WOMEN'S PATRIOTIC SERVICE

BY EDITH KNIGHT HOLMES.

P. E. O. Members Make Aviators' Jackets.

(Left to right) Miss Edith Sheldon and Mrs. M. H. Lamond Registering in Student Nurse Corps.

MORE than a billion dollars of liberty bonds were sold by women in the last campaign.

Now, before we realize it, the fourth liberty loan will be here and the women of Oregon will be called upon to do their part. The committees are lined up and the names of women who are good workers are card-indexed. Harmony prevails and patriotism is the first consideration.

Mrs. Vincent Cook is chosen city chairman for the fourth loan and will be assisted by an able board, among whose members will be Mrs. Dallas Bache, Mrs. William L. Wood, Mrs. Laura Cavers-Brogden, Mrs. Harold Sawyer, Mrs. Alice Benson Beach, Mrs. Kelly Rees, Mrs. Isaac Swett, Mrs. Holt Wilson, Mrs. D. A. Shindler, Mrs. Withrow, Mrs. Elliott Corbett, Mrs. Frederick Eggert, Mrs. Donald Spencer, Mrs. C. B. Simmons and Mrs. E. H. McCollister.

Mrs. H. B. Cartlidge is Oregon City chairman, Mrs. W. W. Calkins is vice-chairman for Southern Oregon and Mrs. G. T. Cochran, for Eastern Oregon.

Mrs. Sarah A. Evans is state chairman. She returned recently from Chicago, where she attended the meeting of the women's committee chairmen of all the states.

The Federal reserve banks in 12 districts were consulted and all consented to put women on their committees. It was found that a notable feature of the third loan was the fact that the women sold a large amount of bonds at a very small expense.

Preparations for the coming liberty loan campaign will not in any way stop the wheels of progress in other patriotic work. The woman's committee of the Council of Defense at their headquarters, sixth floor, Meier & Frank building, will continue to register nurses. Young women between the ages of 19 and 35 who wish to be of great service to humanity are registering to train to be regular nurses. Some of Portland's most prominent girls have taken the step and others are considering it seriously.

In the League for Woman's Service, activities go on that prove the efficiency of the organization. The women, headed by Mrs. C. B. Simmons, did a great work Tuesday at the Oaks when over 500 served thousands of visitors, and all the money went to the Red Cross.

The women of the league also are busy getting rooms for the G. A. R. In addition they have been registering girls to train as motor drivers and mechanics. Now, also, they are working in the Kanning Kitchen and in ever so many lines that are all for the one cause, helping to do their part toward winning the war.

The P. E. O. Sisterhood will keep right on making the aviator jackets, which are formed from the kid gloves deposited in the barrels outside the larger stores and at the hotels. Mrs. A. M. Gray is chairman of this work. She has the assistance of a large number of loyal women. The sisterhood is famed for its efficient work and for the social service and charitable activities that have claimed its interest in the past and now it is doing its share of the work of the day.

The War Auxiliaries are all busy and all doing well, interested in their boys and working for their benefit. The auxiliary to Company F, 18th Engineers, Railway, will give the largest lawn fete of the Summer next Saturday at the Henningsen place at Mount Tabor. Captain Kenneth Hauser and his boys of the company will be remembered by their relatives and by hundreds of friends who will attend.

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The Portland Woman's Research Club has been busy doing patriotic work this Summer. Every Thursday the members take full charge at the Kanning Kitchen. The club assists in the draft luncheons, with Mrs. Philip Gevurtz as chairman of their committee. The women have a Red Cross unit that meets every Wednesday at Olds, Wortman & King's. They helped the W. C. T. U. get electric fans for the hospitals and provided 250 workers for Red Cross day at the Oaks.

