

UNION HILL DIGS UP

The list of contributors to the United War Work fund, in the Union Hill District, as furnished by the committee, is given below. Last week it was stated that only one family in the district failed to respond. This was an error, as the committee state that three refused to contribute.

- John Robb... \$ 5.00
Stanley Smith... 5.00
Joe Resch... 2.50
M. L. Ingram... 5.00
Mr and Mrs. G. H. Gray... 5.00
Wm. Steinbach... 5.00
Mrs. Kate Beck... 2.50
V. Eilers... 5.00
Mrs. G. Eilers Sr... 2.00
Chas. Eilers... 5.00
Gerd Eilers Jr... 2.50
W. J. Miley... 10.00
Sara Bartlett... 2.00
I. A. Miley... 10.00
J. H. Miley... 10.00
William Sporalsky... 5.00
J. J. Lippuner... 5.00
F. J. Flick... 5.00
Fred Wagner... 5.00
Johanna Wagner... 5.00
Mr. and Mrs. M. N. Crisell... 10.00
Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Crisell... 10.00
Otto Knorr... 5.00
Mrs. Davis... 2.00
Mrs. William Prah... 2.00
Hong Kee... 5.00
Mr. and Mrs. N. S. Butler... 2.50
Mr. and Mrs. C. D. F. Wilson... 5.00
Mr. and Mrs. John Whitworth... 5.00
Wilbur Wilson... 2.50
Paul Pellatz... 5.00
Mrs. Gus Prah... 1.00
Mrs. Mary Rogers... 1.25
R. H. Whitworth... 5.00
F. W. Sohn... 3.00
H. L. Colvin... 20.00
Robert Colvin... 5.00
W. A. Rogers... 1.00
D. T. Anderson... 2.50
W. M. Anderson... .50
Edward Muecke... 10.00
H. Muecke... 5.00
Carl Muecke... 5.00
Walter Colvin... 5.00
H. L. and Cora E. Mills... 5.00
E. Piper... 2.50

Prohibition and Hop Prospects

HOP GROWERS AND DEALERS ARE ALL AT SEA. STATISTICS INDICATE NEXT HOP CROP MAY BRING GOOD PRICE. BUT PROHIBITION MAY UPSET PRESENT PROSPECTS.

Were it not for the probability of National prohibition through the ratification of the amendment to the Federal constitution now before the states, hop growers would have a bright prospect ahead. But even the most optimistic hop man must face conditions which makes the future of the business very uncertain.

Fourteen states have already ratified the proposed prohibition amendment to the constitution of the United States. These fourteen states are Arizona, Delaware, Georgia, Kentucky, Louisiana, Maryland, Massachusetts, Montana, Mississippi, North Dakota, South Carolina, South Dakota, Texas, and Virginia.

HARRY WEST HAS PRESSING INVITATION TO PARADE

The bells rang for forty-five minutes the first time and many more during the day. At ten o'clock a procession formed which marched throughout the rest of the day with little intermission. Everything that could make a noise was used and to the limit. The procession stopped long enough to invite Harry West to take part in the jollification.

IF YOUR LABEL DOESN'T COME!

If your expected label does not come from France by tonight, don't be discouraged. Just apply to the Red Cross for a permit to send your soldier a Christmas box to France. This permit will take the form of a pledge to not use the belated label—if it should arrive later.

West will be remembered as an employe of the Aurora garage last winter, who came down from Hubbard each day. It is said he has done absolutely nothing to support the government during the war. Being a Mennonite, he used his religion to cloak the yellow streak that the stress of war uncovered all too plainly.

Several other states are regarded likely to ratify the amendment—California, Nevada, Missouri, Pennsylvania, Vermont, Wyoming, and perhaps also Ohio, Minnesota and New York. These states all meet in January, and if three of the last nine named ratify the amendment, and then action will seal the fate of John Barleycorn in America.

Hence the outlook is discouraging for the hop grower. His only market will be outside the United States. Just what the English demand or the English acreage will be next year is problematical. Of course, if absolute prohibition in this country should be postponed to 1920, next years crop may bring a good price, as it is believed that the production can't be more than 150,000 bales while the probable demand may reach 250,000 bales.

