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TO PUT OVER RED CROSS DRIVE

The second Red Cross campaign to raise a hundred million dollars for war work starts next Monday morning and local members of the society have been meeting frequently during the past six days to plan the work and select the workers. At a meeting held Friday night, Judge Hollis was selected as chairman, L. M. Graham as campaign manager, Mary Corl as secretary and M. R. Johnson as treasurer.

A. E. Scott, J. E. Bailey and Allan Rice are a committee on apportionment; Samuel Randall, J. E. Loomis and B. F. Purdy will look after the advertising; Rev. John Ebert will furnish speakers for meetings and A. G. Hoffman, F. S. Whitehouse, G. G. Paterson, S. G. Hughes and C. L. Bump are the committee on transportation. The men whose names are given above constitute the executive committee and they met last evening and apportioned the \$4,500 to be raised by Western Washington county and selected the captains, as follows:

Forest Grove—Mrs. M. R. Johnson, Mrs. G. G. Paterson, Mrs. F. S. Whitehouse, Mrs. A. U. Marsh, and Messrs. J. M. Barber, C. A. Littler, J. A. Wiles and R. W. Reder, captains; apportionment \$2,500.

Gaston—J. M. Bell, \$400.
Dilley—Mrs. C. A. Brodersen, \$300.
Cornelius—L. C. Mooberry, \$400.
Verboogt—Martin Bernards, \$125.
David's Hill—Grant Bailey, \$100.
Thatcher—L. T. Sills, \$100.
Kansas City—Chas. Buhman, \$100.
Gales Creek—Nick Lilly, \$200.
Glenwood—Wm. Busse, \$75.
Watts—A. S. Dilley, \$100.
Cherry Grove—H. W. Scott, \$100.

Laurelwood—Prof. Kay, \$150.
Hillside—Noah Baker, \$100.
Fern Hill—W. J. Griffin, \$100.
Blooming—Carl Pfhall, \$100.

In this city each captain is to draft five men or women, as the case may be, but in the other towns the captains may select the number most desirable.

During a conference between Forest Grove and Hillsboro Red Cross workers, held Tuesday evening, it was decided that Forest Grove should take the territory mentioned and raise \$4,500, while Hillsboro takes the remainder of the county and raises \$8,000.

The captains are urged by Manager Graham to select their workers as early as possible, get them together in a meeting and prepare them to start work early next Monday morning. He desires to see how quickly his portion of the county can get its quota, and he is ready to advise with those who may desire additional information.

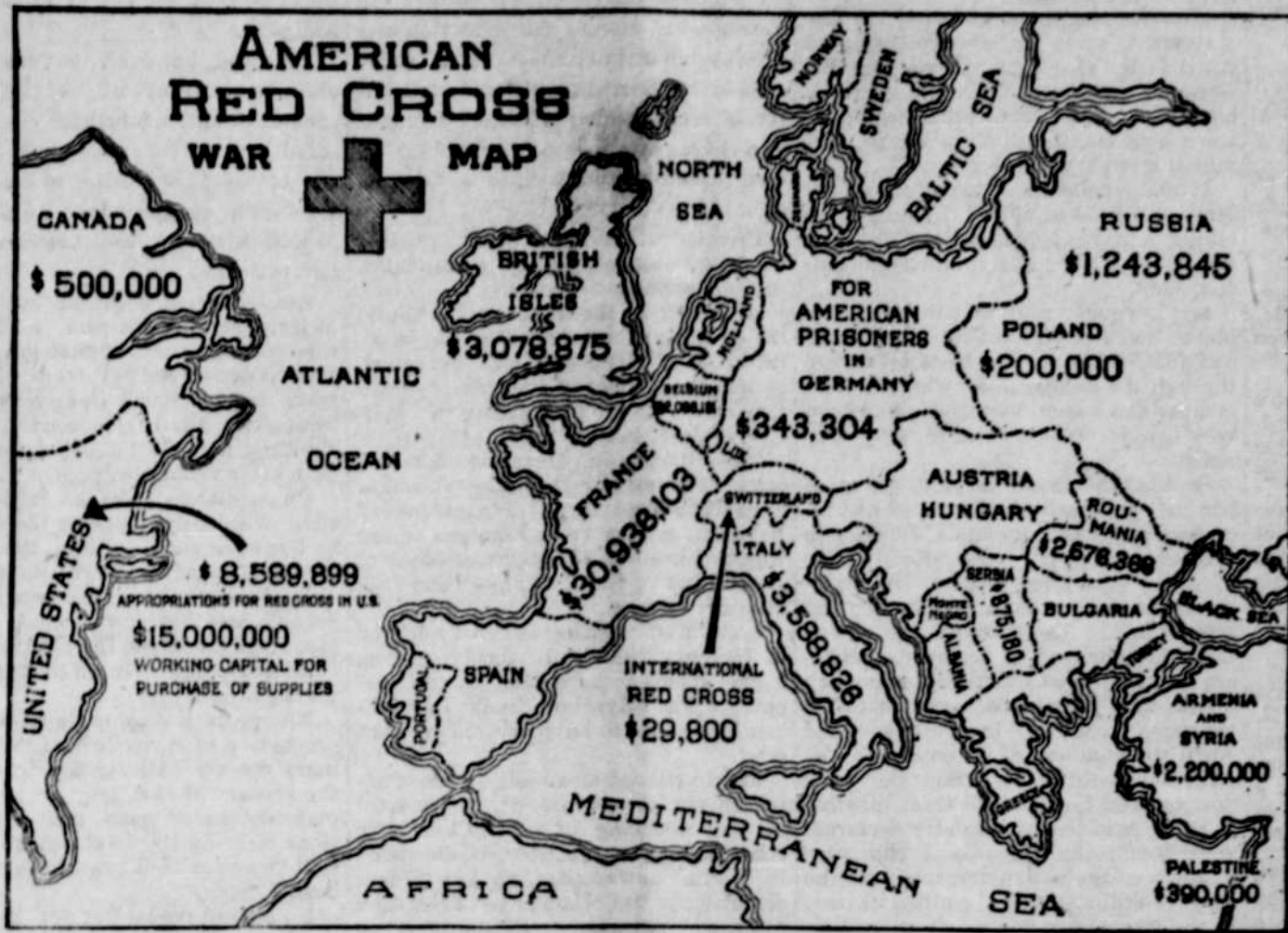
Manager Graham has confidence enough in the people of Washington county to feel that will do their part when the solicitors call on them.

