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ENGLAND WANTS ANOTHER ENORMOUS WAR LOAN

\$1,500,000,000 Is Asked For, Making Eleven Billions in All.

(By United Press)
London, May 23.—Premier Asquith this afternoon asked the commons for a war credit of a billion and a half dollars, making a total of eleven billion, nine hundred million dollars. He said England cannot hope to diminish the loans of the allies, and it is unwise to count the British expenditures falling below 23 million dollars daily. The expenditures now are 24 million dollars daily.

Celebrating Birthday—

Charles Prochnow, the cobbler neighbor of the Democrat, is today celebrating his 59th birthday. Mr. Prochnow was born in Germany, coming to this country when a young man. In the 23 years that he has lived in Albany he has never taken a day away from his shop or store, working every day but Sunday without a vacation.

Skillful Young Performer—

At the Presbyterian church last night little Leila Watson received many compliments for her splendid work in presenting a program of seven numbers from the masters, Beethoven, Chopin, and others, displaying a skill that would be appreciated in one much older. It is not often that an eleven year old girl is capable of doing this.

At Mrs. Wallace's—

Mrs. S. A. Douglas, of Grants Pass, is the guest of Mrs. J. P. Wallace, while Rev. Douglas is at the Baptist convention in Minneapolis.

Militia Boys to Dance—

The Albany Military Club will give their regular dance this evening at the armory. A fine time is assured as the music is to be furnished by the Albany City band. These parties are proving popular and are always well attended.

John A. Farrar, of Portland, is in the city today on business.

A. L. Hammell, of Eugene, is an Albany visitor.

P. H. Freerksen, of Shedd, is in the city today.

The Ladies of the Baptist church will serve 25c meals both noon and evening in the basement of the church Friday, May 26. m23-25

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Military Dance.

At the armory, Tuesday evening, May 23, under the auspices of 5th Co., C. A. Music by the Albany band. One of a series of dances to be given bi-weekly. Admission as usual. m22-23 adv.

Graduation Presents.

We are showing some specialties suitable for graduating presents at very low prices. F. M. French & Son, Jewelers and Engravers, m22J1

CITY NEWS

Faculty Game—

Tomorrow night at 4 o'clock the high school baseball team and the faculty are down for a game of baseball. The regular team is said to have been disbanded for the season, but as the faculty beat them last year, and think they can again it is said they may conclude to be on hand and show them some pointers.

P. E. O. Delegates Chosen—

Mrs. H. S. Logan and Mrs. A. S. Hart have chosen delegates to the State grand chapter of P. E. O. which meets in Portland. The Misses Louise Wheeler, Kate Allen and Alice Allen will also attend. There is an extensive program planned for the entertainment of the visitors including a trip over the wonderful Columbia Highway.

Arnold Getting Ready—

E. J. Arnold is preparing to move his carnival to Lebanon Sunday to be ready for the opening of the Strawberry Carnival June 1 to 3d. This will be Mr. Arnold's first stand this year and from that time on he will be busy all summer. The entire company will be assembled, side shows organized and the whole company put in readiness to entertain the vast multitude during the summer months.

Land Changed Hands—

A. Craft has sold his 30 acre tract seven miles southwest of the city on the Corvallis road to C. Heitmeier, an Illinois man. The consideration was not made public. Mr. Heitmeier and family have already come from Illinois and will make their home on their newly acquired ranch. The deal was put through by Hofflich and Hornback.

Weather Report—

Yesterday's temperature ranged between 57 and 39 degrees. The river fell to 4.9 feet. The rainfall was .07 inches.

At Santa Ana—

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Eyron, who left last night for California, will be located at Santa Ana. That city will be headquarters for Mr. Eyron as salesman for the company. No office will be established. The Albany Nurseries Co. has fifty or sixty salesmen in all, one as far east as Florida, one in Arkansas, besides many on the coast. The business is all done through the Albany office. Miss Purdy, who has been with the company at Orenco, where the nurseries are located, has charge of the office until a manager is sent here in place of Frank Power, deceased.

Was Intoxicated—

S. Blankenship drew a blank last night, when he ran up against Chief of Police Catlin down towards the east end striking a breeze. He was immediately shipped to the city jail, where he will remain five days under sentence by Recorder Lewelling.

Rev. Emerson in Oregon—

Rev. F. W. Emerson, former pastor of the Christian church, and candidate for vice president on the prohibition ticket is on his way through Oregon, speaking for his party. He is

MISS BLAIR WINS FIRST PRIZE IN CONTEST

Five College Students Heard Today in Orations on Temperance Topics.