FRANCES ASBURY WHITE

"Francis Asbury White was born in what used to be called Lower Sandusky, Ohio, February 15, 1838. With his parents he moved to Atila, Fountain county, Indiana, in 1842, and to Elkhart county in 1845, and to Lima, LaGrange county in 1847; and to Oregon in 1852. We were just four months from Kanawha, Iowa, to where Aurora, Marion county is located. On the first day of September I located near there.

The following is furnished by a nephew George P. H. S. White, of Aurora. He had been a true Christian 64 years and had lived in loving companionship 56 years. He is survived by his wife, and a host of nephews and nieces and relatives.

BUTTEVILLE CONTRIBUTORS

The following are those who contributed to the United War Work fund in the Butteville school district:

- Mrs. S. A. Long... \$ 1.25
Fred Bents... 7.00
John Bowers... 1.00
Chas. Mulligan... 2.00
Mrs. W. E. Eberman... 1.00
Wm. Lottman... .50
F. B. Fargo... 2.00
H. E. Frink... 1.00
C. E. Arnold... 1.00
Wm. Bents... .50
Chas. Stonehouse... 1.50
Henry Tautfest... 2.00
Henry Hopp... 1.00
Mrs. Mary Gilbertson... 4.00
M. Brenon... 1.00
Fancy Prink... 3.00
Hop Growers' Fire Relief Assn... 20.00
G. Bevier... 5.00
Farmers' Fire Relief Assn... 20.00
C. Kuenzy... 5.00
Pearl Gibbens... 5.00
E. F. Wheeler... 1.00
L. L. Sloper... 5.00
Dick Hughes... 3.00
Josie Ryan... 2.50
John Matthieu... 1.00
Mrs. John Matthieu... 1.00
R. V. Parrott... 1.00
Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Matthieu... 2.50
Ben Eppers... 2.00
Leavy Bros... 2.00
V. W. Southall... .50
R. Woolworth... 1.00
J. D. Hite... 1.00
Dewey Smith... 1.00
Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Brower... 1.00
J. F. Kinyon... 2.00
F. S. Rogers... 1.00
Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Ryan... 2.00
Mrs. R. Woolworth... .50
W. Creson... 1.00
Mrs. Alice Stephenson... 1.00
E. A. Sholtz... .50
A. J. Scholtz... 1.00
M. O. Davis... 2.00
Mr. and Mrs. G. Penrod... 1.00
Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Slyter... 2.00
Harvey R. Parrott... .50
Mrs. R. V. Parrott... 1.00
W. R. Scheurer... 1.00
H. Lagesse... 1.00
S. Clodfeller and wife... 1.00
Mrs. August Roosens... 2.00
Louis Racette... 2.50
Sam Baxter... 1.00
Ralph Rader... 5.00
Glen Yergen... 2.50
E. A. M. Cone... 2.50
G. Dental... 5.00
Mrs. Lizzie Radcliff... 2.50
Wm. C. Dental... 2.50
A. B. Dental... 2.00
H. Becke... 2.00
Geo. X. Gooding... 1.00
Paul Gooding... 2.50
Geo. Rosich... 5.00
Dell Yergen... 2.50
A. D. Yergen... 2.50
Ida J. Yergen... 2.50
Fred Dental... 3.00
Napoleon Davis... 3.00
W. L. Murray... 5.00
W. E. Thamer... 7.50
John Murray... 10.00
Mrs. E. A. M. Cone... 2.50
Elmer Smucker... 1.00

EDWIN DEETZ KILLED IN BATTLE IN FRANCE

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Deetz of Needy were notified Monday night by the war Department at Washington that their son Edwin Deetz was killed in action October 9, on the field of battle.

