

# OREGON ELKS TAKE CHARGE THRIFT WORK

## P. O. E. President Will Lead Savings Drive for \$5,000,000.

Sale of War Savings Stamps and Treasury Savings Certificates in the state of Oregon has been placed entirely in the hands of the Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks. The state body of Elks has taken over management of the thrift and savings campaign as a volunteer patriotic service to the state and nation.

This announcement has just been made by Harry G. Allen, head of the state organization, and C. S. Jackson, state director of the government savings organization. It is estimated that existing War Savings Societies and school children throughout Oregon can be counted on to purchase \$2,000,000 in War Savings Stamps before January 1, which will leave approximately \$3,000,000 to be subscribed through efforts of the fraternal organization, which has a membership of 10,000 in the state.

Mr. Allen offered the services of the great fraternal order under authority given state organizations of the order at the national convention in Atlantic City, which adopted resolutions pledging active support of all members to the government thrift campaign. He has obtained leave of absence from his business and will devote all his personal efforts for the next four months to organizing sales forces among the subsidiary lodges.

"During the war," said Mr. Allen, "the order of Elks has felt it a privilege to place at the disposal of our country the services of its members. There were several thousand Oregon Elks under arms, and those of us who were not privileged to wear the olive drab, the navy blue or the uniform of the marines, have taken pride in meeting the responsibilities of war finance and participating in all other patriotic movements."

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## THE BACKING OF MONEY

A so-called philosopher once said: "If the rich do not spend the poor die of hunger."

This fallacy was back of conditions that brought in the French Revolution. Saving is spending, but it is for the future rather than for the present. It causes the production of permanent goods rather than the mere satisfaction of transient and temporary pleasures.

The trouble is that people confuse money with what is back of it. They see that spending increases trade, but fail to see that investing money increases trade just as much. Perhaps you never stopped to realize that every time you deposit a dollar in a bank or invest it in some legitimate enterprise you not only help some to get and keep a job, but a useful job. Every dollar you bank or invest provides work for somebody.

It is sometimes said in favor of one of the larger expenses—jewelry—that diamonds are a good investment. That is people think that they will be able to sell their jewels if they cannot afford to keep them. But aside from the fact that I don't believe that anyone ever sold a ring, or pin, or expensive watch for as much as he or she paid for it, there is the further fact that money invested in jewelry earns no interest.

Extravagance brings in no return. Money saved is not only kept, but it continues to work for its owner. The earning power of money which is spent is given up for all time. It is dispersed.—How to Get Ahead.

W. S. B.

## TURN RIGHT

The road to success is no rougher, or harder, or more painful than the road to failure, but there is a difference; we voluntarily choose to bear the pains of success, while the pains of failure are thrust upon us. The pains of success are mental and physical as are those of failure.

The boy or girl who aspires to succeed in school pays a daily penalty in the act of resisting the impulses to enjoy pleasures of the moment; is forcing the brain to exercise when it is trying to quit; in doing daily mental tasks which are just as tiring as any physical labor. The man who succeeds pays his penalty, too. He must save when he would like to spend. He must work when he would like to loaf. He must be up and doing when he would like to sleep. He must take kicks and not kick back. He must assume responsibilities when he dislikes to add to his burdens. He must be patient when his nature is to be impatient. He must bring his appetite to reason when it calls to be unreasonable. All of us know men who want to succeed, but we know that they cannot because they will pay the penalties of failure; they cannot avoid them although they think they can. They will pay and pay hard. The penalties of success are suffered for the most part in early years. The penalties of failure are reaped in later years when the rewards of success are being plucked.—The Fortuna Magazine.

BUY W. S. B.

In place of 300,000 persons who held government securities previous to the war there are now at least twenty million. If this can be raised to 50,000,000 in 1919, the better it will be for the people. Buy W. S. B.

## Camera Clicks Off News Pictures of the Day



Camera clicks showing news events of the day. The "circus wagon" is the realization of that idea the world held for many weary hours—it is "moving day" for the ex-kaiser. On the country roads between Ziest and Doorn, 51 of these big truck vans hauled the ex-kaiser's furniture to his home in Doorn. The three men in conference show Uncle Sam's effort

to avert the big coal strike. It is Secretary of Labor Wilson (center) in conference with T. T. Brewster (left) of the Coal Operators, and John T. Lewis (right), president of the Coal Miners' Union. The man at the clock shows the nation going back to "old time"—setting the official clock in the U. S. Naval Laboratory back one hour on Oct. 24.

## FULL CENSUS ANSWERS HELP FARM PROFIT

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there any mortgage debt or other encumbrance on the land so owned on January 1, 1920? "What was the total amount of debt or encumbrance on land on this farm owned by you, January 1, 1920?"

Pertinent—Not Impertinent. "What the Sam Hill," you may inquire, "has the Government got to do with how much money I owe on my land?" Well, two of the things to which the Department of Agriculture has been giving deepest thought during the past several years are farm tenancy and rural credits. The past three censuses have shown an increase in the number of tenants. Alarmists have felt—and said—that the country is going to the bow-wows by the landlord route. The Department of Agriculture, however, looked into the matter as well as it was able, and refused to be alarmed. Where it was able to make surveys it discovered that while the number of tenants 25 years old was greater in 1910 than in 1900 or 1890, the number of tenants 45 years old was considerably smaller in 1910 than in 1900 or 1890.