Mrs. Philip Gevurtz was general; Mrs. E. F. Mullay was colonel. Majors were Mrs. T. J. Mendenhall, Miss Viola Ortschild, Mrs. H. E. Chipman, Mrs. M. H. McClung, Mrs. J. E. Bonbright, Mrs. D. M. Watson, Mrs. James G. Ogden, Mrs. Alice C. Cowell. Captains, each having a large corps of assistants, were Mrs. P. L. Lurch, Mrs. D. M. Davies, Mrs. R. C. Neite, Mrs. W. R. Gradon, Miss Helen Petsch, Miss Edna Young, Miss Alice Matlock, Miss Edith Young, Mrs. J. C. Hare, Mrs. Robert Miller, Mrs. J. E. Bryant, Mrs. J. Emil Nelson, Mrs. Thad Graves, Mrs. H. C. Rinehart, Mrs. B. H. Hickox, Mrs. W. P. Muffley, Mrs. Jesse G. Bennett, Mrs. Charles Fenton Jones, Mrs. A. Tisdale, Mrs. G. T. Eastman, Mrs. U. G. Smith, Mrs. Anton Gierbisch, Mrs. A. G. Watson, Mrs. Richmond Kelly, Mrs. R. H. White, Miss Carrie Moore, Mrs. W. H. Monroe, Mrs. H. G. Chickering, Mrs. M. K. Hedge, Mrs. C. J. Wolfgang.

Scientists Ready to Mend for Boys in Service.

Any Soldier or Sailor Whose Clothing Needs Repair Welcomed.

THE comforts forwarding committee of Christian Scientists is now equipped to do mending for the boys in either Army or Navy and any soldier or sailor who wishes buttons sewed on or wearing apparel mended will find a welcome at the work rooms on the second floor of the Journal building on any week day between the hours of 10 and 4:30, where the work will be done free of charge. A cordial invitation is extended to all the boys in the service to visit these rooms and see what is being done there.

Any cast-off clothing that can be used for making children's garments or that can be repaired for adult refugees in the war zone will be gladly received at the committee rooms, and persons having such clothing will confer a favor if they will bring it to headquarters or even let the committee know that such is available. There is also a need for leather postcards, which can be used in lining sweaters for aviators.

Those desiring to do sewing at the workrooms will come on Mondays, Tuesdays, Thursdays and Fridays. On Wednesdays and Saturdays the cutting is done by persons especially trained for this work. Mending, knitting and so on continues every day in the week. Thursday evenings from 7 to 9 o'clock the workrooms are open in order to accommodate those occupied during the day at their regular vocation. A large supply of yarn has recently been received and any one desiring to knit for the comforts forwarding committee can make arrangements for securing supplies and instructions by calling at the committee rooms.

National Reception Feature of G. A. R. Reunion.

New York Girl to Christen Ship First Day of Convention.

MRS. HARRIETTE C. HENDEE, National Senior Aid of Woman's Relief Corps, is chairman of the National reception which will be given August 21, in the ballroom of the Multnomah Hotel, in honor of Commander-in-Chief Orlando B. Sommers.

Mrs. Hendee will be assisted by the National aides.

Beginning this morning Secretary Frank McCrillis will be at the headquarters of the committee in Liberty Temple and will counsel with all citizens. All committee work is to be directed from there.

W. M. (Pike) Davis will head a committee that will call on auto owners until the required number of cars have been pledged. The veterans have been promised a trip over the Columbia River Highway.

The most cheerful note sounded in connection with the encampment came from the parade committee, of which W. J. Hofmann is chairman. Five bands and a huge drum corps already are secured.

The programme committee has arranged for a daughter of Corporal Jim Tanner, of New York, to christen a wooden ship that is to be launched the first day of the encampment.

The parade is to be held Tuesday morning, and the big c ampfire on Tuesday night at the Auditorium.

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Among those who are active and energetic in all war work are the members of P. E. O. Sisterhood who have charge of the making of aviators' jackets from kid gloves. The chapters represented today are: C, Miss Katherine Davis; E, Mrs. R. F. Feemster; F, Mrs. Ora Bess Seeberger; A, Mrs. S. H. Morgan; N, Mrs. R. C. Hulbert; general chairman, Mrs. A. M. Gray. The gloves are all cleaned and sorted. The white gloves are made into all white jackets; the tan ones into tan jackets. Mrs. Robert Treat Platt took 45 jackets to New York with her to hurry their transportation to points where they are needed. Albany P. E. O. members sent in 19 jackets. Eighty have been completed so far.

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The executive board of Multnomah County W. C. T. U. will meet in room G, Central Library, at 1:30 Monday, August 12. All members of the board are requested to be present, as matters of importance are to be discussed.

Portland to Hear Countess Madelaine de Bryas.

Talented Woman in Charge of Reconstruction Work in France.

THE American committee for devastated France and the Council of Defense are interested in the appearance here of the Countess Madelaine de Bryas, who will be in Portland August 29 and 30. The committee, of which Mrs. Skene is head, has charge of a large amount of reconstruction work in the area devastated by war.

