

Congress will declare war on Austria within a few days. The Austrian spy, untrammelled by no state of war, is a menace to our national war program and Austrian undersea boats are preying on American vessels. Congress is a unit for war and a declaration would clarify the situation.

A county Loyalty League, the ramifications of which extend to every nook and cranny of the county is now assisting officers of the government—in order that disloyalty may be uncovered and treason may not thrive.

The President's message is a masterpiece, and his faith in the German people in contadistinction to his condemnation of the German autocracy, stands out in bas relief.

The government will accept enlistments in the army, navy and marine corps until Dec. 15, John, and that means you have a few days in which you can have choice of service.

WAR SAVINGS

United States War savings Certificates and Thrift Stamps are now on sale at the post office. The Certificates bear 4 per cent interest, and sell during December and January for \$4.12 and mature in five years, paying the purchaser \$5.00. It is not absolutely necessary, however, for these to run five years as they can be cashed at any time with the accrued interest. After January, there will be added one cent per month to the cost of a Certificate. For instance, if you buy a certificate in February it will cost \$4.13, in March, \$4.14, etc.

Thrift stamps sell for only 25 cents and bear no interest. A card is given the purchaser, and when 10 thrift stamps are placed thereon, may be exchanged for a War Savings Certificate by payment of from 12 to 25 cents.

These Certificates and stamps will be carried by all the rural delivery carriers and city carriers as well as handled by the postoffice, and all will be glad to explain anything in regard to them.

Miss Rose Cave bought the first Thrift Stamp, and John Ryan the first War Savings Certificate.

This will be a rare chance for boys and girls to begin a Savings Account, and at the same time show their patriotism by helping to "win the war."

Those who were unable to buy Liberty Bonds may buy what will amount to the same thing for as little as \$4.12. Do it now, and get the benefit of all the interest and let Uncle Sam have the use of your money.

J. C. Lamkin, P. M.

F. W. Livermore, of Huber, was in the city yesterday, transacting business.

Jas. H. Brandaw had charge of the trio of the last draft going to American Lake yesterday.

For Sale—Several shoats; also 3 brood sows. Phone City 86.—C. F. Lard.

There will be no Parent-Teacher next Tuesday evening, owing to the Superfluity Sale. The meeting will take place the following Tuesday.

Wanted: Grade Jersey or Holstein bull; Jersey preferred.—Carl Asbahr, Cornelius, Ore., R. 2.

Marriage license has been issued Emil Brockman and Joanna Winters, Sherwood, and Carl Dick and Matilda Zeisman, of West Union.

Theodore Green, a well known resident of near Banks for many years, died the last of the week. Years ago he lived at Hillsboro, when he and his mother and brother conducted the county farm. He leaves a wife and family.

The ladies of the M. E. church will hold a Bazaar in the basement of the church, Wednesday afternoon and evening, December 19th. Several young ladies of P. U. will furnish the program, and refreshments will be served cafeteria style. Watch for full announcements next week.

E. L. Moore, traveling for a Seattle firm, was here over the Thanksgiving holiday, visiting with Mrs. Moore and friends. E. L. is making good in the Montana, Eastern Washington and Idaho section, and the official magazine representative of his line says he is more than making good. He is looking fine and the life of sales appears to be agreeing with him.

CONNELL—GUERBER

Married, on Thursday, Nov. 29, 1917, at the home of the bride's sister, Mrs. F. G. Leary, No. 500 East 32nd St., Portland, Miss Hulda Guerber and Frank W. Connell, both of Connell Station, Washington County.

The bride was married in her traveling suit and was attended by Miss Stella Gray, of Portland, as bridesmaid. Iner Guerber, a brother of the bride, officiated as best man. The ceremony was performed by Dr. W. B. Hinson, Pastor of the East Side Baptist Church.

After the wedding dinner the bride and groom departed on the Shasta Limited for a month's honeymoon in Southern California. They will be at home to their friends after Jan. 1.

The bride is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Guerber, well known pioneers of Helvetia, and the groom is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Connell, of Hillsboro.

Both are popular young people of their community and have a host of friends who wish them much happiness.

PUBLIC SALE.

Having enlisted in the United States navy I will sell at public auction on the Trachsel place, 1 1/4 miles west of Phillips and 1 mile east of Helvetia, at 12:30 p. m., on

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 7, team horses, 2700; heifer, fresh March 1; yearling heifer; 3-inch wagon; Champion mower, good as new; hay rake; hayrack; 14-inch plow; 50-tooth harrow; cultivator; new work harness; buggy harness; 5 tons loose hay; 200 bushels oats; DeLavel cream separator; iron kettle; beam scales; grindstone; X-cut saw; household furniture and numerous other articles.

