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Back Up the Boys

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COUNTY'S SHARE OF LIBERTY LOAN REDUCED BY HALF

Gilliam county is ready and waiting to go "over the top" when the signal sounds on Saturday, April 6, for the beginning of the great drive for the Third Liberty Loan. This has been the feeling all over the county and now that the county's quota has been cut in two, it is assured that the objective will be gained the first day in this county. Geo. B. Dukek, county chairman, has been officially informed that this county's share is now about one-half the amount called for at first so the individual ratings or assessments, which were fixed by the Local Executive Committee and mailed out, will be reduced about one-half. Those rated at \$1000 will understand that their rating will now be \$500; the ratings of \$250 are now \$125 and the rating of \$100 is now \$50. Of course, those wishing to take the full amount assessed may do so and several have asked to do this. A number will take more than their original assessment. However, every person in the county is expected to buy some of these bonds and it is your duty to send in your subscription at once. Those not reporting may be listed on a yellow card and reported to Washington. Although the people had fully decided to subscribe the first quota with a rush, this reduction will be a relief for this is the time of year in this county when ready money is less than at any other time. Another loan may be floated next fall but that will be the season when this county will have the cash. Don't delay in sending in your subscription.

WILL DISCUSS THE WAGE SCALE AND LABOR SITUATION

By J. C. Hawkins, County Agent
A meeting will be held in the courthouse in Condon next Friday, one week from today, to discuss the farm wage scale and the problems of the labor situation. Every farmer is asked to be here as this is a move of great importance. J. W. Brewer, government farm labor specialist, will be here. These meetings are being held all over eastern Oregon to decide on a wage so that it will be uniform in this state and also in southern Washington and in Idaho. Don't miss this meeting.
A meeting of the farmers is to be held tomorrow at Blalock to organize to build an elevator. F. L. Ballard, government specialist on elevator organization, will be there to assist.
The County Agent is a busy man making squirrel poison for the farmers and will have four or five squirrel clubs in full operation next week.
Those farmers who use sacks are urged to get them at once if they want to get the price of 25 cents. There are only two million sacks to be had at this figure while the crop will demand sixty million and the sacks that are imported will cost 30 cents or more.

The Boy Scouts of Condon will have a troop garden on the city's vacant lots under the personal supervision of County Agent Hawkins. Four lots will be used and these have already been of fered. Work will be started right away.

GILLIAM PIONEER GOES TO JOIN OLD COMRADES

Another Civil War veteran and early pioneer of Gilliam county answered his last call Monday, March 25, when Amon Hartman passed away at his home in this city.

Amon Hartman was born in Adams county, Illinois, March 20, 1849, and died in Condon, Oregon, March 25, 1918, at the age of 69 years and 5 days. He served his country in the Civil War with the 1st Texas Volunteer Cavalry in 1864-65. He was with Sheridan in the Shenandoah and was wounded near Cedar Creek. He was with Sheridan when he defeated Early at Winchester and Fisher's Hill October 18-19, 1864, and was one of five cavalrmen who escaped from Andersonville Prison and returned to his command after three days of hardship and hunger. After the war Mr. Hartman returned to Texas and married Miss Laura Dunn at Spring Creek on October 21, 1866. They moved to California 41 years ago and lived there nine years when the family moved to Oregon and took a homestead near Condon. They lived there for 30 years. In all Mr. Hartman had been a resident of Gilliam county 32 years. He leaves the wife who pioneered here with him and three sons, Bert, Henry and Edward and one grandson who is now serving with the U. S. Troops in France. Mr. Hartman belonged to the I. O. O. F. order and was one of the charter members of the Condon lodge. The funeral services were held at the home Tuesday morning. Burial was made in the local cemetery and conducted by the Oddfellows with the Condon Home Guard as escort of honor. Mr. Hartman was deeply interested in the work of the Home Guard and never failed to give help when the Guard asked for it. He was a friend and neighbor and a fine citizen and his memory will always be revered by those who knew him.

SCOUTS RAISE FUND

The Boy Scouts put on the picture show in the American Theatre last Friday evening to raise their quota of the national scouting fund. They took in \$41 and after paying all expenses had left \$14 which with donations makes up the Condon Scouts' quota.

Mrs. W. C. Brown and son returned the first of the week from an extended visit in Portland.

Mrs. J. D. Weed was in Portland this week attending the Liberty Loan convention.