The Countess has written of conditions:

The conditions under which most of the people in this region have been living are horrifying. Their houses are heaps of ruins. You can hardly believe the systematic way in which the Germans proceeded to destroy their dwellings. A bomb was thrown into every house along the line of march. The furniture was all broken up or burned, fruit trees were cut down and wells polluted. Yet, when the invading tide was swept back, these villagers came back at once to their former homes. This devotion of the French peasant to his little home is something which Americans can hardly appreciate. He loves it ardently; it is almost a part of him; he cannot bear to leave it.

During the time when they were struggling to rebuild their shattered houses, these peasants had to live in cellars and dugouts. Of course, these places were most unhealthy and not fit to remain in. I once went down into a cellar in which an old couple was living. The roof of the cellar was so low that, when I was seated on a little plank talking to the old people, I had to stoop. The floor was entirely mud and the water seeped in through the walls and trickled down in tiny streamlets. In the corner was the straw bed which had been furnished the couple seven months before. It was indescribably filthy and so damp that one could twist it and wring water out of it. Yet the chief desire of the old woman was for a plate to eat off. The Germans had destroyed their crockery and household utensils and they had only one old metal skillet in which they cooked and from which they ate.

In one village I saw a mother who had gone back to live in a little shelter she had built for herself in the corner formed by the only two remaining walls of her dwelling. Over the top of this place she placed planks. One side was open to the weather. The cold, raw weather made it difficult to exist in such a place. I myself have lived in a little wooden building near the front, similar to the barracks in which the soldiers live, and I know the cruel Winter weather of these parts of France.

The hardship has been greatest on the little children. Oh, the poor children! They no longer play. They have forgotten all their games. They do not know what it means to run and laugh and be gay. As they walk along the streets you will see them start suddenly and look over their shoulders in a frightened way, so great has been the terror instilled into them by the Germans.

It is to relieve such conditions the committee is working and the Countess will speak in their behalf. Following are the local officers:

Northwest chairman, Mrs. Robert Treat Platt; state chairman, Mrs. William H. Skene; first vice-chairman, Mrs. J. D. Farrell; second vice-chairman, Miss Cornelia Marvin; secretary, Mrs. W. B. Mackay; acting secretary, Miss Katherine Cook; treasurer, Robert Treat Platt.

Executive committee—Mrs. William H. Skene, chairman; Van W. Anderson, Mrs. J. D. Farrell, Miss Cornelia Marvin, Robert Treat Platt.

Victory-yard-booth committee—Mrs. William H. Skene, chairman; Adolph Wolfe, Julius Meier, H. C. Wortman, Robert Treat Platt.

Directors—Mrs. John C. Ainsworth, Van W. Anderson, Mrs. Alice Benson Beach, Mrs. Charles F. Beebe, Mrs. Margaret Biddle, Mrs. P. L. Campbell, Mrs. Helen Ladd Corbett, Mrs. Charles E. Curry, Mrs. J. D. Farrell, Miss Henrietta E. Failing, Miss May Failing, Mrs. Forest Fisher, Mrs. S. Frank, Mrs. George Gerlinger, Mrs. Thomas Kerr, Miss Sarah Lewis, Mrs. W. B. Mackay, Miss Cornelia Marvin, Salem; Mrs. Robert Treat Platt, Robert Treat Platt, Mrs. Andrew R. Porter, Mrs. Lewis Russell, Mrs. William H. Skene, Mrs. W. T. Sumner, Mrs. Joseph N. Teal, Miss Todd, Monmouth, and Mrs. Morris H. Whitehouse.

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Work at the Kanning Kitchen goes on merrily and daily many jars of fruit are put away for the use of the soldiers and sailors in the hospitals this coming Winter.

Here is a sample of the reports made for the daily work, although space cannot be given to all of the many scores of loyal women on the complete list for the week:

Workers—Daughters of the American Revolution, Kappa Alpha Theta.

Lieutenants—Mrs. L. L. Albaugh, Mrs. M. J. Lynch, Miss Hazel Strief.

Assistant lieutenants—Mrs. William H. Thomas, Mrs. Dick Hathaway.

Daughters of the American Revolution—Mrs. L. L. Albaugh, Mrs. St. George Evans, Mrs. G. M. Shaver, Mrs. W. H. T. Green, Mrs. T. W. Sharpe, Mrs. W. C. Witzel, Mrs. James N. Davis, Miss Flora Parkhurst, Miss Fannie Parkhurst, Mrs. J. W. Murphy, Miss M. R. Guppy.