He enlisted with Company I, Third Oregon, but had probably been transferred to some other regiment as the Third Oregon (or the 162nd U. S. Infantry as it is now called) is what is known as a Replacement regiment. No details of the young soldier's death are known here. It is only five months ago that Jonas Deetz, a brother of Edwin, died of wounds received in action, on the Western front in France. The double blow has been a severe one to the parents and their family, all of whom have the deepest sympathy of all who knew the two fine young men who have made the greatest sacrifice that their country can ask.

PUBLIC SALE

Will sell at Public Auction at my residence on the Ernest Hofer place adjoining Champeong school grounds Saturday, November 23, 10 a. m., one 1914 Ford roadster, horses, hay and farm implements, hogs, chickens, heifers, Sharpless cream separator, some household goods and many other articles.

The Western Hope Rebekah Lodge of this city last Saturday installed the following officers for the current term: Emma Berg, Noble Grand; Aubrey Sweet, Vice Grand; Jessie Gray, Secretary; and Emma J. Snyder, Treasurer.

MORE WAR WORK FUNDS

Contributions made to the United War Work Fund since last week include the following:

- Mrs. J. S. Vandeleur... \$ 1.00
W. G. Gooding... 2.50
Chas. Keil... 10.00
Hugo Keil... 2.50
D. A. Keil... 10.00
Mr. Anderson... 1.00
Fred Anderson and family... 10.00
Aug. Arndt... .75
J. C. Brewer... 1.00
Kenneth Phillips... 2.50
Rebekah... 5.00
Mrs. Ida Miller... 1.25

LIKED THE LETTER
A valued subscriber writes: "Will you kindly send me another copy of the Observer of last week? That letter the Kaiser wrote to his pro-German friends is the best thing I have seen yet. I wish that paper could reach every pro-German in America. I want to send a copy of it to one who needs it badly—but who is afraid to read it! The paper is worth many times the price of the subscription—on account of the loyalty and patriotism as well as its attitude on all things pertaining to right and justice."

NO BARGAIN DAYS

There will be no bargain days this year for the Portland dailies, but you can save money by subscribing for the Observer and your favorite Portland paper together. Ask us.

CARD OF THANKS

We desire to extend to all friends and neighbors our sincerest appreciation of the kindness, sympathy and assistance shown us in our bereavement through the death of our beloved son and brother, Leonard A. Askin. We also wish to thank the Auxiliaries and other friends for the beautiful floral offerings.

A. H. GIESY THE RELIABLE MERCHANDISE STORE Established 1898

RIGHT NOW IS THE TIME

For you to make your purchases for winter dress goods. Take advantage of our stocks of winter dress fabrics while the selections are good, the many shades and grades of serges are especially desirable for Suits for winter season.

Remember we carry a big stock of fancy ribbons for Holiday Season.

SADLER & KRAUS THE BEST FOR THE PRICE Special Childrens Coats at such low prices that they will make you wonder why.

Bonnets, Hats, Turbans
A new assortment of Girls Bonnets, Hats and Turbans, and Babies' Silk Poplin Hoods, just arrived, will please every mother who sees them. These bonnets, hats and turbans, beautifully designed, in silks and velvets, and the Baby Hoods in white are the neatest imaginable headwear. Be sure to see them. NO WAR PRICES.
ADJUSTABLE CURTAIN RODS
The new Boye curtain rods are something new and the most practical rod made. They fit any door or window. They come in brass, white enamel, bronzed, etc. Ordinary size 30c, double size 60c, extra large 70c, plain for kitchen doors or windows 25c. Ask about them. They should be seen to be appreciated.
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started right and spent most of his life doing for others and working to better the conditions of others in regard to the future life. Thus it can be said of him: "Good and faithful servant, after 81 and a half years, go to receive thy rich reward."
CARD OF THANKS
The widow and relatives wish to tender the many friends that were helpful in Mr. Whites long illness and for the many beautiful floral offerings, their many thanks and appreciations, Mrs. H. J. White, Mr. and Mrs. Murry Hunt, Mrs. Mina Crow, Mr. and Mrs. West Gates, Mrs. Alice M. Mack, W. L. and G. P. H. S. White, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Keller, Mr. Henry St. John.