OLLIE RINEHART IS IN EAST; LIKES THE ARMY

Oliver Rinehart, one of Condon's boys who is now in Uncle Sam's service is now at Camp Morrison in Virginia. He says: "I landed in this place on the 28th of February, just in time to do the most important thing in the army—sign the payroll. We are not permitted to leave the camp and it is impossible to get a pass for more than twenty-four hours. I haven't had a pass yet and from what I hear of Newport News, I don't think I want one. We must have a special pass to get to Norfolk or Richmond and they don't issue special passes so we don't go. At present we are living in a storehouse and are very comfortable. Our camp is about a mile from the James River and the oyster beds. All the white people I see are soldiers. There is plenty of detail work here as this camp is just being built. Our company has been grubbing stumps all day. I am at present in the machine gun section of the company and like it fine. I was informed a few days ago that I might be sent to a farm instead of going to the front but I hope not. We don't know how long we will be here nor where we go next. It was hard to leave Omaha for that was a fine place to soldier. I haven't heard from Will Hardie since he left Camp Greene but I see by the Globe that he is in the officers' training camp in France. I wish him all the luck in the world and hope I have to salute him when we meet again. I hope to be on my way to France when you hear from me next. Best regards to everyone in Condon. Nearly forgot the main thing—many thanks for the Globe."

LARCHS ENTERTAIN

Mr. and Mrs. Jake Larch entertained a party of friends Sunday in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Morgan, newly married Condon young people. Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Farr, parents of Mrs. Morgan, were present as well as a number of others. A bounteous and delicious dinner was served by the hostess. Mrs. Larch's dinners are noted as being among the best of the good ones Gilliam county women know how to serve.

Mrs. Ben Esser returned Sunday from San Francisco where she has been visiting for several weeks.

W. E. Smith returned the first of the week from Portland. He is driving a new Hupmobile.

THE COMING OF THE 3rd LIBERTY LOAN

Back Mother's Sons with Father's Funds

By E. E. O'Neill and W. S. Kirkpatrick.

Of supreme moment is the issue of the war. The price of wheat and the turn of politics are serious matters—but—the Third Liberty Loan in Oregon means more than all. It means—Backing up the boys who have been sent to the overseas battlefields. Prompt and abundant loans of spare cash to the war treasury, in local trade terms, is the translation of money into airplanes, guns, ammunition, provisions, ships and every device of modern war for the American. War expenditures reach every avenue of business in this state.

Therefore, "Bridge the Pond—Buy a Liberty Bond," in the words of Mrs. H. M. McKenna of Astoria, and M. Eva Duil of Eugene.
Prepare for the Third Loan which opens Saturday, April 6, with Victory celebrations throughout Oregon. The Governor and Mayors will proclaim the significance and urgency of participation in the raising of Oregon's share of this defense fund. Rallies, open air gatherings, speeches, parades, illuminations, the Ring-it-Again Liberty Bell on the door of every household, and by every means, the citizens of our community are urged to forsake all other activities and join in the spirit and the work of the day.
Begin buying a Bond the First Day!

This is the first of a series of cartoons and slogans by Oregon illustrators and writers which will be published by the LIBERTY LOAN COMMITTEE and the space for which, is part of the patriotic offering of the

CONDON GLOBE

GILLIAM IS NOT THE POLITICAL HOTBED IT WAS ONCE; ONLY ONE OUT

Speaking of politics, the situation in Gilliam county this year is about as different from the palmy day when Bowerman pulled the throttle on the political steam roller as black from white. There was something doing then all the time; there is nothing doing now any of the time. The war has had a great deal to do with the lack of action this year but political conditions have changed greatly in the last few

years for which many folks are thankful. With only seven weeks remaining before the primary election, there is little talk on the political situation. Only one candidate has made his entry into the race for county honors and his announcement is published for the first time this week. This is Jake Schroeder. He wants to be county clerk. "Shang" Laughrigh has decided not to make the race. One or

two other names have been mentioned for clerk. Walter Graves, the present county treasurer, wants that office again and will be on the republican ticket at the primaries. One or two have been mentioned as probable candidates for sheriff. In state politics, the candidates for governor are receiving more attention than any others and they are getting mighty little although some of them have loosed their heavy artillery for a big drive.

PUPILS MAKE FINE RECORD

A number of the 4th grade pupils at the public school have made excellent records selling Thrift Stamps. Edith Turner heads the list, having sold stamps amounting to \$95. The others are Gladys McCarty, Janie Hardie, Marian Weidman, James Walker, Oscar Billingsley and Floyd May and each has sold \$50 worth. These boys and girls are all members of the Junior Rainbow Regiment.

