

LOCAL RED CROSS CHAPTER REPORTS BIG YEAR'S WORK

Plans Made at Annual Meeting for Even Greater Efforts in the Future.

TREMENDOUS WORK IS DONE

Of \$149,966.37 Received, \$93,147.29 Was Spent in 1917, Leaving \$56,819.08 on Hand.

The annual meeting of the Portland chapter of the American Red Cross was held Thursday night in the public library. The tremendous work which the chapter has done in the last year was reviewed, and plans were made for a larger and even more successful campaign in the future. Reports from the various committees were read, showing the voluminous work carried on by the chapter. New directors of Class 1, whose terms of office had expired, were chosen.

In the report of the military relief committee, Forrest S. Fisher told of the activities of the work for eight months. The work of the committee has been to do with the army and navy, base hospitals, surgical section, sanitary detachments, and making surgical dressings and supplies.

The army and navy branch appropriated during the year, \$500 for the Oregon Infantry, and \$50 for the coast artillery. The University of Oregon base hospital No. 48 was organized under the supervision of this committee. The sum of \$60,000 having been appropriated for it by the Elks lodge, it was only necessary to equip the nurses and clerks, who should accompany it, with suitable garments. For this, the sum of \$7000 was spent.

Dr. Robert C. Yenney was appointed organizer and director of hospital units. No surgical sections or sanitary detachments have been raised by the chapter. The manufacture of surgical dressings and supplies, which was the main work of the committee, was carried on at Lipman & Wolfe's store, while approximately 282 auxiliaries throughout the city helped in the work. The entire eighth floor of the store was converted into a workshop. About 180 women a day worked for five and a half days a week at the central shop. The entire work of making surgical dressings as handled there, the auxiliaries devoting themselves to making hospital garments and supplies.

Requests for knitted articles came in during the year, and were given to the committee. The workshop at the Lipman-Wolfe building became the headquarters for knitted goods, while requests for sweaters, scarfs, helmets, wristlets and socks were sent broadcast throughout the city. A generous response was given.

The Christmas packages also came under the supervision of this committee, as did the canteen committee, whose duties are to supply refreshments to bodies of soldiers and sailors passing through the city. When in August the appeal for relief of sufferers from the Sumpter fire came in, it was turned over to the committee and a relief appropriation of \$5000 was made.

Summing up, the report states that \$1,158 surgical dressings, 103,316 hospital supplies, and 15,823 knitted goods have been made under the supervision of the committee. Nine thousand, eight hundred and seventy-one Christmas packages and \$10,309.91 in cash were also donated. The entire expenditure of the committee for gauze, cotton and other supplies has been \$19,384.19. George N. Woolley, secretary of the executive board of the Red Cross shop, gave a report concerning its activities. The shop is located at 106 Fifth street. The idea for the shop originated with Mrs. Jesse Stearns, as the result of a chance visit to the "Superfutures Shop" in Victoria, B. C. The shop has prac-

tically no overhead expenses, the rent being paid by the Progressive Business Men's association, and all articles which are sold are donated by the people of Portland. No salaries are paid, except to a young woman cashier, and heat, light, telephone and so forth are all free to the shop.

The shop sells various odds and ends, which are given by the people of the city. The Motor and Ambulance corps attends to all deliveries. During the first three months, starting with a capital of \$100, the shop has earned over \$10,000. The enterprise has created a sensation throughout the country, and requests for further information concerning it are being received daily from many parts of the United States. Many similar to it are being started. Mrs. W. L. Wood was made manager and has been conducting the business in a very efficient manner.

A report on the Christmas membership drive was given by C. C. Chapman, state chairman. Nearly \$125,000 was raised during the drive, and 121,530 new members were gained. Portland leads the United States in the Christmas membership for a city of its size. The nearest approach to it is Seattle, where the Portland methods were employed. An intensive drive throughout the entire state was organized, and carried on with extreme success. Including the Christmas drive, the Portland chapter has multiplied itself 1250 times in eight months.

Details of the University Base Hospital unit were given by Major R. C. Yenney and Director of Nurses Grace Phelps. The unit was organized in the future, beginning July 5, and it was certified to the surgeon general on January 2. Its personnel consists of 22 physicians, two dentists, a chaplain, 100 nurses, two civilian employees and 152 enlisted men.

Robert C. Strong, former chairman of the executive committee, summarized the work done during the year by the committee, besides giving the report of the committee. Mr. Strong has been succeeded by Amedeo M. Smith, general manager of the chapter.

