

SALE IS BENEFIT TO SHELL SHOCK VICTIMS OF WAR

Meier & Frank Exhibit Handiwork
of Soldier Patients Designed
to Aid Sadly Afflicted Heroes.

Portland men and women who eagerly answered the call for home service during the war period that they might ease the burden of the boys "over there," are once more reminded that some of those same boys are now in local hospitals and still need the support and interest of those who remained at home.

This week will witness a display of the workmanship of the occupational therapy patients from Morningside hospital, Dr. Pierce's sanatorium, and St. Vincent's hospital. The exhibit will be shown at the Meier & Frank store. The pieces will be sold by the reconstruction aides, who have worked with the patients.

Funds received will be turned over to the patients for their comfort while they are in the hospitals.

The exhibit will include basketry, weaving, painted articles of utility and beauty, bead work, carved boxes and cane footstools.

WORK IS CURATIVE
"The work of these boys is curative, not vocational but is of incalculable value to them," said Dr. Pierce.
"It is merely a way to put in time during their convalescence, and it not only employs their lonesome, tedious hours, but gives them an opportunity to accomplish useful work. Most of them came from some active occupation before the war and they miss having something definite to do, so that I feel deeply in sympathy with the work of the reconstruction aides for this class of patients."

ALL PRODUCTS SANITARY
All work in the display and that placed on sale has been carefully disinfected and is entirely sanitary. Many of the boys at St. Vincent hospital are surgical or medical cases, some of them undergoing bone grafts, which are long and painful. The men at Morningside are mostly shell shock cases.

The work has been going on all winter under the direction of the Red Cross, directed by Miss Grace Phelps and Miss Jane Doyle of the nursing bureau. Miss Martha Wright, former reconstruction aide, stationed at Fort Riley, Kan., and Miss Mearns Young, recently of Fort Des Moines, Iowa, supervise the actual work of the patients at the three hospitals.

The service is financed by the Daddy's club, which has been most generous in supplying funds for the purchase of materials for the boys to work with and in supplying other expenses.

WORK OF RECONSTRUCTED SOLDIERS



Occupational therapy patients who were in service during the war period and who are now under treatment in local hospitals. Their work in basketry, weaving, painting and making cane footstools, etc., will be shown for sale this week at the Meier & Frank store. Above—Patients at Dr. Pierce's sanatorium with reconstruction aides. Lower, right—Ex-soldier making basket. Left—Jacket made by patient.

NEW AMENDMENT IS DESIGNED TO ASSIST ROAD CONSTRUCTION

Oregon Roads and Development
Association Behind Measure
Raising Bonding Limit.

"An opportunity to obtain a vast amount of funds for the construction of roads in Oregon such as has never before been undertaken is at hand through the proposed amendment of the state constitution to raise the bonding limit from 2 to 4 per cent of the assessed valuation of property," says the Oregon Roads and Development association.

"The remarkable feature of this measure is that it requires no additional tax in any way whatsoever, as auto license fees and gasoline tax money are sufficient to pay both principal and interest on the bonds."

"Under the present plan it was possible to raise \$100,000,000, all of which has either been spent or contracted for. The proposed plan will double that amount and the comprehensive plan formulated by the state highway commission to build a network of highways over the state will soon become a reality."

"The present income from auto license fees is about \$1,500,000, and from gasoline taxes about \$400,000, and while this will gradually increase, it is unnecessary to make calculations based on possible increase. In addition, there will be no increase in license fees or gasoline tax."

"When the roads are finished the markets will be closer to the farmer and the merchants will be nearer their customers, the residents of cities and towns will be able to take advantage of rural amusements and the residents of the latter districts will have all the advantages of living in town."

"The question to be decided May 21 is whether the people wish to have their roads now without extra cost or prefer to wait indefinitely as funds are collected annually, paying more individually and consequently let an opportunity pass unnoticed."

