

WOMEN ARE READY TO FILL PLACES OF MEN IF GIVEN PAY OF MEN

Greatest Women's Organizations Demand Retention of Men's Industrial Standard

MANY PROMISE FAIR PLAY

Great Tobacco Concern to Pay Women Clerks Men's Salaries and During Course in Salesmanship.

Washington, June 1.—(U. P.)—Men's pay for women who labor during the war is the demand of the great women's organizations throughout the country.

"Women are ready and willing to assist in increasing and conserving the food supply and fill the places of men who are called into military service," Ethel M. Smith of the National American Woman's Suffrage association, said today, "but industrial standards in war time must not be allowed to break down."

Miss Smith said the women will insist:

That they be paid at the same rate as men.

That hours of labor shall not be lengthened by employers.

That "woman power" must be conserved by proper environment.

That industrial standards must not be lowered.

Working in cooperation with the woman's committee of the Council of National Defense, letters have been sent out to all great industries, outlining this plea for "fair play." Already the response from these industries has been tremendous.

"The United Cigar Stores have agreed to pay women clerks the same," as men," Miss Smith said today, "and have instituted a school of salesmanship with pay for the girls during training."

"The Baltimore & Ohio railroad has already announced that it expects to substitute women for men where possible in its service and to pay them at the same rate."

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OREGON FARMER WITH BRITISH IN FRANCE



Lieut. Kenneth McKenzie Clark Neill.

Lieutenant Kenneth McKenzie Clark Neill is among the Englishmen of Oregon who first answered the call to arms in his home land. He left his farm Ardencraig, a big Jersey ranch near Grants Pass, shortly after the war began and went home to enlist. He is doing transport duty in France in the service corps of the British army. The above is his latest picture taken at the front. Mrs. Neill is a well known Portland girl, formerly Fanny Sweetzer, the daughter of Mrs. Phil Meischen of Portland, and she and her little son, Kenneth Jr., are living on the ranch.

Villistas Evacuate Foothold at Border

El Paso, June 1.—(U. N. S.)—The Villista force that occupied Ojinaga, opposite Presidio, Thursday, where the United States troops were stationed, has evacuated the town, according to official advice received here Thursday. Villa withdrew his troops to San Francisco, south of Ojinaga. The civilian population of Ojinaga and surviving members of the Carranza garrison are remaining in Presidio.

Whooping Cough Kills Child

Freewater, Or., June 1.—The 4-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Mason of Sunnyside died suddenly Tuesday as a result of breaking a blood vessel during a spell of whooping cough.

CONSUMERS COMPEL MEAT PRICES TO DROP BY REFUSING TO BUY

Fish, Rice and Macaroni Are Used as Substitutes, Cutting Down Consumption.

Chicago, June 1.—(U. P.)—Without

any organized effort on their part, Mr. and Mrs. Consumer are swatting the high cost of meat.

There has been no systematic boycott, according to packers' representatives, but the recent record prices have caused the great majority of people throughout the country to cut down on their meat consumption, while many are abstaining entirely.

Sheep today were \$1 to \$2.50 a hundred pounds under the prices of a week ago, with the greatest reduction in spring lambs. Western sheep were selling at \$13.40, western lambs at \$15.50 and spring lambs at \$18. Hogs were generally \$1 lower, the bulk of the market selling at \$15.50 to \$15.85. Cattle were an average of 25 cents lower, beefs selling at \$9.20 to \$13.70 and calves at \$9.50 to \$13.75.

Scores of retail markets in Chicago alone are handling no sheep or lambs whatever, owing to the refusal of the consumers to buy.

People generally are using fish, rice and macaroni as meat substitutes.

Columbia College Ends Another Term

Incident to Commencement, Dean Naylor Resigns Position and Will Return to Regular Pastorate Charge.

Milton, Or., June 1.—This week Columbia college closes one of the most successful years of its history.

Rev. E. R. Naylor, dean, has resigned and will go to Kentucky and resume his work in the regular pastorate.

The scholarships which are given each year by Mr. and Mrs. Tassie Stewart were won this time by James Winegardner, Lewis Davis, Bertha Compton, Violet Carrigall, Lillian Douglas, Marvin Long. The baccalaureate sermon was preached by the Rev. Andrew Warner, presiding elder of the Walla Walla district.

The closing exercises will be held Thursday evening and the following graduates will receive diplomas: James Winegardner, Pearl Carleton, Myrtle Cox, Lillian Douglas, Thelma Munsell, Esther Niebel, Edith Winegardner, Ruby Smith, Francis Cass, Lewis Davis, Mont Nelson.

