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BETTER OUTLOOK THAN EVER FOR POULTRY INDUSTRY

Henry W. Frame, president of the
Southern Oregon Poultry association
has issued the following:

Greetings to members: Perhaps
the impression has gone out that the
price of poultry feeds has killed the
poultry industry in this valley. This
is far from being the case. The peo-
ple with really good poultry are more
enthusiastic than ever before. Un-
doubtedly the conditions of the past
few months have forced many to give
up their flocks and a lot of worthless
egg producers have found their last
resting place on the butchers' coun-
ters. The breeders also have been
culling their flocks again and again,
with the result that we never had as
profitable a lot of poultry in the val-
ley as at the present time. Any doubters
of the above statement should have
seen the poultry exhibit at our
Jackson County fair just closed. Those
who were in a position to know com-
mented again and again on the superior
quality of the birds on exhibition. Some
of the birds after taking all the best prizes
in their class at our county fair went up
to the state fair at Salem and com-
peted with the best birds in the state
and "brought home the bacon."

The marked improvement in the
quality of the poultry throughout the
valley is due in no small degree to
the efforts of the Southern Oregon
Poultry association, which has been
working and boosting for better poultry
here in southern Oregon. We have
spent time and money conducting
poultry shows, getting men here
to lecture and visit our ranches, who
were experts in things pertaining to
the feeding, growing and marketing
of poultry and in the raising of
"fancy" stock. But the day of the
purely "fancy" birds is fast passing.
The prospective customer today is as
much interested in the ancestry of
the bird, as to what they produced in
eggs, as they are in the shape and
plumage, and this is as it should be
in this day and age when the "al-
mighty dollar" holds such a large
place in our affections.

Two years ago "the valley" got be-
hind an effort to have a poultry show
with the result that we had a splen-
did affair. Last year because of bad
weather and some misunderstandings
our poultry show was not a success
from the financial standpoint, al-
though the exhibits were a great im-
provement over the preceding year.
Our poultry association officers have
been quietly working and planning
for a better poultry show this winter
than the two preceding ones, and are
making arrangements to emphasize
the utility branch of our business. If
we can get the support of the poultry
men and women in the valley who
are producing poultry for eggs and
meat only we will have a judge here
of national reputation who will in-
struct all interested in how to tell the
profitable from the unprofitable hens
in our flocks.

Poultry authorities have worked
out and perfected a system of judg-
ing so that any intelligent person
with a little practice can eliminate
the drones from their flocks and
thereby increase the profits and con-
serve the feed.

The regular monthly meetings of
our association will be resumed next
Saturday, October 6th, at 2 p. m. in
the Medford Public Library. If you
have poultry or anticipate going into
the business, come bring that neigh-
bor along with you, and that boy or
girl to whom our association mem-
bers gave eggs last spring. Let's all
pull together for more and better
poultry in Rogue River valley.

HENRY W. FRAME,
President Southern Oregon Poultry
association.

FEMALE TRAITORS

WHEN the war began, English militant suffragettes
dropped their campaign of direct action and
proved their patriotism by loyally aiding the government
in the conduct of the war. As a result, they have won the
confidence and respect of the English people, proved
themselves worthy of the ballot, which is to be given to
them without much opposition.

When America entered the war and the United States
was forced to fight for national existence, our militant
suffragettes adopted the policy of withholding co-opera-
tion from the government, and spent their energies in
harrassing and embarrassing their very good friend, the
president of the United States, resorting to unpatriotic
displays and seditious utterances in their effort to bul-
doze and coerce the chief executive of a nation, burdened
as few presidents have been by the cares of state. Their
conduct has disgusted the public and injured the cause of
equal suffrage.

At a meeting of the advisory council of the women's
party held at Baltimore, Tuesday, Mrs. Henry O. Havemeyer
of New York, in an address appealed to the suffragists
"not to lift a finger" in aid of the liberty loan, declar-
ing, "I have not the nerve to ask money for a battle for
democracy when we who demand true democracy are
thrown into the jails for doing so." Mrs. Abby Scott-
Baker of Washington, who says she has three sons in the
service of the government, also urged the women to boy-
cott the loan.

What would become of the Havemeyer millions if Ger-
many won the war? They will go to enrich the kaiser.
What will become of the Baker boys at the front if money
is not provided to feed and munition them? They will
starve in prison camps as they slave for their German
masters. What kind of patriotism do these women pos-
sess, that they give aid and comfort to the nation's enemy
—in order to win national confidence enough to be en-
trusted with the ballot?

The policy of the militant suffragists has proved a
boomerang to their own cause, as the recent election in
Maine demonstrated, when two-thirds of the electorate
were too disgusted to even go to the polls. But these
notoriety-seeking women of the idle rich who comprise
the faddists who style themselves the "National Women's
Party," are apparently as shy of political sense as they
are of common sense. But when they preach sedition and
treason they pass the limit of patriotic endurance and
should be confined, along with other enemies of their
country.

How War Looks to One German- American

Speaking recently before the Har-
tford chamber of commerce Otto
H. Kahn, a native of Germany, of
the banking house of Kahn, Loeb &
Co., said in part:

I speak as one who has seen the
spirit of the Prussian governing
class at work from close by, having
at its disposal and using to the full
practically every agency for mould-
ing the public mind.

