

# STATE RED CROSS IS ORGANIZED TO SOLICIT MEMBERS

Every County in Line to Canvass Territory Thoroughly During Week of December 16-23.

DETAILS BEING COMPLETED

Although Work in Battle Area Is About Over, Great Field of Helpfulness Is Still Open.

The Red Cross has fed the hungry, clothed the naked, comforted the afflicted, visited the sick and buried the dead. Every person who has a membership in this great humanitarian organization has helped in these works of mercy. The war is about over, but the mission of the Red Cross must go on. This is the reason for the membership drive beginning next week and every adult in the nation will be solicited to join.

Scarcely an American fighter crossing overseas but carried with him knapsack goods provided by the Red Cross. The society has sent thousands of tons of clothing to the refugees of the stricken lands of Europe. Shiploads of medical supplies and other necessities have been forwarded to the afflicted civilians, aside from the military supplies provided by the Red Cross. There has never been such an organization for relieving distress and its appeal has been universal. Therefore, the December 16-23 drive is for universal membership.

Details of the drive are rapidly being completed. L. E. Woltring, in charge of outdoor advertising for the drive, will have three sign-boards on the north lawn of the post-office block. Over the steps leading to the federal building will be an immense indicator, which will record, day by day, the progress of the drive both in the city and in the state. The posters will be displayed on the eve of the drive and there will be car cards galore. For this drive one or two of the more celebrated Red Cross posters will be revived, but in addition there are some new and particularly striking effects.

State organization was completed Monday night with the following personnel: Wilbur E. Booth, chairman; H. H. Witham, manager; Miss Getta Wasserman, executive secretary; O. C. Bortzmeier, auditor, and the following county organizations:

The name first stated refers to the chapter chairman, second to local campaign manager:

Clatsop—Herbert L. Husson; Astoria—W. E. Schimpff; Astoria—Baker—Judge William Duby; Baker—W. H. Ellis, Baker.

Deschutes and Jefferson—J. P. Keyes; Bond; H. A. Miller; Benton and Lincoln—Dr. W. T. Johnson, Corvallis.

Cook—H. Baldwin, Prineville. Crook—H. Booth, Roseburg; W. C. Harding, Roseburg.

Harney—Dr. C. C. Griffith, Burns; J. J. Donagan, Burns.

Hood River—E. O. Blanchard, Hood River; C. P. Gilbert, Hood River.

Jackson—C. E. Gates, Medford; Mrs. Elizabeth Folger Dodge, Medford.

## Major Rose, British Army Officer, Likes Oregon Livestock

Major W. Lewis Rose, formerly of the British army, with Mrs. Rose, was a guest at the stock show Tuesday. The major is now manager of the Wigrich ranch near Independence, where he has been in charge for five years. He had never visited an American stock show before and expressed amazement at the quality of the exhibits at North Portland.

He formerly was manager of the estate of Marquis de Downshire in Ireland. His father was a breeder of fine Berkshire hogs and his uncle, of White Waltham Berkshire Burycourt farm sold large numbers of Hereford cattle to Prince Albert, consort of Queen Victoria.

Major Rose said he saw at this show animals that were undoubtedly descendants of the royal breed of Windsor. He paid high compliment to the quality of swine being produced in Oregon and displayed at the show.

Major and Mrs. Rose attended the British day celebration Saturday and pronounced it inspiring and impressive. They are at the Portland hotel.

## M'ALEXANDER LETS GERMANS' LETTERS DESCRIBE FIGHTING

Almost as Exciting as O. A. C.—Oregon Game, Writes Yank Leader at Marne.

"Since writing you last I had a little scrap on the Marne (July 15-23). Was attacked by six German regiments and I am perfectly willing to let them tell the story themselves," says General U. G. McAlexander in writing to business associates. General McAlexander led the Yanks at the Marne battle and was formerly commandant at O. A. C. and instructor of the Oregon National Guard.

"Here are two copies of captured papers from their sixth Grenadier guards. Being peacefully inclined, we could not kill all of them, besides they ran away. It was almost as exciting as a game of football between O. A. C. and U. of O. Remember me to everybody.

"U. G. M'ALEXANDER," Letter Grenadier Leutemann, 2d Bn. 6th Grenadiers, 7-29-18. "We were supposed to cross the Marne by Chateau Thierry on the 15th. We used pontoons across the Marne and when we were on the other side the Americans counter-attacked and we had many losses. The regimental commander and the brigadier commander were wounded and the battalion staff, major and a lieutenant, were killed. The regiment had a combat strength of only a little more than 100 men. Of our company only 10 men came back across the Marne. The division was then loaded on autos and brought to Soissons where the Frenchmen broke through. He attacked there with several hundred tanks. Our field artillery opened fire at a thousand meters and certainly did things to those tanks."

