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### Investment in Liberty

**A**PPEAL to the people of Oregon to purchase defense savings stamps and bonds without employing coercion is commendable on the part of the state defense savings council. There should be ready response by everyone without the necessity of holding the threat of unpatriotic action over their heads when an understanding is had of the purpose of the securities, their adaptability to savings and their yield in comparison with other types of investments.

State Defense Savings Chairman Palmer Hoyt has said that the sale in Oregon will be conducted by making the stamps and bonds accessible "at every cash register" and by informing the people of the facts. That is good merchandising.

There should be considerable extra money in Morrow county this fall that may well be put into defense savings bonds. Thus employing these funds will build up a reserve against the day when individual fortunes will be reversed, as they may well be expected at the close of present emergency spending. That is the biggest angle from the individual view. Probably more important, however, is the fact that such investment will make additional funds available to the federal government at a time when the funds are sorely needed, hastening the whole defense program—for it is money that makes the mare go. In this respect individual benefit will be realized, too, in the lowered necessity for increasing the tax burden.

The war clouds are far from being cleared overseas. In spite of Russian claims that the Nazis have been severely hurt, there must be the realization that the Nazis are still gaining their objectives. They have not been stopped.

The very fact that a dictator can order the mass bloodshed so far witnessed is plenty of cause for Americans to invest now in defense. Such investment is an investment in liberty, the American way, and another barrier thrown in the way of expanding totalitarianism, which, if you prefer, is nothing more nor less than international gangsterism.

#### ANSON RUGGS LEAVING

Mr. and Mrs. Anson Rugg have been making preparations to move to Wallowa where they will operate a restaurant. Their work of managing the store and service station at Rhea creek will be assumed by Mr. Rugg's parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Rugg, and operation of the Rugg farm will be handled by Mr. and Mrs. Marcus Brown (Frances Rugg) who arrived this week from California.

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## Prize List for the 1941 Rodeo Parade

	1st Prize	2nd Prize	3rd Prize
<b>FLOATS</b>			
Grand Sweepstakes	\$40		
Organizations	23	\$15	\$10
Business Houses	25	15	10
Comic Float	10	5	
Floats (not included in above)	5	2.50	
Best Grant County	10		
Best Gilliam County	10		
Best Umatilla County	10		
Best Wheeler County	10		
<b>INDIVIDUAL ENTRIES</b>			
Best Costumed Cowgirl	5		
Best Costumed Cowboy	5		
Best Clown with Animal and Equipment	5		
Costumed Lady Riding Side Saddle	5	2.50	
Oldest Morrow County Pioneer Man	5		
Oldest Morrow County Pioneer Woman	5		
<b>MISCELLANEOUS LIVESTOCK</b>			
Four Horse Team	15	10	
Horse or Mule Pack String	15	10	
Paraded Sire and Herd	25	15	
Best Horse and Buggy (depicting a certain era)	10	5	
<b>4-H CLUB</b>			
Best Groomed 4-H Club Girl (To be judged on appearance of skin, hair, nails, posture, appropriate type of dress)	5	3	2
Best Groomed and Paraded 4-H Club Animal	7.50	5.00	2.50
<b>JUVENILE ENTRIES (Under 15 years of age)</b>			
Costumed Cowgirl	5	2.50	
Costumed Cowboy	5	2.50	
Most Original Pet	3	2	1
Ugliest Dog	3	2	1
Best Pony and Cart	3	1.50	
Wagon drawn by goats	7.50	5	
Wagon drawn by Calves	7.50	5	
Best Decorated Bicycle	3	2	1
Best Yearling Colt drawn in parade (draft or saddle)	5	2.50	
<b>MISCELLANEOUS ENTRIES</b>			
Best Historical Representation	3	2	
Best Patriotic Representation	3	2	
Largest Immediate Family in Parade (Morrow County)	10	5	
Largest Organization on Horseback in Parade (outside of Morrow County)	25	15	

(Note—The practice of giving each child participating in parade \$1.00 is being discontinued. The expense has been heavy, and it is believed that those originating entries should benefit by the prize money generously donated by the Heppner Merchants. In case of a tie both winners will receive the amount specified. Sweepstakes winner will not participate in any other prize. Any entry can participate in historical or patriotic prizes.)

#### ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS

Sealed bids will be received by the clerk of Union High School District No. 1, Morrow County, at the office of the clerk in the Union High School building in Hardman, Oregon, until 7:30 P. M., August 21st, 1941, for the furnishing of the labor and material in the construction and remodeling for the Union High School Building in the City of Hardman, Oregon, in accordance with plans and specifications prepared by C. B. Miller, Architect.

Plans and specifications are on file in the office of the clerk and in the office of the Architect. Contractors desiring to bid on this work may secure a set of the documents at either office. Plans and specifications shall be returned to the clerk at the time the bids are presented.

All bid proposals shall be accompanied by cashier's check, certified check or bid bond in an amount not less than 5 percent of the bid to guarantee the execution of the contract and the furnishing of 100 percent performance bond. Should the successful bidder fail to enter into a contract within ten days following receipt of notice from the clerk of said award the bid deposit will be forfeited to the school district as liquidated damages.

The school board reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids submitted, or they may waive informalities and accept a proposal as may be to the best interest of the district.

All bids will be opened at the office of the clerk and read publicly at, or soon after, the hour stated

#### MEREDITH DEATH TOLD

The recent death of Troy Meredith by burning near Redding, Cal. was told in newspaper clippings received this morning by John Wightman, for whom Meredith worked for several years. Meredith, employed on the Pit river bridge, was alone in a tenthouse at Mountain Gate, presumably lying in bed reading by the light of a kerosene lamp when he fell asleep and the bed caught on fire, Saturday morning, 2:35 a. m., July 12. When neighbors discovered the fire and responded, the entire building and contents were beyond saving and Meredith was found some 50 or 60 feet from the inferno. He was rushed to Redding by ambulance where he was found to have burns all over his body, and he died the next morning. Funeral services were held Saturday, July 19 from Home Undertaking Co. at Redding with interment in Redding cemetery. He is survived by the father, George Meredith of Fries, Va.

#### SELECTEES ENLIST

Word has been received by Morrow county local board that registrant Charles M. Cox, son of Mr. and Mrs. Claude Cox of Heppner, has enlisted in Headquarters Squadron, 11th Pursuit Wing, of the U. S. Air corps at Portland. This word comes from 2nd Lt. H. D. Ivey, Jr.

above. The board reserves the right to hold all bids for five days for examination.

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FRANCES LEATHERS, Clerk,  
Hardman, Oregon.

## DEFENSE BOND Quiz

Q. In what denominations are Defense Savings Stamps available?

A. Ten cents, 25 cents, 50 cents, \$1, and \$5. An album is given free with first stamp purchase to mount stamps of 25 cents up.

Q. In what denominations are Defense Savings Bonds available?

A. You can buy a series E Bond for \$18.75, \$37.50, \$75, \$375, or \$750. The prices of Series F Bonds range from \$74 to \$7,400; Series G Bonds from \$100 to \$10,000.

NOTE:—To purchase Defense Bonds and Stamps, go to the nearest post office or bank, or write for information to the Treasurer of the United States, Washington, D. C.

## Advertising Speaks:

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of the air corps. Information has also been received from 2nd Lt. D. K. MacDonald of the infantry that Warren George Canoy, a July 1, 1941, registrant of this board, has enlisted for three years in the regular United States army.

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