On this page appears a map which shows where the money raised in the first drive was spent.

A Narrow Escape

Sunday afternoon, while Mrs. J. W. Hughes was driving a car west on Pacific avenue, she ran over Mrs. Jennie Dixon, inflicting a number of painful cuts and bruises on the victim of the accident. Mrs. Dixon was crossing the avenue between the two banks, going south, and when she saw the Hughes car approaching became confused and started back toward the First National Bank. Mrs. Hughes ran her car onto the sidewalk in an effort to miss the woman, but she was knocked

THIS MAP SHOWS HOW YOUR RED CROSS DOLLAR WAS SPENT



down and run over. However, the wheels did not pass over her body, to which fact Mrs. Dixon undoubtedly owes her life. The injured woman was taken to a physician's office and her wounds were given attention. It was found that no bones were broken, but her face and head were severely cut and bruised. She was later taken to her home, where she is recovering. Mrs. Hughes, naturally, feels very badly over the accident, although she does not feel that she was wholly to blame, as she was not driving at unreasonable speed and tried to avert the collision.

War Veterans and Ladies Elect

During the closing hours of the state encampment of the G. A. R., held at Albany this week, the veterans elected T. H. Stevens of Portland department commander, E. F. Cox of Albany senior vice and C. A. Williams was reappointed adjutant and quartermaster.

Mrs. Bertha Gillman of Heppner is the new president of the Relief Corps, Mrs. S. Watts of Corvallis is senior vice, Mary Simons of Portland junior vice, Mary Barlow of Oregon City is treasurer, Helen Southwick of Salem is chaplain and Mrs. Stella Cornelius of Wapato, a daughter of John Baldwin, is a member of the executive committee.

Mrs. Eva Carnegie of Albany is the new head of the Ladies of the G. A. R.

The several bodies will meet next year at The Dalles.

Saturday Is Butter Wrapper Day

Hereafter the Express will make a special rate on butter wrappers to be printed on Saturdays. Heretofore the prices on quantities less than 100 have been higher than the woman with but one cow felt she could afford to pay and for the benefit of those patrons the Express makes the following prices, Saturdays only:

50 Printed Wrappers.....\$.75
100 Printed Wrappers.....1.25
500 Printed Wrappers.....2.75

Place your orders, either by mail or telephone, not later than 10 o'clock Saturday morning; the day before would suit better. Phone 821.

Fred Everest, republican candidate for county recorder, was looking after his interests in the city today. He has many friends here who are with him in the fight tomorrow.

CONDENSED NEWS NOTES

F. T. Johnson of Buxton visited his brother, W. F., and wife yesterday.

Mrs. Frank Emerson visited her daughter, Una, at Sheridan Saturday.

W. H. Greer has been quite ill for the past two weeks and, while he is slightly improved today, he is still very weak.

Pacific University commencement exercises begin June 1st and end June 5th. Program will be published next week.

Until further notice the Cannery will receive Rhubarb at one and one-half cents per pound. We also want your Gooseberries, Raspberries and Loganberries.

Tuesday, when Miss Scheuermann of Blooming went to a Hillsboro hospital to visit a sick friend, she fell on the steps and broke her arm, thus making another patient.

If you are invited to the Rebekah entertainment tonight, be sure and go, for there is going to be a lot of fun in connection therewith. A silver offering will be taken for war work.

The I. O. O. F. grand lodge and Rebekah assembly convene at Seaside next Tuesday and Messrs. L. M. Graham, Bernard Ortman and J. H. Shearer go as delegates from the local subordinate lodge. Mesdames Graham and Ross go to the assembly and Mr. Ortman is delegate to the grand Encampment.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Wirtz, Mrs. Robert Wirtz and J. J. Wirtz yesterday attended the funeral of their grandniece Theda Wilkes, the two-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bert Wilkes, who died at Corvallis Monday as the result of injuries received when she pulled a motorcycle over on herself. Mrs. Wilkes is a niece of the Wirtz boys and the funeral was held at Mountindale.

