



EARN 14 CENTS A DAY; HAS WIFE AND BABY

And Yet This True Story Has a Happy Ending.

Even a Frenchman sometimes loses, for awhile at least, his "unfailing" sense of humor.

Take, for instance, the case of a man from Lille, a soldier, Waeltele by name and only twenty-three. He had done pretty well, for the youngster had already his own printing shop in that northern French town, which is still inside the German lines.

There he was considered incurable, and after the usual three months of treatment he was granted his 14 cents a day pension. Said his fatherly army doctor, "My son, you can perhaps cure yourself if you will live in the mountains, if you will eat plenty of nourishing food and, above all, if you don't worry."

Waeltele should have smiled, but he didn't. He was thinking of his baby and his wife—and his 14 cents. "Don't worry!" The humor of it entirely escaped him.

Then the Red Cross stepped in. He was found by an American woman with some American Red Cross money for just such cases, and within a few hours he no longer had need to worry. He was sent to the mountains at Lamure, in the French Alps, happy in the knowledge that his family was being cared for by these amazingly kind Americans.

And now the army doctor's words are coming true. Waeltele's lung is healing fast, and he is dreaming of another printing shop and of living again some day with that little family. There have been over 400,000 new cases of tuberculosis in France since the war started, and to care for these cases and check the White Plague's spread is merely one of the big jobs the American Red Cross has set out to accomplish.

FATHER AT WAR, TRAGEDY AT HOME

Just What Home Service Means to a Soldier.

The father kisses his wife and kiddies goodby, shoulders his gun and marches away to war.

For a time the current of life flows smoothly for the soldier's little family. Then comes the tragedy. Mother is taken ill. The little brood of brothers and sisters is helpless. No father to turn to. A helpless mother!

To whom can the American soldier's family look at this critical period? Must a brave man's loyalty to his country mean desolation and suffering to those nearest and dearest to him?

No! Emphatically not! The American people will not permit the families of their soldiers and sailors to suffer because their breadwinners are fighting for their country. And so the Red Cross Department of Civilian Relief has created a nation-wide organization for home service for the families of soldiers and sailors.

Under the banner of "Home Service" patriotic men and women have enrolled and are devoting themselves to the noble task of helping soldiers' families to meet and adjust the problems of everyday life and aiding them to maintain the standards of health, education and industry.

Home Service—True Service.

Home service means keeping the soldier's children well and in school. It means tiding the family over financial troubles, arranging the household budget, meeting insurance premiums, adjusting a mortgage, bringing medical aid and legal advice to bear at the right moment. In short "Home Service" is true service, in that it provides the warm handclasp of friendship rather than the humiliation of charity. It calls for sympathetic understanding and intelligent consideration of the most vital needs of the soldier's family. The Red Cross is pledged to "Home Service" wherever needed in the United States. In each chapter of the Red Cross there will be a home service section, under competent hands, whose mission will be to protect the welfare of the soldiers' and sailors' homes and to safeguard the normal development of their families in employment and in ideals of self help and self reliance.

"The work that the Red Cross is doing in France this winter is worth more than a million and a half American soldiers in a trench in France today." —General Petain.

UNITED STATES SENATOR

CHARLES L. McNARY



Because United States Senator Charles L. McNary has made good he should be nominated to succeed himself in the Republican Primary.—May 17th.

From the day he became Senator he has loyally championed the prosecution of the war, and during his term of office has accomplished more for Oregon than any other member in Congress in a like period.

Among his colleagues he is known as "The man on the job" and during the present war crisis Oregon should consider itself fortunate in having an opportunity to return him and not be compelled to send to Washington, a new, untrained man.

Believing that the supreme obligation he owes his country is to help win the war, Senator McNary, instead of returning to his State to conduct a political campaign, is at his post in Washington working for Oregon and aiding in the prosecution of the war.

Always since entering the Senate he has been a friend of our soldiers and sailors and has introduced legislation giving them preferential home stead rights and repeatedly championed their cause when their welfare was in jeopardy.