The inference is that tenancy is a step toward ownership, that the young fellow who becomes a tenant farmer when he marries, say, is likely to be a farm owner before his first child is grown—the farm paid for and the money that used to go to pay off the mortgage available for sending the children to college.

Now, to the Department of Agriculture, that looks like a thoroughly normal, healthy, and beneficial process. To just the extent that tenancy leads to farm ownership, it is a good thing for the country and for the individual.

Full Answers Essential. But it has not been possible to get a complete, nation-wide survey of the situation. The forthcoming census offers the opportunity for doing that. If every farmer will answer the enumerator's questions fully and fairly the Department of Agriculture will have the data from which to analyze the situation accurately and to determine what things can be done to best advantage to help the tenant in his aspiration to become a farm owner.

One of the directions that aid may take is encouragement of rural credits—finding all of the ways possible of helping the young farmer to get the money that he may need to borrow. It is necessary, therefore, to know what proportion of farmers who advance from tenants to owners have to borrow money to make the change, and how much, in proportion to total value of the farms bought they have to borrow.

The road toward ownership does not necessarily start with tenancy. A great many farm owners were first farm hands, then tenants, then owners with a mortgage, then owners debt free. The census will show, if the questions are answered fairly, how many years, if any, every farmer worked for wages; how many years he was a tenant; and how many years he has been an owner. The Department of Agriculture will have the basic information it needs to help men to success in farm ownership.

Other Important Queries. Here are some other questions that will be asked: "Has this farm a telephone?" "Is water piped into the operator's house?" "Has the operator's house gas or electric light?" Now, that looks like an effort to find out whether or not the farm family has the modern home comforts—and it is just that, but it means something more than mere inquisitiveness. Several months ago, when the Bureau of Farm Management was in process of reorganization, the Secretary of Agriculture called a conference of heads of schools, social workers, and others from all over the country. When the people were assembled in Washington, he asked their opinion as to the most useful thing that could be done by the Office of Farm Management. For a whole day those people discussed the matter. Just before night, with a score of items on the ballot, they took a vote. The work of promoting the comfort and convenience of the farm home received

an overwhelming majority of the votes. That, then, is one of the things that the Department of Agriculture is trying to do in aid of the farm population of this country. In order to do the work intelligently, the department needs as full information as possible as to how the farm homes of the country are equipped for comfort and convenience.

## Don M. Taylor Arrives in Burns

Lieut. Donald M. Taylor, of Portland and Seattle arrived in Burns on Wednesday evening. Lieut. Taylor is the chum of Mr. Fessler of this office. He saw over 15 months service in France with the A. E. F., going over "on the deck below the keel" as a buck private attached to the 81st Brigade headquarters, and coming home as a First Lieutenant and Brigade Adjutant of the 304 (1st) Brigade, Tank Corps.

Lieut. Taylor took an active part in the St. Mihiel drive with the "Baby Renault" Tanks. Upon returning to his organization from the hospital he was commissioned a 2nd Lieutenant and authorized to form a Brigade Headquarters Company under Colonel G. S. Patten, Jr. Lieut. Taylor intends to locate in Burns and assures us that he will take an active part in the development of Harney County.

Archie Howell, one of the Harney county boys who saw much service in France, is here. Archie was severely wounded and was left on the battlefield for 56 hours before being rescued. He was taken to a French hospital and cared for, but one arm is crippled and he is unable to do any hard work. The young man was decorated during his active service by the French government. Mr. Howell says he does not expect to remain in this section long.

Attorneys J. W. McCulloch and Capt. R. M. Duncan left for Lakeview this morning to be present at a term of circuit court to take part in a criminal case in which they have been retained.

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## Will SOMETHING Happen to make you rich?

A rich uncle may die and leave you a roll, but few rich uncles have this habit. If you get rich the chances are you will first have to save enough money in order to make an investment that will pay. There are plenty of investments for the man with a little ready cash. But it is up to you to save cash. The best policy is to deposit a portion of your salary. A Bank is better than a hole in your pocket through which your money can slip away. Make our Bank YOUR Bank.

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## Give the world the once over

LISTEN, fellows, to some straight talk. Many a man when he gets to be 40, misses something. He may have lots of money, and a fine family but— He never "got out and saw things". After he gets settled down, it's too late. Every man wants to see the world. No man likes to stand still all his life. The best time to TRAVEL is when you're young and lively—right NOW! Right NOW your Uncle Sam is calling. "Shove off!" He wants men for his Navy. He's inviting you! It's the biggest chance you'll ever get to "give the world the once over". The Navy goes all over the world—alls the Seven Seas—squints at the six continents—that's its business. You stand to see more odd sights, wonderful scenery and strange people than you ever dreamed of. You'll work hard while you work. You'll play hard while you play. You'll earn and learn. You'll get, in addition to "shore-leave", a 30-day straight vacation—which is more than the average bank president can count on. You can join for two years. When you get through you'll be physically and mentally "tuned up" for the rest of your life. You'll be ready through and through for SUCCESS. There's a Recruiting Station right near you. If you don't know where it is, your Postmaster will be glad to tell you.

## Shove off! -Join the U. S. Navy