Extract from notebook of Gefreiter Karl Recklinghausen, 2d Co. Grenadiers regiment, 6 (10th division). "I was in first position in the neighborhood of Jaulgonne; opposite us are the Americans. Our retreat across the river was awful; those Americans certainly did clean us up. If those in front of us are fair specimens of the average American troops, and were as many as they say they are, then goodbye for us."

The deadline is midnight, December 31. After that time too late to keep your W. S. S. pledge.

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## A MERCHANDISE BOND IS SAFEST WHEN IN DOUBT

—It is so difficult to choose gifts for some folk for some reason or other—like the girl who was asked whether she wanted a book or a lamp said, "Oh, don't give me a book—I've got one!" Tastes differ—and you're always safe in buying a bond. We have them from \$1 up.



## SOUVENIR BOOKLETS OF THE SPRUCE PRODUCTION DIVISION

—Interesting booklets, 9x11 inches in size, containing dozens of views of Oregon forests and the activities of the Spruce Production Division. Beautifully pictured and a valuable souvenir of the great world war. Price \$1.00. —Magazine Section, Main Floor.

# Here's Every Reason to Shop for Christmas Tomorrow at This Store

—Our conception of service is to give the public what they want, when they want it, at as low a price as is consistent with merchandise conditions. Thus we do not keep prices at the highest possible level simply because buying is nat-

urally brisk at Christmas time—but offer in many parts of the store, the most wanted merchandise, at a time when wanted, at prices much lower than the same things are being offered for elsewhere.



**M-E-N**  
Sale of 250 Pairs Fine Pure Silk

**S-O-X**  
\$1.35

—Gifts that any man would appreciate—and you will enjoy the giving doubly when you see what wonderful quality they are at the special price.

—Some have the new leg-shaped top and are pure silk with lisle lined sole. In black, white, blue, grey, tan and Cordovan.

—Just inside the Washington St. Entrance.

On the Main Floor Bargain Tables Tomorrow

Our Entire Stock of Fibre Silk Sweaters Offered in Three Sale Groups at \$3 — \$5 — \$7.50

—The prices speak for themselves and when you consider that every fibre silk sweater in our entire stock is included—there's no need to say more! Both coat sweaters and slippers in the prettiest colors and combinations—all in these three groups!

—Main Floor, Lipman, Wolfe & Co.

39-Inch Georgette Crepe Special at \$1.50

—If you're planning any gay and festive frocks for the holiday—now that the war is over—this is an unusual opportunity for you! All the wanted colors are included in this 39 inch Georgette!

—Main Floor, Lipman, Wolfe & Co.



The Gift of Jewelry

—What better expresses Christmas sentiment than fine gold and precious stones—and for those of us who can't afford the "real thing" there are such clever imitations—such artistic ones!

—STERLING SILVER and GOLD FILLED lingerie clasps—in a great variety of patterns. In gift boxes. Special 75c.

—BABY BRACELETS—gold filled, engraved and stone set, in gift boxes. 75c.

—CASHMERE and BACK COMBS—stone set, in a great variety of styles—amber, shell, demi amber. 50c.

—LAVALLIERES—solid gold and stone set—with 15-inch gold chains, set with garnets, sapphires, amethysts, etc. Special \$2.75.

—Main Floor, Lipman, Wolfe & Co.

Heavy Satin Charmeuse \$3.15 Yard

—Soft, lustrous, extra heavy quality Satin Charmeuse in Ivory, Pink, Maise, Plum, Peacock, Hague, Midnight, Taupe, Seal, Myrtle, Wine—one of the most serviceable and fashionable silks of the season. All 40 inches wide.

—Second Floor, Lipman, Wolfe & Co.

Pure Linen Table Cloths Make Ideal Gifts

—Cloths that are made from the finest Irish Flax—and there's a wonderful assortment of patterns here for you, madame!

Cloths 70x 72 Inches—\$ 7.25  
Cloths 70x 90 Inches—\$ 9.00  
Cloths 70x108 Inches—\$10.75

22x22 In. Napkins to Match—\$9.00 Dozen

Unhemmed Huck Towels 65c  
—Think of buying pure linen huck towels at this price. Just the thing for embroidering and initialing.

Japanese Lunch Cloths—\$1.50 and \$2.50

—Second Floor, Lipman, Wolfe & Co.



Ho-Ho! for Santa Claus and Toydom

—The little folk gathered in interested, delighted groups all day long to whisper into Santa's own ear just what they want to make them happy this year. Bring the kiddies in and let them see and shake hands with Santa! He's here from 10 to 12 and 2 to 5 o'clock.

