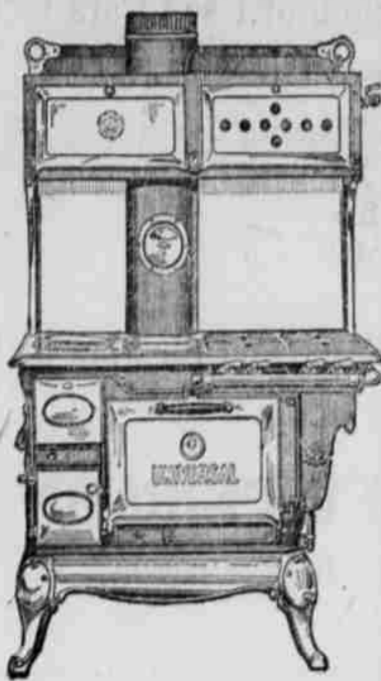


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Renowned Man May Visit This Section

L. T. Cooper, Noted Philanthropist Gives Large Part of Income to Charity

Not in recent years, perhaps, has the coming of any public character aroused such widespread interest as has the proposed visit to Portland and other western cities of L. T. Cooper, the Millionaire Philanthropist.

Mr. Cooper is described as one of America's foremost leaders of advanced thought, and sprang into fame and fortune thru his new health theories based on what is known as the Tanlac treatment. He never ceases to surprise you with the infinite variety of his knowledge, and its absolute correctness and thoroughness. In several of the larger cities, he has done a great deal of relief work among the poor.

Mr. Cooper is a firm believer in practical philanthropy and his relief work is familiar to charity workers over the entire country. His Southern representative while in Houston, Texas, recently distributed, under the personal direction of leading charity workers, one thousand dresses of excellent quality to poor women and children. In San Antonio, the following week he donated another thousand dresses to the poor of that city, and a few days later four hundred of the garments were provided by him for the poor women and children of Galveston. Ladies prominent in social life and many prominent citizens of these places assisted and cooperated with Mr. Cooper's representative in this worthy cause.

Gives 50,000 Loaves of Bread. Similar service was also performed by Mr. Cooper in Memphis, Birmingham, Atlanta, Little Rock, Shreveport, Vicksburg, Jackson, Nashville, Knoxville, Chattanooga, Macon, Savannah, Montgomery, Mobile and Augusta, and his establishment of the famous free bread line at Louisville, where he distributed 50,000 loaves of bread absolutely free and without question to those in want, proved a revelation to charity workers there. In fact, in practically every city Mr. Cooper has visited he has always shown his great sympathy for the poor and unfortunate by performing some unique act of charity.

Mr. Cooper contends that nine-tenths of the diseases and ill health of the present day American is due to faulty digestion and improper assimilation of the food, which finally produces a stuffed up condition of the vital organs.

It has been said that Tanlac, his celebrated medicine which is now accomplishing such remarkable results thruout the country, not only quickly overcomes all catarrhal inflammations of the mucous membrane, but acts directly in the correction of stomach, liver, kidney and intestinal disorders.

Tanlac as has been so convincingly proven by thousands upon thousands who have endorsed it, is also a reconstructive tonic of great power, and has been known to entirely relieve the most obstinate cases of rheumatism and blood disorders in a very short time.

Tanlac Sales Phenomenal. It is indeed doubtful if anything ever placed on the market in the way of a medicine has sprung into such popular favor in so short a time. People everywhere have been quick to recognize its wonderful merit. The demand for it has been nothing short of phenomenal.

In Seattle, Washington, over 50,000 bottles were sold and distributed by jobber and retailer in eight weeks time, which established a new record there, and is unprecedented in the history of the drug business. In Denver over 65,000 bottles were sold in six months; in Ft. Worth, Texas 122,204 bottles were sold in twelve months time; in Atlanta, Ga., over 166,000 bottles were sold in twelve months time; in Dallas, Tex., 120,000 bottles were sold in 12 months time; in Knoxville, Tenn., the Kuhlman-Chambliss Co. sold and distributed 48,326 bottles in nine months; in Louisville, Ky., the Taylor-Isaacs Company, who operate eight retail stores in that city, sold 32,000 bottles in less than ninety days. In fact everywhere Tanlac has been introduced its sale has likewise been phenomenal and the demand for it is continually increasing. A total of more than two and a half million bottles of the medicine has been sold thru the Atlanta Office alone during the past eighteen months, and it is without doubt the most widely talked of medicine today.

