

NEED OF RECRUITS IS SET FORTH AT PATRIOTIC MEET

If patriotic spirit continues to rise throughout Patriotic Week as it did the first two days, a Billy Sunday tabernacle will be needed to accommodate the crowds at the patriotic meeting to be held at the Natorium next Saturday night.

Last night scores of people were turned away from the Page theater, the scene of the first patriotic rally of the week. From the orchestra pit to the top-most gallery row, the theater was jammed.

Four short talks on patriotic lines were given, interpolated by the singing of national anthems by the audience and selections by the Medford choral society and by George Andrews, leader of the society.

Mayor C. E. Gates presided at the meeting and spoke briefly regarding support of the Medford chapter of the American Red Cross of which Mr. Gates is local chairman. The Rogue River valley should furnish at least 500 members, stated Mr. Gates, who will assist in providing hospital supplies for use in case of hostilities.

Dr. R. G. Davis, U. S. N., also urged support of the Red Cross and told of the benefits coming from co-operation of the society with the naval and military authorities in time of war and of great disasters.

Lieutenant H. C. Frazier, who will command the submarine N2 now being built at Seattle told of life aboard a submarine, giving a history of the development of the underwater craft and outlined the vulnerability of the boats. Submarines, he stated, are extremely vulnerable, an ordinary rifle bullet being able to pierce their armor. Aeroplanes, light, swift chasers and destroyers are the most effective means of guarding against depredation of under water crafts.

Capt. A. J. Vance of Seventh Co., C. A. C. urged young men to join the company which has been depleted by many members joining the regular service. The Oregon Coast Artillery militia, stated Captain Vance, scored the highest of any gunners, regular or militia in the United States at the practice held last summer. This fact shows, he stated, that the militia is not an untrained branch of the service.

Two numbers of the Medford Choral Society were well received as was the solo "Barbara Frietchie" by Geo. Andrews.

The singing of "America" concluded the program of the evening.

NEW NAMES FOR ROLL OF HONOR

The following are the members of the Seventh company on the roster at the beginning of Patriotic week: Capt. A. J. Vance; 1st Lieut. Elmer T. Foss; 2d Lieut. Halbert S. Deuel; 1st sergt. Seldon D. Hill; supply sergt., Arthur Powell; sergt., Walter D. Brown; sergt., Victor D. Daniels; sergt., Donald R. Chase; corporals, Griffith Cowgill, Sprague Reigel, George F. Dyer, William M. Beveridge, Carlton H. Martin; mechanics, Adrian M. Rose, Freeborn Garretson; musicians, Albert P. Forgey, Reuben V. Cline; privates, Elbert Coleman, Harry D. Daily, Diamond Flynn, Arthur H. Frick, Myrl Garnett, Chas. G. Good, Lowell Grimm, Joseph T. Holmes, Leland Hughes, Andrew Kerr, Daniel H. Lewis, Dorrell Minkler, John P. Moffatt, Chas. Murray, Leland Noe, Myron Powell, Dewey Purdin, Donald Runyard, Paul Russell, Artemus Spooner, Albert Tarrell, Winston Vance, Harry Welch, Martin Wolfe, Fred York, Eugene G. Narragan, Robert Stuart. Names added to the roll Tuesday, March 27, 1917: Verne S. White, Robert L. Wilson, Ed M. White.

Good for the W's. What letter will be next?

AUTO OWNERS TO PARADE SATURDAY

Automobile owners who will take part in the parade Saturday evening for the window rally of Patriotic Week are requested to report to T. H. E. Hathaway at Ewing's gun store, and to have their cars in line at the Medford hotel, Saturday evening at 7:30 sharp. The parade starts at 7:45 for the Natorium. Put an American flag on your car now and have it there Saturday evening.

A full committee meeting of all Patriotic Week committees will be held in the armory this evening at 8 o'clock. A full demonstration of range finding will be given.

NINE RECRUITS FOR NAVY RESERVE CORPS IS DAYS RECORD

Nine recruits were secured for the navy reserve corps in Medford today. Dr. Davis and Lieutenant Frazier, in charge of recruiting, will remain in the city with their staff of assistants, over tomorrow if interest shown warrants. Greater interest is being manifested in Medford than in any other town they have visited, they state.

Following is a list of recruits secured today.

N. E. Humphill, electrician, second class; J. C. Murray, printer, first class; G. M. Loomis, machinist's mate, second class; A. W. Clark, ensign; L. V. Cameron, apprentice seaman; T. T. Merriman, blacksmith; Edwin B. Edwards, carpenter's mate, first class; F. A. Powell, machinist's mate, first class; O. E. Reynolds, machinist's mate first class; G. E. Purdin, blacksmith.

MEDFORD INVITED TO GRANTS PASS

The Grants Pass chamber of commerce has extended an invitation to the Medford commercial club to send a delegation to one of the weekly noon-day luncheons held by the Grants Pass organization. These meetings are in the nature of a get-together for the business men of the city and according to Ben Sheldon, secretary of the chamber, have resulted in materially helping the civic spirit and work of the city.