"Two-thirds of the state highway system yet remains to be provided for. Every county is represented in the system, so every resident of Oregon should be interested in good roads at this time. "Not only will automobile owners be benefited, but others owning no cars, who use other vehicles, will derive the same benefit and they will not be taxed one penny."

Hearing Postponed On 10 Million Port Project to April 26

Change in the date for the second public hearing on the \$10,000,000 Swan Island harbor project was announced again by Mayor Baker Saturday from Tuesday afternoon, April 20, to Monday, April 26, at 10 a. m. in the council chambers of the city hall.

Mayor Baker's announcement followed a letter from Emory Olmstead, chairman of the industrial committee of 15, who asked that the hearing be delayed. The committee desires to discuss various phases of the project which were disputed at the first public hearing before the council, with the idea of reporting at the next hearing. Commissioner Pier, who will attend the Pacific coast conference of park commissioners and superintendents at Bellingham, Wash., from April 22-24, also asked that the hearing be delayed a few days in order that he might be present.

Land values included in the Swan Island, Mocks Bottom and Guild's lake acquisitions are expected to be discussed fully at the next hearing. City commissioners are agreed that owners should not receive more than the real value of the acreage involved, determined from the assessor's valuations.

May 1 Is Fixed Upon as Date for Patriotic Rally

Just because "reds" and radicals the world over in the past have chosen May 1 for demonstrations, Portland will come to bat Saturday, May 1, 1920, with a patriotic celebration.

Promoted by the Portland Service league following suggestion of Mayor George L. Baker, the celebration promises to assume regular Fourth of July atmosphere. Speeches and musical programs will be arranged, every residence and business house will be asked to fly the American flag, and a "I love my country" spirit will be fostered.

"Hang Out Your Flag and See That Your Neighbor Does Also" is the slogan already adopted. Wear an American flag in your buttonhole, it is suggested by the league.

Whether there will be a parade has not yet been definitely settled. At night, however, a rally and patriotic service will be held at The Auditorium.

County Jail Terms Are Given Offenders By Municipal Judge

Pedro Cabrero, Mexican, who entered the store of Charles Hon, 25 North Third street, Thursday afternoon and stole \$100 worth of silk shirts, must spend the next 30 days in the city jail, according to sentence pronounced Saturday by Municipal Judge Rossmann.

Cecil Bridges, 21, pleaded guilty to a charge of robbing two rooms at 928 Mississippi avenue and was sentenced to 100 days in jail. Eighty days of the sentence was suspended on condition of good behavior after being released. Carrie E. Blake and E. Abrams reported their rooms robbed of personal effects.

Grace Weinel and Alice Graff, booked on the police blotter on charges of larceny, were brought before the court. They were arrested in a department store by Inspectors Swennes and McCulloch.

Great Pageant Is to Be Staged in Boise

Boise, Idaho, April 17.—Business men of Boise and members of the Chamber of Commerce will sell \$200,000 worth of bonds in the "Boise Nights Pageant" to be held during fair week this fall. Five thousand Boise persons will be in the cast and more than 50 leading motion picture stars will be brought here to take leading parts. The entire pageant will last four nights and will be staged in a natural amphitheatre in the hills back of the city.

Sir Oliver Lodge Is Pleased With Scenic Columbia Highway

Oregon scenery, as revealed in a trip up the Columbia river highway, is one of the most entrancing scenic pictures that Sir Oliver and Lady Lodge have seen since they left England, they said Saturday as they left for Puget Sound after Lodge's Portland lecture.

Friday they were luncheon guests at Waverly club of Dr. and Mrs. A. A. Morrison of Trinity parish. Later the highway trip was made as far as Multnomah falls.

KIDDIES HAVE GREAT FROLIC SATURDAY AT MARY KOLLOCK PARTY

More Than 60 Children in
Fantastic Costumes Romp Through
Afternoon at University Club.

