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PATRIOTIC RALLY

Word was phoned here Sunday morning that Germany had accepted America's peace terms and in a short time anvils were being fired and a general celebration held. Led by Rev. J. M. Johnson, the congregations of both the Methodist and Christian churches marched to the town flag pole where Old Glory was saluted, patriotic songs were sung and Rev. Johnson delivered a most appropriate talk.

In the afternoon a mass meeting was held and arrangements made for the big patriotic meeting held last night, with the understanding that if the news was untrue (which proved to be the case) the program would be such as would inspire greater enthusiasm for the Liberty Loan.

It would be next to impossible to estimate the number of people present at the gathering last evening, the I. O. O. F. hall, the K. P. hall and the opera house were crowded to the limit with old and young. There was all kinds of entertainment—speaking, singing, games, dancing, and last but not least, one of those glorious community banquets for which Eagle Valley is to justly be celebrated. And everything was free to everyone. A collection was taken to pay for the use of opera house and music, and to purchase a service flag for Eagle Valley.

At Corvallis.

Corvallis, Ore., Oct. 5.

Dear Editor: Please send my paper to address below. I am quartered at a private home at present. There are about 4000 students here and all of them couldn't be stationed in the halls and as luck would have it I was stationed here so have a good bed to sleep in for a while yet.

We receive 30 bucks per month and all expenses paid. No one knows how long we will be here, probably won't get more than three or four months here for class A 20's as the oldest will leave first.

Walter Jones, Lloyd Coble and myself are in the same Company. Neither of us received any marks against us in physical examination—all went through 20-20.

Gill C. Wright,

328 N. 13th Street,

Corvallis, Oregon.

Sour Stomach

Eat slowly, masticate your food thoroughly, abstain from meat for a few days and in most cases the sour stomach will disappear. If it does not, take one of Chamberlain's Tablets immediately after supper. Red meats are most likely to cause sour stomach and you may find it best to cut them out.

Why not send the News to a soldier friend?

LETTER FROM FRANCE

Some Where in France, Sept. 2.
C. E. Thorp, Richland, Ore.

Dear Friend:

Have got here at last, but it took a long time and a lot of riding in box cars, hiking, etc, going into rest camps, staying there for perhaps one night and then being sent on. We stayed in one place a little over a week then took a hike of 25 miles—not a very long hike for infantry—but we took most of two days for it as we are not used to walking, being a mounted regiment. All the hikes we took in the States we were mounted, so it went a little hard with us. You might think 13 miles is not a very long distance to walk in a day, and it isn't (we walked it from 6 to 10:30 in the morning and took the balance of the day to rest) but when you put 80 pounds on your back and walk for 45 minutes I'll guarantee you'll be ready for the five minutes rest when it comes. I stood it pretty well, considering everything, as I had been sick the night before and ate no breakfast. We were in England for a short time so got to see a little of that country; it certainly is a garden spot and the crops are something wonderful, there is no waste ground even the land along the railroad is cultivated. In some ways the English seem more foreign to us than the French, but they made us welcome in every town we passed through. A band met us at the docks and as we left the station each soldier was given a letter of welcome written by King George. We had a great time riding on the cars in England and France—they are so different from the ones in America.

You have heard about French hospitality; well it is certainly true but not in the exaggerated degree that we have been led to believe; but just right. They are certainly a nice people though their standard of morality is not as high as ours, at least it doesn't seem so from what I have seen of them, and I am afraid they are liable to get the same impression of us from the way some of us are acting here, much as I hate to admit it.

The more I see of Europe the more I think of America, for they are 100 years behind us. When the war is over they can land me anywhere in the good old U.S.A. and I will be happy. You don't know how to appreciate your country until you have sailed thousands of miles away from its shores and know you cannot return for an indefinite time.

You people at home must stand behind us in every way—we need your help. I wish to say a few words for the Y.M.C.A., they are the great connecting link between us and home, next to our letters and what little the chaplain can do. The Y.s are always crowded and there is often a line 100 feet long

of boys in front of the Y.M.C.A. canteen as it is the only place they can get things at a decent price. The Y. give us a lot of entertainments, one night each week religious services are held. Catholic mass is held early Sunday morning and at 10 o'clock Protestant services are conducted by the chaplain or Y. secretaries.

I must say the Y.M.C.A. workers are doing a lot for us and are working hard. I believe their work is as important as ours and in some ways more so to the present and future of us fellows, so do all you can for the Y.M.C.A. for you cannot do a greater work for us. We need more Y.M.C.A. workers over here.

Tell all the people in the Valley "hello" and that I am still able to stay with the crowd, tell them also that I may not be back by this time next year but I don't figure on staying in this country more than one winter.

As ever your friend,

Corp. C. A. Barrows,
Batt. C, 329 F. A.,

American E. F. France

Appreciates News From Home

Camp Eustis, Va., Sept. 25th.
Dear Editor:

Received the E. V. News this evening and was sure glad to get it. I have read it through—even the ads are news to me now—and had the pleasure of reading the letters from home boys in different camps.

Say, you can tell the world that if we fellows from Camp Eustis ever get to "battle" with those square-headed German devils we will make them pay us for the hard drilling we are getting.

We sure do drill, no fooling about it. We have to take a 28-in. step and 128 steps per minute; it seems like they double it before the day is done.

But the bunch I am with are all Oregon boys so mark it down we can stand it.

Well, I must close with these few words, I wish all you home people well and don't fail to send the paper every week.

