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RED CROSS DRIVE FOR MEMBERS DEC. 16-23

"All you need is a heart and a dollar" is the great slogan for the Red Cross Christmas Roll Call—the membership drive which will be on during the week of December 16-23 all over the nation. The true significance of the Red Cross is now realized by everyone in the world and a membership button is a badge of honor. Two or three or more 1919 memberships in the Red Cross are not necessary—one is enough, and all that is expected of you, but that one is expected of every person in Condon and the county as well as in all other sections of the nation. When you join you will receive a 1919 membership button, a service flag and a folder with ten Red Cross Christmas seals. Wear your button on the outside of your coat where it can be seen and you will not be asked a second time. Put your flag in the front window of your home. If you have been a member during 1918, renew your membership during this drive for this will be your only opportunity to answer "present" to the 1919 Red Cross Christmas Call.

Road Work Progresses Rapidly in Wheeler

The work of putting a tufa top on the road between Condon and Fossil is progressing satisfactorily in Wheeler county and the road is being covered rapidly. As soon as that part of the macadam is completed the crews will move to the macadam down the canyon south of Condon and put a top on that. It is not expected, however, that operation on this end of the road will commence for several weeks.

A. Philippi of Arlington was in Condon Wednesday. He attended the session of the county court.

Former Resident Here

Chas. F. Kennedy, a former Condon resident, was down from Pendleton this week. He is doing well at Pendleton, but is always glad to get back to Condon and has many friends here who are always glad to see him.

BUDGET MADE UP; HIGHWAY DAMAGES ASSESSED

At a regular term of the County Court of Oregon for Gilliam county held at Condon, Oregon, Wednesday, Dec. 4, 1918, when were present: G. W. Parman, County Judge; John W. Maidment, Commissioner; Sherman Wade, Commissioner, thereupon the following proceedings were had, to-wit:

In the matter of making up budget for the year, 1919—Budget made up and ordered published as required by law.

In the matter of the Report of Road Viewers to assess damages, etc., Blalock-Arlington section of Columbia Highway—Report ordered filed and approved, damages assessed as follows:

J F Moody \$10.00
Smythe Bros. \$210.00
and 2 stock passes

W J Mariner \$15.00
Green Investment Co. 17.50
Owners to build fences if desired.

In the matter of commencing work on Columbia Highway—Ordered that this matter be continued until next regular term of Court on account of rights of way.

In the matter of fixing allowance of Wm. Vandevanter for county aid—Ordered that he be paid \$50.00 per month beginning December 1, 1918.

In the matter of auditing and allowing claims against Gilliam county, Ore-

gon—The following allowed and ordered paid:

Sidney Smith, salary and expenses	\$250.00
Geo Van Koten, road work	169.50
Joe W Kirschner, surveying	44.00
A S Rice, road viewer	16.00
Concrete Pipe Co, tiling	249.82
Shelley's Garage, repairs etc	159.52
E Pattee, road work	87.50
H P Smith, hauling etc	24.02
Arlington Lbr Co, supplies	319.73
Standard Oil Co, supplies	74.29
E B Schomp, labor	35.45
A Neel, labor	159.00
G L Crum, labor	82.25
J G Boyer, labor	21.90
A Linden, labor	42.84
J Nelson, labor	32.84
A Nelson, labor	32.84
A Gustafson, labor	32.84
A Krohn, labor	32.84
V Henning, labor	32.84
E A Clarke, labor	27.00
Jack Farmer, labor	70.56
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C. N. LAUGHRIGE,
County Clerk.

Elmer Austin, who is just back from France, arrived in Condon Wednesday to visit relatives and friends for a few days.

Boyles-Salmons

Clarence Boyles and Miss May Salmons were united in marriage Monday, December 2, at the courthouse by Judge Parker. Mr. and Mrs. Boyles are residents of the Clem neighborhood and will continue to make their home there.

J. M. Hoag of Blalock transacted business in Condon Wednesday.

Much Fall Wheat

C. A. Cameron was in from the Buckhorn country the first of the week and reported that the farmers of his vicinity have in considerably more fall grain than usual.

Chaplain Writes Letter to Mrs. Burns

Following is a letter written to Mrs. F. W. Burns by the chaplain who was with Frank Burns when he died.

France, October 30, 1918
Mrs. Anna Burns,
Condon, Oregon.

Dear Madame:
Your letter of inquiry concerning your son's death reached me today. I am at liberty, I believe, to tell you the following. Your son was wounded in action and hurried to the dressing station. I attended him while the doctor dressed his wounds. He died shortly after he had received the Sacrament of Penance. I was impressed with the simple faith of your son and know that you will be consoled not a little in knowing that good care was given him and that he died God's friend. Before burying him the next morning I removed his personal effects and sent them to the office which handles these things. In due time they will be sent to you. His grave is marked and the location registered with the government. Nothing can be done about removing the remains during the war. After the war you can take the matter up with the government and I am sure it will be handled in a satisfactory manner. Offering you my sincerest sympathy in your bereavement and assuring you that your son died unselfishly and nobly, a true citizen of his country and a friend of his God, I remain

Respectfully yours,
JOHN J. SHANAHAN.