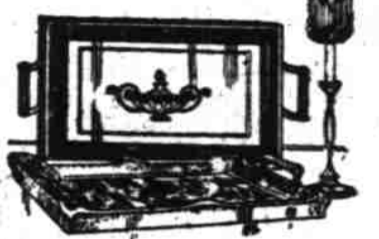
Toydom is Happyland

—Such fascinating games—such interesting mechanical toys—such instructive toys for older children and the most boyish drums and lovely dolls to fill a little mother's heart with joy! Come and see—such a world of fun!

—Toydom, Basement.

A Special Christmas Purchase and Sale of Sheffield, Mahogany Finish, and Florentine Service Trays

—Food will seem to have been "served on a golden platter" if it comes from any of these very dainty trays. Even the most practical, every day kind are artistic—and all make charming gifts!



100 Assorted Apollo Sheffield Bread and Sandwich Trays \$1.95

—Four styles in sandwich trays—Sheffield plate on nickel silver—the well known "Apollo" brand. And two designs in bread trays—both in bright and butler finish. Limit 1 to a customer. No phone or C. O. D. orders.

Mahogany Finish Trays 95c

—Size 10x15 inches, trays with glass bottoms. Practical!

Mahogany Finish Trays \$1.19

—Glass bottom trays with marquetry centers. 10x16 inches.

Gilt Wood Florentine Trays \$1.75

—Unusually artistic and gift-like! Florentine style trays that are 10x15 inches

Gilt Wood Trays \$2.45

—Pretty gilt wood Florentine style trays, 11 1/4 x 17 1/2 inches.

—Sixth Floor, Lipman, Wolfe & Co.

Velveteen, Serge and Silk Frocks—Reduced to \$21.75

—Fashionable frocks for practically every occasion these informal days! Attractive styles for holiday festivities and in such pretty colors.

—Tunic, Russian Blouse, panel and draped models, some are beautifully braided, others trimmed with satin sashes and flat silk braids. The styles are the very newest and smartest of the season!

—The colors are black, navy, plum, taupe, brown, Burgundy—and the workmanship and finish are the very finest. Sizes from 16 to 44.

—Third Floor, Lipman, Wolfe & Co.



Women's HOSIERY

—Practical hosiery that is always acceptable for gifts.

Cashmere Hose \$1.25

—Black, full fashioned, heavy weight hose, with double heels and toes. Sizes 8 1/2 to 10 1/2.

Cashmere Hose 85c

—Women's cashmere stockings, seamless style, with double heels and toes. Black and white. Sizes 8 1/2 to 10 1/2.

Cashmere Hose 75c

—Women's cashmere stockings—black, full fashioned foot with spliced silk heels and toes. Sizes 9 to 10.

Wool and Cotton Hose 50c

—Women's mixed wool and cotton stockings. Heavy weight, black, with double heels and toes.

—Main Floor.

Jersey Top Petticoats With Taffeta Flounces at \$3.95

—A fine jersey top underskirt, with a taffeta flounce, in a plain or changeable color—there's a good gift to a woman.

—These at \$3.95 are new straight-line models and the flounces are trimmed with tucks, knife pleats, cording and ruffles.

—Third Floor, Lipman, Wolfe & Co.

The TEAPOT Store

—"Polly, put the kettle on—we'll all have tea"—and half the fun of a tea party depends on the teapot used. We have the most delightful assortments—all kinds—all styles—all sizes from the tiny one that holds a single cup to a generous size that will brew tea for the entire family!

—Earthen pots, earthen pots with, not silver linings, but silver coatings.

—Gold and silver finished pots and simple, unpretentious ones—from 15c to \$4.25.

—Household Section, Basement.

Save 60% on GIFTS

And at the Same Time Choose From ART TREASURES FROM EVERY CORNER OF THE WORLD

—Such a variety—bronzes, marble statuary, glassware, fine pottery and china—a profusion of the most pleasing novelties that will make gift choosing a delight. Everything now at MUCH LESS THAN HALF PRICE!

—Sixth Floor, Lipman, Wolfe & Co.

## Reports Are Read at Aid Society Meeting

At a meeting of the Boys' and Girls' Aid society Tuesday in the office of Judge W. B. Gilbert, J. Teuscher, acting superintendent, read the superintendent's report. P. L. Fuller reported on the financial condition of the society. The secretary's report for the trustees was read by F. E. Beach. Mrs. C. R. Templeton, representing the women's advisory board, told of the Thanksgiving dinner at the home. Sixty different schools sent contributions, while other schools have signified their intention of making similar gifts at Christmas time. The Portland Railway, Light & Power company gave free transportation to the wards of the school to a downtown picture show.

Don't forget that victory must be paid for. Buy War Savings Stamps and lend your money to Uncle Sam.

This is the Mixer where flours white with yeast and all things mixed just right So HOLSUM bread so good will taste you can't afford one bit to waste.

