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### CONSCRIPT THE MONEY

Nevertheless the late Liberty Loan bond fund appears to have been over subscribed, many people who were quite able to do so, failed to volunteer their cash at the call of the government. Now the perpetuation of the American government is just as valuable to one citizen as another. Indeed it is of more value to the man who owns large blocks of income paying property than to the man who owns his labor only for, should an enemy attack us and secure a footing on our shores, as in the case of Belgium or northern France, the property owner would suffer in a financial way, while the man with labor as his only asset, has only his life and that of his family at stake.

Another very important reason is the property owner is usually too old for military service. Hence he can only do his bit by freely devoting his money in the defense of his country. True, his boy may be in the ranks. But the boy is only paying the debt he owes his country. His father should not appropriate credit therefor. Most of our moneyed men give freely of their means to the needs of our country. Unfortunately there are a few, and we hope their number is small, who value their dollars above human life. Aye, even above our government's existence, under whose laws and protection they have accumulated their wealth. These men are slackers, just as is the young man who refused to register for military service. Should not the wealth of such men be drafted just as our young men soon will be? If they will not be volunteers, they should and must be conscripts.

Too many of our American people place too high an estimate upon their wealth. They throw too many bouquets at themselves for having been successful in the scramble for dollars. In fact they are, but they may not know it, dollar worshipers.

So if the man of wealth, or even of a comfortable competence, will not do his bit either in the ranks as a soldier or by giving of his substance, he should be made to do so. Nor should the government hesitate to take from his substance, a just proportion for the nation's defense.

Recently all young men between the ages of 21 and 30 were required to register for military service. From this registration an army of from 500,000 to 1,000,000 men will be drafted. They will have no option but to obey the governments requirement. They will be exposed to sickness and death, on the battle front. They, many of them, will give up all for their country. The financial slacker is asked to give up a part of his moneyed substance in the way of a loan to the government, backed by the best security in the world. He is asked to donate the difference between 3½ per cent and 6 per cent interest. Nor is this

2½ per cent a loss, for government bonds are exempt from taxation and this fully covers the loss in most localities.

The Tribune believes that congress should get busy on arranging a draft on money. Surely our government has not so degenerated that she values money above men. If so, it is quite time for the governmental spirit to be reconstructed.

### LET US HARMONIZE

Scio will never get anywhere unless more harmony exists among the people on matters which effect public interests. We differ with reference to the conduct of our schools, on street improvement, on improving our highways, etc. and, in fact, on every question effecting public interests.

Now, it is right that we should differ in opinions. We can only effect progress by discussing the questions appertaining thereto. But when a decision is made, then all discussion should cease and everyone give his or her influence to carry out whatever may be, by the plans which may have been adopted.

In order to carry forward any public improvement successfully in a town or community, there must be team work and each factor of the team must do his part and work in harmony with the rest of the team. When, for instance, a majority of the people of our town decides to make a public improvement, it is the duty of one and all, including the minority, to fall in line and get the very best results from the plan adopted. No matter whether the plan adopted suits you, just fall in line and help make the other fellow's plan the best possible success.

Now we want our street improvement completed this summer. Some plan of procedure must be adopted and worked to. If your plan is not adopted, by all means help carry out whatever plan may be adopted. To accomplish results, an united effort is required. Therefore let us drop all knocking and discussions and work in harmony for the progress of Scio.

Now that the condensery is being greatly expanded and the further fact that there is a prospect that we will have a cannery in the near future, we may, also, have other manufactures established. It is a good large payroll that builds up a town and it behooves all of us to work in harmony for our common good. Let us so conduct our public affairs that Scio will present the best possible outlook to the capitalist who may be seeking a location for an industry. It is quite time for us to shake off all faultfinding and bickerings, which cannot do good but is sure to be productive of harm.

### KAISERISM A FOE TO LIBERTY

There is no doubt but what the greatest foe to human liberty in the world today, is the German kaiser. He is the greatest because he wields more power than any other autocratic ruler and is now warring on democracy to make autoeracy dominant in other countries as well as in his own. He brought on this greatest of all wars, and which he is conducting in the most cruel and inhuman manner which autocratic ingenuity can devise, because he is jealous of the progress democracy, throughout the world, is making, including that of the German people and he is now making the last great struggle to maintain the divine right of kings to rule.

Since the beginning of the war, the kaiser has seen the uprising of the Russian people against their Czar who was, ostensibly, fighting against the Germans, but was secretly aiding them, for which he

was forced to abdicate. He has, also, seen his brother-in-law king of Greece forced to do likewise. He sees a great unrest among his own people as well, all of which is due to the growing desire of the people for democracy or self government. In fact, the growth of democratic feeling in the German empire probably caused the kaiser to force the war in order to attract the attention of his people away from the rapidly growing democratic thought.

But the war, should the Germans be defeated, is likely to bring about a democratic government for the German people. The kaiser has so ruthlessly broken treaties with the other nations of the world and treated them as mere scraps of paper, that it is not likely that the entente powers and which now include the United States, will have any confidence whatever in a treaty to which the kaiser would be a signature. The further fact that the kaiser has conducted the war in such a barbarous and cruel manner, that other nations, which believe that war should be conducted humanely, will demand his abdication as the leading feature in peace terms. Indeed the world will not feel safe so long as William occupies the German throne.

Give Germany a republican form of government or a kingdom as liberal as that of England, and she would become one of the most progressive peoples of the world. But give the victory to the kaiser and world liberty would be in jeopardy at all times.

It is because of kaiser's obstinate disregard of world treaties, and the especial disregard of the rights of the United States, that we have entered into the war. We do not wish to acquire territory by conquest. Far from it. But we do wish to make the world a safer place in which to live and that every nation, large or small, shall have the right to work out its own destiny as it may deem best.

So we are now engaged in another war in the defense of human liberty. We do not wish to war on the German people, but we do believe that kaiserism is a block to human progress and liberty and that the world will never be safe as long as Kaiser William is the ruling power of a great nation.

### Teachers Examinations

Notice is hereby given that the county superintendent of Linn county, Ore., will hold the regular examination of applicants for state certificates at the court house as follows:

Commencing Wednesday, June 27 at 9 o'clock a. m. and continuing until Saturday, June 30, at 4 p. m.

#### Wednesday Forenoon

United States history, writing, music and drawing.

#### Wednesday Afternoon

Physiology, reading, manual training, composition, domestic science, methods in reading, course of study for drawing, methods in arithmetic.

#### Thursday Forenoon

Arithmetic, history of education, psychology, methods in geography, mechanical drawing, domestic art, course of study for domestic art.

#### Thursday Afternoon

Grammar, geography, American literature, stenography, typewriting, physics, methods in language, thesis for primary certificates.

#### Friday Forenoon

Theory and practice, orthography, physical geography, English literature, chemistry, physical culture.

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