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ASKED FOR BREAD, GOT CAKE

When Messrs Schicklgruber, Mussy Lena, Tojo et al have time to reflect a bit they might contemplate the erroneous idea they held regarding a soft America, the land that was too busy making money and spending it in luxurious living to give war a thought. If the surprising strength of our armed forces has not given them sufficient evidence of this nation's purpose then they should give heed to the results of the recent war bond drive—the second war loan bond campaign.

Exact figures are not at hand, but announced figures show that the United States of America, the cradle of democracy, continues to stand in the way of the ambitious dictators realizing their goals, for when asked to subscribe 13 billion dollars through purchase of bonds, the people stepped up and bought more than 17 billion dollars worth.

Such conduct is beyond the understanding of the international racketeers and surely is not what they would have their blindfolded subjects believe. It was not included in their plans for world domination, consequently it can't be true. But they will learn soon enough what that oversubscription means in added military strength—in the punching power of the several units of Allied arms.

The road to victory is a long, tortuous one and our people are prepared to go all the way to reach the end of that road. There will be many calls from the treasury department and they will be met with the same determined effort to see the thing through. It has been demonstrated repeatedly that when the treasury asks the people for bread they respond with cake.

NOT OUR FAULT ALTOGETHER

The Gazette Times is in receipt of a letter this week in which the writer takes us severely to task for failing to give space to boys in the service who have made the supreme sacrifice or who are reported missing in action. For such of these as we have been remiss in reporting we humbly apologize, for it is not the purpose or desire of this

VISITING PARENTS

Ted Peterson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Peterson, and Clifford Carlson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Carlson, are home this week on leave from the naval training school at Corpus Christi, Tex. after nine months of training. Both boys are the picture of health and show the results of the vigorous training Uncle Sam is giving his nephews in preparation for taking the ax out of axis.

ELKS ANNOUNCE LADIES NIGHT NEXT THURSDAY

Heppner Lodge No. 358, BPOE, has completed plans for a "ladies night" party at the lodge rooms

Thursday evening, May 13. The program will include cards, dancing and lunch.

Mrs. Charles O'Connor of Ione is chairman of the reception committee.

MR. HOUSE BUYS A HOUSE

Kenneth House, manager of the Heppner district of the Pacific Power & Light company, completed a deal the past week for the purchase of the Blanche Frye Brown property in west Heppner. The upper part of the large residence was badly damaged by fire about a year ago but the understructure is in fairly good shape. House has been engaged in clearing debris

newspaper to intentionally slight any one and particularly one whose life has been given in the service of his country.

In defense of our sins of omission we beg to state that a very small percentage of the boys in service from Morrow county are known to us personally. Their family names are familiar in most instances but the youths themselves have grown up during the years we have been out of the county. Many of them had gone into the service prior to our return and of those there are many we have never met, so if mention was lacking it was due to the fact that members of their families or friends failed to bring or send information to the paper.

The Gazette Times has correspondents in several sections of the county to whom the residents of those communities should give news of general interest. Due to shortage of manpower to operate the printing machinery it is a difficult task for the editor to get out and run down news. But there is always someone in the office from 8 a. m. to 6 p. m. (more often 10:30 or later) and there is nothing to prevent anyone, unless suffering from an inferiority complex usually attributable to false modesty, from coming to the office and giving us information from which a story may be developed.

WORTHWHILE TRAINING

America's future will be secure if larger numbers of our farm youth avail themselves of the opportunities for learning to produce and conduct business affairs of the farm offered through the 4-H club movement. Dependent as the country is on agriculture for the necessities of life it is essential that greater knowledge and more active participation be developed in this sphere.

Growth in knowledge and participation has been wide-spread since institution of the 4-H club movement some 30 years ago until today livestock and other farm projects are regular features of agricultural fairs and livestock expositions.

Back of this development has been an educational feature which is not so apparent but yet is of much importance. The youngsters conduct their own meetings, learning parliamentary procedure and the fundamentals of debate and public speaking. Those are sidelines, but essential to developing principles necessary to conduct of their business.

A demonstration of the value of 4-H club work was given at Pomona grange last Saturday afternoon when Mrs. O. W. Cutsforth's beef club held regular meeting as part of the lecturer's program. The poise, self-assurance and intelligence displayed by the youngsters was a guarantee of safety and security in the years to come when they will be the leaders in economic and political fields.

and charred timbers this week in preparation for remodeling. Plans call for a story and a half type of building, allowing for several rooms on the second floor.

UP FROM CALIFORNIA

O. A. Simmons of Altadena, Calif., was a business visitor in Heppner Wednesday. Mr. Simmons, a former Portland investor, has a tract of land at Boardman which demanded his attention and which he is offering to lease.

AUXILIARY MEETING

Mrs. Frank Davidson will be hostess Monday evening to the American Legion auxiliary.

PINE CITY NEWS

MISS MARY FOLEY AND OSCAR MCCARTY WERE MARRIED SUNDAY MAY 2 AT THE CHURCH OF CHRIST IN HERMISTON BY REV. WARNER, AT 2 P. M. THEY LEFT FOR A TRIP TO PORTLAND AND COAST POINTS. THEY WILL MAKE THEIR HOME ON BUTTER CREEK WHERE MR. MCCARTY IS FARMING.

Mrs. E. B. Wattenburger returned from Jerome Ida, Tuesday where she has been called by the serious illness of her mother who had suffered a heart attack.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Wattenburger spent Thursday and Friday at Long Creek visiting Mr. and Mrs. Reid J. Buesick and family.

Bill Finch of Hermiston called Sunday at the Marion Finch home.

Mrs. Anna Q. Thomson spent the week-end in Heppner.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Van Orsdoll and daughter Lois Jean of Pendleton spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Wattenburger and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Moore and sons and Mr. and Mrs. Jasper Myers called Sunday at the E. B. Wattenburger home.

Students of the Pine City school attended the May day track meet

and music festival in Heppner on Friday. Doris Delpha and Bobby Morehead took second and third place in the track meet.

Mrs. Fay Finch and Mrs. A. E. Wattenburger are on the sick list this week suffering with the flu.

The Pine City club ladies will hold an all day meeting May 13. It will be the school picnic day also with a pot luck dinner at noon. The ladies will cut rags for the Red Cross. Everyone welcome. School will close May 14 at Pine City.

Miss Marie Foley and Oscar McCarty were married Sunday May 2 at the Church of Christ in Hermiston by Rev. Warner, at 2 p. m. They left for a trip to Portland and coast points. They will make their home on Butter creek where Mr. McCarty is farming.

A G-T want ad will do wonders if you have anything to sell, trade or exchange. Results every time.



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