Miss Jessie Buxton yesterday afternoon entertained a few married ladies at a party given in honor of Mrs. Norris L. Rogers of McMinnville, who has been her guest for several days. The invited guests were Mesdames W. Pollock, A. B. Caples, F. S. Gordon, C. W. Mertz, W. C. Schultze, C. E. Smith and J. S. Buxton. The hostess served a delightful lunch and her guests voted her a capital entertainer.

Funeral of George G. Dickson

The funeral of Geo. G. Dickson was held on Monday afternoon at the Forest Grove Undertaking Parlors, Rev. Ebert of the Methodist church officiating. A large number of friends and relatives were in attendance.

Holbrook Lodge No. 30, A. F. & A. M., of which the deceased was a member for the past eight years, was well represented, six members acting as pall bearers. Two solos were rendered by Mr. T. E. Isaacs, in a very impressive manner.

Interment was made in Forest View cemetery, the impressive Masonic committal service being conducted by Judge Hollis. Mr. Dickson was a Mark Master Mason in Union lodge of Glasgow, Scotland, where he was raised in 1876, and was also a member of the stone cutters' union. A mother, 83 years old, two sisters and four brothers survive him.

Card of Thanks

The undersigned desire to make public announcement of their appreciation of the many acts of kindness extended them by friends during the illness and after the death of their son and brother, the late George G. Dickson. Especially do they feel grateful to the members of Holbrook lodge No. 30, A. F. & A. M., for courtesies and floral offerings.

Mrs. M. A. Dickson and Family.

Prof. West Has Enlisted

Prof. E. D. West, for the past six years an instructor in Pacific University, has enlisted with the Army "Y" and will leave today for Camp Lewis to assume the duties of an educational secretary. Mr. West has had several good offers as an instructor for the next school year, but felt that he could do more for Uncle Sam by entering Y. M. C. A. work. He has many friends in this city, in and out of the College, who will wish him a large measure of success in the field of usefulness he has chosen and who will pray that he may be spared to his chosen work after the war is over. Since coming to this city, Prof. West has been an active church and Sunday school worker and he will be sadly missed in these fields.

Prof. I. M. Grover, a teacher in the McMinnville College, visited at the W. P. Dyke home over Sunday.

Forest Grove Gets An Honor Flag

For the remainder of this week, the honor flag sent to Oregon by Secretary McAdoo for the city or town first selling its quota of Liberty Loan bonds will be displayed on the walls of Uncle Sam's post-office in this city. Eighteen towns tied for the flag and it will remain a week in each town. The state campaign manager, Robt. E. Smith, hopes by the end of eighteen weeks to have solved some way by which the flag will be awarded a permanent home. The emblem of "get-up-and-get" was brought to this city Monday afternoon by Mr. Smith and Frank B. Irvine, the blind editor of the Oregon Journal, and presented at a meeting held in the Congregational church Monday evening. About one hundred men and women were gathered to receive the flag and enjoy the excellent program of songs and speeches.

W. J. McCready, Forest Grove Liberty Loan chairman, presided at the meeting, which opened with the singing of "America" by the audience, led by Thomas E. Isaacs, with Russell Beals at the piano. After the song, Chairman McCready stated how the banks and public-spirited people of the city had authorized him to announce one minute after the drive started that the loan had been subscribed. He then introduced Mr. Smith, who explained that seventeen other towns, three of them (Banks, Cornelius and Beaverton) in Washington county, had taken the same steps to get their loans subscribed beforehand, in order to win the flag. Oregon was the first state to subscribe its quota, and the first state in which every town and county had done likewise. He thought this information would do the boys in Europe more good than anything else that could have been done. They had known for some months that they had the moral backing of the folks back home, but now they knew they had the American dollars behind them also. He thought the people of Washington county were to be congratulated for their enterprise and patriotism. He then presented the flag (12x16 feet in size) and the same was accepted by Mr. McCready, with a promise to try and keep it.

After the audience had sung "Marching Thru Georgia," Chairman McCready, introducing Editor Irvine, stated that he (the chairman) never went to bed at night without having first read the editorials in the Journal and he promised the people a fine address. Mr. Irvine thanked the chairman for his kind words of appreciation and proceeded to make good Mr. McCready's promises by delivering one of the most eloquent and most patriotic addresses made in Forest Grove in years. He stated, very emphatically, that the war was a struggle between Christianity and paganism, with all the pagan nations on one side and all the Christian nations on the other. If the Stars and Stripes failed to find a haven over the towers of Berlin, there was grave danger that the black eagle of Prussia would eventually fly over the national capitol at Washington. This was no idle threat, for if the allies failed to render Germany harmless, she would keep on growing (by annexation) until only the two Americas stood between her and world dominion. South America was so honeycombed with German intrigue that not much could be expected from her in a fight against Prussianism.

The speaker gave quotation after quotation from German professors, teachers and preachers to show why the German people so

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