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PROFITEER, PROFITEER; WHO'S GOT THE PROFIT?

Despite the war situation and the impending Liberty Loan drive politics in Oregon are beginning to bubble and boil. Chief interest centers in the Governorship and Senatorial fight. With five avowed candidates and two more about ready to get into the scrap, the governorship offers sufficient variety to suit all tastes. However, general opinion seems to be that the fight is between Withcombe and Olcott.

In the senatorial race the fight is between Stanfield and McNary with the betting getting pretty close on account of the popularity of Stanfield and the fact that he is the only candidate for senator who is not a lawyer. Eighty per cent of the National Congress are lawyers; every member of the Oregon delegation in Washington is a lawyer and every candidate for the nomination is a lawyer excepting Stanfield. The further fact that the administration is calling for the services of practical business men is another argument in Stanfield's favor, for he is acknowledged to be one of the biggest, brainiest business men of the state and almost sure to be a winner.

For some time it looked like wool was going to be the issue in the Senatorial campaign, but when it was shown beyond question that the wool grower received only from 40 to 65 cents a pound for his wool, and the consumers and knitters have to pay from \$4.50 to \$7 a pound for yarn, the price remains stationary and he cannot sell his wool on account of the lack of transportation. He is being gradually squeezed to the wall.

Hats Off to Liberty School

Liberty school district, out in the Eightmile country, is perhaps entitled to the blue-ribbon in backing up the Red Cross with the real sinews of war. There are not many people in that district but they all mean business it comes to winning the war, and they do not propose to try to do it by talk.

At a basket social out there last Saturday evening the sum of \$200 was realized from the sale of baskets, and the amount was sent into town Sunday and turned over to the Red Cross.

Walter Gay was the auctioneer of the evening and he seems to have been some salesman.

A live auxiliary to the Morrow County Chapter has been organized in that district and much work has been and is being done for the Red Cross. Mrs. Chas. Huston is president of the auxiliary and Mrs. A. E. Anderson is the secretary.

If every community in the United States would "come thru" proportionately according to population the Red Cross would be swamped beneath an avalanche of gold.

Mrs. Fred Elder and Mrs. Waldo Vincent returned from a visit to Portland Saturday evening.

"THE LIBERTY BOND IS VICTORY'S WAND"

—By H. E. Allen, Hillsboro



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LIBERTY LOAN COMMITTEE.

Kilkenny Backs Stanfield

The following letter from John Kilkenny, Morrow county's well-known sheepman, which was published in the latest issue of the Oregon Voter speaks for itself. It may be added, however, that Eastern Oregon is full of Stanfield men of the same calibre as Mr. Kilkenny—men who will back their judgment, their political preference, their business interests and their personal friendships with good, hard cash:

"Heppner, March 16, 1918.

"To the Editor:—In your Voter of March 9th, I notice that Mr. Mark S. Skiff of Salem is attempting to make it appear that R. N. Stanfield's friends will not support him during his campaign by contributing such money as he may need to conduct his campaign.

"I have been a neighbor of R. N. Stanfield since he was a small boy and knowing him and believing in him as I do I have taken it upon myself to state that I am ready to contribute \$2,500 to R. N. Stanfield's campaign expenses, and if he needed double I stand ready to double that amount.

"Senator McNary has the advantage of Mr. Stanfield in being able to secure greater publicity and also he can use his congressional frank as a means of corresponding with the people, and while the mails will be burdened with Senator McNary's literature free of charge, Mr. Stanfield must pay for the privilege of hav-

"Polished Pebbles."

The production of the above-named operetta at the opera house Wednesday evening by members of Heppner high school revealed two facts very clearly: That Heppner school children possess a high degree of musical talent, and that in Miss Augusta Baker, teacher of music, the school is fortunate in having a first class instructor and director of music and musical programs.

The play did not, as the title might imply, have anything to do with bald heads, but brought out the frivolity and follies of a woman and her two daughters who went from a country community to the city and there became infected with the society bug and bright light life to an alarming degree, and the hard bump it required to ultimately drive the disorder from their systems.

To mention personally each one who deserves special mention, down to the Dutch comedienne lady and her unfortunate progeny and the versatile jokers who really sprung some new ones, would mean a duplication of the published cast of characters as well as the names of

ing his literature distributed. "The only way that Mr. Stanfield can have an even chance is for his friends to contribute liberally to his campaign needs. Very respectfully, JOHN KILKENNY."

To Solve Labor Problem

Mr. Baldwin, of Portland, assistant farm help specialist, will meet with Morrow county farmers here Saturday evening to confer with them on the harvest help question. A delegate will be selected at this meeting to meet with delegates from other eastern Oregon counties to work out a co-operative plan for handling the help question.

F. H. Thompson, a bug expert from O. A. C., has gone to Barney county to put on a grasshopper campaign. He expects later to come to Morrow county to make war on wire worms and grasshoppers should either of these pests put in an appearance.

A farmers' meeting will be held at the Alpine school house Tuesday evening, April 9.

Sam E. Van Vactor and Guy Boyer made a business trip to Orono Wednesday by auto, returning the same day.

the chorus, which has not been published. Each one was strictly "on the job" from start to finish and there was not so much as the shadow of a hitch in the whole performance.

Capacity houses greeted the young artists at both matinee and evening performances and the object of the affair, to wipe out the indebtedness of the Athletic Association, was more than accomplished. The receipts were \$205.35.