Kappa Alpha Theta—Miss Mary Hutghins Thomas, Miss Jane Webb Knox, Miss Maude McKelvey, Miss Louise Manning, Miss Pullina King, Miss Hazel Strief, Miss Alice Cornwell, Miss Adelaide Mohan, Miss Genevieve Shaver, Mrs. F. C. Greeve, Mrs. Dick Hathaway, Miss Ruth Chambers, Miss Mary Woodard.

Other workers—Miss Ellanor Woodward.

Word done—Cold pack plums, 32 quarts; plum sauce, 15 quarts, apple sauce, 25½ quarts; blackberries, 12 quarts.

Donations—Dr. R. T. Spurrient, apples; Mrs. Henry L. Corbett, five large baskets of blackberries, two sacks of apples; Mrs. D. A. McMetzre, nine boxes of plums. Oak Grove Housewives' Club; Mrs. J. Lindsey, four quarts of fruit; Mrs. M. Little, two quarts of fruit; Mrs. Eva Robinette, two quarts of fruit; Mrs. Felax, two quarts of fruit; Mrs. Benvie, two quarts of fruit; Mrs. Forvier, two quarts of fruit; Mrs. J. B. Evans, 12 quarts of fruit.

Pickers—George Fullman, Paul Kriegor, Mark Naugle.

Autos—Mrs. Kruse, Mrs. Sevier.

Workers—Pilgrim Unit of the Red Cross, Overlook Club.

Lieutenants—Mrs. R. H. Sawyer, Mrs. C. W. Hoogland.

Assistant lieutenants—Mrs. J. H. Dobbins, Mrs. N. C. Pederson, Miss Melinda Stackle.

Overlook Club—Mrs. C. W. Hoogland, Miss Lota Stone.

Pilgrim Unit of the Red Cross—Mrs. R. C. Benior, Mrs. C. Zigler, Mrs. J. H. Dobbins, Mrs. W. A. Black, Miss N. Stickle, Mrs. N. C. Pederson, Mrs. Gray Stevens.

Delta Gamma—Mrs. W. G. Keller.

Work done—Plums, 135 quarts; apple sauce, 31½ quarts; sugar used, 15 quarts.

Donations—Mrs. A. W. Lambert, 14 quart jars; Mrs. F. E. Matthews, two baskets plums; Miss Winnie Rankin, one dozen jars, three baskets.

Workers—Chi Omega.

Lieutenants—Mrs. Kate Kelly, Mrs. J. H. Markham, Mrs. Joseph Keho, Miss Mildred Pegg, Miss Margaret Casey, Mrs. W. H. Moser.

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A French department will be added to the Portland Woman's Club, with Mrs. M. H. Lamond as chairman. This department should be very popular in clubdom. Mrs. Grace Watt Ross is chairman of the literature department and Mrs. A. M. Brown chairman of the current literature department. The art department will be discontinued this coming season. Other committees appointed by the president, Mrs. C. B. Simmons, are:

Calendar—Mrs. Frank M. Taylor, Mrs. Helen Ekin Starrett, Mrs. James Reeves, Mrs. George Alexander, Mrs. Philip Gevurtz, Mrs. Charles L. Boss, Mrs. M. H. McClung.

Civics—Mrs. G. M. Glines, Mrs. C. S. Jackson, Mrs. E. T. Deming, Mrs. Cora Puffer, Mrs. John Manning, Mrs. O. W. Olson, Mrs. Charles Richton.

Educational—Mrs. Frank McCrillis, Mrs. M. Barub, Mrs. Julia Marquam, Mrs. L. G. Herren, Mrs. Charles Cochran, Mrs. U. G. Smith, Mrs. N. U. Carpenter.

Public health—Mrs. R. E. Bondurant, Dr. Mabel Akin, Mrs. J. Francis Drake, Mrs. Elton J. Steele, Dr. Brown Tynan.

Patriotic—Mrs. John Van Zante, Mrs. M. H. Lamond, Mrs. A. G. Dayton, Mrs. O. E. Runyon, Mrs. A. H. Schmid.

Resolutions—Mrs. Caroline Dunlap, Mrs. A. H. Breyman, Mrs. Millie R. Trumbull.

Legislative—Mrs. Lucia F. Additon, Mrs. R. D. Cannon, Mrs. George W. Coombs, Mrs. T. J. Mendenhall, Mrs. J. Schwind, Mrs. A. King Wilson.