When asked to explain this record breaking demand, Mr. G. F. Willis, International Distributor of Tan-

lac, said: "There can be only one possible explanation, and it can be told in one word, 'merit.' That tells the whole story. No preparation no matter how extensively advertised, can possibly meet with such phenomenal success unless it possesses extraordinary curative power."

Thousands upon thousands are testifying daily that they have been relieved of disease after years of suffering by its use.

Tanlac is sold in Ashland by J. J. McNair; in Medford by Eagle Drug Co.; in Gold Hill by M. D. Bowers and in Central Point by Miss M. A. Mee.

LABOR SURVEY WILL BE MADE IN JACKSON CO.

The Local Community Labor Board is now working on a complete labor survey. Questionnaires will very soon be in the hands of all manufacturers in this district, including Box Factories, Saw Mills, Logging Camps, Mines, Flour and Feed mills, Canneries, Dryers, Cigar Factories, Confectioneries, Foundries, Non-alcoholic drink manufacturers, Power and Lighting Companies, Railways (not operated by U. S. R. R. Administration.)

The Community Labor Board, as a department of the U. S. Employment Service, will have a big duty to perform in the way of directing labor from non-essential to essential work; assisting in the replacing of men, who may be called by the draft, by women or older men in the different essential industries; aiding employers whose plants are doing war work, either direct or indirect, in retaining their "key" men or men who cannot be readily replaced.

The Community Labor Board works absolutely in conjunction with the Local Draft Board, and consequently has an intelligent line on all men who may be rejected for active service, but who are still available for essential lines of industry.

In order to assist in every possible way the work of our Local Community Labor Board, it is the wish of the Director General and the State Director that all employers secure their labor, whenever possible, thru the U. S. Employment Service. In this manner working in close co-operation with the Local Community Labor Board and the Local Draft Board.

The Local Community Labor Board for this immediate district is composed of men who may be relied upon to handle the proposition in a fair and square manner and who will intelligently and without any favoritism draw from any and all industries that labor which is now on non-essential work. They will also take into consideration, very carefully, the general local conditions which must always be reckoned with.

The Community Labor Board for this district is located in Medford with T. W. Miles as Chairman. All employers are asked to communicate with Mr. Miles, or with the local office of the U. S. Employment Service, Medford, at any time they wish further information as to classification of industries or any matter in connection with the Government's war labor policies.

UNCLE SAMUEL, "MODISTE," DESCRIBES NEW STYLES

Next summer's shoe styles, as restricted by the Government under the conservation program which already has fixed the retail prices of shoes from \$3 to \$12 per pair, are "out."

They were announced officially by the war industries board, to become effective June 1, 1919, at the same time the new price limitations are to be enforced. Affecting alike women's, men's and children's footwear the new "Government styles" are in striking contrast to prevailing modes.

The color of all shoes, of every description, will be limited to white, black and a dark brown. Two-tone effects are tabooed. The heels of women's shoes and slippers are not to exceed, in any instance, two and one-eighth inches.

As a concession to the women, the color restrictions will not be applied to evening footwear, but satin boots at any time are forbidden. All ornaments and decorative effects also are eliminated.

The use of buttons on all except children's and babies' shoes will be discontinued.

In the meantime dealers are urged to get rid of present stocks and styles before the new regulations become effective.

Finally, manufacturers will not be permitted to introduce new lasts and men and women accustomed to finding fit and comfort in special shapes will have to be content with standard Government styles.

Cass county is macadamizing the Coquille-Marshfield road.

The National Nitrate company will build a \$700,000 potash plant at Vale.



