mr. Ruvenky tells of feeding 2890 men at one meal and, while he has served five years in the National Guards of Oregon and Washington, it remained for him to have an eye-opener as to the commissary magnitude of the Navy in time of war. He writes: "I enlisted in Seattle and was sent to Goat Hill in San Francisco Bay. I stayed there 37 days and was sent to this place. I enlisted as a seaman, but I have changed my rate and now am a cook."

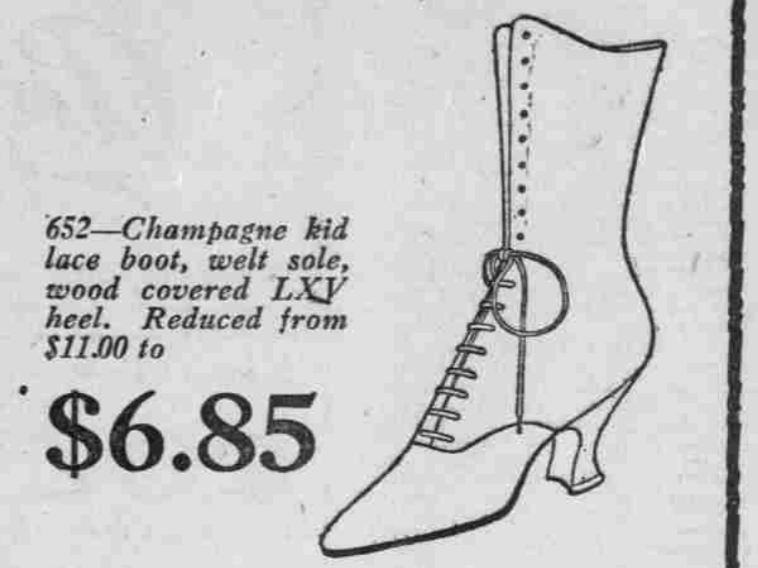
G.H. Baker February Clearance Shoe Sale

You receive the same satisfaction at a Baker sale as at all times, because full and complete lines, not odds and ends, are reduced so generously that the advantage is self-evident.



963—Dark tan calf lace boot, fawn buck top, "Militaire" heel. Same in black calf, gray buck top. Reduced from \$7.50 to

\$4.85



652—Champagne kid lace boot, welt sole, wood covered LXV heel. Reduced from \$11.00 to

\$6.85



W657—Black kid vamp, pearl gray cloth top, leather LXV heel. Reduced from \$6.50 to

\$4.85



A964—Tan calf vamp, fawn buck top, welt sole, "Militaire" heel. Reduced from \$8.50 to

\$6.85



D5060—Black calf, English model; same with brown cloth upper, black cloth upper; also an all-calf in dark brown.. Reduced from \$5 to

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CITY PLANS IN TURMOIL

OIL COMPANIES WILL NOT DELIVER ASPHALT.

Paving Plant May Be Unable to Operate, Due to Lack of Material Needed.

Notice received yesterday by City Commissioner Barbur to the effect that the oil companies will not contract for paving asphalt except where the purchaser takes on the task of transporting the product from California, has thrown plans for a municipal paving plant into a turmoil. The notice was received from both oil companies.

The city's proposed new paving plant has arranged for extensive repair work during the coming season. If asphalt cannot be obtained it is felt that the plant will be unable to do much work. Particular interest in this connection centers about the question of whether a sufficient amount of asphalt can be obtained to enable the paving of the north half of Terwilliger boulevard under a contract by which the city obtained the right of way for the boulevard.

The oil companies say that their steamers have been commandeered by the Government, and that transportation of asphalt is a difficult problem. The possibility of getting the material here in large quantities by railway is a proposition which will be investigated.

Kelso Faces Shortage of Houses.

KELSO, Wash., Feb. 9.—(Special.)—There has been since an increase in the population of Kelso during the past six months that all available houses have been occupied, and dozens of men who have moved to Kelso recently to work in the mills or to engage in fishing have been unable to secure houses. There is not a single modern residence unoccupied in Kelso, and those that are

vacant are sadly in need of repair. A building boom must soon start to meet the need for houses.

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Start Tomorrow and Keep It Up Every Morning

Get in the habit of drinking a glass of hot water before breakfast.

Everyone, whether ailing, sick or well, should, each morning, before breakfast, drink a glass of real hot water with a teaspoonful of limestone phosphate in it to wash from the stomach, liver and bowels the previous day's indigestible waste, sour bile and poisonous toxins. The action of hot water and limestone phosphate on an empty stomach is wonderfully invigorating. It cleans out all the sour fermentations, gases, waste and acidity and gives one a splendid appetite for breakfast.

The millions of people who are bothered with constipation, bilious spells, stomach trouble; others who have sallow skins, blood disorders and sickly complexions are urged to get a quarter pound of limestone phosphate from the drug store. This will cost very little, but is sufficient to make anyone a pronounced crank on the subject of indigestion, gases, waste and acidity. Bathe before breakfast.—Adv.

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