The financial report from April, 1917, to December 31, 1917, follows:

Receipts	Disbursements
General Fund.....	Office equipment, etc.....
Memberships, Chapter's proportion.....	Operating expenses, salaries, postage, stationery, telephone, telegrams, printing, express and sundries.....
Donations.....	Educational.....
Magazines and insignia.....	Military Relief.....
Red Cross Shop.....	Material supplies, packing, freight, express, sundry workshop expenses.....
Sales of donated merchandise.....	Civilian Relief.....
Military Relief.....	Assistance to soldiers and sailors.....
Office chapters, for nurses' equipment.....	Disaster Relief.....
Fund.....	Supplies for sufferers.....
Miscellaneous.....	Halifax permanent relief.....
Christmas packages.....	Miscellaneous Relief.....
Permanent Halifax relief.....	Canteen, and emergencies to Oregon troops.....
Memberships, headquarters' proportion.....	Miscellaneous.....
Total Receipts.....	Campaign expenses advanced, to be refunded.....
	Christmas packages.....
	War Fund.....
	Refunded balances.....
	Remitted on headquarters' proportion.....
	Total disbursements.....
	Cash on hand.....
	Liberty bonds on hand.....
	Total cash resources, December 31, 1917.....

E. R. CORBETT, Treasurer.

Directors Are Elected
The following directors were elected: C. P. Howard, C. C. Colt, William F. Woodward, Julius L. Meder, L. Lowengart, J. D. Farrell, Dr. Frederick Kiehle, James B. Kerr, C. F. Berg, R. F. Prael, C. S. Jackson, Robert Platt, Mrs. Dallas Bach, H. W. Shaw, Mrs. Jesse Stearns, Mrs. Thomas D. Honeyman, Amedeo Smith.

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FOUR KNOWN DEAD AMONG CASUALTIES OF SHIP CHEROKEE

Navy Department Also Announces 24 Men Missing, 10 Survivors and Inquiry Is Ordered.

Washington, March 1.—(I. N. S.)—The navy department Thursday gave out the list of dead and missing from the U. S. S. Cherokee, which was lost off the Atlantic coast. There were four known dead, 24 missing, 10 survivors landed, and one man who had been transferred to another vessel.

The list of known dead follows: J. G. MACSPIRIT, machinist, U. S. N. Jersey City, N. J. BENJAMIN GREEN, ship's cook, Brooklyn. MARK JACK SANFORD, ship's cook, second class, U. S. N. Vitebsk, Russia. CLARENCE H. MCCARTNEY, machinist's mate, second class, Brooklyn.

These bodies were recovered and taken to the Philadelphia navy yard. The unit was assigned to duty by the 31. enlistment began July 5, and it was certified to the surgeon general on January 2. Its personnel consists of 22 physicians, two dentists, a chaplain, 100 nurses, two civilian employees and 152 enlisted men.

The navy department will conduct a thorough investigation to determine the responsibility for the loss of the Cherokee and the conditions under which she was lost. I have called the attention of the board of inquiry to the statement published in a Philadelphia paper alleging that the vessel was unseaworthy and have ordered them to infer a naval investigation.

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PORTLAND WOMAN CALLED BY DEATH



Mrs. T. T. Prickett

Mrs. T. T. Prickett died at her home, 260 Wheeler street, Wednesday morning. She had been ill for about two years. Mrs. Prickett was born at Fort Ridgely, St. Paul, Minn., February 13, 1854. Her maiden name was Mary Elizabeth Holmes. Joseph D. Stoltz of Portland, an engineer on the Southern Pacific, is a son by a former marriage. Mrs. Prickett came to Portland in 1884. On January 3, 1906, she married T. T. Prickett. Mrs. Prickett was a member of the United Presbyterian Church of the Strangers. Rev. S. Earl DuBois had charge of the services, which were held at the Wilson & Ross parlors, Seventh and Multnomah streets, today at 2 p. m.

Man Leaves for Mexico

Corvallis, Or., March 1.—As soon as passports are secured, Dr. J. J. Finley, a well known dentist of this city, will return to the interior of Mexico, his former home, to learn whether there is anything left of his residence, business and mining property. Mrs. Finley will accompany him and they will reside there if conditions warrant safety.

YAKIMA RED CROSS MONTHLY CAMPAIGN IS WELL UNDER WAY

Six Teams in Field Raise \$1000 in Two Days, and Big Drive Is Still in Progress.

Yakima, March 1.—The six teams canvassing for monthly contributions to support the Yakima Red Cross chapter, reporting at noon Thursday, had about \$900 for their two days' labor, which is one third of the amount fixed for the budget. Four of the six teams reported \$250 in monthly pledges and cash subscriptions for \$255. The drive will be continued till the amount goes over the top. A. B. Fosseen has charge of the campaign.

