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## OREGON MAKES GOOD

THE announcement that Oregon's quota of enlistments in the regular army and that it had furnished its full share of men under the conscription act, was followed quickly by the statement that Oregon had also subscribed her full share of the Liberty bonds, even more. Oregon was the first state to answer the call of the nation, in spite of the fact that the state was supposed to have been hit the hardest by financial depression.

However, the fact that the Liberty loan has been oversubscribed does not mean that those who have failed to avail themselves of this patriotic duty have been absolved from further obligation. Every man should go the full extent of his means, and there is little doubt now but that there will be no financial slackers. This is the kind of service that will win the war, and we will have the satisfaction in knowing that we have not only done our duty, but extended the helping hand to the oppressed and suffering people of Europe.

Few people realized the resources of Oregon when the call was first made for help and still fewer comprehended the extent of the patriotism that exists in the hearts of the people. Those who predicted failure and discontent were happily mistaken. Oregon has made good, and Oregon will continue to do her duty.

## ANOTHER REPUBLIC IN SIGHT

AUTOCRACY is fast fading from the map of Europe, and with the abdication of Constantine I. as king of Greece, the first step in the creation of another republic has been taken. The Greeks, like the Russians may not yet be ready to govern themselves, but the chances are that the young ruler, second son of the ex-monarch, will be removed as was the young son of the Russian emperor.

Although the allied governments selected Prince Alexander to succeed to the throne rather than the crown prince, it was not because of his strength that they hoped to gain control of the kingdom, but because of his weakness. His sentiments are against the central powers, in spite of the fact that his mother is a sister of the kaiser. It was she who kept Constantine from joining the allies two years ago, and but for her the situation in the Balkans might have been different. The common people have never been in sympathy with the policy of the reigning monarch, and when Premier Venizelos was forced from the cabinet they expressed their indignation in riots and uprisings.

With a young man at the head of the government and this young man subservient to the wish of other powers, it is hardly probable that the present status will continue any great length of time. There may be stormy times ahead for the Hellenic kingdom, but she will emerge from the fire purged of autocracy to enjoy the freedom that has been promised as a result of the great world war. Another republic is in sight but peace will not reign over Europe until still others join the ranks and all the peoples of the earth are free.

## NOW FOR THE RED CROSS

BEGINNING next Monday every man, woman and child in Lane county will be asked to contribute to the Red Cross fund. The big drive means that a certain amount of money being necessary to carry out the program in relieving suffering among our own soldiers on the battlefields and the dependent left at home, will be forthcoming and without a murmur among the people.

Do you know what the aims of the Red Cross are? Do you know what the Red Cross does? It cares for the sick and wounded of our army and navy in time of war; it cares for the wives, families, and dependents of the soldiers and sailors who are called to the front; it gives relief to sufferers from earthquake, fire, famine, disease, and other disasters; it collects and distributes money and supplies for relief purposes; it is chartered by Congress; its accounts are audited by the war department; it is authorized by the government.

It must be supported by you! Having done our duty in supplying men and money, we will now proceed to provide comfort and relief for the suffering in subscribing liberally to the fund that must be raised within the next week.

A young married man has asked the government to exempt him

from military duty because he does not want to go to war, but his young wife has given officials the quiet tip that it would be just as well for the war department to take hold of her slacker husband and make a soldier and a man of him. This young woman is worthy of a place in the hall of fame.

The allies in attacking Ostend and Zeebrugge are only preparing the way for Uncle Sam's boys to complete the job of running the enemy out of his den.

General Pershing's march across the English channel must have been an inspiring spectacle.

## A Story of Married Life REVELATIONS OF A WIFE

By Adele Garrison

How Mrs. Graham Won Her Way With Dicky by Madge's Help.

I have never seen Dicky so taken aback as he was when I announced my intention of going to Mrs. Underwood with the object of finding out the secret of her past friendship with him.

If my mood had been less serious I should have laughed at the ludicrous picture he presented as he stared at me open-mouthed, mingled astonishment and rage on his face.

"You—you," he stammered at last. "You don't dare do that!"

"I dare do anything," I retorted although in my heart I knew that his words were true, and that never could I so humiliate myself or Dicky as to ask Mrs. Underwood for a solution of the mystery.

"Have you gone clear out of your mind?" Dicky demanded excitedly, but my reply I might have made was forestalled by the tinkle of the tiny bell in my mother-in-law's room, a bell which I had provided that she might summon some one to her bedside when she was done in the room.

