

### GIVING GREAT BRITAIN THE FIRST BIG LOAN



Great Britain was first to receive a part of the \$7,000,000,000 voted by congress for war. She got \$200,000,000 to start with. This picture shows the transaction. Left to right: Lord Cunliffe, governor of the Bank of England; Sir Cecil Spring-Rice, British ambassador; Secretary McAdoo, Sir Hardman Lever and Sir Richard Crawford.

#### STATE WHEAT CROP IS HIT BY FLOODS

Much of Winter Grain Area Will Be Reseeded to Spring Wheat to Make Good Loss.

(By United Press to the Bend Bulletin)

WALLA WALLA, May 24.—Varying reports of the condition of Inland Empire wheat fields have been received here. An unusually wet spring, floods, wind storms and a hard winter have done much damage in some districts, while other sections have come through the winter in good shape and look forward to a good harvest.

Pendleton, in the heart of a big wheat district, reports that recent clear weather has brightened crop prospects. Farmers report that they never before saw wheat grow so rapidly. There is danger they say, that the weather will turn too warm and cause the wheat roots to spread out rather than to go down, deep roots being necessary to enable the crop to withstand storms and hot winds.

From the wheat sections in Idaho, especially in Latah and Whitman counties, reports come of varying prospects. A heavy blanket of ice in some sections is said to have smothered out the young plants and the farmers are reseeded with peas and oats. Other parts of Idaho report that the wheat prospects are improving with more favorable weather.

In many districts along the river the recent high water has ruined a rich wheat field. Many thousands of acres of wheat land in Oregon, Washington and Idaho have been hit by the flood and are now being reseeded with spring wheat.

Alfalfa is another staple Eastern Oregon crop which has come through the winter with little success. Some sections report 50 per cent of their alfalfa killed, entire fields being brown and bare.

#### SENATOR LANE DEAD.

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Lane, an uncle, lives at Roseburg, Mrs. William Colvig, Portland, is the late senator's first cousin.

Senator Lane was last in Bend on October 20 of last year, when he spoke to a large audience in the Hippodrome in behalf of President Wilson's candidacy for re-election. J. A. Eastes was an old time friend of Mr. Lane's, on his last previous visit, in the fall of 1915, spending considerable time with him in a trip over the county while the senator made a study of local irrigation conditions.

#### PEACE REJECTION IS DISAPPOINTMENT

(By United Press to the Bend Bulletin)

AMSTERDAM, May 24.—"Russia's rejection of a separate peace is a most bitter disappointment," declares the German Socialist organ, Vorwarts, the first admission of failure of German peace offers.

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#### FIRE ESCAPES FOR SCHOOLS.

These Serve as a Play Scheme as Well as a Protection.

Some of the California schools are equipped with novel fire escapes, which are not only a safeguard, but afford the children as much amusement as a regular playground equipment. One of these fire escapes in Tropic, near Los Angeles, consists of several long sheet metal chutes, re-enforced with angle iron and secured to the walls of the building. They extend from an iron platform on the second floor, which leads from the main corridor. Separate chutes are provided for the boys and girls.

The teachers encourage the use of the slides as an amusement to accustom the children to them. Each slide ends in a slight upward curve to check the momentum of the descent. At the point where the children reach the ground a pile of loose sand breaks the fall.

In Venice, Cal., a spiral chute is employed, which is inclosed in a cylindrical metal casing. This is entered from a platform leading from the upper story. Like the straight slide, it is used as an amusement device by the pupils. A local hospital makes use of one of the same design.

#### Futility of "No Trespass" Signs.

In the American Magazine David Grayson comments as follows on a farmer who covered his land with "No Trespass" signs:

"I did not need to enter his fields, nor climb his hill, nor walk by his brook. But as the springs passed and the autumn whitened into winter I came into more and more complete possession of all those fields that he so jealously posted. I looked with strange joy upon his hill, saw April blossom in his orchard and May color the wild grape leaves along his walls. June I smelled in the sweet vernal of his hay fields, and from the October of his maples and beeches I gathered rich crops—and put up no hostile signs of ownership, paid no taxes, worried over no mortgage and often marveled that he should be so poor within his posted domain and I so rich without."

#### Combs and the Hair.

The best comb for the hair is the hard rubber comb with smooth, rounded edges that will not cut the hair. A fine comb has many disadvantages; therefore the all coarse comb is to be preferred. A metal tooth comb tends to pull out good hair and is liable to wound and scratch the scalp. Never use a comb the teeth of which are broken. One should never try to save money at the expense of a good comb. The comb should be washed frequently in water in which ammonia has been added. Scrub out the teeth with a nailbrush and soap. A sun bath is also good for the comb.