Elks Celebrate Anniversary

Yakima, March 1.—The Yakima lodge celebrated the fiftieth anniversary of the founding of the order Thursday night, with the chairs filled with past exalted rulers. L. L. Meigs delivered an oration on the order's relation to the present war, and to patriotism, and formally dedicated the service flag, which bears 79 stars. Fred Fontaine, Frank Bond and S. G. Henton were on the entertainment committee. The local lodge has 1153 members, growing from a charter of 25 instituted here in 1865.

Enterprising Burglar Arrested

Yakima, March 1.—After effecting three burglaries within an hour yesterday morning, and attempting three others, Amaceto Salcedo, a Mexican, 26 years old, was arrested by the police. Two hours later he had confessed his crimes to the county attorney. Finding himself short of funds he started in Naches avenue, equipped with a revolver and a black muffer. He says he found easy picking and few houses were locked. He had gathered in \$20 in cash and two watches when the police, notified by his first victim, came upon his trail. He is in jail awaiting trial on a burglary charge.

Former Cabinet Officer Ill

Boston, March 1.—George von L. Meyer, postmaster general under President Roosevelt and secretary of the navy under President Taft, is critically ill at his home here.

BENTON ALL READY FOR LIBERTY LOAN

Corvallis, Or., March 1.—Benton county has completed its organization to handle the coming Liberty Loan drive. The county has been divided into three districts, with Corvallis, Monroe and Philomath as headquarters for the three. A census of each district has been taken, which will be card indexed, and through which an equitable basis of allotment will be made. Each district will have charge of its local meetings and other arrangements in connection.

Under direction of Banker A. J. Johnson, member of the state Liberty Loan committee, the following officials have been selected to manage the drive: A. E. Woodcock, cashier of the First National bank, chairman; C. E. Ingalls, secretary, and the members are J. E. Coopy, Corvallis Creamery company; Thomas Whitehorn, Corvallis State bank; Dean G. W. Perry of the state college; August Fischer of the Corvallis Flouring Mills.

Bill for Protection Of Salmon Initiated

Salem, Or., March 1.—Secretary of State Olcott Thursday approved the form of initiative petition for a proposed bill "protecting salmon by forbidding fish-wheel, trap and seine fishing in the waters over which the state of Oregon has concurrent jurisdiction." The measure is being initiated by E. L. Walters of Oregon City.

Withycombe Wants His Job Some More

Salem, Or., March 1.—Governor Withycombe is preparing to make announcement soon of his candidacy for re-election. It is considered probable that the announcement will be made next Sunday morning.

Car Shortage Hits Hood River Apples

Approximately 450 Carloads Are on Hand—These Not in Cold Storage Must Soon Be Repacked at Added Cost.

Hood River, Or., March 1.—The apple situation in Hood River is nearing an acute stage for want of cars. A canvass of the holdings in the valley is approximately 450 carloads unsipped. Apples held in other than cold storage plants will soon need to be repacked, which will mean a loss of approximately 25 cents per box. Consignees, to whom apples have been sent in the early season and held here for shipment, have united with the shipping interests in an endeavor to secure cars. Telegrams have been forwarded to Herbert Hoover at Washington, national food administrator, commending him for

his answer to Director General McAdoo in placing the blame upon the railroad department for not securing cars with which to move the foodstuffs available. The large tonnage of apples held in the Hood River valley is now seasonable fruit and should go into immediate consumption, it is pointed out.

Falling Grandstand Killed 700
London, March 1.—(I. N. S.)—Seven hundred persons, including one American, were killed in the collapse of the grandstand at the Hongkong race course on Tuesday, said a dispatch from that city today. In all, 15 foreigners lost their lives. The injured numbered about 300.

Piles Cured in 6 to 14 Days
Druggists refund money if PAZO OINTMENT fails to cure itching, Blind, Bleeding or Protruding Piles. First application gives relief. 50c.—Adv.

New Spring Models in WOMEN'S WALKING BOOTS

—New nut brown shoes with kid vamps, with smart wing tips and cloth tops. Popular 9-inch models in lace style with low heels.
—Black kid vamp shoes with pearl grey cloth tops. Lace style.
—Second Floor, Lipman, Wolfe & Co.