We both started hurriedly for her room. On the threshold of the kitchen I paused.

"Remember, when your mother speaks to you about this, do not excite her. Agree to everything she says."

"Good Lord!" I heard Dicky ejaculate as I hurried on to the door of his mother's room. "Is mother kicking up a row about this, too?"

I was afraid she might have heard his speech, but evidently she had not, for she smiled at me as I bent over the bed.

"Did you have a good nap?" I asked. "Splendid!" she returned. "I have not felt so refreshed since my illness began."

"I am so glad. What can I do for you?"

What Dicky Promised.  
 I had learned to use this phrase with my mother-in-law. She disliked intensely having any suggestion made to her. But fortunately she always knew exactly what she wanted, and was not at all backward in asking for aid, so I was able to gratify her wants without the usual mental bewilderment which accompanies waiting upon an invalid.

"Shake up my pillows, get me a glass of water, and send Richard to me, if you please."

I performed the trifling services for which she had asked, and then hesitated.

"Don't you think you ought to wait until you are stronger before you talk to Richard about anything exciting?"

"Who said I was going to talk about anything exciting?" she retorted, eyeing me shrewdly. Then with a return to the manner I had so disliked when she first came to us, she said sharply:

"Please don't meddle with what does not concern you. Send Richard to me at once."

I felt my face flaming at her rudeness but I walked into the living room without irritating her with any reply.

"Your mother wishes to speak to you," I said quietly to Dicky, then walked past him to the kitchen. I did not wish to be within earshot of the conversation.

As I entered the kitchen, I heard the door of my mother-in-law's room close, and realized that she, too was taking no chances upon my overhearing anything not meant for my ears.

It seemed a long time although it was really but a few minutes before the door opened again abruptly, and I heard Dicky's voice.

"All right, mother, all right. Don't worry." His tone was the same one would use toward a child teasing for something difficult to grant. Then his mother's voice startled me.

"Richard, those words do not mean anything. Promise me that that woman never enters this house. It is an insult to Margaret for you to throw her into intimate companionship with Mrs. Underwood."

"Mother, you simply cannot understand," Dicky began hotly, then evidently remembering my warning about the danger of exciting his mother, he altered his tone.

"I'll promise whatever you wish, mother. Now go to sleep again."

"Thank you, Richard." Her voice was so faint that I could hardly hear it, and I did not need Dicky's cry of "Madge!" to send my feet flying to my mother-in-law's side.

It was as I had feared, the unwonted exertion had affected her heart. It was a very slight attack, however, and I was able to revive her without calling Miss Sonnet.

A Startling Voice.  
 Dicky, white-faced, frightened, looked on as I rubbed his mother's hands and gave her the drops she always used for her heart attacks. I had a little malicious satisfaction in his fright, for I knew he had disregarded my admonition and had attempted to argue with his mother the question of his friendship for Mrs. Underwood.

As the color came back into my mother-in-law's cheek I laid her back against her pillow and spoke softly to Dicky. "She will be all right now. I will sit by her until Miss Sonnet awakens. Go and lie down again, or read, or do anything you like."

Dicky went out obediently, and I drew a low chair to the side of the bed and sat down. As I did, my mother-in-law's hand stole out from the coverlet and moved toward mine. I promptly clasped the thin fingers in my own, and held them. I knew what prompted the gesture on her part. She was so weak that she craved the feeling of a strong hand on hers.

It must have been two hours at least that I sat watching the sick woman. She left her hand in mine a long time then with a drowsy smile she drew it away, turned over with her face to the wall, and fell into a restful sleep. I listened to her soft regular breathing until the sunlight faded and the room darkened.

I must have dozed in my chair, for I did not hear Katie come in or go to the kitchen. The first thing that aroused me was a voice that I knew, the high-pitched tones of Lillian Gale Underwood.

## Springfield News

Leaves for Portland.

Francis Joseph Le Clare, of Elcentro, Cal., who has been visiting for the past week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Eggmann, left yesterday for Portland, where he will join the engineers corps. He went by way of the motorcycle route.

Leaves for Spokane.

The Reverend H. C. Ethell left Monday for Spokane, Wash., to be present at the district assembly of the district Pentecostal church of the Nazarenes, where he will be gone for a week.

Goes to Portland.

Herbert Moore, son of J. E. Moore, left Tuesday morning for Portland where he will enjoy the rose festival and visit with friends.

To Attend Rose Carnival.