More than 60 little kiddies arrayed in gay and fantastic costumes representing all the characters out of the story books dear to childhood, frolicked through the afternoon hours of Saturday at the University club at the birthday party of little Mary Kollock, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John K. Kollock.

The tables for the birthday feast were set in the women's card room, a miniature birthday cake bearing a single lighted candle at each place. Bright colored spring blossoms mingled with trailing vines centered the tables and

pretty little favors, horns and toys, were placed for each child.
Little Mary Kollock was a dainty snow fairy from the land of Kris Kringle, with a white satin costume topped with a fur edged bonnet and worn with snowy gaiters.

There were bold pirates and pink tulle sprites and Red Riding Hoods and old fashioned damsels with hoop skirts, as well as Yama Yama girls and boys and old witches and cowboys with dangerous looking guns buckled to their small middles.

Following the birthday feast were games and music and all sorts of childish glee. But when the winners at "pinning the tail on the donkey," and the last small pilgrim on "the road to Jerusalem" received a real live bunny, just big enough to squirm and wriggle out of his new owner's small arms, the party became a playful riot.

Olmstead Runs Afoul Of Seattle's Police

Seattle, Wash., April 17.—(U. P.)—Emory Olmstead, president of the Northwestern National bank of Portland, ran afoul of the Seattle traffic rules today and was forced to go to the police station in compliance with a request written on a small ticket he found in the auto he had been driving. He had left his machine in front of the New Washington hotel, in violation of a traffic rule. When he pleaded ignorance of the rule, Police Captain Damm let him go without collecting the customary \$2.

Biscuit Company to Build New Factory

Plans for a two-story brick factory to be erected by the Pacific Coast Biscuit company in Twelfth, between Davis and Everett streets, at a cost of \$25,000, are at present being checked by Fred Eichenlaub, city plan examiner.

HIGHWAY CONTRACT SOUTH OF ASHLAND RETARDED BY RAINS

Mixing Plant Ready for Start
When Weather Clears; Rains
Aid Farmers.

Ashland, April 17.—Work on the paving of the stretch of Pacific highway from Ashland south to the Siskiyou has been delayed by continued rains of the past week. The mixing plant is in readiness and Superintendent C. A. Dunn of the Oskan Huber Construction company states that work will be rushed with a big crew as soon as possible.