Press—Mrs. Frederick H. Whitfield, Mrs. Ellen R. Miller, Mrs. Bert Denison.

Visiting—Mrs. J. Coulsen Hare, Mrs. I. M. Walker, Mrs. F. C. Whitten, Mrs. Elmer Shull, Mrs. W. S. Hidden, Mrs. J. Durkheimer.

Co-operation with Juvenile Court—Mrs. A. R. Mattingly.

Social—Mrs. Henry W. Coe, Mrs. W. B. Hare, Mrs. Ora C. Baker, Mrs. Cora Bonney, Mrs. Frederick A. Kribs, Mrs. F. H. Thatcher, Mrs. T. H. Snead, Mrs. M. D. Manley, Mrs. C. C. Lowe, Mrs. A. D. Frost, Mrs. Roscoe Giltner, Mrs. Murray Manville.

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At the meeting of the auxiliary to Batteries A and B, 147th Field Artillery, room 520 Courthouse, a vote of thanks was extended to the mothers of boys in Batteries A and B who reside in Linnton, who, by their efforts, made the picnic at Glen Harbor, August 4, a success. Between 350 and 400 people were on the beach, and all seemed to enjoy the sports.

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The Oregon chapter of the United Daughters of the Confederacy will assist at the Kanning Kitchen on Tuesday, August 13, and all members are requested to attend. Those who have not already registered and desiring to do so should communicate with Mrs. F. Joplin, phone East 141.

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P. E. O. Sisterhood women who work on alternate weeks representing various chapters are headed by the following leaders: Mrs. J. P. Jaeger, Mrs. F. W. Bronn, Mrs. M. A. Zollinger, Mrs. H. Duffield and Mrs. H. W. Bonham. They are making aviators' jackets out of kid gloves.

STAMP SALES ON INCREASE

Hoquiam Postoffice Shows Steady Gain Since Last December.

HOQUIAM, Wash., Aug. 10.—(Special.)—Postal receipts for the Hoquiam Post Office are growing faster now than at any time in the history of the city, according to figures compiled by Postmaster C. A. Morgan.

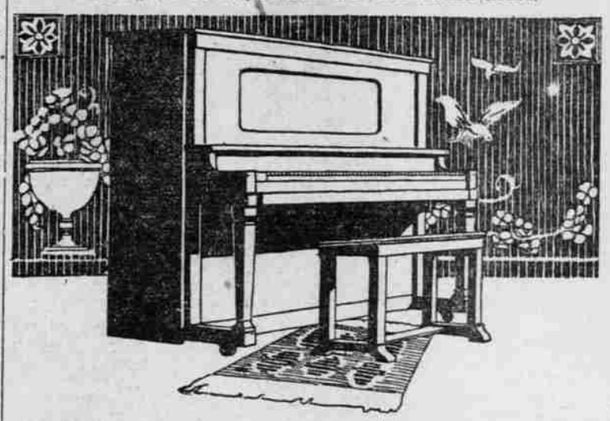
The July receipts from stamp sales were $3,691.02 and the December receipts were $3,577.92. Every month of the year has shown an increase over the corresponding month of last year, and each month of the first seven of this year has shown an increase over the preceding month. The total for the first six months of the year was greater than that for the last nine months of last year.

A GREAT PIANO SALE OF UNUSUAL MERIT

Clearance Sale of 99% New 1917 Models and Re-Sale of 95% New and Used Pianos

Last Fall we ordered more carloads of pianos and player pianos than then required, to avoid advance in prices December 15-17. The following represents the unsold balance of the more expensive instruments $500 to $650, 1917 models, that will now sell quickly at $356 to $435, to which we have now added the used pianos and organs.

A $650 1917 MODEL FOR $435, $25 CASH, $12 MONTHLY.
Including $10 in Player Rolls and Combination Bench.



A $525 1917 MODEL FOR $356, $20 CASH, $8 MONTHLY.