Terms of sale—\$20 and under, cash; over, six months' time, bankable note at 8 per cent interest. Two per cent off cash over \$20.

John Trachsel, Owner.
J. C. Kuratli, Auctioneer.

GRABLE SCHOOL

A short time ago the school gave an entertainment and collected \$5. The boys of our school gave a minstrel number which was a decided hit. With part of the money we put in some more black boards.

Of the ten or twelve schools of the county that took part in the essay contest our school was one. Anna Hanson of the sixth grade won the third prize for Washington county.

The boys of our school with the teacher's help are busy making a swinging ladder. It is to be put up in the play shed.

Our school will give a Christmas program and a Christmas tree on Monday, Dec. 24th, at 2 p. m. sharp. Parents and friends are all invited.

FERN ROSECRANS,
GERTRUDE BROWN,
Reporters.

A social will be held at the Shady Brook school house, Friday evening, Dec. 14. Ladies requested to bring a pie or a basket. A good program.

Elmer Miller, of North Plains, was in the city yesterday en route home from a visit with his father, Henry W. Miller, of Forest Grove, who is critically ill.

Robt. Imbrie, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Imbrie, in the U. S. Hospital Corps, of the navy, is now at the Great Lakes Training School, near Chicago.

The Red Cross Gentlemen in Fur

The Red Cross dogs are very brave.

They know just what to do. They're doing their bit to win this war.

Saving soldiers, good and true.

There are people who teach the Red Cross dogs.

To faithfully do their bit, To hunt for soldiers behind the logs.

Bringing back a shoe, hat or a mitt.

The dogs can follow the scent of a man.

Even across the water, They follow to bring back whatever they can.

To the Red Cross nurse or master.

When the Red Cross dogs go out at night,

And find soldiers that are hurt, Then they go back with all their might.

With a shoe or a piece of a shirt.

There are soldiers out in No Man's land.

Wounded by Germans close at hand.

Saved by a faithful, honest cur.

God bless these gentlemen in fur.

Written by William L. Ormandy, Jr., guaranteed by his mother to be absolutely original and done by himself alone.

AUCTION SALE

I will sell at my place at Reedville, close to the S. P. R. R., near Olinger's store, the following personal property, at ten a. m.,

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 18 Team of work horses, one a bay gelding, 1400, and one a bay mare, 1225, both good work animals and will work anywhere you put them, a splendid team for farm work, mare a fine single horse; good double set of work harness, buggy harness, top buggy in good shape, Bain wagon,

3 1/2, with California box, wide tires; good hayrack, gravel bed, 14-inch plow, cultivator, 3-section drag harrow, springtooth harrow, 12-disc harrow, 5-foot Walter A. Wood mower, No. 11 Milwaukee 7-ft binder in good repair, ropes, block and tackle, pulleys, lot household furniture and numerous other articles. Lunch at noon.

Terms of Sale—\$20 and under, cash; over \$20, six months time on bankable approved note, at 8 per cent interest.

Mrs. A. Weisenback, Owner.
B. P. Cornelius, Auctioneer,
John Vanderwal, Clerk.

Miss Janet Hoeffel had her tonsils removed Saturday, by Dr. Smith, and is now convalescing at the hospital.

Jas. Henry Jacobsen, son of Peter Jacobsen, has enlisted in the U. S. Marines, and goes to San Francisco in a day or so.

Fred Olson is again making the round trip on Route 4 with his auto, and Ennes on the South route, is also burning gas on his trip.

J. Frank Stroud, of Beaverton, was up to the city yesterday. He says that the people of Beaverton, Aloha and Huber, as well as Reedville, are feeling very proud over the designation of the state highway past their towns.

O. A. C. has a Class in wireless telegraphy, and Arthur Kroeger has been secured as Instructor. He will go to Corvallis in a few days to assume his duties, and will not go back to the Seattle-Alaskan run.