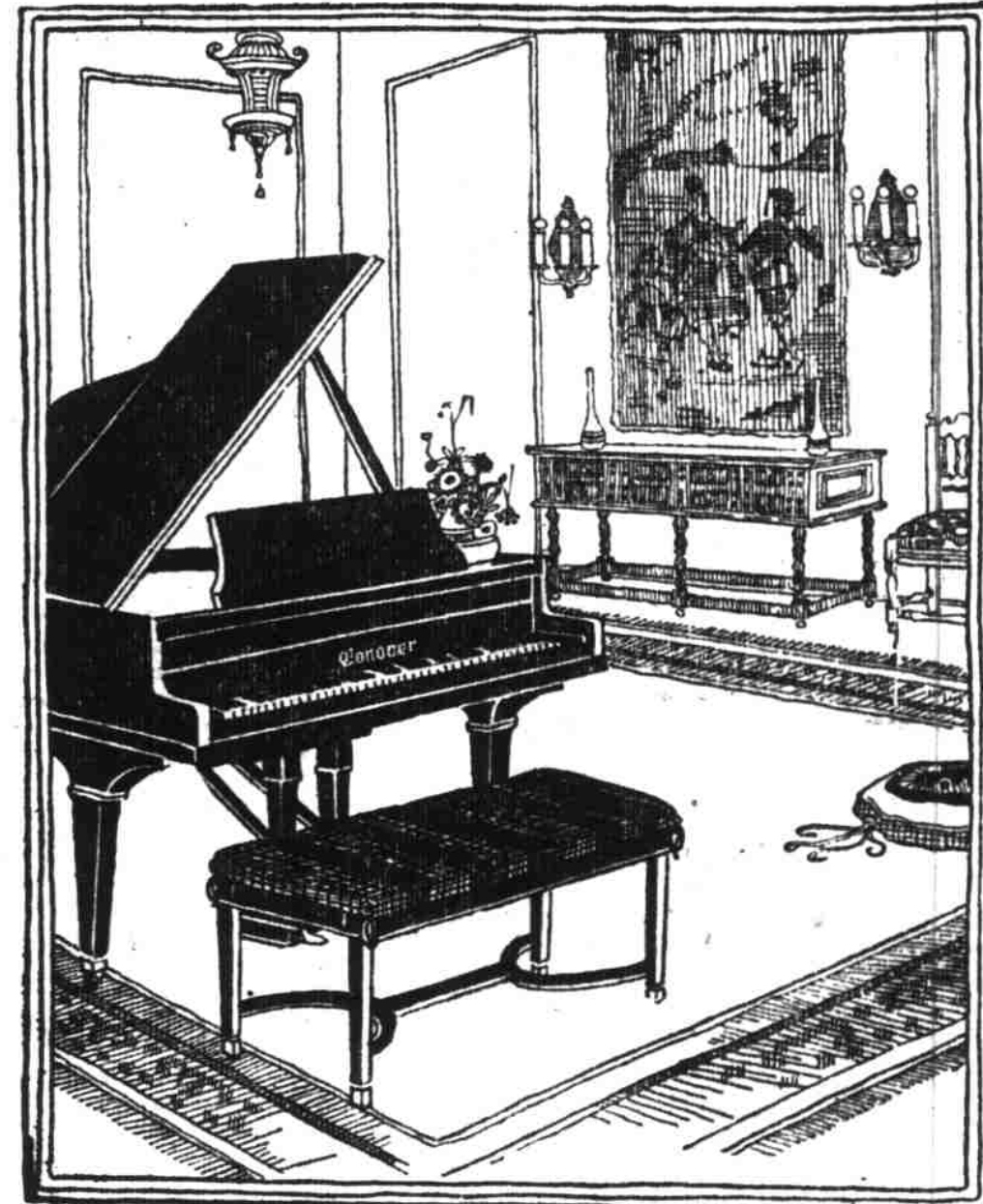
Parties coming over the highway report the road very muddy between the summit of the mountains and Ashland and the use of chains necessary. Farmers, however, are rejoicing at the continued rains. The whole valley has never been more favorably conditioned for the assurance of crops and ample pasturage at this season.

The interchurch "citizens' division" quota for Jackson county in the national campaign has been set by the county committee at \$5700.

The Rogue River Valley Ministerial association has framed a set of resolutions expressing appreciation of the years of service given by Dr. J. K. Ballie, who has resigned after a continued service of more than 43 years. For nine years Dr. Ballie has had charge of the church at Phoenix.

Funeral services were held in Central Point Wednesday for Mrs. F. B. Wade, a pioneer. A grand-daughter, Mrs. Walter Everton, lives in Ashland.

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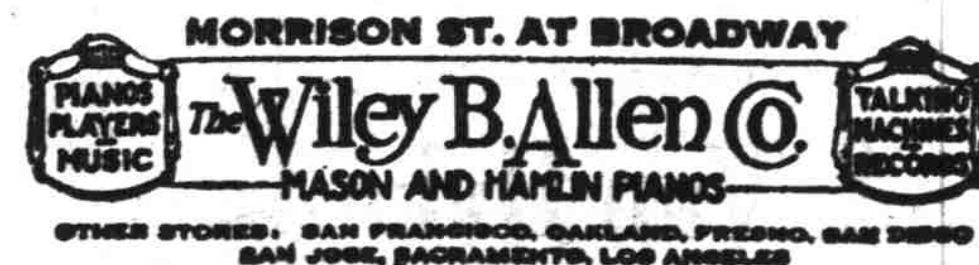
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