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PATRIOTISM GONE ASTRAY.

One of the most regrettable things at this time is a lack of patriotism. Fully as regrettable a thing is wrongfully aceusing patriotic citizens of a lack of patriotism and even going so far as to accuse them of actual disloyalty.

Several times within the past month The Sentinel has heard the remark made that a certain citizen of Cottage Grove was a German spy and was holding secret sessions of German-born citizens at his house.

The folks telling such yarns can't really believe them or they would report them to the authorities, and if they haven't confidence enough in what they are telling to so report, they are doing someone a grievous injury.

It happens that in this case The Sentinel has heard the person referred to denounce the militarist class of Germany and unequivocally declare himself on the side of America, which he has demonstrated in a more substantial manner, in proportion to his means, than many born in America who have been vociferating their patriotism. Red Cross and Y. M. C. A. subscriptions and investment in liberty bonds have been voluntary and liberal.

No doubt the citizen referred to has held social gatherings of his friends, but The Sentinel is willing to wager that the war was the subject of least consideration.

That these social gatherings were held was the only foundation for the rumor and upon just such rumors as these, acts of violence have been committed in other sections of the United States. No such rumor should be passed from mouth to mouth. If there is foundation for the rumor it should be reported to the authorities. If there is not foundation, these passing it from mouth to mouth are doing an injury to patriotic

Another instance almost equally as regrettable is that of those who ask why a certain army officer has returned to Cottage Grove and why he is not at the front with other Cottage Grove boys. If those who ask these things understood army regulations they would not need to ask such questions. When a man once enters the army his disposition is with the war department and it is not within his own power to be released. Neither is it within his own power to remain in the army if his efforts to pass the physical examination are unsuccessful. This particular man has given years of his life to perfecting himself for just such an emergency as this. It is a great disappointment to him not to be able to serve, and those who have given no time whatever certainly have little reason to cast aspersions upon one who has never shirked a duty and has done his best to serve in his country's army at this time.

This is a dangerous time for idle

ALL AFRAID OF THE LEAGUE.

Probably none of the candidates would refuse any votes which Townley's Non-Partisan league may control in Oregon, but none has been found who is willing to stand right up and say he believes in the principles of the league.

Even Senator R. M. Pierce, who was thought to be the Townley candidate for governer, denies ever having been associated with the league in any form, and denies having the Townley league's support or endorsement.

Oswald West, who has come to be looked upon as the brains of the Townley macheine for Oregon, says he does not even know what the league is, or what it stands for, while Ben Olcott displays a righteous wrath when asked if he has been playing peek-a-boo or hide-and-go-seek with the Townley

It is noticeable that, while no can- lection of goods they do not now have. didate has been willing to say that he How these things work out was illuswants the support of the league, none trated last week when the Bender bakhas actually come out strongly against ery quit business. the propaganda of the league, which would indicate that while they do not wish to hurt themselves by lining up voters who may lean towards Townleyism.

WHERE DO YOU BUY?

We have seen folks smile when it has houses, no streets and no schools.

out of Cottage Grove would support two money ahead by paying a little more great department stores that would for home-made bread, that would pay city, school and road houses to the same condition as the taxes, and give the buying public a se- | bakery.

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Patriotic Women Will Make Wonderful Frocks from These Pretty New Cottons



Never was there such a wide choice of novelties to choose from in cotton fabries as there is this season, and never before have we showed such large stocks." The grim God of War co-operated with Dame Fashion this season, and put his stamp of approval on all cotton fabries, so that Uncle Sam could requisition all woolens and worsteds for his "Boys Over There." The results have been surprising. Many new weaves have appeared.

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Many Pretty Voiles Are Here

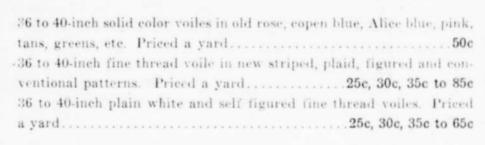
No woman will make a mistake in choosing voiles for spring and summer clothes. And our showing is the largest we have ever made, for their variety is so great that every possible use can be made of them. Note especially the following popular-priced offerings:

Embroidery & Lace Sale

One Week Only-The embroideries and laces for this sale are all new patterns and shown in all widths from the narrowest edging to the widest flouncing. You will do well to invest for your needs here at once-later may be too late. Priced 3c, 4c, 6c, 7c, 9c to 39c

Choose Now the New Poplins

A wide range of colors is shown in these good cotton mercerized weaves. All in plain colors, which make them so adaptable for every kind of dress and as trimmings in contrast with other fabrics. For instance, the following contrast in colors.





36-inch white Linaire poplin—a beautiful inen finished poplin highly 36-inch Beach cloth in plain white, coin dot and stripe patterns. This eloth is very suitable for sport skirts, suits and middies. 27 to 36-inch Linaire, lawn, Linweave, mull, dimity, etc., in figured, stripe and

A Generous Showing of New Ginghams and Percales

Those who want gingham dresses this season should select them now, while our stocks are complete, for market conditions predict a shortage which will automatically raise these prices later on. The following come in a wide color range and in many plaid, checked, striped and plain patterns.

