

Plowed Up a Stiletto.

Down where they are grading for the new highway this week they plowed up a stiletto, bent and rust encrusted, yet of the best steel and with fine craftsmanship on the brass guard and horn handle. It is the kind of weapon which has figured in feuds and murder trials in this country and which is described in the feature stories that come from the Italian front in the big European war.

The knife was plowed up near the W. O. Hocken place and so far as those present can remember, the ground has never been plowed, a fact that points to the possible burying of the knife at some earlier date. The blade was bent almost double and was much rusted but the excellent quality of steel is attested by the manner in which it was straightened without breaking. The knife was turned over to P. H. Vandehey who will hold it a few days in the hope that someone in the community can throw a light on the history of the blade.

BOY SCOUT TROOP ENTERS SECOND YEAR

The year for which the troop of Boy Scouts here was registered ran out recently. Those of the old troop that registered were Elert Carstens, Archie Masters, Philip Thomson, Geo. Thompson, Freeman Rowe, Albert Rossi, Percy Fry and Lowell Tallman. Ernest Masters, Fred Stump and Raymond Rossi joined and were registered also. G. A. Van Antwerp was re-registered as Scoutmaster and Charles Fry as Assistant Scoutmaster.

The Scoutmaster received his certificate Monday. None of the other boys have their certificates yet. Assistant Scoutmaster Charles Fry received his assistant's badge Monday.

The Scouts will take an overnight hike one of these nice evenings and spend the next day in camp.

The troop here will hold its annual election at the next meeting on June 17. All the Scouts are requested to be present.

Jackie Malarkey was accepted as a candidate Scout at the last meeting on June 10.

SCOUT SCRIBE.

Mrs. J. B. Kamberger is in Hillsboro since a week ago Sunday, visiting her mother, Mrs. E. B. Layman. She will return the first of the week.

WAR SAVINGS NEWS.

Friday June 28 at 8 p. m. is the time set for Washington County to "go over the top" in War Savings.

The people of Washington County are asked to set aside \$584,000 to be spent after the war is won. In the meantime let the money work to support our boys and our allies at the front.

Each district has been assigned its share on a basis of assessed valuation and population.

A district is "over the top" when its quota of W. S. S. has been purchased or pledged. Everyone is expected to help as much as he is able.

Nearly every district has men or women who can take the limit of \$1000 in W. S. S. Others can take \$500 or more. Don't wait for the committee to come to see you and work their heads off to get you to pledge your share. Get right around and see the committee and pledge more than your share and encourage others to pledge liberally. Don't allow those least able to carry the load.

Solomon was absolutely correct when he laid down the principle that a man's heart and his treasure would be in the same place. Investments of time and money are the tests of patriotism. Talk is cheap but it takes money, provisions and ships to win the war.

\$83.40 Fills a War Savings certificate. The money helps the government. The material that you would spend it for is kept for the government. So you have really helped win the war doubly that is to say \$166.80 worth. In five years you get \$100. A profit of \$12.60 for the use of \$83.60 four years and six months. In all human probability prices will have swung back to normal or below by that time and your \$100 then will buy at least twice as much of anything you want as the \$83.40 would buy now. You stand a good chance to make 100 per cent on your investment so don't get to feeling too sorry for yourself about the duty of buying War Savings Stamps. The more you buy the better it is for you.

During the week June 17 to 22 a series of patriotic rallies will be held over the county. There are people in your neighborhood who have not attended a patriotic meeting. Urge them to go to one of these rallies. Pick up an auto load of people who have no easy way to go.

N. A. FROST.

GERMAN WOMEN MUST REGISTER

United States Post Office, Portland, Oregon, May 29, 1918.

To the Publisher:

By proclamation of the President of the United States, German alien females will be required to register in accordance with the General Rules and Regulations prescribed by the Attorney General of the United States.

The time set for the registration is from 6 a. m. Monday, June 17, 1918, continuing on each day successively thereafter, except Sunday, June 23, 1918, between the hours of 6 a. m. and 8 p. m., up to and including Wednesday, June 26, 1918, at 8 p. m.

A copy of the General Rules and Regulations governing such registration is forwarded you herewith, and your cooperation is requested in the publication of this information as a matter of general news, and in the performance of a patriotic duty in each issue of your publication, between the time you receive this notice and the date fixed for the registration. In particular,

your attention is directed to the following:

1. Persons required to register: All natives, citizens, denizens, or subjects of the German Empire or of the Imperial German Government, being FEMALES of the age of 14 years and upwards, now within the United States and not actually naturalized as American citizens are required to register as German alien females.

2. Female natives, citizens, denizens, or subjects of the Austro-Hungarian Empire are not required to register under the President's Proclamation of April 19, 1918, nor under these Regulations unless they come within the provisions of the preceding paragraph (Paragraph 1).

3. In cities or municipalities which had, by the Federal Census of 1910, a population of 5,000 or over, the registration will take place in the police stations; in all other communities, known as non-urban areas, the registration will take place in the postoffices.

In your community the postmaster will act as registration officer, and he will be furnished with copies of the General Rules and Regulations concerning the registration and such further instructions from time to time as may be issued by the attorney general governing registration procedure.

Persons required to register should understand that by so doing they are giving proof of their peaceful dispositions and their intention to conform to

the laws of the United States.

Each registrant should read carefully the form of registration affidavit handed her and ask the registration officer for explanation on all points not clear to her before attempting to fill out the blanks, and registration officers are instructed to give registrants all possible aid in the way of explanation and advice.

Each registrant is required to furnish four unmounted photographs of herself, not larger than 3x3 in size, on thin paper, with light background. The photographs shall be of the shoulders and full face, without hat or other head-covering. All four photographs should be signed by registrant across the face of the photographs so as not to obliterate the features, if the applicant is able to write.

Three blank forms of registration affidavits must be completely filled out by the registrant or her representative and must be presented personally to the registration officer and be signed and sworn to by the registrant in the presence of and before the registration officer. A registration card will be issued to each registrant, not at the time of registration, but between July 7 and July 11, and she should be notified by the postmaster to call at the postoffice where registered for the card.

Yours very truly,

F. S. MYERS,

Postmaster and Chief Registrar for Oregon.

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