EXPLAINS SELF

Argus: For your information we desire to advise that hearings of which you were notified some time ago in the matter of the citizens of Hillsboro vs. The Southern Pacific Co. relative to station facilities provided by that company, and case of L. M. Hoyt, et al. vs. Oregon Electric Railway Company and Oregon & California Railroad Company for a common user of their railway tracks have been postponed from date of December 3 to Monday, December 17, 1917. Court House, Hillsboro, Oregon, at the hour of 10:30 a. m. Yours very truly,
Public Service Commission of Oregon

Alfred Erickson, of Mountaindale, was in the city the first of the week.

Geo. Russell came over from Tillamook the last of the week and spent a couple of days in the city.

County Agent Jamison will hold meetings at Laurel, Dec. 12, evening; Dilley, Dec. 15, afternoon; and Hillsboro, Dec. 13, afternoon.

W. W. Meller and E. C. Roberts, of between Reedville and Orconco, have been designated by the county court to collect the \$440 cash subscription and the \$350 in labor, signed up for the cut-off road between the two points.

TIME TABLE

All, except the P. R. & N. trains are electric, and stop at the depot on Main street.

To Portland.

Forest Grove train 6:50 a. m.
McMinnville train 7:36 a. m.
Sheridan train 10:03 a. m.
Forest Grove train 12:50 p. m.
McMinnville train 2:16 p. m.
Forest Grove train 3:55 p. m.
Eugene train 4:45 p. m.
McMinnville train 6:40 p. m.
Forest Grove train 9:50 p. m.

From Portland.

Eugene train 8:15 a. m.
McMinnville train 10:13 a. m.
Forest Grove train 11:59 a. m.
Forest Grove train 3:14 p. m.
Sheridan train 4:33 p. m.
Forest Grove train 6:40 p. m.
McMinnville train 7:15 p. m.
Forest Grove train 9:00 p. m.
McMinnville train 12:15 p. m.

All trains stop on flag at Sixth and Main; at North Range and Fir streets, Sixth and Fir streets, and at Tenth street.

Steam Service From Old Depot at Foot of Second Street.

To Portland.

P. R. & N. train 4:05 p. m.

From Portland.

P. R. & N. train 10:00 a. m.

Motor Car Service.

To Buxton 12:25 p. m.

To Timber 4:20 p. m.

From Timber 9:55 a. m.

From Buxton 2:10 p. m.

SUMMONS.

In the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon for Washington County.

Charles E. Shorey, Plaintiff, vs. Clarence E. Yeager and Mary Elsie Yeager, his wife, Allison E. Yeager, W. R. Frantzel and Elsie A. Frantzel, his wife, G. A. Olsen and — Olsen, his wife, Defendants.

TO ALLISON E. YEAGER, one of the above named defendants;

IN THE NAME OF THE STATE OF OREGON you are hereby commanded and required to appear in the above entitled court and answer the complaint filed against you in the above entitled cause on or before the expiration of six weeks from the date of the first publication of this summons in the Hillsboro Argus, the date of the first publication being December 6th, 1917, and the date of the last publication thereof being the 17th day of January, 1918, and you will please take notice that the plaintiff has filed a complaint in said court foreclosing that certain mortgage executed and delivered by the defendants C. E. Yeager and Mary Elsie Yeager to the plaintiff on October 21st, 1913, which mortgage is recorded in Book "67" on page 211 of Mortgage Records of Washington County, Oregon, the land therein described and involved in this suit being more particularly described as follows, to-wit:

Commencing at a point, 120 feet west of the southeast corner of Block 6, of and in the town of (now city) of Hillsboro, County of Washington, State of Oregon, and running thence west along the north line of Washington Street 96 feet, thence north 198 feet, thence east 96 feet, thence south 198 feet to the place of beginning.

That plaintiff will apply to the court for a judgment against said mortgagors for the sum of \$1,000.00, together with interest thereon at the rate of eight per cent per annum from the 27th day of February, 1917; the further sum of \$46.80 taxes paid by plaintiff; the further sum of \$— city liens paid by plaintiff, and the further sum of \$80.00 attorney fees, and for the costs and disbursements of said suit;

Second: For a decree foreclosing plaintiff's said mortgage and an order authorizing a sale of said premises and the proceeds thereof applied to the satisfaction of plaintiff's said judgment;

Third: For a decree forever barring you and each and all of the defendants above named and all persons claiming through or under you or either of said defendants of any right, title or interest in and to said premises, except the statutory right of redemption;

Fourth: For such other and further decrees as may be proper and necessary in the premises.

This summons is served upon you by publication in the Hillsboro Argus pursuant to and by virtue of an order of the Hon. Geo. R. Bagley, Judge of the above named court made and dated the 18th day of October, 1917.

