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HITLER FACES SPRING

It's spring, the season when life in every form blossoms at its fullest, when hearts seem to thaw out, worries disappear and men are given new courage, new ambitions and new hopes.

This year spring has been a word and season to fear all over the world for it has meant spring offensive, a plan of the Nazis to turn the season of abundant life into a season of ruth-

less death and destruction; a plan to spread bitterness and hate thruout the world.

There is little doubt that the spring offensive whatever form it takes will be a terrible ordeal for those who are victims of it, but even Hitler won't be able to wipe from the face of the earth that spirit which pervades spring and which has been victorious over all destructive forces since the world began.

He will be met by a force borne out of nature which can't be reckoned with in terms of manpower, plane power, bomb tonnage or submarines, a force that can't be snuffed out by gun fire and which gives men the courage they need to perform miracles in fighting for their lives and the things they hold dearest to them.

Perhaps in planning his spring offensive Hitler didn't bargain with the fact that the most powerful enemy he will have to battle with is spring itself spring in the hearts of true men and women.

DEFENSE SAVINGS BONDS

Next week the people in this town as well as in every village and city in America will begin buying Defense Savings Bonds.

They will be on sale at the local post office in denominations ranging from \$25 to \$1000 and will be supplemented by Postal Savings Stamps ranging in price from 10 cents to \$5. The bonds will be sold at 75 per cent of their face value, that is a \$25 bond will actually cost \$18.75, and they will mature in ten years. They can be redeemed at cost plus interest at any time during the ten year period.

By this plan similar to the Liberty loan drive of the last war the government not only hopes to raise several billion dollars for its defense program but also hopes to curb possible inflation.

Greatly increased purchasing power coming suddenly as a result of defense orders and defense jobs is apt to send prices skyrocketing unless part of this money is put back into government control. Furthermore, the government considers it important that the people be given an opportunity to participate in financing the defense program.

Defense Savings Bonds seem to be the right answer, particularly when they will be offered at a fair rate of interest and will be easy to redeem any time we get hardup for funds.

Series of larger bonds will be offered to big investors and bankers, but the small 10-year bonds and savings stamps are being issued primarily to attract the people as whole, from the poorest family in town to the richest.

In May a drive will be started to promote the sale of these bonds. But most of us won't take a lot of persuading. We know now that the government is legally bound to spend billions on defense, we know that every one of us must eventually contribute to financing that program. And most of us would prefer to do our part in a voluntary patriotic way than be forced to pay the tax collector later on.



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WILL HOLD BIENNIAL COUNCIL

Marking its coming of age anniversary with discussions centering upon "the responsibilities of twenty-one years' practice in political matters" the National League of Women Voters will hold its biennial general council at the Hotel Washington on May 6, 7 and 8.

Miss Marguerite M. Wells, National president will lead the informal first evening discussion which is to focus upon the League's ability to meet the tests of the present time.

"Twenty-one years ago the league of Women voters was founded on the idea that a democracy's success was dependent upon the intelligence and devotion of its voting citizens," Miss Mills said. "No one foresaw then the crucial test a short time was to bring. Twenty-one years of practice in being both intelligent and active about political matters lays upon the league a responsibility to which it is going to face up squarely during the three May days of meetings in 1941. We need time to make sure we are doing our best and in the best way in this bad time."

Mrs. Franklin D. Roosevelt will receive the delegates at the White House following the first afternoon session. Mrs. Roosevelt formerly was active in the New York league of women voters and has frequently given the league credit for much of her early training in citizenship.

The General Council also will consider such changes in the league program as are necessary to meet altered conditions, suggested changes falling in the fields of education, national defense and foreign policy. The league of Women voters was the first great national women's organization to give active support to the lease-lend bill.

Attending the General Council will be the fourteen-member national board and the president, one additional representative, and two visitors from each state league. The National Board is to meet for two days preceding and three days following the council.

FOREIGN ARMY SERVICE IS NOW AVAILABLE

A new quota of 60 regular army foreign service vacancies has been supplied the Oregon recruiting districts according to information received this week from Lieut. Col. B. H. Hensley, district recruiting officer. Vacancies are again available in the Pacific foreign service replacements, the Hawaiian and Philippine Islands and the Panama Canal.

The colonel added that for those who have had a high school education or have had specialized training in a mechanical trade the regular army is offering enlistments in the air corps. Those who enlist in the air corps and who show special qualifications may be sent to one of several army technical schools where the enlisted man may study airplane mechanics and a variety of other subjects concerning aerial defense.

Don't miss the "Land of Liberty" at the Estacada on bargain night, Wednesday and Thursday, April 16 and 17. See the thrilling incidents of the Revolutionary war, the war of 1812, the Mexican war, the civil war, the Indian fights and finally the great drama of World War No. 1.—Adv.

Untreated Fir Posts in Test Excel Charred Ones

Douglas fir fence posts used untreated have given better service in the experiment post farm at Oregon state college than those charred or treated with asphalt emulsion according to the latest progress report on preservation treatment of fence posts prepared by T. J. Starker professor of forestry and issued by the Oregon engineering experiment station.

All of the untreated, charred and asphalt emulsion treated Douglas fir posts set some 10 years ago have now failed and been removed as have several other species included in the 1442 posts which are under test since the experiment started. Untreated Douglas fir gave an average service of 82 months charred Douglas fir average service 76 months and asphalt emulsion treated Douglas fir only 75 months of slightly over six years.

Other species that have completely failed with an average service of from 4 1/2 to six years are cottonwood, alder, madrone, big-leaf maple and small sized cascara posts. The various cedar and juniper posts are still in good condition after 10 years and none of the Douglas fir posts treated by the so-called salt method have failed.

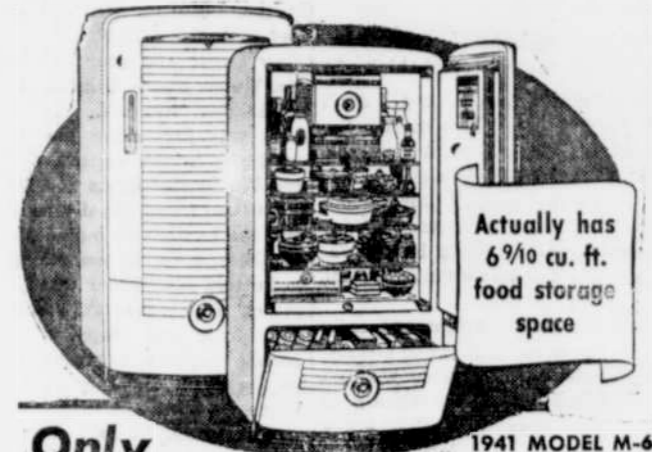
Douglas fir posts treated with crankcase oil and creosote have not lasted as well as those treated with creosote alone. A post is considered to have failed when it gives way under a 50-pound pull two feet from the ground.

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