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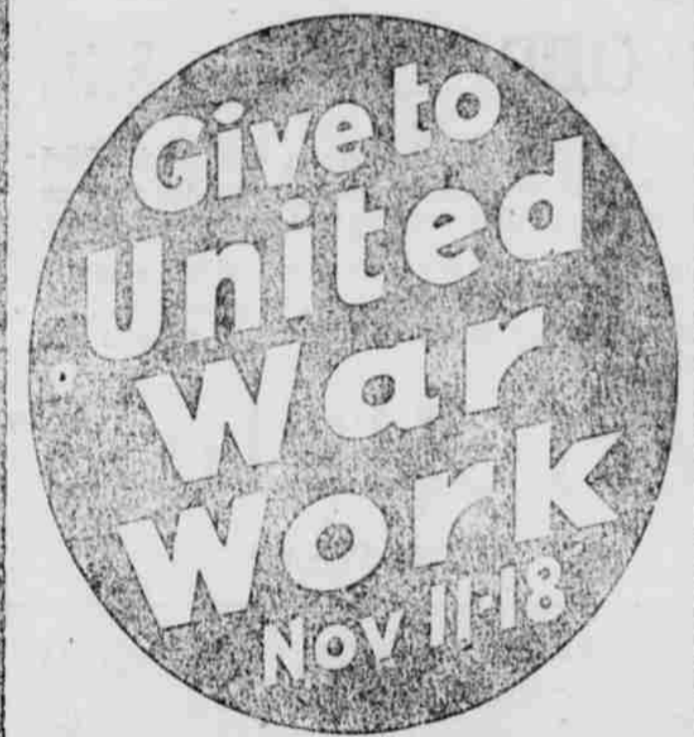
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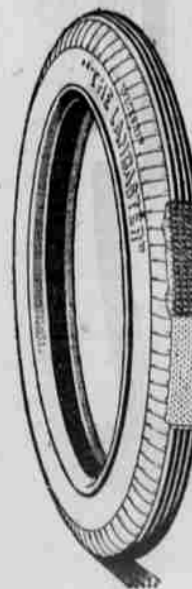
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S. P. CONGRATULATED ON LIBERTY LOAN RECORD

W. R. Scott, Federal manager of the Southern Pacific and Western Pacific railroads has received a telegram from Regional Director Hale Holden at Chicago congratulating him on the record achieved in the Fourth Liberty Loan. A comparison of final records in the Central Western region shows that the lines having 20,000 employees or over, the Southern Pacific led as in the Third Loan, the total being \$6,369,350.00, or an average among 46,735 employees of \$139.21. The Union Pacific ranks second and the Chicago, Rock Island and St. Paul third.

New milling machinery is being installed in the Echo Flour Mills.



Paul's Electric Store

Medford, Oregon.

HILL SELECTION FACTOR

IN BETTER POTATO SEED

Selection of seed potatoes from hills that have resisted disease, show no weaknesses, and are high yielding and true to type, is advised by B. F. Sheehan, of the farm crops department. Continued selection, he points out, almost invariably results in increasing the productivity of a variety. The labor involved is slight in comparison with the results.

"The average yield in Oregon is approximately 130 bushels an acre," he says, "while many of the best growers are getting double that yield. More attention must be given to improvement if the Oregon tuber is to hold its own either as table or seed stock. The Burbank, pride of Multnomah, and netted gem are in great demand in southern markets. Some method of improvement is required to enable Oregon growers to meet the demand.

"Potato improvement rests upon three things—seed selection, seed treatment and disease-free potato lands. The potato should be treated for scab and other diseases and planted in clean soil. Before harvest all weak and diseased plants should be roughed out. Seed is selected from the remaining hills that show the most promise. Each hill should be dug separately and inspected for disease or signs of running out. Medium sized tubers, preferably five to eight ounces, are selected. Many hills of high yielding stock may be selected in this way and massed in a seed plot, from which seed for the general planting next year is taken."

23 O. T. C. MEN APPLY FOR ARTILLERY SCHOOL

Twenty three members of the Oregon State Officers' Training Camp have applied for entrance to the Central Officers' Training School in field artillery at Camp Zachary Taylor, Kentucky. The men appeared for examination before the selection board, Alma D. Katz, of Portland, chairman, Wednesday and the recommendations of the board were made confidentially direct to the commandant of the camp, Colonel John Leader.

The men are John Ralph Pureell, Raymond Howard Moore, Milton E. Kahn, Carl Innes, R. B. Woodbury, R. E. Hitch, T. G. Donaca, G. W. Ailing, A. M. Koester, Augustus M. Mallor, all of Portland; Willis E. Clark, Spokane; Calvin I. Farrar, Lake Creek, Oregon; Sophus K. Winther, Hugh M. Thompson, both of Eugene; F. R. Olds, Klamath Falls; R. R. Manning, Central Point, Oregon; Earnest C. Smith and H. G. Barklage, Hood River; Frank H. Sperl, Oregon City; Edwin P. Sampson, Hillsdale; Wesley M. Wire, Newberg; H. E. Haefner, Grants Pass; Martin Galt, Forest Grove.

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