Myrtle Gates Seeks Divorce

A bill for divorce has been filed by Myrtle Gates against Ernest K. Gates, alleging desertion. They were married in Kansas in 1913 and the complaint asks that the custody of the one minor child be awarded to the mother.

Couden Heads Home Guard

South Bend, Wash., June 1.—At the regular meeting of the home guards in this city F. D. Couden was elected captain, William Stark first lieutenant

and Earl E. Decker second lieutenant. The captain appointed the non-commissioned officers. The guard here is 48 strong and new names are being added to the rolls at every meeting.

Epworth Institute Is Held at Mabton

Mabton, Wash., June 1.—The twenty-first annual institute convention of The Dalles district Epworth league started at Mabton Thursday to continue until Sunday night. About 60 delegates have registered and many more are coming.

Dr. Brommitt, editor of the Epworth Herald, has a prominent place on the program. He spoke twice during the day. Among the other prominent men on the faculty are Dr. Thomas W. Lane of Portland, who has charge of Bible studies, Rev. John G. Law of Colfax, instructor in Evangelism, and Dr. Andrew Warner of Walla Walla, who conducts the classes in social service.

Bend, Or., June 1.—That between 100 and 150 of the range riders of the Paulina section are ready to enlist for duty in the United States cavalry service, against Germany, is the word just received by Corporal Charles Davis, recruiting officer here, prompting him

RANGE RIDERS READY TO ENLIST FOR DUTY IN CAVALRY SERVICE

Recruiting Officer Goes to Paulina to Get Horsemen for War With Germany.

Storage Plant to Be Enlarged

Bend, Or., June 1.—Tentative plans for a cold storage plant as an addition to the present equipment of the Deschutes ice company, have been approved by the directors of the company, Manager T. H. Foley announced Thursday, and construction will be started as soon as final plans and specifications can be drawn up. The new plant is to be 18 by 82 feet, will be of wood or brick construction and will be capable of handling all kinds of meats and produce. Mr. Foley states, "Brine cooling, with ammonia evaporation, will be used in connection with the ice plant. The building will be so constructed as to allow for an in-

crease in size at any time that this is demanded by the trade. The estimated cost will be in the neighborhood of \$2500.

Before leaving, the recruiting officer apprised the postmaster at Paulina of his coming, requesting him to gather as many applicants for enlistment as possible, to facilitate the work.

Conference Will Be Held in Tacoma With View to Confirming Maximum Charge for Material for Government.

Lumbermen of the northwest have been asked to attend a conference in Tacoma next Monday for final and definite confirmation of the prices to be charged the government for supplying material for ships.

This action was taken Thursday on receipt of a telegram from R. B. Allen of the West Coast Lumbermen's association, now in Washington, which gave assurance that if the tentative maximum price of \$35 was confirmed it would mean the placing of orders

for sufficient lumber to build 60 ships, with the probability of 40 more.

It thus appeared definitely that the government intends to make the actual purchases and supply the material to the builders.

Construction of the 60 ships will mean use of 100,000,000 feet of lumber, with 65,000,000 feet more if the additional 40 are built.

Another subject for consideration at the Tacoma meeting will be the proposal to supply materials for army and navy cantonments requiring 200,000,000 feet.

Church to Be Manufactory

Hood River, Or., June 1.—The Belmont M. E. church, the oldest church building in the Hood River valley, for many years the center of Methodism for a large territory along the Columbia river basin, has been purchased by C. F. Sumner, a local plumber, who, it is stated, will convert the edifice into an apple packing and storage plant.

KODAK DEVELOPING AND PRINTING

Your Liberty Bond

—Buy your Liberty Loan Bond now! Uncle-Sam needs your help today. For sale on the Seventh Floor.

Lipman Wolfe & Co.

"Merchandise of Merit Only"

For Eye Comfort

—Our Optical department offers Kryptok glasses, the only invisible bifocals, at \$8. Examination by Dr. Dallas without extra charge. —Second Floor, Lipman, Wolfe & Co.

Only part of Saturday's good news is here!

Hurrah for the KING!

—The king is coming!
—And he's going to be as popular in Portland as the very roses themselves. Watch the papers for news of his arrival. It won't be long now before he's here!
—All hail the king!

Victrolas!

—There is music a-plenty in the homes where there are VICTROLAS.

—Ask about our combination offer! It comprises VICTROLA No. 10 and \$25 worth of Victor records —all for \$100—and we send it to your home for \$5—then pay for it \$5 a month.

—Mezzanine, Lipman, Wolfe & Co.

Stamped pieces 49c

—36-in. stamped centerpieces and 18x48-in. scarfs of pure linen in natural shade! They are stamped in both floral and conventional designs of unusual beauty! Both are close to half price at 49c.