Lipman Wolfe & Co. Merchandise of Merit Only

OUR ENEMIES OVER HERE ARE TRYING TO HURT OUR BOYS OVER THERE. OUR ENEMIES ARE LISTENING. DON'T TALK

Sipman Wolfe & Co. Merchandise of Merit Only

THRIFT STAMPS AND SMILEAGE BOOKS ON SALE AT ACCOMMODATION DESK—MAIN FLOOR

Books of Street Car Tickets on Sale at Accommodation Desk, Main Floor

Aye, Aye, Captain! My Naval MIDDY SUIT

Is just like my big brother's—and he belongs to the REAL NAVY

\$12.50

is a moderate price for these excellent suits. Such smart suits for pre-Easter wearing. The middy blouse is quite like that worn by a real Jack Tar—with its deep yoke, slot pockets, embroidered emblems and trimming of blue and white braid. Long or short trousers—just as the young gentleman prefers! Sizes for boys 2½ to 8 years.

Other Middy Suits in black and white checks, blue chevrons and brown chevrons.

BOYS' New Reefers

Just as popular these Spring days

—Clever little Springtime reefer coats. Good, serviceable serge chevrons and checks in sizes for boys 4 to 10 years.

Priced \$3.95 to \$10

LANGHAM-HIGH CLOTHES for Spring

—The kind of clothes that the YOUNGER YOUNG MAN would choose if left to his own devices—because they are so snappily tailored. Both material and workmanship are of the very best.

Suits and Coats \$18 to \$35

—Fourth Floor, Lipman, Wolfe & Co.

Handsome SILK TIES—95c

—And very special at the price

—Handsome ties known to the most fastidious men of Portland as "correct" in every detail—material, coloring, style. Handsome basket weaves, silks, satins—in all the newest spring coloring and designs.

NEW SPRING SHIRTS SPECIAL \$1.19

—Fine quality corded madras shirts in a splendid variety of neat patterns and colorings. All sizes.

OLUS Brand One-Piece Pajamas—\$1.89

—Fine quality flannel pajamas—cut full and built for solid comfort. Next pink and blue striped patterns. All sizes.

Men's Pure Linen Handkerchiefs—19c

—Splendid quality linen handkerchiefs with quarter inch hems. 3 for 50c. —Main Floor, Just Inside Washington St. Entrance.



ARRIVED!

Spring Suits for Boys

TOMORROW you'll find on display here wonderfully complete lines of the new clothes for boys.

—First of all—the Norfolk Suits with extra "knicks." I show these in new patterns of tweed, homespun, cheviot, cassimere and novelty fabrics.

—You will be impressed with the style and the thoroughly good quality of these garments. Call in with your boys and choose from these

Norfolk Suits \$6.50 to \$20

—The military idea runs strong in little boys' clothes this Spring. This week I have put on display the following:

—Man-o-War Suits in navy serge and in beautiful wash materials. \$3 to \$12.50.

Officers' and Soldiers' Suits in khaki and in other washable fabrics. \$3 to \$12.50.

—New Stocks of Boys' Furnishings and Underwear.

Second Floor—Elevator

Ben Selling

Morrison at Fourth

New Spring Overcoats

—Here are smartly tailored garments for children, in fabrics suitable for Spring wearing. \$5 to \$12.50.

—Belted Trench Coats for boys in knickers, sizes 12 to 18 years. These are extremely clever garments.

Spring in the Girls' Own Department

—The loveliest of new Spring Apparel for girls of all ages is beginning to blossom forth in the Girls' Own Section. Suits, Coats, Dresses, Skirts, Smocks, Middies, in fact everything a girl wants is here in new design!

Clever SILK SKIRTS For GIRLS

\$4.95

—They are cleverly fashioned, these new striped silk skirts for girls. They are in full shirred style in belted and pocket fashion. The fancy pockets add much to the cleverness of these Spring Skirts.

COATS

NEW SPRING STYLES FOR GIRLS

—All the newest Spring materials and shades are to be found in this group of coats for girls from 2 to 7 years of age. Such Springlike shades as Pekin Blue, Silver Gray, Reseda or Navy, American yellow, granite cloth or Delhi. Priced \$6.45, \$8.50, \$10 to \$36.50.

GIRLS' NEW SHOE TOP SUITS

PRICED \$18.50, \$20 to \$30

Joan of Arc SMOCKS

Are Here for You

Priced \$2.25 to \$3.25

—White, coat style smocks that button down the front, have large sailor collars and touches of colored smocking. Also slip-over styles with fancy stitching or smocking. —Fourth Floor, Lipman, Wolfe & Co.

Chapeau du Jour

—the Hat of the Day

Designed for and sold exclusively by Lipman, Wolfe & Co.

\$10

—Isn't this a charming hat—full of charm and loveliness—and of exceptional chic for ten dollars? You would find it even more charming in reality, for the straw is a jolly shade of cherry and the ribbons and wings midnight blue. It is so becoming and smart.

Scores of new models in our Chapeau Du Jour to be displayed for the first time Saturday

—Third Floor, Lipman, Wolfe & Co.

Illustration of a girl in a hat.