Championing the cause of the Oregon farmers, Senator McNary procured for them a primary wheat market, saving thereby several million dollars to the wheat growers of the North west.

Realizing the present Food Control Law fails to fix prices for many commodities, Senator McNary has introduced, and is laboring for the passage of a bill, striking at profiteering and fixing prices on the necessities of life.

Senator McNary has Procured:

Government contracts for the first time in the State's history for Oregon products, such as prunes, dehydrated potatoes and vegetables in large quantities.

Large contracts from the government for army clothing and shipbuilding and lumbering industries.

Favorable action by the senate committee on irrigation on a bill providing for the government marketing of district irrigation bonds, thereby supplying funds for irrigation district projects.

Favorable action from same committee on a bill authorizing the Secretary of the Interior to accept irrigation or district drainage bonds and exchange them with the Secretary of the Treasury for certificates of indebtedness, thereby providing funds for legitimate projects.

Senator McNary is Working: For prompt payments of allotments to dependent relatives of our soldiers and sailors.

A comprehensive plan for the utilization of the water power resources of Oregon.

For the construction of a coast military highway at Government expense.

Senator McNary was born on a farm in Oregon; reared in the Baptist church; educated in the public schools worked his way through Stanford University; is a lawyer and farmer and has been a life-long republican. He was formerly a Justice on the Supreme Court and later chairman of the State Republican Central Committee.

Space forbids further enumeration of the vast amount of work Senator McNary has done for Oregon, but anyone will realize from the foregoing that the Senator has displayed truly remarkable ability, coupled with extraordinary diligence and energy. His native State can best show its appreciation of his faithful and efficient services by nominating and electing him.

S. B. KAY, State Treasurer.

U. S. Must Cut Use Of Wheat by One-Half

America Consumed 42,000,000 Bushels Monthly. From Now Until Harvest Must Use Only 21,000,000.

RATION PER PERSON IS 1 1/2 POUNDS OF WHEAT PRODUCTS WEEKLY

Military Necessity Calls for Greater Sacrifice Here—Allied War Bread Must Be Maintained—Our Soldiers and Sailors to Have Full Allowance.

If we are to furnish the Allies with the necessary proportion of wheat to maintain their war bread from now until the next harvest, and this is a military necessity, we must reduce our monthly consumption to 21,000,000 bushels a month, as against our normal consumption of about 42,000,000 bushels, or 50 per cent. of our normal consumption. This is the situation as set forth by the U. S. Food Administration at Washington. Reserving a margin for distribution to the army and for special cases, leaves for general consumption approximately 1 1/2 pounds of wheat products weekly per person. The Food Administration's statement continues: Many of our consumers are dependent upon bakers' bread. Such bread must be durable and therefore, requires a larger proportion of wheat products than cereal breads baked in the household. Our army and navy require a full allowance. The well-to-do in our population can make greater sacrifices in the consumption of wheat products than can the poor. In addition, our population in the agricultural districts, where the other cereals are abundant, are more skilled in the preparation of breads from these other cereals than the crowded city and industrial populations.

With improved transportation conditions we now have available a surplus of potatoes. We also have in the spring months a surplus of milk, and we have ample corn and oats for human consumption. The drain on rye and barley, as substitutes, has already greatly exhausted the supply of these grains.

To effect the needed saving of wheat we are wholly dependent upon the voluntary assistance of the American people and we ask that the following rules shall be observed:

