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## SECOND LIBERTY LOAN

Mrs. Alexander Thompson of The Dalles, state representative for Wasco and Hood River counties, delivered an address on the Liberty Loan at the opera house Tuesday evening. Although the meeting had not been extensively advertised and the weather was threatening, quite an audience was present and the closest attention was paid to the speaker's plea for more co-operation between the people and the government at this critical time.

Mrs. Thompson stated that to feed and clothe our soldiers vast sums of money must be forthcoming and the government could and would raise it in one of two ways—taxation or by the sale of interest-bearing bonds. Our men are being drafted and should the bond plan fail, our money will be drafted. She stated that a man who was able to purchase bonds and failed to do so, was one of the most contemptible kind of "slackers."

Thus far Oregon has stood at head of all states in every patriotic movement and no doubt will be at the front in the Second Liberty Loan and Eagle Valley will do her share. At the close of Mrs. Thompson's address several of our local townsmen made short talks and a number of applications for bonds were signed up.

### Death Calls Another.

Mrs. Parmelia C. Jacobs, wife of Eugene A. Jacobs of the Five Mile District, died at Baker on Wednesday morning of last week after an extended illness.

Parmelia C. Shivers was born in Nebraska on August 13, 1848, and was married to Mr. Jacobs in August, 1866. In 1901 the family left Lone Pine, Nebr., and came to Baker county where they have since resided. She had been a member of the Methodist church for many years and was well known throughout this section.

Besides the husband, five sons and three daughters are left to mourn her demise, and all have the heartfelt sympathy of Eagle Valley residents.

### Have YOU Signed Up?

Interest in the proposed extension of the county road up Eagle Canyon is increasing, and when the matter comes before the County Court next month there is no doubt but that the petition will be granted. On Sunday last Barney Eidson called on several residents of the Valley and not only did every man visited sign the petition, but also donated cash or labor. At present over \$600 in cash and labor has been subscribed and the amount will reach \$1000 at least by the time the petition is presented. Get in line and do your share—the road will save many dollars for the Valley in years to come.

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## WOMEN WILL HELP

If there was ever a time to prove our Americanism, NOW is the time. Not all of us can serve in the trenches or risk our lives going over the top across "no man's land," but all of us can take part in "Hoover's Drive" to save wheat and meat, butter and sugar, for the men who are fighting our battle in Europe.

We are not asked to stint ourselves or go without food, but to eat wisely and without waste; to use substitutes for bacon and ham, wheat foods and other concentrated foods than can readily be shipped across the water. One wheatless meal a day, one meatless day a week will keep the non-combatants in Europe from having "eatless" days most of the time. Remember that the person who wastes food during war time is giving aid and comfort to the enemy.

Next week every housewife in this community will be asked to sign a pledge card, promising co-operation with the food administration department. All we believe will do this, for the united co-ordinated effort of the nation will win the war—and win it quicker.

### "Capt." Nicely Located

Soldiers Home, Roseburg, Ore.  
October 12, 1917.

Dear Editor: In compliance to your request, will say that I arrived here safely on Sept. 10th, and was kindly given my old room and bed which the commander of the home had kept vacant for me. I found the old boys (about 140 of them) cheerful and in good spirits and the most of them ready for their regular meals, and all of them feeling grateful to the Board of Control and the Commander of the Home for the accommodation and comforts provided for them; also to the legislature for the construction of the beautiful and commodious hospital now being completed at a cost of about \$22,000.

The weather is foggy but dry, nights cool but days warm. The health is generally good among the old soldiers and in the city of Roseburg, no more cases of typhoid appearing.

Hoping that my old friends will still remember me and the E. V. News still come to my address, I remain,  
Yours truly,  
C. H. Craig.

Last Sunday Jim Kirby, accompanied by J. W. Carnahan, W. B. Wright and S. D. Jones, went up in the Reserve to estimate the damage, if any, done along the Sparta Ditch by Kirby's sheep during the past season. A lot of canned goods were eaten at noon and along towards evening Carnahan, Jones and Wright were taken severely ill from ptomaine poisoning. Fortunately they were near the government cruisers' camp in the neighborhood of the Lily White mine, where some remedies were secured and administered, otherwise the result might have been more serious.

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## SPARTA WILL EXHIBIT

The residents of the Sparta district will hold a mass meeting on Saturday of this week to complete arrangements for a district exhibit of farm and garden products to be held at the community hall on Saturday, October 27th.

We are told that this exhibit will be one of the best ever shown by the Sparta residents, in spite of the fact that the past season was the hottest and driest ever experienced in that section, and will be worth looking over. The prize-winning products will be sent to the land show in Portland next month.

An admission of 25c for adults will be charged to see the exhibit and a big dance will be given in the evening. After expenses are paid the funds remaining will be turned over to the Red Cross.

Make your plans to go and by your presence show the enterprising residents of Sparta that you are interested in the development of that community, and at the same time enjoy a day's visit with the folks.

### Land Classifiers Wanted

An excellent opportunity to enter government service in the department of the U. S. Geological Survey as land classifier, assistant land classifier and junior land classifier, is now offered to those who can pass the required examination. Competitors will not be required to report for examination but blanks may be secured which give the questions to be answered and the ratings are made from these. Entrance salaries range from \$1080 to \$2400 per year and expenses when on field service. Copies of the advertisements and questions may be seen at this office, and we advise anyone interested in this line of work to call and look them over.

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