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THE LEADERS WE WANT.

To those who have known Governor Withycombe for anywhere from ten to thirty years there is no need for any statement of his purpose to advance the development of Oregon, and he does not need to look back for the shaping of his administration on precedents.

It is to those who have only known him as governor of Oregon that anything need be said to convince them that he is the logical successor to himself for the coming term, and that he is fully capable of rendering the service to be imposed upon him for another four years that has characterized his efforts in the past.

The same may be said of Senator McNary, only changing the length of his service to the public. Representative McArthur should also be included in the category, for his industry and loyalty is well known to every person, and he is making good.

Here at home, Governor Withycombe has co-operated with the President in every war activity. His zeal in patriotic work has been unbounded. He is intensely American. The unparalleled record Oregon has made in all war time activities and the alacrity with which the state has responded to every call for patriotic endeavor is due in part to the leadership of Governor Withycombe.

Both in the halls of congress at Washington and in the governor's office at Salem, the people of Oregon are fortunate in having experienced men with a record 100 per cent American—men who are standing behind the President for a vigorous prosecution of the war to a speedy victorious conclusion.

Senator McNary, Representatives McArthur, Hawley and Sinnott, and Governor Withycombe should all be re-elected. They are at their posts of duty. None is making a campaign. They are too busy serving their state and nation. They should be returned for continued service. Election of new and untried men, lacking in ability and experience to fit them for the positions, would not only be unwise at this time, but would fall far short of the patriotic duty of the voters of this state.

STUPID PROPAGANDA.

So many appeals are being made for the war chest fund that is to be raised next month that the readers of the newspapers have been surfeited with a monotonous reiteration of the needs of the valuable war auxiliaries they are to assist. To offset this sameness it may not be out of the way to begin on another course.

There is no reason why anyone should be surprised to learn that lies are again being circulated as to the purpose of the war chest board. It is true that they are less numerous than they were last spring, but after the experiences of the past the American people should be prepared to believe anything of pro-German propagandists. Yet it would be strange if any great number should be affected in any way by anything of the sort. But there is danger.

The Red Cross was pursued with a resentfulness as vindictive as it was stupid. We have all heard of the sweaters and socks "found for sale in stores," and the "high salaries" paid to workers. The motive of the starters of these lies was perfectly clear. The disheartening thing in connection with them was that patriotic and loyal Americans should have repeated them, and thus given them currency.

Now, apparently, the coming drive to fill the war chests of the seven allied societies is to have another turn of the same sort. It would be remarkable if it should escape. In the best way to answer such slanders is by making the campaign an overwhelming success.

It is surely understood by this time that all the nation's enemies do not live in Germany. There are men in this country who on every occasion have exerted themselves as far

as they dared to thwart every effort of the people and their government in the prosecution of the war. Congress did not enact the espionage law or the spy law merely for the fun of the thing. They were designed to protect the country against a real peril. The peril is still here and we must guard against it.

The people of this country will soon be engaged in one of the biggest undertakings they have ever tackled. It is, too, distinctly war work. Yet there are those who will be trying to break it down. They are, of course, the enemies of this nation. The loyal citizen to whom is told any story that reflects on this enterprise or its managers should demand of his informant the authority for the statement, and make every effort to trace it back to its source.

The people in charge of this work will have the respect and confidence of the public. No one can honestly doubt that they will perform their duties with perfect integrity and absolute justice. Those who whisper insinuations against them are worthy only of the contempt of their fellow citizens. We suggest further that they might do well to curb all anti-war activities, for the government is a good deal less helpless than it was a year ago.

INCREASED MAN-POWER.

"Increase food production." "Reduce the high cost of living." These are fine slogans but the question remains, how are you going to do it? Only by increasing man-power on the farms.

Agricultural production, sugar production, and dairy production are not keeping up with the needs of our country.

A western states' development organization has been formed to solve the problem of how to increase farm production.

Even our island dependencies are short of labor—Hawaii and the Philippines clamor for Chinese labor to save their sugar crops.

A San Francisco immigration inspector, who by brutal policies are hounding Chinese laborers out of the country, have struck a snag.

They have held as prisoners at Angel Island families of Chinese men who are serving with the American troops in Germany. A federal judge orders them released and admitted.

Congress is to be asked for relief from a farm labor famine, at least for the duration of the war, lest we face a food famine. It can be done in but one way—increased man-power on the soil.

Instead of further restriction on immigration, this Republic must realize that men good enough to fight as our allies abroad are good enough to help avert starvation at home.

Notwithstanding all the cry against coolie labor it is a fact that the cheap Chinese laborers were once the salvation of the Pacific coast. When the demagogues and agitators gained the upper hand they were driven away, and the early development that was seen here forty years ago has not kept pace with the demands for more products and the means of transportation.

Those who can remember as far back as 50 years ago will tell you that the early railroad systems of the Pacific coast could not have been built without the Chinese laborer. Also, they will tell you that thousands of acres of the best western Oregon land now in cultivation was cleared by these same Chinamen. If they were such a potent factor then they should be allowed to come again during this period of shortage of all kinds of labor.

DANGER TO INDUSTRY.

Henry Albers, head of the Albers Bros. Milling company was arrested this week on a charge of espionage, and is being held on \$10,000 bail.