An oratorical contest of much interest was held at the college chapel today with five contestants, who did their best, with two prizes of \$15 and \$10 offered for the best efforts as one of the incentives. Following were the contestants and their subjects:

Thos. Kirkwood, Reedville, Driving the Saloons from the Nation.

Folmer A. Jensen, Influence of Liquor on the Individual.

Hope Blair, Mission of America.

David P. Martin, National Prohibition and Efficiency.

Clifford Fairfax, Alcoholic Problems.

The judges awarded first prize to Miss Blair, the second to Mr. Fairfax.

Miss Blair is a daughter of Rev. E. J. Blair, of Sunrise, a popular student in the senior class. Mr. Fairfax is from Portland, a member of the freshman class.

dated at Salem for Friday night. His present home is in Los Angeles. He is making a specialty of the five million enrollment movement.

Older Yet—

C. G. Rawlings has made the Albany old things look young, by showing a paper dated 1770, in the Dawson display. Some aged.

Returned from Montana—

Lee Davis, of Alsea, has returned from Loma, Mon., where he went with his sister, Mrs. Ernest Howard, when they went to Loma several weeks ago. He was there just before the accident at his sister's home, resulting in the death of Lila Patton.

Left for Chicago—

Dr. Olive K. Beers left this morning for Chicago, where she will again be associated in the work of the Eleanor clubs, in a different capacity from formerly. Mrs. Beers has had charge of several of the different club houses, and is thoroughly interested in the splendid work of the Eleanor Association. Since Miss Robertson's death arrangements have been made to continue the same as before, under the high standard of efficiency inaugurated by Miss Robertson.

Linn County Council—

The Linn county Agricultural Council will meet at the county court room on Friday, May 26, at 10 a. m. All members are requested to be present. m23-24 adv.

Careful attention given to all jewelry repairing at Kreamer's new store. o25t-adv

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Ladies' kimono 98c, \$1.49, \$1.98	Men's \$25 suits, every day \$16.50
Ladies' knit unions 25c-49c-69c	Boys' Knicker Suits \$1.98, \$2.98, \$3.98
Ladies' muslin combinations 49c, 69c, 98c, \$1.49	Men's unions 49c, 89c
Ladies' gowns 49c, 69c, 98c	Boys' unions 23c, 45c
Ladies' muslin skirts 49c, 69c, 98c, \$1.49, \$1.98	Men's work shirts 39c, 45c
Girls' dresses, to 2 to 5 years 49c	Men's dress shirts 49c, 98c
Girls' dresses 6 to 14 years 98c, \$1.49	Men's Pajamas \$1.49
	Men's overalls 69c, 75c
	Men's pants \$1.25, \$1.49, \$1.98, \$2.98
	Suit Cases 89c, 98c, \$1.49, 1.98, 2.98, \$3.98, \$4.98, \$5.90

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TWILIGHT LEAGUE GAVE CRACK AMATEUR GAME

In Game Between Methodists and U. P.'s a Fine Pitchers Battle Seen.

Defeating the United Presbyterian baseball team 2 to 1 in the best game of the season the Methodists last night cinched their lead in the Twilight League games. This was one of the fastest and neatest contests ever witnessed in the city. Outside of some bonhead base running gilt edge baseball was shown. Five innings were played. Professional teams offer little better pitching than that of both Stevens and French.

For the Methodists Stevens struck out 9 men. Only one error was made by them, McDonald, catcher, put out ten of the fifteen men. Only two hits were made, Torbett doing a three base act first time up and Kinsey one base. They stole six bases without arrest, Kinsey getting three of them, 6 men reaching first base.

The U. P.'s made four hits, Gilbert getting two of them, one a two bagger, French and Habberly the others. French struck out 7 men, and Jones put out 8 behind the bat, 5 going out at first and one on a fly to Habberly. Stolen bases 3, left on bases 2.

Line ups:

Methodists—McDonald c, Stevens p, Clifford 1b, Kinsey 2b, Torbett 3b, Campbell ss, Metzgar, Nebergall and Jenkins fielders.

U. P.s—Jones c, French p, Cramp-ton 1b, Gildow 2b, Clelen 3b, Gilbert ss, Irvine, Habberly, Crouch, fielders. Umpire, Shea. Official scorer, J. C. Irvine.

The next game will be played tomorrow evening between the Baptists and Grace Presbyterians.

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POSITION WANTED—Capable woman wants housekeeping; care of invalid, or child. Bell phone 204.

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