- 1. Householders to use not to exceed a total of 1 1/2 pounds per week of wheat products per person. This means not more than 1 1/2 pounds of Victory bread containing the required percentage of substitutes and one-half pound of cooking flour, macaroni, crackers, pastry, pies, cakes, wheat breakfast cereals, all combined.
2. Public eating places and clubs to observe two wheatless days per week, Monday and Wednesday, as at present. In addition thereto, not to serve to any one guest at any one meal an aggregate of breadstuffs, macaroni, crackers, pastry, pies, cakes, wheat breakfast cereals, containing a total of more than two ounces of wheat flour. No wheat products to be served unless specially ordered. Public eating establishments not to buy more than six pounds of wheat products for each ninety meals served, thus conforming with the limitations requested of the householders.
3. Retailers to sell not more than one-eighth of a barrel of flour to any town customer at any one time and not more than one-quarter of a barrel to any country customer at any one time, and in no case to sell wheat products without the sale of an equal weight of other cereals.
4. We ask the bakers and grocers to reduce the volume of Victory bread sold, by delivery of the three-quarter pound loaf where one pound was sold before, and corresponding proportions in other weights. We also ask bakers not to increase the amount of their wheat flour purchases beyond 70 per cent. of the average monthly amount purchased in the four months prior to March 1.
5. Manufacturers using wheat products for non-food purposes should cease such use entirely.
6. There is no limit upon the use of other cereals, flours, and meals, corn, barley, buckwheat, potato flour, et cetera.
Many thousand families throughout the land are now using no wheat products whatever, except a very small amount for cooking purposes, and are doing so in perfect health and satisfaction. There is no reason why all of the American people who are able to cook in their own households cannot subsist perfectly well with the use of less wheat products than one and one-half pounds a week, and we specially ask the well-to-do households in the country to follow this additional programme in order that we may provide the necessary marginal supplies for those parts of the community less able to adapt themselves to so large a proportion of substitutes.
In order that we shall be able to make the wheat exports that are absolutely demanded of us to maintain the civil population and soldiers of the allies and our own army, we propose to supplement the voluntary co-operation of the public by a further limitation of distribution, and we shall place at once restrictions on distribution which will be adjusted from time to time to secure as nearly equitable distribution as possible. With the arrival of harvest we should be able to relax such restrictions. Until then we ask for the necessary patience, sacrifice and co-operation of the distributing trades.

B. W. SLEEMAN, Bus. Rep. of District Council of Carpenters. MRS. GEO. W. McMATH, Pres. of Co-operative League. THOMAS A. McBRIDE, Chief Justice of Oregon Supreme Court. T. B. NEUHAUSEN, Vice-Chairman Hughes Campaign Committee. Paid Advertisement

Thurston to Have Flag Last Friday evening a program was given at the graduation exercises of the Thurston schools, to raise funds for the purchase of a new flag for the public schools. The sum of \$10.70 was raised. Miss Alice Zimmerman, instructor, had charge of the exercises.

Proper Food for Weak Stomach The proper food for one man may be all wrong for another. Every one should adopt a diet suited to his age and occupation. Those who have weak stomachs need to be especially careful. They should eat slowly and masticate their food thoroughly. It is especially important that they keep their bowels regular. When they become constipated they feel dull and stupid. To strengthen their bowels they should take Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy. It is a pleasant and effective.

APHIS IS SERIOUS PEST

Solution for Spray Given by County Agricultural Agent

Aphis is more troublesome than usual this year, and the following spray is recommended by N. S. Robb, county agricultural agent: 1 teaspoon of black leaf 40. 1 cubic inch of laundry soap. 1 gallon of water. If the aphis are bothering peas, use 1 1/2 to 2 teaspoonfuls.

If the spray draws together in drops on the leaves, more soap should be used. The insects themselves must receive a thorough coat of spray or they will not be killed. Several applications are necessary to control the aphis.

First Half of Tax is Paid The first half of Lane county's state taxes for 1917 has been turned in by county treasurer S. W. Taylor to state treasurer T. B. Kay. This amounts to \$53,649.20 which is more than half of the 1917 tax, which amounted to \$105,941.95. The second half of the tax is due November second.

Must Spray Fruit According to C. E. Stewart county fruit inspector, some orchardists are neglecting to spray for scab. In order to insure a good sound fruit crop this should be done at once.



GUS C. MOSER Republican President Oregon State Senate

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