Miss Frieda Fandrom left Tuesday morning for Portland where she will attend the rose carnival and visit friends for a few days.

Instructor Goes to Clatskanie.

Professor P. M. Stroud who has been principal of the high school for the past four years, has accepted a position as superintendent of schools at Clatskanie, Or. Mr. Stroud will not take his family there until some time in August, on account of his summer work at the University of Oregon.

Six Boys to Go.

When the Red Cross ambulance corps number 14 under the leadership of Captain J. E. Kuykendall leaves Eugene, for Allentown to train for service in France,

six Springfield boys will be present. Those who have been accepted are Albert Carpenter, Elmer Furuset, Hugh Lansberry, Glen LeVede, Guy and Roland Moshier.

Cuts foot With An Axe.

Wayne McBee is suffering from a severe cut on his foot, received while chopping wood. Part of the bone in the foot and one toe were removed. He is doing nicely with standing the severe pain.

SPRINGFIELD PERSONALS

Bob Blaine of Jasper spent Tuesday in town.

Mrs. D. E. Ferguson, of Creswell, spent Tuesday in town.

Ed Savage of Drain, spent the weekend in town.

Ray Vincent, who has been employed at the Booth-Kelly Lumber company, for some time, has resigned his position and gone to work on a ranch.

Edess Erickson of Wendling is spending a week or two with her sisters and brothers at the Fandrom home.

Miss Effie Rhoades, teacher in English at the Springfield high school, left for her home in Portland Monday.

J. J. Bryan and family and I. D. Larimer and family spent Sunday up the McKenzie river, and returned with a fine catch of Rainbow trout which were on exhibition at the Larimer grocery window.

Mrs. Arthur Valier who underwent an operation some time ago at the local hospital, is reported as doing nicely.

Miss Winifred of Landax, is visiting at the home of her uncle, Mr. Daniels in West Springfield.

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## Big June Clearance Sale

### Sale Men's Clothing

One Line on Sale at One Third Off  
 \$18.00 Suits ..... \$12.00  
 \$20.00 Suits ..... \$13.33  
 \$22.50 Suits ..... \$15.00  
 \$25.00 Suits ..... \$16.67  
 \$27.50 Suits ..... \$18.33  
 \$30.00 Suits ..... \$20.00  
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### Silks and Dress Goods Reduced 10 to 20 Per Cent

\$1.75 Broadcloth ..... \$1.40  
 \$1.25 Wool Taffeta ..... \$1.00  
 \$2.20 Novelty Checks ..... \$1.76  
 \$1.00 Half-inch Checks ..... 80c  
 70c Novelty Plaids ..... 56c  
 65c Novelty Weaves ..... 52c  
 \$2.25 Silk Taffeta ..... \$2.00  
 36-inch Messaline ..... \$1.04

\$1.45 Sport Silk  
 36-inch Silk with tan or white grounds with stripes and oriental designs of green, rose, purple and blue. \$1.29

### Clean Up Bargains

30c crepe ..... 19c  
 75c Bungalow Aprons 59c  
 Boys' hats ..... 25c, 50c  
 \$1.50, \$1.75 Ratine ..... 50c  
 30c bath towels ..... 22 1/2c  
 75c Bed Sheets ..... 69c  
 Women's Iron Clad hose reduced ..... 10%  
 \$1.50 to \$3.50 Corsets ..... \$1.25  
 Broken lines  
 Silk or wool dress skirts less 20%  
 One lot \$1.28 to \$2.00 child's dresses ..... \$1

### Muslin Underw'r Entire line reduced 10%

Crisp new Peerless Muslin Underwear just received this season, included in this offer. A complete assortment of corset covers, drawers, gowns, combinations, petticoats, Chinese bloomers, etc.

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 \$25 Dresses ..... \$20  
 \$30 Dresses ..... \$24  
 \$35 Dresses ..... \$28  
 \$40 Dresses ..... \$32

## LANE COUNTY NEWS

### GREENLEAF

Greenleaf, Or., June 13.—Carl Oglesby and a crew of men are building a fire service telephone line from the Sinslaw, down Nelson creek and up Lake creek. This is expected to be finished by the last of this month.

Mrs. Marion P. Wheeler and daughter, Mabel, have returned from a trip to Eugene.

Joe Graham is in Eugene. Charles Sprague and family have returned from Eugene where they have been attending camp meeting.

Frank Parker and family have returned from Junction for the summer. A. W. Steinhauer has gone to New York.