USED PARLOR ORGANS AND SQUARE PIANOS	Original Price.	Sale Price.
Camp & Co., high mirror	$ 85	$ 25
Schulz Co., high, mirror	125	50
Chicago Cottage, 6-octave	150	45
Gardner Co. Square Piano	300	65
USED UPRIGHT PIANOS.		
Collard & Collard, walnut	$275	$ 45
Bord Co., Paris	300	65
Hallet & Davis, ebony	350	135
Kroeger, large, oak	450	190
Bennett Co., mahogany	450	190
Kimball, mahogany	450	210
Kurtzman, mahogany	410	215
Kneisel, mahogany	375	235
Thompson, oak	375	245
Thompson, oak	395	285
Thompson, mahogany	395	262
Davis & Son, mahogany	375	260
Kneisel, mahogany	375	281
Thompson, walnut	425	290
Thompson, mahogany	475	290
Mendenhall, mahogany	425	290
99% NEW 1917 MODELS and Re-Sale 95% New Used Pianos.		
Thompson, mahogany	$375	$245
Davis & Son, oak	395	281
Thompson, walnut	395	262
Kneisel, mahogany	375	262
Thompson, mahogany	425	290
Thompson, mahogany	450	290
Singer, mahogany	525	328
Singer Piano Co., mahogany	475	345
Singer Piano Co., oak	525	356
Steger & Sons, mahogany	550	365
Steger & Sons, mahogany	550	380
Steger & Sons, mahogany	550	395
Reed & Sons, walnut	500	395
Reed & Sons, mahogany	500	395
Steger & Sons, mahogany	550	425
USED PLAYER PIANOS		
Weber, in mahogany	750	295
Thompson, oak	650	435
99% NEW 1917 MODELS		
Steger & Sons, walnut	850	495
Thompson, mahogany	650	465
Thompson, mahogany	650	487
Singer Piano Co.	750	562
Steger & Sons, mission	950	562
Steger Electric	1050	695
USED GRAND PIANOS		
N. Y. Piano Forte Grand	1000	165
Steinway & Sons	1100	495
99% NEW 1917 MODELS		
Steger & Sons	1050	695
Steger & Sons	1150	797

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AT a concert in Ocean Grove, N. J., Enrico Caruso, billed as "the world's famous tenor," sang recently before an audience of 12,000 people, and won a big triumph. Many of his solos were gems from grand opera. But it is stated that the song with which Caruso made the biggest hit was George M. Cohan's patriotic contribution, "Over There," sung first by Caruso in Italian, and then, for an encore, in English. Caruso's supporting artistes were: Carolina White, soprano, and Winston Wilkinson, violinist.

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In the New York Musical Courier of August 1 there appears the reproduction of a photograph of Dr. William C. Carl, the eminent concert organist—but minus his once-famous whiskers. The general effect is startling.

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Edith Mason, recently of the New York Metropolitan Opera Company, is the new prima donna of La Scala Opera Company, directed by L. E. Behymer and Sparks M. Berry, of Los Angeles.

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Innocenzio Silingardi, an impresario, who in August, 1917, signed contracts for the appearance in concert at specified dates of Ignace Paderewski, the pianist, in the West Indies and Central and South America, has brought suit for $50,000 for breach of contract. It is asserted that Paderewski failed to keep these concert dates. In defense, Paderewski says he was too busily engaged in raising money in the United States for relief of distressed Poland to play in far-away concerts.

In Trinity Episcopal Church last Sunday morning Mrs. Donald Lamont, contralto soloist in that choir, sang with sympathetic effect the solo, "He Shall Feed His Flock," from Handel's oratorio, "Messiah." Her son, Master Donald Lamont, 15 years old, at present soprano soloist in St. Mark's Episcopal Church choir, was loaned to Trinity choir for the occasion, and he sang with beautifully clear voice the soprano aria of that solo. His management of his head register was excellent, so much so that all his vocal registers were skillfully blended and seemed as one. His mother has been his instructor. Master Lamont is one of the best boy soloists in this city, and his singing reminds one of the admirable work done by other boy sopranos in the recent past in Trinity choir, Master Tom Dobson, Raphael Geisler and others.

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Carl Denton is visiting Camp Lewis and Bremerton, Wash., in connection with the concert branch of the Y. M. C. A. war service work.

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The patriotic luncheon and musical of the Monday Musical Club, held in the home of Mrs. Frances Moreland Harvey last Monday, was quite a pleasant, successful affair. The musical and literary programme was a finely selected one, and was participated in by Mrs. R. A. Thompson, soprano; Miss Ida May Coak, pianist; Miss Marion Bauer, composer and lecturer; Mrs. Percy W. Lewis, reader; F. H. Whitfield, speaker; Miss Fritzi Eppenstine, violinist; Miss Leah Schas, dancer; Miss Mae Ross, pianist; Mrs. M. Moore, cornet soloist, and Mrs. Lota Stone, whistler. Mr. Whitfield gave an inspiring address, and Miss Marion Bauer, of New York City, gave an interesting, instructive account of "The Relation of War to Music." Mrs. Thompson sang with fine effect three songs composed by Miss Marion Bauer.

