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WEDNESDAY, SEPT. 11, 1918.

OREGON WEATHER

Fair and warmer, northwest-erly winds.

WAR IN THE AIR

A Dutch woman, returned from a visit to Germany, reports:

The impression I gathered from what I saw and heard in Germany was one of real despair. The German retreat makes the worst possible impression, especially on the Rhine. The idea that German soil would be inviolate to the last has completely disappeared, and on the Rhine everybody expects sooner or later a foreign invasion.

The ravages made by the allies' aircraft are simply terrific. Nobody is allowed to print a word about them. But you may be sure that when you read that 'there has been some material damage done,' it means that whole streets have been torn up, with a terrible casualty list to complete the picture.

Germany as I just saw it is the saddest country in creation. One never sees anybody laugh.

To supplement this picture, we have an announcement from England that in the past month the allied airmen have dropped more bombs and done more damage in German cities than German airmen have done in England in four years.

The allies have taken up Germany's challenge, and carried the war into the air. We are winning there, already, as signally as we are on land. Conviction grows that ultimately the real decision will come in this new field of warfare.

For that, all the allies are now preparing with eager haste, and America most of all. Though lamentably slow in starting, there can be no doubt that by next summer our contribution of planes and fliers will give our side overwhelming air superiority. Our present plans, slowly coming to fruition, call for hundreds of squadrons operating continuously.

It is terrible, the work of those air squadrons. It will become more and more terrible until the supreme moment when Germany, who sought to win and rule the world by terror, is herself terrified into absolute submission.

It is a dreadful but necessary task. We must stifle, for a time, the dictates of human mercy, as the Germans themselves have stifled it in their wanton attacks. We shall not laugh and shout at their sufferings, as they have laughed and shouted when their Zeppelins and planes blew to pieces the helpless women and children of England and France. But we shall not pity them. There



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BETTER!



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can be no pity until the German nation has learned its lesson by paying the logical penalty for its crimes against humanity, and is purified by the same fierce fires it lighted.

COUNTY AGENT'S NOTES

Yes we can get vetch seed this year. It is more expensive than usual, but we can not afford to quit it on that account. If the local dealer can not supply you at a reasonable price let us know your wants.

Seed Wheats

Stick to the standard and tried varieties for main crops.

There are highly advertised grain specialties thrust upon the public by unscrupulous promoters. Grafters and over zealous plant breeders. It is a safe plan to let the other fellow try these out. The standard varieties of wheat for this section are Turkey Red, Forty-Fold and Little Club with Washington Hybrid a very promising one. Gray winter oats, White Winter Barley and Winter Rye are the best tried varieties of these grains.

We think there is sufficient quantity of these seeds available locally to do our seeding this fall.

C. D. THOMPSON, County Agent.

Somewhere in France there is an American boy fighting for you. Have you proved yourself worth his wonderful effort by finishing his socks on time?

"FINE!" SAYS MRS. HOOVER



Mrs. Herbert C. Hoover, wife of the federal food administrator, registering astonishment and admiration at the number of potato bugs captured by a diminutive girl scout guest at the Hoover home. Mrs. Hoover entertained a large number of girl scouts from Washington at her country residence, and went to the soil with them in a girl scout uniform.

Shrines to Foxes.

There are numberless shrines in Japan dedicated to foxes. The badger is another animal feared by the superstitious Japanese mind. It is believed to have power to annoy people, and to be able to turn into a priest at will. The crying of weasels and the baying of dogs are considered evil omens, and such insignificant happenings send a shudder through the believers.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE GRANTS PASS BANKING COMPANY

at Grants Pass, Oregon, in the State of Oregon, at the close of business August 31st, 1918.

Table with Resources and Liabilities columns. Resources include Loans and discounts, Overdrafts, Bonds and warrants, etc. Total Resources: \$436,527.23. Liabilities include Capital stock paid in, Surplus fund, Undivided profits, etc. Total Liabilities: \$436,527.23.

County of Josephine, ss. I, Frank C. Bramwell, Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

FRANK C. BRAMWELL, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 5th day of September, 1918.

G. P. JESTER, Notary Public.

(My commission expires April 5th, 1921.)

Correct—Attest:

JOHN HAMPSHIRE, I. A. ROBBIE, FRANKLIN S. BRAMWELL, Directors.

CHICHESTER'S PILLS advertisement with image of a woman's face and text describing the medicine.

Registration Day the 12th; Bargain Day the 18th. Daily Courier \$4.50 the 18th.

The Bugle Call

Summons all the forces and resources of the Republic to the defense of Freedom

THE OREGON AGRICULTURAL COLLEGE which the United States authorities have ranked as one of the fifteen distinguished institutions of the country for excellence in military training, has responded to the call.

Its strong industrial courses for men and for women: Agriculture, Commerce, Engineering, Forestry, Home Economics, Mining, Pharmacy, and Vocational Education. Its wholesome, purposeful student life. Its democratic college spirit. Its successful graduates.

Students enrolled last year, 3453; stars on its service flag, 1258, over forty percent representing officers.

College opens September 23, 1918

For catalog, new illustrated booklet, and other information write to the Registrar, Corvallis, Oregon

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C. L. HOBART CO.

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Big Pierce Arrow Cars Easy Riding

Office—Josephine Hotel Block Telephone—229-J and 163

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE JOSEPHINE COUNTY BANK

at Grants Pass, in the State of Oregon, at the close of business, August 31st, 1918.

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County of Josephine, ss. I, Sam H. Baker, Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

SAM H. BAKER, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 6th day of September, 1918.

FRED A. WILLIAMS, Notary Public.

(My commission expires Dec. 1st, 1919.)

Correct—Attest:

J. L. CALVERT, S. LOUGHRIDGE, STANTON ROWELL, Directors.

National Mazda Lamps

HAVING too little light puts a strain on children's vision that they may never outgrow! Why not have plenty of light? National MAZDA Lamps give three times the light of old-fashioned carbon lamps without adding a penny to your light bill.

Rogue River Hardware

Gen. R. Riddle, Mgr.



Uncle Sam: "That's the Fourth Time That Fellow Has Surprised Me"

THAT'S what we must make it seem to our Government—that Oregon has the Habit of doing things First—and it's INCURABLE. The 4th Liberty Loan should not, cannot, must not catch us unawares or unprepared here in Oregon. Every town and county committee is hard bent to land FIRST PLACE in the FIRST STATE to go over the top. YOUR part is to decide NOW that you are going to be one of those by whom and for whom NO REGRETS ARE EXPRESSED when we go sailing over the top in the 4th Liberty Loan. If YOU DON'T SUBSCRIBE—and do it cheerfully and willingly and promptly and generously and voluntarily—there WILL BE regrets all 'round. Your conscience will suffer, our opinion of you will suffer—and MOST OF ALL, Our Boys' lives will suffer.

LIBERTY LOAN COMMITTEE

OREGON'S LIBERTY CLOCK advertisement with image of a clock showing 9 AM and 'SATURDAY SEPT 28'.