Our old friend, Skinnie Bailey, former mail carrier, surprised us last night. He is taking up a homestead in eastern Oregon, and thinks Lake Creek and Deadwood would be a good place to buy cattle to stock up.

L. F. Peck has been giving the roads their spring cleaning.

Marion Wheeler is sawing lumber to re-cover the bridge at Greenleaf.

Registration day caused no unusual excitement here, and everybody eligible registered.

E. L. Berkshire went to Eugene with the election returns and brought back a niece for an extended visit.

Charles Acheson, Alpha, William Summers, Five Rivers, and Marion Wheeler, Greenleaf, wear the registrars from this part of the country that took the registration returns to Eugene.

### STAR

Star, Or., June 13.—Those from here who attended the commencement exercises at Dorena Saturday were Mrs. John Wicks, Donald Owen, Mabel, Alvis, Aubrey, Miles and Francis Wicks and Lincoln Cole.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Spahr visited Sunday at J. Boettcher's.

Dale Owen had the misfortune of running a nail into his foot Saturday evening.

Jay Cole came home from Creswell Saturday.

Mabel Wicks visited Sunday in Dorena.

Gretta Spahr spent Sunday night with Lois Boettcher.

Ed Cole and Lindon Owen returned to Rujada Sunday.

Alvis Wicks attended Endeavor at Dorena Sunday evening.

Hazel Cole visited Monday with Mrs. Philo Hawley.

## VENETA

(By Staff Correspondence)  
 Veneta, Or., June 13.—Mr. Brechtel and J. D. Campbell who went on a fishing-outing a few days last week, returned home Saturday.

B. J. Owen who went to Eugene Monday is still there looking after business. A. J. Job is going to Wildcat to help Ernest Owen haul out posts Tuesday afternoon. He expects to be gone all week.

Harry Mix stayed with Newell Job Friday and Saturday nights. The two boys went to Eugene Saturday to meet some of the senior students of the class that graduates the 10th of June. All are expecting to have their pictures taken. There are eleven in the class. Newell and Harry and Virle had their pictures taken Saturday.

The showers of rain we have had out here in our neighborhood have made grain and gardens grow fast.

Mrs. J. T. Inman and family returned home Monday. She and her two daughters, Mary and Marcia and Russell visited Mr. and Mrs. Yoder at Hubbard a week.

Mrs. A. J. Job went to Elmira Sunday. She called on Mrs. Freeman and her new baby boy. She is getting along nicely and will be up and around in a few days. She called on Mrs. R. Swenson and Mrs. Colgaard and Mrs. Dunham.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. D. Jeans a baby girl, June 8. Mrs. Jeans is with her mother, Mrs. Curtis. She has been visiting her mother three weeks and expects to stay a few weeks more with her mother. Mr. and Mrs. Marion Horn visited at A. J. Job's Monday.

Mrs. Job made a business trip to Veneta and Elmira Tuesday morning.

Joe Fleck has worked on the road between Veneta and Crow several days, grading it and filling up the holes.

### WALKER

(By Staff Correspondence)  
 Walker, Or., June 13.—J. B. Pourie died at the home of F. C. England at Walker at 10:30 p. m. Monday. Burial arrangements announced later.

### CUSHMAN

(By Staff Correspondence)  
 Cushman, Or., June 13.—Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Landis and children came up from Myrtle Point Sunday to spend the day with Mr. and Mrs. Fisk. Mr. Landis was formerly depot agent here.

Miss Dana Cushman closed a successful term of school here Friday.

Miss Pearl Carle is spending this week with her sister, Mrs. Eva Morton on

## Maple Creek.

Miss Josephine Southworth who has been attending high school in Eugene came home for her vacation Saturday.

Mrs. John Staehle went to Eugene Thursday, returning Saturday.

Mrs. Earl Hill and son, Irvin, went to Eugene Saturday, where they will visit with Doctor Bartle and family.

L. L. Addington left Sunday for Walton where he will work this summer.

Mrs. Alta Wilson left Wednesday for Eugene and Portland.

Laban Judd of Earl visited over Sunday with friends in Acme.

The new bridge being built through Acme is slowly nearing completion.

Among those who attended the Sunday school convention at Mapleton were Mrs. and Mrs. Hendricks and daughter, Anna, and Mr. and Mrs. Warner Waite and children.

Rev. Woods of Corvallis held services here Sunday evening.

Miss Sigma Olson of Marshfield, visited Sunday with her sister, Mrs. Roy Saubert.

Mrs. Daisy Seymour has been taking

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