Following the "Medford Day" affair members of the Ashland commercial club will be asked to participate in a similar affair.

In case a delegation attends the luncheon at Grants Pass, a return invitation will be extended to that body to enjoy a similar affair in this city.

SEVENTEEN JOIN THE NAVAL RESERVE CORPS

The following is a list of the men who have enrolled in the naval coast defense reserve from Medford and Ashland, with ratings:

Ashland
Earl C. Weaver, asst. civil engineer; Warwick W. Usher, asst. paymaster; Abraham L. Radcliffe, blacksmith; William W. Butler, machinist's mate second class; Pracht, William, seaman; Perry L. Ashcraft, machinist's mate, first class; C. W. Torrance, ship fitter second class; B. M. Lininger, yeoman first class.

Medford
William T. Beveridge, asst. civil engineer; Albert E. Orr, hospital apprentice first class; Carl W. Helbronner, chief yeoman; Jay W. Diamond, hospital apprentice first class; Clarence F. Burke, hospital apprentice first class; Robert S. Murray, ship's cook first class; Cecil C. Murray, chief yeoman; Kenneth F. Murray, printer first class; J. C. Murray, printer first class; Archie R. Fletcher, electrician first class (radio).

Jacksonville
Matthew L. Meadows, carpenter's mate second class.

You Can Make Excellent Cake with Fewer Eggs

Just use an additional quantity of Royal Baking Powder, about a teaspoon, in place of each egg omitted. This applies equally well to nearly all baked foods. Try the following recipe according to the new way:

CREAM LAYER CAKE	
Old Way	New Way
1 cup sugar	1 cup sugar
1/2 cup milk	1 cup milk
2 cups flour	2 cups flour
3 teaspoons Royal Baking Powder	4 teaspoons Royal Baking Powder
1 egg	1 egg
1/2 cup shortening	2 tablespoons shortening
1 teaspoon flavoring	1 teaspoon flavoring

Makes 1 Large 2-Layer Cake

DIRECTIONS—Cream the sugar and shortening together, then mix in the egg. After sifting the flour and Royal Baking Powder together two or three times, add it all to the mixture. Gradually add the milk and beat with spoon until you have a smooth pour batter. Add the flavoring. Pour into greased layer cake tin and bake in a moderately hot oven for twenty minutes. This cake is best baked in two layers. Put together with cream filling and spread with white icing.

ROYAL BAKING POWDER

made from Cream of Tartar, derived from grapes.

No Alum No Phosphate

MURGUIA DEFEATS VILLISTA FORCES NEAR CHIHUAHUA

JUAREZ, Mexico, March 28.—Villa forces were defeated at Mapula, 20 miles south of Chihuahua City, yesterday afternoon by Carranza troops in command of General Francisco Murguia, according to unofficial but reliable reports received here today from Chihuahua City. All reports of fighting within the city were denied today.

Mapula was the closest point to which Villa forces penetrated yesterday, it was said. At military headquarters it was said no messages had been received from the state capital today and this was taken as an indication that there was no fighting in progress near there. Freight and express matter is again being sent south from here.

The defeat of the Villa troops at Mapula yesterday, following the fighting between Mapula and Bachimba canyon Sunday and Monday was believed here to have prevented Villa from carrying out his announced plan of attacking Chihuahua City with his entire force early today.

An unconfirmed report was received here today that General Joaquin Amara with 4000 troops had arrived at Chihuahua City from Torreon to reinforce General Murguia.

CANADA TO TAX AMERICAN VISITORS

TORONTO, March 28.—A head tax of \$8 on all travelers entering the United States from Canada, said to be under consideration by the dominion government, was discussed at a meeting of Canadian railroad officials at Niagara Falls yesterday. The new tax would become effective after May 1, it is understood. The money is to be refunded on the traveler's return to Canada.

FAREWELL CONCERT IN PARK NEXT SUNDAY

A farewell concert to Mr. Rowland will be given by the Medford City band members next Sunday afternoon at the city park. In case of bad weather, the concert will be held indoors at some hall. Bandmaster Rowland has been at the head of the Medford band just one year, his contract expires on April 1st, and unfortunately financial conditions in Medford are such that it has been decided to sacrifice his services, much against the will of the citizens and the members of the Medford band, as well as the younger ones of the Boys' band who are loath to part with him. The concert next Sunday afternoon will constitute the fifth and last of the winter series, and with the permission of the season ticket holders the entertainment will be made an open air one which will also allow the general public the opportunity to bid farewell to Mr. Rowland. The Boys' band will also perform for the last time under their leader and after the concert the bands are to be massed and be photographed.

On Monday evening the members of the bands will give a farewell banquet in honor of their bandmaster who with Mrs. Rowland will leave for Seattle about the middle of the week.

GOVERNOR ASKS FOR GUARDED WORDS

SALEM, Ore., March 28.—An appeal for Oregon citizens to "impute no man's patriotism until positive he is not conducting himself as a loyal American citizen," was issued here today by Governor James Withycombe.