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Among the many interesting announcements already made by the Ellison-White Bureau, concerning its musical activities in this city during the coming winter, one which should arouse widespread enthusiasm is the appearance of Pablo Casals, the recognized master of violin-cellists in the world today.

This is Casal's third season in America, where the young Spanish musician arrived on his first visit, backed by the full glory of a European record which had won for him an imposing and astonishing array of medals, the most notable of which were the Beethoven Gold Medal from the Royal Philharmonic Society of London, and the title of "Chevalier of the Legion d'Honneur," a rare distinction conferred upon him by the French government in 1913. To hear this supreme artist in Oregon is quite a privilege. Pablo Casals, however, is only one of a list of ten great artists who will be presented in this city this Winter under the management of the bureau, including among those already most favorably known in Portland, Louis Graveure and Morgan Kingston.

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The fifth concert in the series of Tuesday evening pipe organ recitals by Lucien E. Becker will be given August 13 at 8:30 P. M., in Reed College Chapel. These organ recitals are open to the public. The programme on Tuesday will be made up entirely of American and English compositions: "Star Spangled-Banner"; "March for a Festival" (Best); "Evensong" (Easthope-Martin); "Burlesca e Melodia" (Baldwin); "Angel's Chorus," (Scotson Clark); Sonata in the Style of Handel," (Wolstenholme); "A Day in Venice," (Nevin); Pomp and Circumstance" (Elgar).

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Fay Fosters "The Americans Come," also Mrs. H. H. A. Beach's "A Song of Liberty," were sung by Mrs. Harry McQuade to the Progressive Men's Club and their friends in the Benson Hotel last Thursday. Mrs. McQuade's songs were well sung.

She is a soprano soloist in the choir of the First Christian Church, during August.

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F. X. Arens, the New York vocal specialist, has set aside Saturday, August 31 for voice examinations. His third annual vocal course begins September 31, and singers from different portions of the Pacific Northwest, including Oregon, Washington, Idaho and Montana, have made applications. Mr. Arens has two sons in the Army, Captain W. B. Arens and R. Waldo Arens, until recently agricultural expert for Clackamas County. Owing to the absence of his sons from his ranch (both are graduates from O. A. C.) Mr. Arens is personally superintending the work of the ranch. He expects a fine crop of apples this Fall.

ALBANY WOMEN WILL CAN

Surplus Frui tto Be Saved for Use in Military Camps.

ALBANY, Or., Aug. 10.—(Special.)—A canning kitchen, which will can surplus fruit for use in military camps, is to be established in Albany and the domestic science room of the junior high school will be used for the purpose. The women's committee for Albany of the National Council of Defense will have charge of the work, and a committee consisting of Mrs. Mary Bilyeu, Mrs. P. A. Young, Mrs. G. T. Hockensmith, Mrs. L. L. Swan and Mrs. C. B. Winn has been named to supervise the canning work.

Mrs. Harry B. Cusick, captain of the motor corps of the Ladies' Home Defense League, will be in charge of the collection and delivery of fruit to the kitchen. The officers of the women's committee of the Council of Defense which is arranging the matter, are Mrs. R. E. Mason, chairman; Mrs. Willard L. Marks, secretary, and Mrs. F. G. Franklin, treasurer.

GIRL OFF FOR OVERSEAS

Miss Mollie Rose, of Oregon City, Will Work for Y. M. in Paris.

OREGON CITY, Or., Aug. 10.—(Special.)—Miss Mollie Rose, who recently left Oregon City for New York, and from there to go "overseas" to take up her duties with the Y. M. C. A., has left for Paris.

Miss Rose resigned her position with the Huntley Drug Company as bookkeeper to take up her war work, and when assigned was one of the happiest of girls. Her home is on Prince Edward Island, Canada, and she has resided in Oregon City for the past eight years. While here she was active in Red Cross work and was a member of the Girls' Honor Guard. Her work for the Y. M. C. A. in France will be on the same lines as her occupation here.

Miss Rose has a sister, Mrs. Hugh Sandstrom, residing near Gervais.

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