—Fifth Floor, Lipman, Wolfe & Co.

Women's stockings 35c

—Such stockings as these are seldom found for 35c a pair! Women's stockings are of silk lisle in white and all colors—black are fashioned with ribbed tops.

—Children's splendid mercerized lisle hose—reinforced. 35c a pair.

—Main Floor, Lipman, Wolfe & Co.

Hair bows 25c

—Hair bows—with fasteners—25c. They're of such quality as mothers couldn't buy and make into bows for so little as 25c!

—Main Floor, Lipman, Wolfe & Co.



A great Saturday sale of GIRLS' WASH DRESSES

Lot 1—\$1.29

Lot 2—\$1.69

Lot 3—\$1.98

Lot 4—\$2.49

At \$1.29

—Little girls' dresses of lovely summer weaves—and the very newest styles for kiddies of from 2 to 6 years. We've illustrated one.

At \$1.69

—Beruffled and besmocked dresses of pink, blue or maize. Mothers will wonder where such delightful little frocks were made. The sketch gives you just an idea.

—Sizes 2 to 6.

—Fourth Floor, Lipman, Wolfe & Co.

At \$1.98

—We've never seen such attractive dresses for so little as \$1.98! They're for girls of from 6 to 14 years—the "difficult age"—as everyone knows. But they're so pretty and becoming that mothers and girls will be delighted with them.

At \$2.49

—Who wouldn't want to be a girl when such charming little frocks are made for them to wear? Were pockets and collars ever more trim and girl-like? Sizes 6 to 14.

Trimmed Hats \$5.00

—It seems as though each lot of these remarkable \$5 hats which our designers have created from week to week have been just a little prettier—a little more unusual from a style standpoint than those which were created the week before.

—And now comes the most unusual group of all!
—Black hats—and white hats—big ones and little ones—hats that you'll enthuse over at \$5.

—Third Floor, Lipman, Wolfe & Co.

Sheet music 2 for 25c

—Oh! Johnny—Oh! Johnny—Oh!
—Ching Chong!
—America First!
—What's the Matter With the Irish?
—I've Got My Eyes on You!
—Hong Kong!
—Hawaiian Butterfly!
—You're a Grand Old Flag!
—That's the Meaning of Uncle Sam!
—If I Had a Son for Every Star in Old Glory!

—Mezzanine, Lipman, Wolfe & Co.

24-in. matting SUITCASES \$1.65

—No matter whether you are going away or not, you'll be glad to buy one of these 24-in. matting suitcases at this low price we've set for Saturday—\$1.65.

—They're splendidly made, with good firm corners—substantial locks—two sturdy bolts and two all-around straps! Wonders at \$1.65.

—Sub-Basement, Lipman, Wolfe & Co.

News from the ECONOMY BASEMENT

—Women's vests with low necks and no sleeves will be sold for 10c.

—Swiss-ribbed vests—some sleeveless and some with short sleeves are to be 18c.

—Children's vests—cool summer styles—are going to be on sale for 10c.

—Boys' and girls' union suits—some just plain ribbed and others with taped waists having buttons and stocking supporter holders—29c.

—Economy Basement.

Saturday News for MEN!

Shirts at \$1.39

—And what shirts they are! Why, if we were to send them to you tonight without a price tag on them, you'd guess them at a price way above \$1.39. They're high grade shirts of madras—Russian cords—crystal cloths—Oxfords and silk mercerized fabrics—some are made with soft French cuffs, others have starched cuffs.

Tub silk shirts \$3.65

—Shirts of tub silks—of silk mixtures!
—Shirts in many of the rich patterns and colorings that characterize the high priced lines! Come see them Saturday—they can tell a better story than we can put into print!

Union suits \$1.25

—Men's union suits—the famous Cooper spring needle form fitting kind with short sleeves and in ankle length, will be featured at \$1.25.

—Beautiful flowing end TIES at 50c.

—Notaseme sox (mill runs), 19c pair.

—Main Floor, Lipman, Wolfe & Co.

Langham-High SUITS FOR BOYS

—The younger young men—the fellows who are just putting on their first long pants—will be keen about our LANGHAM-HIGH suits at \$15 to \$25.

—Fourth Floor, Lipman, Wolfe & Co.

Boys' Armorclad Suits \$5.00

—There is so much that is good and different about these Armorclad suits that we can't begin to tell their story here! You have our word for it, though, that they are a match for your boy, no matter how full of the old "Sam Scratch" he is.

—Of course you know that Armorclads come in sizes 6 to 18 years and are all made with two pairs of pants.

Boy Scouts—attention!

—Besides the boys' suits at \$5 we have worlds of other good clothes at \$6.50 and up to \$20.