"I most earnestly implore the people of Oregon to refrain from discussion of loyalty of any of our citizens," the statement continued. "Unfounded rumors in these strenuous times may prove extremely disastrous to the best interests of any community. This is a time for sober thought and guarded words.

"In every heart should be a fervent prayer to Almighty God that this impending crisis may be averted, but if it must come we must meet it as patriotic American citizens."

AUSTRIANS PREFER LOANS TO CITIES

BERNE, March 28.—Persons who have arrived here recently from Vienna report that the Austrian government, instead of being pleased at the result of the recently concluded Vienna munition loan—1,000,000,000 crowns was subscribed instead of the 250,000,000 asked—was unpleasantly surprised to learn that such a plethora of money existed, although it did not make its appearance on the occasion of the last war loan. The authorities were displeased, these persons say, that the representative men of Vienna should have shown so little confidence in national loans as to ignore chances to invest in them.

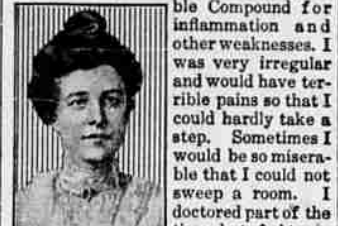
MORE STATE MILITIA CALLED OUT FOR WAR

WASHINGTON, March 28.—Four additional regiments of the National Guard were called into the federal service today by the war department. They are the First West Virginia, Seventy-Fourth New York, Second Connecticut and Second New Jersey infantry regiments.

NOTICE TO SICK WOMEN

Positive Proof That Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound Relieves Suffering.

Bridgeton, N. J. — "I cannot speak too highly of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound for inflammation and other weaknesses. I was very irregular and would have terrible pains so that I could hardly take a step. Sometimes I would be so miserable that I could not sleep a room. I doctored part of the time but felt no change. I later took Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and soon felt a change for the better. I took it until I was in good healthy condition. I recommend the Pinkham remedies to all women as I have used them with such good results." — Mrs. MILFORD T. CUMMINGS, 322 Harmony St., Penn's Grove, N. J.



Such testimony should be accepted by all women as convincing evidence of the excellence of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound as a remedy for the distressing ills of women such as displacements, inflammation, ulceration, backache, painful periods, nervousness and kindred ailments.

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Out of town people will appreciate our mail order department, after giving it a trial. Samples sent on request, all orders prepaid.

STANDARD PATTERNS

We have recently installed a Pattern Cabinet, which enables us to give you better service. We stock all sizes from 32 to 44. April Design is here.

Your New Easter Suit

Easter Is Just Eight Days Away

and if you intend to have a new suit that day, it will pay you to buy one now.

Special \$25 Suit Sale

25 brand new suits, just in, by express, consisting of navy blue serges, black and white checks, gold, green and apricot poplins and serges, all "chic" styles, well made and nicely lined. These we place on sale Thursday at the low price of **\$25.00**

Your New Easter Coat

25 new Sport Coats in plain colors and fancy checks. It will pay you to buy one tomorrow at **\$13.50** each

Beautiful new coats in novelty checks, and plain gabardines, poplins and velours in the new shades of grays, blues, greens, reddish tints, tans and gold. These go on sale Thursday at, each... **\$18.00**

SWEATERS—Some new Fiber Silk Sweaters in gold, blue, and green, worth \$12.50, on sale Thursday, each **\$9.98**

Petticoat Sale

100 "Fitrite" Petticoats made of plain and fancy figured Heather-blooms in dark and light colors. On sale Thursday **\$1.98**

Taffeta Petticoats, all silk, new styles, good colors, worth \$3.50, on sale Thursday, **\$2.48**

New Wirthmor Waists

Just in, our April styles in Wirthmor waists. It will pay you to pick one out. Sold here only. The best waist in the world **\$1.00** for

The "Welworth" April styles now on sale. Some nice Tub Silks among them. It will pay you to see the new styles **\$2.00** on sale Thursday at

Silk Sale

2000 yards of Fancy Silks in stripes and plaids, suitable for dresses, waists and skirts, every yard worth \$2.00 and some, \$2.50. Very special, yd **\$1.69**

Corset Special Dress Goods Special

100 pairs of Heavy Contil Corsets, in all sizes, a good model, worth \$1.00, special this sale, pair **69c**

500 yards of Fancy Dress Goods, 38 inches wide in stripes and plaids, suitable for skirts and suits. On sale Thursday a yard **69c**

Ribbons

500 yards all silk Moire Ribbons in pink, blue and red for hair bows. Worth 25c, sale price, a yd **15c**

Easter Sale of Gloves

Women's Fine White Kid Gloves, with black emb. back, worth today \$2.00, on sale Thursday, pair **\$1.50**

Women's Washable Chamouette Gloves in white, natural chamois, brown biscuit and black, worth up to \$1.00 this, sale pair **69c**

Ribbons

500 yards extra wide all silk ribbons in plain and fancy figures, worth up to 50c sale price a yard **25c**