His arrest caused his resignation as president of the firm and is resulting in the cancellation of many orders for feed products all over the country. It is going to be a serious matter with some stockmen and dairymen for a short time to get feed in certain localities if supplies are cut off through cancellation of orders and it would seem that there should be less haste in such action. The feed is necessary and is not to blame for the dereliction of Mr. Albers.

A reorganization of the company is probable after a full inquiry, and if it shall be shown that only Mr. Albers is at fault, it should be patronized the same as before.

Senator Chamberlain is coming home to vote. It means that he is coming to vote for Oswald West to succeed Senator McNary and, incidentally to persuade as many others as he can to do the same thing. In the meantime Senator McNary is remaining in Washington at his post of duty.

Perhaps von Hindenburg sees now how he injured his military reputation by not dying as he was reported to have done a few months ago.

WORKING FOR WEST.

Oswald West, Ex-Governor, candidate for United States senator on the democratic ticket and all round politician, dropped into Oregon last week from a three months' tour of the European battle front, at public expense and at once set the political pot bubbling. At the close of the primary election last spring when something like 10,000 democratic voters, scattered far and wide over the state, nominated him democratic candidate for United States senator, the wily Oswald publicly announced that he would make no campaign for the office against the republican nominee, Chas. L. McNary, present senator, from this state who received the nomination of his party by something like 60,000 votes. It did not then, and does not now, look like much of a sacrifice on the part of Mr. West to remain quiet and let the people choose between the two.

No sooner had he arrived within the borders of the state, however, than he again announced that he would make no campaign for the office against his friend "Charlie, who is tied down in Washington with his duties as senator from this state and will be unable to be present in the state during the campaign owing to those duties." But the statement this time bears a qualification which leads all of Oswald's dear friends to believe that he will be in the thick of the fight fighting for the election of his running mate and political tillikum, Hon. W. M. Pierce, democratic candidate for governor. That announcement sounds good on the face of it, but it would not be wise for the friends of Senator McNary to trust the graciousness of this self-announced life-long friend of the family, who has himself, his one great and cherished ambition to represent the state of Oregon in the United States senate. It would be trusting human nature too far, as one of the first laws of human nature is self-preservation, and the nature of our peppery ex-governor, is more than half human.—Lebanon Criterion.

The annual budget of New York's municipal government has increased from \$77,000,000 to \$245,000,000 in twenty years. That shows how magnificently an invincible and imperishable democratic government provides for its henchmen.

Senator McNary hasn't come home to electioneer for himself. He is content to let his friends do it for him, believing that he can do his country more good at Washington than he could by coming home at this time.

It has been found that the water lettuce and water cabbage that frequently interfere with navigation of the Panama canal channel across Gatun lake contain sufficient potash to make them valuable as fertilizers.

Time must be hanging heavy on Senator Chamberlain's hands when he comes home to "vote." Of course his vote and influence while here will be against Senator McNary who is remaining on duty at Washington.

Since it's harder to hit a running man than one who stands up and fights, we may have to have another bond issue pretty soon to supply the Yank with an abundance of ammunition.

Instead of that eighty billion indemnity the kaiser was going to collect from the United States, we believe he would now be willing to give a receipt in full for 80 cents.

Before sending a reply that will "seek to continue the conversation," Germany should remember that Foch, Pershing and Haig will do the talking at close range.

Governor Withycombe writes the Outlook that he will not make a personal campaign. That is why every 100 per cent republican is making his campaign for him.

The voters of Oregon nominated the "present incumbents" at the primaries. And they are going to reelect them on the 5th of November.

Governor Withycombe made no mistake in appointing Senator McNary. The voters will make no mistake in electing him.

Just as soon as the mist was knocked out of armistice the German arm in it was visible.

If there is anyone left who believes Germany can win he is simply a commissary for squirrels.

Those "crack German divisions" will soon be cracked German divisions.

Chamberlain evidently wants a democrat for his Oregon colleague.

The sultan is doing the Turkey trot into the camps of the allies.

A perennial runner isn't necessarily a plant. It might be Lafferty.

SOMEBODY'S DOLLARS WILL DO IT—I WONDER IF THEY'LL BE YOURS?

Everything Frenchy is getting such a hold on us that it will soon be the fashion to address postals and letters on the rural routes "one kilometer east of the sawmill" or something similar.

I will tell you what will happen some night this winter in France. Some night when it's cold and dark.

There will be a rustling through the front line trench, where our boys stand guard. And a heavily laden secretary will make his way along.

In his hands will be great steaming pots; in his pocket chocolate and cigarettes.

From one man to another he will go, passing a cup full of hot coffee to hands that tremble with the cold; bringing the comfort of a bit of sweet and a smoke.

Men will hail him cheerfully, slapping him on the back; and when he has gone things will be a little easier in that trench because he has passed that way.

How much will it cost to make that trip—do you suppose? Counting the pittance that the secretary is paid, and the cost of the chocolate and the cigarettes and all?

Five dollars? Twenty-five dollars? I do not know.

But whether it is five dollars or twenty-five, I'd like to think that it is my five or twenty-five—wouldn't you? That some night when it's cold and lonesome, my money and yours might send a secretary out along that front line trench. Let's make up our minds that we are going to pay for a score of those trips. A score of the nights this winter shall be our nights.

Nights when the boys greet joyously the chocolate and cigarettes that our money provided; and are happier because our representative has passed.

From various sources comes the report of German women being used to man the machine guns and being chained to them as the men are said to be.

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