LIBERTY COMMITTEE ARRANGES SCHEDULE

At a meeting of the committees having in charge the Third Liberty Loan campaign in Morrow county, held at Lone last Sunday afternoon, it was decided to secure a speaker from Portland who will be accompanied by a soldier who has seen service in the trenches in France, and with them to make a thorough campaign of the county commencing Saturday evening, April 6th, and ending Sunday evening, April 14. Several cars, loaded with representatives citizens of the different towns and communities of the county, will accompany the speakers on this trip. The schedule as arranged for at Sunday's meeting follows:

Lone—Saturday Evening, April 6, at 8.
Eightmile—Sunday afternoon at 2:30.
Dryfork—Sunday evening at 8.
Cecil—Monday evening at 8.
Pine City—Tuesday evening at 8.
Lena—Wednesday evening at 8.
Lexington—Thursday evening at 8.
Heppner—Saturday evening at 8.
Hardman—Sunday afternoon at 3.

The committee in charge of this campaign earnestly urge upon every citizen of the county the importance of attending these meetings and to urge all of their friends and neighbors to attend. It is necessary that every citizen who is financially able to do so shall get behind this campaign. Morrow county has given a good account of herself in all previous campaigns connected with war activities and she must not fall down this time. One hundred thousand American boys are now on the battle line in France doing their part in the most stupendous conflict in history, and those at home must get squarely behind them in the way of finance and the conservation of food. In no other way can they win.

Local Executive Boards and Committees for Morrow county:

Heppner—W. P. Mahoney, chairman; S. W. Spencer, E. M. Shutt, C. A. Minor, W. B. Barratt.

Lone—H. M. Cummins, chairman; R. M. Akers, W. H. Cronk, Bert Mason, Elmer Griffith.

Lexington—W. G. Scott, chairman; W. O. Hill, J. M. White, W. F. Barnett, Frank Evans.

Irrigon—N. Seaman, chairman.

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Speakers Committee—S. E. Notson, Heppner; W. O. Hill, Lexington; W. H. Cronk, Lone; Geo. Bleakman, Hardman; J. J. Nys, Heppner.

Finance Committee (for local finances)—W. H. Cronk, Lone; W. G. Scott, Lexington; W. R. Irwin, W. G. McCarty, Frank Gilliam, Heppner.

Special Committee (to solicit non-residents)—C. C. Patterson, J. J. Wells, J. A. Waters.

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CHILDREN PLEASE IN EASTER PROGRAM

Perhaps the most unique and enjoyable Easter program ever given in Heppner was that given at All Saints Episcopal church last Sunday evening by the members of the Sunday school. The idea carried out in costumes and selections was that of a flower garden, every child in the school being dressed to represent some particular flower. And flowers they all were—sweet and winsome buds and blossoms bringing with them the promise of Spring and the joyous message of Easter.

The exercises opened with the Processional, "Hallelujah, Christ is Risen," by the entire school, which was followed by a short verse from each member relating to the flower represented. Then followed: Song, "Hark to the Robins," by the Flower Garden, Mary Clark accompanist; recitation, "Welcome the Saviour," Willetta Barratt; solo, "What Would You Have Done?" Lovell Lucas; song, "Swing, Lily Bells," by the Pollyannas; exercise, "Jesus Lives," Flower Garden; chorus, "The Voice of Many Nations;" a flag song by the Flower Garden; solo, "The Palms," Josephine Woolery; song, "Jesus Wants Me for a Sunbeam," Marjorie Clark, Mildred Bosely, Mary Patterson, accompanist, Esther Neal; recitation, "Thru Death to Life," Mary VanVactor; vocal solo, "Under the Snow," Dorothy Pattison; song, "Jesus Loves Me," by the school; the program closing with an address by Rev. Dr. Geo. B. Van Waters.

Perhaps the most cunning feature of the evening was the infant class, a beautiful bevy of little lads and lassies who constituted a veritable flower garden on the steps leading to the platform and where they were the "observed of all observers," and Baby Lucas, a tiny toddler who forsook his daddy for the bright lights and refused to be omitted from the program.

The ladies of the church, who planned and carried out the affair, are entitled to much credit for their share in the success, and to Miss Muriel Cason, who trained the youngsters in their parts is due not only high praise for work well done but also the thanks of all parents for the excellent training their progeny received at her hands, in bringing out and developing the latent talents of these bright young minds.

Red Cross Notes

[EDITED BY R. C. CHAPTER]

Following is a list of the names of ladies who worked at Red Cross headquarters last Friday and Tuesday. If your name is not here try to have it appear in the list next week.

Mesdames Iler, Wilkins, C. E. Jones, Letrace, Buschke, Roberts, Smith, J. Jones, Hughes, Borg, John Patterson, Farnsworth, Anderson, Babee, Stapleton, Richardson, Cohn, Kelley, McCarthy, Young, Spencer, Gemmel, Swaggart, Frye, Knappenberg, Boyd, Misses Farnsworth, Gilman, Hood.

Tuesday—Mesdames Iler, Herren, Vaughn, Stone, Parker, Roberts, Lewis, Allison, Barratt, Farnsworth, Cohn, Kelley, Phelps, Baler, Mahoney, Noyes, Sweek, VanVactor, Spencer.

Took work home—Mesdames Addie Patterson, Irwin, C. C. Jones.

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