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## ZERO HOUR LOAN DRIVE BY OREGON

Through Voluntary Subscriptions Oregon is Expected to go Over the Top.

### SEPTEMBER 28 IS THE DAY

Billions for Defense, not a Cent for Indemnities—Knock the Helm Out of Wilhelm

The all-important "zero hour" of the battles in France is to have its counterpart in the campaign of the Fourth Liberty Loan in Oregon.

Battles in France are timed from an hour, or minutes of an hour. This time is known as the "zero hour" and is a secret closely guarded by the division heads. All movements of troops and all action is based on time calculations made from the "zero hour."



A certain infantry receives instructions to take a certain objective at so many minutes past the zero hour. In that way a whole campaign can be worked out in detail, with all commanders fully aware of their relation to other movements, waiting only the secret which is the key to the whole movement.

Oregon's "zero hour" for the next Liberty Loan is nine o'clock, September 28. This is to be the watchword of the whole drive

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## R. C. Deming Shows His Patriotism

Another of Estacada's prominent young men, has heard the call to the colors and answered it. R. C. Deming has enlisted in the United States Tank Service and has received orders to report by next Saturday at Fort Lawton, Seattle.

He is busily in the meantime, arranging his business affairs. The packing company of which he is manager, will suspend operations for this season, but provision will be made to conduct it next year.

After being at Fort Lawton for two weeks, Mr. Deming will be transferred to Camp Colt, Pennsylvania, where he will be in training for a period of ninety days before leaving for France. We predict that when at the steering wheel of a tank, he makes a bee line for the Boches, they will not stand on the order of their going, but go at once.

Mrs. Deming will accompany him to Fort Lawton and the east. At first she will stay in New York City, with Mr. Deming's parents, until she can join her husband at Camp Colt. She will remain with him until he goes overseas, when she will return home.

## Returned From the Mountains

Mrs. W. A. Wash and daughter Eva of Estacada, after a summer spent in the forestry service, being stationed at the Mt. Lowe Station, returned to Estacada Tuesday evening. A royal welcome was given the feminine rangers, with the pack-train adorned with cow bells, which set up a merry jingle. Mrs. Wash and her daughter are leaving shortly for New York, where Miss Eva will take a special course at Columbia University. J. L. Maddran the government packer, under whom Miss Eva worked is profuse in her praises as being most faithful and conscientious in her duties. He says that she sent in the best fire report of all, and was absolutely to be depended upon in every way.

## Great Tractor and Implement Demonstration

The Portland Chamber of Commerce through the bankers, is announcing that a large demonstration of tractors and tractor tools has been staged to take place between Portland and Gresham on September 5th, 6th and 7th.

There will be fifty tractors on the grounds operating side by side, which will make it possible to see a practical demonstration of a great variety of machines.

This will be of special importance and interest to the farmers, as owing to reduction in man and animal power on the farm, a condition prevails which can only be relieved by the use of such machinery.

If any further information is desired, relative to the demonstration or if hotel reservations are wanted, write to the Portland Implement & Tractor Association, 346 E. Morrison Street, Portland, Ore., Eugene Smith, business manager.

## Call for Men 18-45 to Register September 12

The hours of registration will be from 7 A. M. to 9 P. M. on September 12, and all state and local officers are called on to make immediate arrangements for the maintenance of registration places on that day.

In case of illness on the registration day arrangements for tardy enrollment may be made with local boards. Men who expect to be absent from their homes may register by mail sufficiently in advance for the registration record to reach the board by September 12.

If a man has no permanent residence he is to register at the place he is on September 12, and those out of the country on that day are required to enroll within five days after their return.

Locally the registration will be held as follows: Precinct No. 1, the City Hall, Mrs. Yonce, registrar; Precinct No. 2, back of Odd Fellows Hall, Mrs. E. W. Bartlett, registrar.

## CHAUTAUQUA WAS A GREAT SUCCESS

Committee Reenforced by Additional Signers Contract for Next Year

## STIMULATING LECTURES GIVEN

Feature Which Struck the Most Responsive Chord was Pageant by Children

Estacada's first Chautauqua is now a matter of history. The committee who was responsible for bringing it here, have earned the thanks of our people for their venture.

The Radcliffe Chautauqua management put on an excellent program and caste, in keeping with its patriotic purpose.

We cannot give an extended account, but each one attending must have felt helped, instructed and inspired. The three musical quartettes enlivened the proceedings, discoursing sweet music, though opinions differ as to their respective merits.

But the lectures by Col. Gearhart, "the old man eloquent," and Dr. Adams, the director, were especially virile and stimulating.

Col. Gearhart defined Democracy as being the government of the people, by the people, under the law of God. The principles of Democracy were laid down by Jesus Christ. The call of Democracy is the call of Christ.

Dr. Adams in the "Call to the Colors," pictured the conditions under which such a call is necessary, the brutal war for conquest on the part of Germany, the deadly, world wide intrigue, the subterranean propaganda and the immoral methods used.

His final address on "After the War," was a ringing call to action for all, fathers, mothers, young and old, to be brave and and ready. "Wake Up, Pay Up, Look Up, Cheer Up."

But the feature which perhaps

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