TURN CLOCK AHEAD

Every clock in Condon will be turned ahead one hour tomorrow night so if you want to be on time at church or any other meeting the next day you had better fall in and set the alarm one hour earlier than usual.

Mrs. Pete Wilson of Rock Creek underwent an operation Monday morning at St. Mary's hospital in this city and is recovering nicely. Dr. Miller performed the operation.

Floyd Dunlap came up from Portland the first of the week for a visit with his parents here. He has been employed in the shipyards in that city for several months.

L. E. Shelley sold a Buick to Lewis Couture the first of the week.

A. W. Dant renewed his subscription to the Globe this week. Mr. and Mrs. Bert Hollen have moved in from their ranch. Lester Wilkins was up from Clem Tuesday. H. D. Randall was up from Olex Monday.

MAYVILLE FOLKS WED

A wedding of much interest to southern Gilliam took place in this city Wednesday evening when J. R. Johnson and Miss Pearl Smith, both of Mayville, were married by Judge D. R. Parker at his home in Condon. Quite a delegation of Mayville folks were here to attend the happy event. Mr. and Mrs. Johnson returned to Mayville that evening and have taken up house-keeping there. The bride is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Smith, among the best of Gilliam's pioneers, and is a winning, capable young lady who will make a good home for her husband. Mr. Johnson is associated with his father in conducting the store at Mayville. He is a fine, industrious young man. The happy couple are receiving congratulations from numerous friends among whom the Globe wishes to be numbered.

Mrs. Arthur Bousquet and children left Wednesday evening for their home in St. Paul, after an extended visit at the home of Mrs. Bousquet's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Smith. Mrs. Walter D'Nelly accompanied them.

Miss Helen Engberg returned to Portland Wednesday. Ben Esser was a Portland visitor last week.

CHAUTAQUA TO BE IN CONDON AS USUAL, JULY 4TH

Chautauqua will be in Condon this year about June 29 to July 4 inclusive. These dates are practically definite and in any event they will not deviate more than one or two days from this time. Condon people will hear this year one of the most effective war lecturers in America today and see the best war pictures. After working on this for a month the Ellison-White system secured Henry Warren Poor who has made two extended trips "over there" since the beginning of the war. He has for fourteen years been with Underwood & Underwood, the photographic headquarters for the Associated Press and this connection gives him first choice of the largest collection of war pictures in the world. Many other equally good attractions have also been secured for this circuit. Following is a letter from President Wilson to the head of the International Chautauqua Association: Mr. Montville Flowers, President, International Lyceum and Chautauqua Association, Hotel LaSalle, Chicago, Illinois. It has been on my mind for some

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NEWTON BROWN LANDS IN FRANCE; GOOD TRIP

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Brown received a letter this week from their son, Newton, in which he says: "I suppose that by the time this reaches you, you will know that I am over here at last. We are still on board ship as we just arrived in port today. We had a pretty good trip and didn't get torpedoed although we were attacked by a submarine. We couldn't see the periscope but our convoy did and fired several shots at it. Don't know whether they hit or not but I hope they did, at least that's about all there was to do. It happened in the war zone and the sub appeared on the port side. The first I knew about it was the 'call to quarters' blowing. I was a little sick the third day out, just enough to lose all my desire to be in the navy. We had several days of rough weather and one day it was very rough. I will be glad when I get on land again. There are lots of French people around in small boats here, mostly old men and small boys."

NEWS OF MIKKALO

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Chronicle of Condon visited at the Frank Little home Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Lewis and Mrs. Solvester were Blalock visitors Tuesday.

Mrs. McKinney, the Misses Agnes and Iris Little and Rollo Solvester attended the Home Guard social at Arlington Saturday night.

Miriam Keeney of Olex spent the week end in Arlington, returning Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Cimmiyotti and family motored to Condon Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. McKinley Crum are the proud parents of a baby girl, born Monday, March 25.

The new depot at Mikkalo will be completed in the near future, and will add greatly to the appearance of the town.

Fred Danielson returned to Hay Creek on Wednesday of last week after visiting relatives at Burlington, Washington, for a few days.

B. Chaney transacted business in Condon Monday.

Mrs. Fred Bock was a passenger on Wednesday's train for Portland.