27-inch Red Seal Zephyr ginghamsfast color and pre-shrunk- shown in new and pretty plaids and checks, also stripes and plain shades to match. These ginghams cannot now be replaced and are now sold at less than present cost. After this next week the price will be higher. Special price a yard for

36-inch finest thread percales, shown in one and two color combinations, new patterns, figured, stripes and checks, both light and dark shades. All thrifty women who have posted themselves on market conditions will buy a good supply of these percales at these prices.

Large Assortments in Waistings and Suitings

Many original patterns and color combinations

have added a wealth of distinction to the displays.

What wonderful frocks they will make for spring

and summer wear. To see them makes hands im-

patient to start draping the handsome weaves into

erstwhile dresses. Beautiful plaids are here, smart

cheeks, dressy floral designs, becoming stripes

and favorite plain patterns make up the bulk of

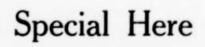
these new rich assortments, in well-finished, stur-

The patriotic impulses of women will quicken per ceptibly when they see these splendid cotton fabries for they are made of selected cotton yarns and so many have the appearance of woolen goods. When you see them and feel them you will be surprised at their reasonable prices.

36 inch striped cotton tub suiting for wash skirts, middles, sport suits, etc. Priced a yard......25c, 35c, 45c up 36-inch fine Bedford cord in solid colors-very suitable for wash skirts, suits and trimming - colors in green, copen, blue, light blue and old rose.

36 inch solid white cotton suiting cloth, Bedford cord, linene, gaberdine, etc. Priced a yard..... 35c, 45c, 50c to 75c

27 inch Egyptian tissue in beautiful new plaids-delicate tone shades-guaranteed to wash.



A big lot of pearl trimming buttons worth 15c card. Special one week 9c



Special Here

Sale of Featherstone Braid-3 yd. bolt 4c 6 yd. bolt 8c





upon Cottage Grove bread the bakery big enough so that there will be little and cuts out your appendix doesn't stab sertations upon the dangers of osculawould have staid here. As it is, we are need of going away from home to you in the back. with the league they do not wish to suffering the inconvenience of being trade. enstrange, by too firm a position, any without a bakery and how much of an inconvenience that is we did not know

until we had to try it. people had insisted upon Cottage Grove | goo-goo eyes at the league. been suggested to them that trading bread, even if necessary to pay a cent a out-of-town meant that if all did the loaf more than for Portland bread, there same it would be but a few years be- would still be a bakery here-and fore the city would have no business wouldn't it be worth that extra cent to have a bakery here? The profits, if These same people would smile with there happened to be any, would be incredulity if told that the business sent spent here, and we really would be

bring several more families to the com- Continual and increased buying away munity and would bring larger stocks from home will bring all other business

get together, heal any little differences | the recipients. they may have and both start pulling Had Cottage Grove people insisted for a bigger and better city, making it | Anyway the man who chloroforms you | After listening to all the learned dis-

it is funny that the Corvallis Courier, over mother's knee. The Sentinel does not know all the a red-hot Townley Non-Partisan league details of why Mr. Bender quit business, advocate, happens to be supporting the



There's one nice thing about your enemies-they never borrow money

There should be some happy basis coffins of the dead. Throw verbal bou- and sold the washing machines in a upon which purchaser and seller could quets while they may bring happiness to number of places where he disposed of

The man with a swelled head fails to but it does know that if Cottage Grove very candidates charged with making apprect to the advice that "there's lots women vote if in return the female sex fighting. Potatoes are cheap. We must of room at the top."

> The mosquito that punctures the epidermis of the grouch with his proboscis and makes a meal of his corpuscles must want to commit suicide.

It is not the principles that you believe in that makes you what you are. It is the promises that you fulfill.

Don't wait to throw flowers on the organs. He should have started sooner refreshments.

the musical instruments.

tion, prepared by prominent scientists, the kisses of the fair.

feminine headgear,

own children get a trouncing.

WE MUST EAT TUBERS; SEND WHEAT TO ALLIES

Consumption Has Been Less Than Whei Prices Were High.

Oregon has 500 carloads of surplu one comes to the conclusion that only a potatoes, say \$250,000 worth at retail The happiest memories of later life bold man will hereafter dare to kiss a which will spoil by summer if not eater Of course it is only a coincidence, but are of the happy moments spent at and girl. But, then, only the brave deserve Our soldiers and the allies on the blood drenched fields of France must hav 75,000,000 to 90,000,000 bushels Most men would be willing to let the wheat between now and harvest or qu would let the men dictate the style for eat them and send the wheat to the front. We are actually not eating many potatoes this year as last, whe Many a father, when a boy, got away potatoes were sky-high. Isn't that ju with a piece of deviltry for which his like human nature? To use this Orege surplus every person in Oregon ov ten years of age should eat about ha A Kansas paper says that "because a bushel of potatoes more in the next of the drastic prohibitory law passed by three months than he usually eats. the last legislature, the Kansas editors There are 270 meals in three months. will have to quench their thirst with and this means we should add an aver-An Oregon manufacturer will hereaf that 'due' from delinquent subscrib age of nearly two ounces of potatoes to ter makes washing machines as well as ers." There will be no lack of liquid every one of our meals every day until

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was in Eugene St Lieutenants V

toria, is seeking the tion for governor chine, no clique back of him, but form containing s ing patriotism, la Oregon resources, distinctly excludit boons.

He is striving f an Oregon for all slogan is "Do you Vote for Harley fo are in favor of lib as abroad and beli for all, become a I writing to the E League, Portland I tenants are neede-



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