Mrs. Clarence Olson of Portland, formerly Myrtle Greenfield of this city, has been quite sick with the influenza.

Miss Zelia Shurte, who is working in Portland, has been suffering from an attack of the "flu."

Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Shannon and daughter, Miss Lena, went to Portland Wednesday.

POPULAR FOSSIL DUNN GETS GOOD POSITION GIRL DIES

Mary Barbara Mortimer, the only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harry R. Mortimer of Fossil and niece of Mrs. F. T. Hurlburt of this city, passed away Saturday evening at her home in Wheeler county. The cause of her death was influenza. She was born May 28, 1901, and was in her junior year at the Fossil high school and was universally popular among her schoolmates and had many friends in this city. The funeral services were held Tuesday morning at 10 o'clock in the church at Fossil and were conducted by the Rev. Bishop Pemberton of The Dalles. The church and grave were beautifully decorated by her classmates and the great masses of flowers were wonderful. Several from Condon attended the funeral.

Posters are out advertising a big dance at Mikkalo next Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Wehrli Entertain Friends

Mr. and Mrs. Will Wehrli entertained a number of friends Saturday evening at their new bungalow on their ranch east of town. Dancing, games and delicious refreshments were enjoyed until the early hours of the morning. Mr. and Mrs. Wehrli are to be congratulated on their new home which is modern in every respect.

Elmer Lowe of Clem was in Condon yesterday on business.

New Road Opened

A new road will be opened at once from Clem through Mikkalo and Barnett to Rock Creek station. W. T. Solvester of Mikkalo will have charge of the work in getting it ready for travel. It is a road that will be traveled a great deal.

Mrs. John Knox was able to leave the hospital Monday after having had the influenza which was followed by a bad case of erysipelas. She is feeling much better.

Frank Little was up from Mikkalo Wednesday and met with the county court on road business.

Alex Johnson was over from Fossil the first of the week in attendance at circuit court.

M. R. Matthew, the genial traveling salesman, was in Condon yesterday.

W. J. Keeney of Olex transacted business in Condon Wednesday.

Miss Jessie Hardie returned to her school in The Dalles Sunday.

Gilliam Boy Wounded

Eph Wilson, one of the Gilliam county boys in France, was wounded October 5 by a piece of shrapnel which hit him in the left chest. He is recovering nicely and will soon be able to leave the hospital.

Ford Hendricks, Fossil attorney, was in attendance at court here this week.

Jay Wright of Mayville is able to be out again after an especially severe attack of influenza.

W. T. Solvester was up from Mikkalo Wednesday on business.

Although but 17 years old, Edward Dunn Jr., son of Judge and Mrs. Edward Dunn of 652 Tillamook street, has been named an instructor in a French radio school. Word of the honor was received by Mrs. Dunn in a letter today. Dunn expressed the opinion that he would be coming home in a short time. When 16 years old he passed his examination as a wireless operator and was assigned to a supply ship. In February he was transferred to the signal corps and since that time he has been stationed at the American general headquarters in France. Edward Dunn was born in Condon and his father was formerly county judge of Gilliam county and a merchant of this city.

Mrs. Elfe Campbell went to Portland yesterday to attend a convention of the assessors of the state.

Barker Company's Sale Is Big Success

The big closing out sale at the Barker store opened Saturday morning and the store was soon filled with bargain hunters. The business which has been done there this week is only another illustration of the value of advertising. Another advertisement of this sale will be found on the third page of this issue.

J. B. Wheir has given up delivering Journals and Morris Goodwin has taken up this work.

Pat Laughrige "Gassed"

Word was received Sunday by C. N. Laughrige that his brother, "Pat," had been gassed shortly before the end of the war but was recovering as rapidly as could be expected. "Pat" wrote that he was in the same hospital as Will Hollen and they had good visits and both were able to get out and around again.

The Misses Helen E. and Marian C. Crowe were up from Portland to spend Thanksgiving with their father and brother. They returned to Portland Sunday.

Miss Opal Turney was taken to the local hospital Saturday. She had a severe attack of influenza but is better.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Neel were down from Lone Rock yesterday.

Mrs. W. D. Kinsley has been very ill with the influenza. She is improving.

James Cooper was over from Wheeler county a few days this week.

Road to be Fixed

County Roadmaster Smyth is putting in a bridge across Trail Fork just below the grade. He reports that the bad hill between Condon and Gwendolen will be fixed this fall if possible.