JOHN M. WALL,
Attorney for Plaintiff.
Address: Hillsboro, Ore.

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EXECUTOR'S NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the undersigned has been appointed Executor of the Last Will and Testament of Sarah S. Jackson, Deceased, has been confirmed as such by the County Court of the State of Oregon for Washington County, and has duly qualified as such Executor.

NOW, THEREFORE, all persons having claims against said estate are hereby notified and required to present them, with the proper vouchers, to the undersigned Executor, at his residence near North Plains, Oregon, or at the Law Office of Thos. H. Tongue, Jr., in the Commercial Block at Hillsboro, Oregon, within six months from the date of the first publication of this notice, to-wit, within six months from December 6th, 1917.

FRANCIS J. JOHNSON,
Executor of the Last Will and Testament of Sarah S. Jackson, Deceased.
THOS. H. TONGUE, JR.,
Attorney for Executor.

EXECUTRIX NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the undersigned has been appointed Executrix of the Last Will and Testament of Samuel Moon, Deceased, and has been confirmed as such by the County Court of the State of Oregon for Washington County, and has duly qualified as such Executrix.

NOW, THEREFORE, all persons having claims against said estate are hereby notified and required to present them, with the proper vouchers, to the undersigned Executrix, at her residence in Hillsboro, Oregon, or at the Law Office of Thos. H. Tongue, Jr., in the Commercial Block at Hillsboro, Oregon, within six months from the date of the first publication of this notice, to-wit, within six months from December 6th, 1917.

LILLIE MOON,
Executrix of the Last Will and Testament of Samuel Moon, Deceased.

THOS. H. TONGUE, JR.,
Attorney for Executrix.

A Safe and Sane Christmas Store

With a Variety of Practical Gifts at Popular Prices

White Crepe Waists, all sizes

\$1.00 Up

Crepe de Chene and Georgette Crepe Waists
Sizes 36 to 44

\$3.25 Up

Pretty Changeable Silk Petticoats

\$3.50

Dainty Lawn or Irish Linen Hand Embroidered
Handkerchiefs, many styles to choose from

10c Up

Serviceable Apron Dresses, many styles

98c Up

Skirts of Messaline, Taffeta, Poplin, Serge
and Novelties, all sizes.

All Coats and Suits in Stock at
Reduced Prices

Goar's Woman's Shop

Third Street Hillsboro, Oregon

Only Exclusive Woman's Store in the County

Hillsboro Mercantile Company

Hardware Department

We have as complete a line of Dishes as was ever shown in Hillsboro. Just arrived from the factory.

3-inch Wagon, gear only, wide tire	\$97.50	plete, 3-inch tire	\$130.00
Extra good Farm Truck	\$55.00	Kentucky Disk Drill, 12 disks	\$125.00
4-horse Disk Harrow, 14x18, with transport truck	\$75.00	Anything in the Implement line 10 per cent less than Portland prices.	
1-horse Wagon	\$65.00	We carry a complete line of hardware	
One mountain Gear, with box com-			

Heating Stoves of every description. These goods were bought last year and we defy competition.

Dry Goods Department

For more than two years Paris has been dressed in black, and now American women are following the fashion centers of the world and are wearing black.

Twill Suitings, 36-inch	60c	Striped Poplins	\$1.75
Poplin, medium weight	\$1.25	Gaberline	\$2.00
Storm Serge, 48-inch	\$1.50	Empress Cloth	\$2.00
Storm Serge, 54-inch	\$1.75	BUTTERICK PATTERNS	

Grocery Department

Corn, 2 cans	24c	Asparagus, 2 cans	25c
Tomatoes, 2 cans	25c	Williams Best Beans, 2 cans	25c
Dutch Cleanser, 3 cans	25c	Peanut Butter, pound	15c
SOAP, 6 bars	25c		

Meat Department

Our Meat Department is conducted along sanitary lines. Finest Refrigerator Plant in the County.

The Greatest Wood Heater Ever
Placed on the Market Is the

Great WESTERN SUB-FLAME

Its construction is unlike other wood heaters. The flame goes around the stove, under the base, up the side and then out. We will guarantee it to save 25 per cent of the fuel over that used by the ordinary direct draft heater.

The Stove is air-tight, made of the very heaviest material, finely finished, and is an ornament to any house.

Take one out, burn it two weeks and bring it back if it don't suit.

Priced at \$25.00 and \$29.50

G. E. ALLEN