#### Perfectly Natural.

Robust Old Gentleman (to sick woman just arrived at health resort)—When I first came here I hadn't strength to utter a word; I had scarcely a hair on my head; I couldn't walk across the room, and I had to be lifted from my bed.

Sick Woman—You give me great hope. How were you cured?

Robust Old Gentleman—I was born here.—Pittsburgh Chronicle-Telegraph.

#### GREAT VALUE OF TIN.

It is Indispensable, and There is No Substitute For It.

Nickel and tin are the only important metals that have not been found in paying quantities among our mineral resources, although the fact that we are the largest consumers of tin plate in the world has stimulated the search. Tin ore in small quantities has been found in several places in the United States, but most of what we use comes from Cornwall, in England; Banca, in the East Indies, and Malacca, in southern Asia.

Tin is a metal that has played an important part in the history of the world. Combined with copper to make bronze, it was doubtless the first metal that man converted to his use. Weapons, tools and utensils made of bronze were used during a long period before iron and steel came into use. The United States now uses in the manufacture of tin cans as much tin plate as all other countries together use for all purposes.

There is no substitute for tin. Price has little effect on consumption, which is not true of other metals. If tin cost 15 cents a pound we should perhaps put a thicker coating on our plates and make better solder and babbitt metal, but if it were a dollar a pound we should still have to use it for nearly every one of the purposes for which it is now employed.

The lack of tin is one of the few things that keep the United States from being self sufficient. If we were suddenly deprived of our supply of tin and solder we should soon have serious sanitary troubles.—Youth's Companion.

#### EXPERTS IN THE WATER.

The Japanese Are Masters of Many Tricks of Swimming.

The Japanese are extremely fond of swimming, and among the younger generation of students and the coast population there are some splendid long distance swimmers. Schools of natation teach the art in a systematic manner, and, although the best racing records of Japan are not equal to the western, a Japanese expert can perform some truly wonderful feats. For example, he can jump into deep water and maintain his position with the water no higher than the knees, while he fires a gun, writes on a slate, paints a picture on a fan with a brush or moves freely in every direction as if he were walking on solid ground.

The expert, while he rarely emulates the graceful high dive of the American or the European, can leap from a great height and strike the surface of the water with his chest without sinking or wetting his face and head. In some mysterious way he contrives to escape the painful consequences which the impact would inevitably cause to the foreigner who should try this feat. It is said that the old time samurai frequently made use of this trick when crossing a river or stream. In such cases they carried their armor and weapons on their heads. The famous "crawl" stroke, which occasional swimmers first acquired not very long ago, has been known and practiced in Japan for hundreds of years.—Los Angeles Times.

#### Friiled Lizards.

Some lizards are able to walk on their hind legs, of which the most remarkable example is the friiled lizard of Australia, a powerful form, which attains a length of about three feet. Should danger threaten it scuttles off on its hind limbs with considerable speed for as far as thirty or forty feet in a half crouching attitude, with the fore limbs hanging down and the remarkable frill folded up.

#### Bad Memory.

Flatbush—You know he's awfully forgetful.

Bensonhurst—Really?

"Oh, yes. Why, the day after he was married he tied a piece of cord around his finger so he would not forget it.—Yonkers Statesman.

#### Ambition.

"Pa, what is ambition?" "Ambition, my boy, is that spirit which prompts a young man to work hard so that he can some day stop working hard."—Detroit Free Press.

#### Unselfish.

"He is always thinking of others, isn't he?" "Yes; planning how he can get them to do something for him."—Life.

# Hippodrome

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#### DANCES ARE BARRED TILL WAR IS ENDED

Popular Disapproval in British Isles Makes Rigid Ruling—Even Private Parties are Taboo.

(By United Press to the Bend Bulletin)

LONDON, May 24.—Banished from the British Isles by the frown of popular disapproval, the Goddess Terpsichore was observed sadly winging her way westward, early today. The British Lion has put his paw down on dancing and the light fantastic will be tripped no more in these parts until the last Hun hesitation has turned into a headlong flight.

Ciro's is out of bounds. The Savoy ballroom chandeliers are gathering cobwebs. The Waldorf tearooms are now sometimes used for tea. Private dances are, if possible, more taboo than public affairs.

The recent wrath aroused by Lord and Lady Curzon, who entertained a dozen guests at an informal dance in their home, has put the fear of the malcontents who write letters to the editors in the hearts of any who would dance in the future. London was alive with posters the day after Lord Curzon's affair, screaming to the public in foot-high letters that "Cprzon dances while England burns." "Twentieth Century Nero," etc.

There is just one institution in London that dares to brave the storm of wrath which those who aren't able to dance shower on those who can and do. The American Women's Club held a series of three tea dances for the American girls and young men in London, in April.

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