D. N. Mackay is in Portland. His health is still poor and he is not improving very rapidly.

G. E. Hamaker of Portland was in Condon this week on legal business.

Frank Louy of Arlington was in Condon several days this week.

Hines-Adlard

George E. Hines and Miss Lillian Adlard were married Wednesday evening, December 4, at 7 o'clock by E. Wheir, Justice of the Peace, at his home in northwest Condon. A few friends were present. Mr. and Mrs. Hines will live at Hood River.

T. D. Sweetin of Arlington was in Condon Tuesday evening.

Sermons Are Good

Rev. Roth of Touchet, Washington, preached morning and evening Sunday at the Congregational church and those who heard him say that his sermons were very good.

United in Marriage on Thanksgiving Day

St. Catherine's church was the scene of a happy wedding at eight o'clock Thanksgiving Day when Sylvester Cooney and Grace Perkins were united in marriage by Father Wand in the presence of a number of guests. Ed Russell attended Mr. Cooney and Miss Alice Smith was bridesmaid. The bride is a Portland girl who has made many friends here since coming to Condon and the man she has chosen is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Cooney, pioneers of this county. The young couple will make their home near Condon and they have the best wishes of a large number of friends with whom the Globe wishes to join in extending congratulations.

After the wedding fifty guests gathered at the J. C. Cooney home to enjoy a delicious wedding and Thanksgiving dinner and a delightful afternoon.

Mrs. Esther J. Turner, who teaches at Pilot Rock, spent her Thanksgiving holidays on her homestead. She has just recovered from a severe attack of the "flu."

W. H. Wilson of The Dalles was in Condon this week. He was one of the attorneys in the case which was brought to this county from Wheeler.

Mrs. Abbie Riddell came up from Portland Sunday to attend the funeral of her niece, Mary Mortimer, at Fossil.

Mrs. Rose D. Nelly went to Portland Wednesday to meet her husband.

INTERESTING ITEMS FROM THE PUBLIC SCHOOL

A dramatization of "Old Mother Hubbard" will be given next week by the First grade. This comes in connection with their regular language work.

The geography subject in the Second Grade at the present is the "Children of Other Lands." The children of the Third Grade are going to have an old fashioned spelling contest Friday on the words gone over this year.

Owen Owens of Dundee, Oregon, has entered the Fifth Grade.

Frank May, Wallace Townsend and Hilda Turner have returned to school after several days' absence.

The Seventh Grade regrets the loss of Clinton Hambleton, who, with his parents has moved to Pendleton.

Leonard and Clifford Crawford from Lone Rock entered school last Monday. Leonard is an Eighth Grader and Clifford is in

CITY COUNCIL HAS MEETING; NEW MEN THERE

The city council met Monday night in regular session with the following roll call: Fitzmaurice, Farr, Snyder, Jackson, Sturgill and Graves, present; Bock, absent. This was the first meeting for the newly elected councilmen and Jackson and Snyder were qualified. Snyder was appointed a member of the water committee and Jackson was put on the street committee. Bills amounting to \$614.45 were ordered paid. Sturgill was elected as president of the council, the position formerly held by A. S. Hollen. The matter of buying and installing more fire hydrants for additional fire protection was fully discussed. It seems that the city needs more hydrants but their present cost is very high. The street committee was ordered to investigate the matter and report. More water meters were ordered through Jamieson & Marshall. The budget was formally approved and the amount to be raised by the tax levy is \$9570.

Homèr D. Angell, a Portland attorney, was here a few days this week.

Herb Walton Sentenced and Paroled

Herbert Walton was indicted by the grand jury Tuesday on the charge of securing money under false pretenses to which he pleaded guilty. He was sentenced to serve a prison term of two to five years and paroled by the court with the understanding that he pay back the money within a specified time, that his conduct be upright in all ways, that he cannot leave the county without permission from the sheriff and must not leave the state at all.

A. M. Ogilvy was up from Clem yesterday.

Orva Dyer Is Better

Orva Dyer of Mayville, who has been very low for several weeks with influenza followed by pneumonia, is improving slightly and now has a fairly good chance for recovery.

Harold Johnson and Jack Erwin are performing faithful service as flag boys for the school by raising "Old Glory" whenever the weather permits.

Robert Walker has left Condon to reside at St. Helens. Robert is an excellent student and we regret to lose him. He leaves with our best wishes.

A new football has been ordered and its arrival will make all the "kickers" happy.

At Assembly last Tuesday morning some new songs were learned and poems were recited in concert by pupils of the Fourth and Sixth Grades.

The pupils of the Public School made a very creditable showing at the Thanksgiving Song Service at the rink.

The attendance is almost normal after our enforced vacation. We are slowly making up lost time and expect to cover all lost ground before the close of school.