Pvt. Henry E. Morrison
Batt. C, 46th Art., C. A. C.,
Camp Eustis, Va.

The Best Bank

What bank is the best for you? If you leave it to us or our customers, ours is the best bank, and we can prove it too.

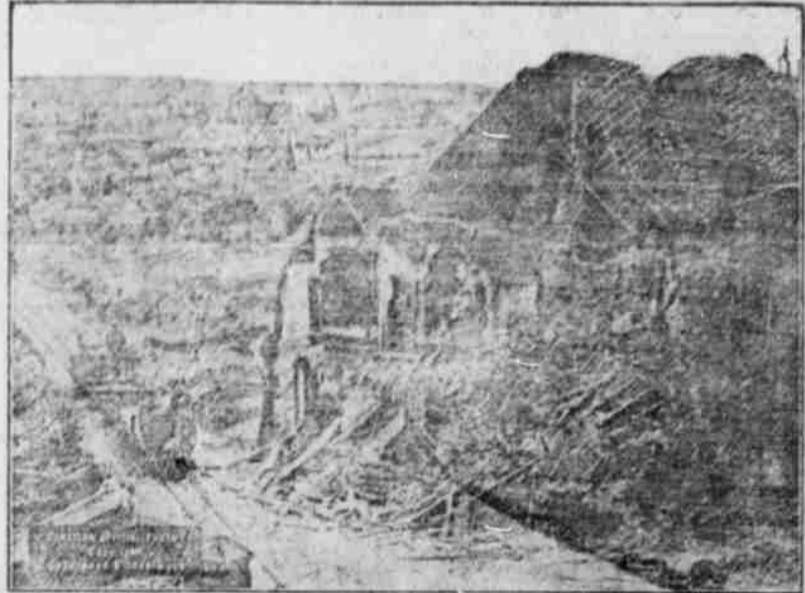
We have built this bank upon absolutely solid business principles. Its officers and stockholders are among the solid, reliable men of the community. The safeguarding of our depositors' funds is our constant care. Our banking facilities are modern, our policy liberal yet conservative. We would be glad to have YOU for one of our patrons. Our banking facilities are at your disposal.

ad) EAGLE VALLEY STATE BANK

Buy Lowney's Chocolates at Richland Drug Store.—ad

Get your cotton gloves at Raley's

RETREATING KULTUR LEAVES ITS MARK



This shows one of the thousands of French villages which have been smashed to dusty brick heaps by opposing artillery during German capture and occupation. Too often French gunners are under the necessity of sending shells into the homes where they have spent happy years with their wives and babies.

Your subscription to the Fourth Liberty Loan will help move the ruin back into Germany.

LIBERTY BOND BUYERS

Up to Wednesday evening there had been \$32,800 subscribed in this section for Fourth Liberty Loan Bonds by 237 people. This leaves us considerable short on our quota, a fact that should appeal to the loyalty and pride of every citizen, for it will be the first time that we have failed to do what was expected of us.

Remember you still have time to buy these bonds, so let us all study the matter over earnestly, search our hearts carefully, and see if it is not possible "to buy again" and make up our quota of \$40,000.

The following have purchased bonds since our last issue:

\$500 to \$1000	
Chas. Howell.....	\$1000
Henry Sass.....	500
\$250 to \$400	
W J Densley.....	300
Hayman Swisher.....	250
\$200	
Richard Kirby Nels West	
\$150	
P T Wyatt	
\$100	
OW Decker Mattie P Allen	
Mary Fraser	
\$50	
LF Parker Conrad Nelson	
Geo W Sharp Fred Saunders	
C J Shaver Mable Saunders	
Thos Dawson Frank Ashby	
Elmer Schultz C C Graven	
A F Clark Frank Bradford	
Virgil Weir Dan Stanciu	

Moonshiners Caught

John J. Fisher and Manley Teeple were caught operating a moonshine still in the mountains below Homestead last Saturday by government and county officers. The still and a large amount of liquor was destroyed and the two culprits taken to Baker and bound over to the grand jury.

Sam-E-Kar and Kid-E-Kar for children at Saunders Bro's.—ad

TAKE NOTICE!

A large number of subscribers to whom we mailed statements last week have failed to respond; a great many have called and had their subscription advanced.

If you, dear reader, are one of those who failed to settle, you must do so before Wednesday of next week or else miss future issues of the News. As we have stated before, we have received our instructions from the Federal Government as regards this matter, and we propose to comply. We would consider ourself disloyal if we failed to do so.

Ever since America entered the war we have devoted space, time and every dollar we could spare to help Uncle Sam, and to the best of our ability and to the limit of our resources have complied with every order and instruction received from the government officials. This last order will hit hard indeed, unless our subscribers show their appreciation of our past efforts by paying up all arrearages and in advance for this paper. It is up to you.

C. E. Thorp, Editor,

In spite of the extreme dry weather of the past summer, O. W. Decker and C. J. Steelman have thrashed out 2000 pounds of Mexican Red beans from 13 acres they had planted on the Johnson ranch at Sparta. They expect to plant at least 30 acres in beans next season.

COMING!

M. D. Fleming, Optometrist, of Boise, will be at Richland Hotel Thursday and Friday

October 17 and 18

He is registered in both Idaho and Oregon, has had 20 years experience, guarantees to fit your glasses exactly right, and gives special attention to children.

One pair of eyes is all you will ever have. Be fair with them.