I have watched it proceed with re-
lentless persistency and profound
cunning to instill into the nation the
demoniacal obsession of power-wor-
ship and world-domination, to modify
and pervert the mentality, indeed the
very fibre and moral substance of
the German people—a people which
until misled, corrupted and system-
atically poisoned by the Prussian
ruling caste, was, and deserved to
be an honored, valued and welcome
member of the family of nations.

I have hated and loathed that
spirit ever since it came within my
ken many years ago, hated it all the
more as I saw it ruthlessly pulling
down a thing which was dear to me,
the old Germany to which I was
linked by ties of blood, by fond mem-
ories and cherished sentiments.

The difference in the degree of
guilt as between the German people
and their Prussian or Prussianized
rulers and leaders for the monstrous
crime of this war and the atrocious
barbarism of its conduct, is the dif-
ference between the man who, act-
ing under the influence of a poi-
sonous drug, runs amuck in mad fren-
zy and unappealable malefactor who
administered that drug, well know-
ing and fully intending the ghastly
consequences which were bound to follow.

The world fervently longs for
peace. But there can be no peace
answering to the true meaning of
the word, no peace permitting the
hundreds of the earth, great and small,
to walk untrammelled and untried,
until the teaching and the leadership
of the apostles of an outlaw creed
shall have become discredited and
hated in the sight of the German
people, until that people shall have
awakened to a consciousness of the
unfathomable guilt of those whom
they have followed into calamity and
shame, until a mood of penitence,
and of a decent respect for the opin-
ions of mankind shall have sup-
planted the sway of what President
Wilson has so trenchantly termed
"treason and treachery."

God grant that the German people
may before long work out their own
salvation and find the only road
which will give to the world an early
peace and lead Germany back into
the family of nations from which it
is now an outcast.

From each of my visits to Germany
for 25 years, I came away more ap-
palled by the sinister transmutation

who betrays the splendid trust which
you have reposed in him?

Woe to him who considers his Amer-
ican citizenship merely as a con-
venient garment to be worn in fair
weather but to be exchanged for an-
other one in time of storm and
stress!

Woe to the German-American, so-
called, who in this sacred war for a
cause as high as any for which ever
people took up arms, does not feel a
solemn urge, does not show an eager
determination to be in the very fore-
front of the struggle, does not prove a
patriotic jealousy, in that, in ac-
tion and in speech, to rival and to
outdo his native born fellow-citizen
in devotion and in willing sacrifice
for the country of his choice and
adoption and sworn allegiance and
of their common affection and pride.

To gain America's independence,
to defeat oppression and tyranny,
was indeed to gain a great cause.

To preserve the Union, to erad-
icate slavery was perhaps a greater
still.

To defend the very foundations of
liberty and humanity, the very
groundwork of fair dealing between
nations, the very basis of peaceable
living together among the peoples
of the earth against the fierce and
brutal onslaught of ruthless, lawless,
faithless might; to spend the lives
and the fortunes of this generation
so that our descendants may be freed
from the dreadful calamity of war
and the fear of war, so that the en-
ergies and millions and billions of
treasure now devoted to plans and
instruments of destruction, may be
given henceforth to fruitful works of
peace and progress and to the better-
ment of the conditions of the people
—that is the highest cause for which
any people ever unsheathed its sword.

He who shirks the full measure of
his duty and allegiance in that noblest
of causes, be he German-American,
Irish-American, or any other hyphen-
ated American, be he I. W. W. or
socialist or whatever the appellation,
does not deserve to stand amongst
Americans or indeed amongst free
men anywhere.

He who, secretly or overtly, tries
to thwart the declared will and aim
of the nation in this holy war, is a
traitor, and a traitor's fate should be
his.

20,000 RED CROSS WORKERS PARADE

NEW YORK, Oct. 4.—New York
today honored heroic war nurses who
have already seen service behind the
battle lines in France, and others who
are soon to go overseas to care for
wounded United States soldiers by
turning out in thousands to cheer
a great Red Cross parade.

Henry P. Davison, chairman of the
Red Cross war council, and Major-
General William C. Gorgas, surgeon-
general of the United States army,
led the column of 20,000 marchers,
largely composed of women. The
throng lining the route cheered and
waved flags.

SOLDIERS' AUXILIARY THANKS CONTRIBUTORS

The soldiers' Auxiliary wishes to
acknowledge the following unsolicited
contributions to its treasury funds:
Dr. J. Lawrence Hill, \$5; Colonel
Mims, \$5; R. L. Wilson, \$5; Mar-
garet Ames, \$1; J. W. Johnson, \$1.

The auxiliary recently shipped 400
pounds of fresh fruit to the Seventh
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Woe to the foreign-born American
who betrays the splendid trust which
you have reposed in him?

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WASHINGTON, Oct. 4.—Business
and professional men and salaried
men as well, who have incomes of
more than \$6000 a year, face a war
profits tax of 8 per cent, in addition
to the income surtaxes under the
provisions of a section which has
been discovered in the war tax bill.
The floor, not discussed in either
house of congress, but was inserted
by the conferees while they were
working in secret session to bring
out the perfected bill.

The war profits tax section of the
bill lays a tax of 8 per cent on the
net income of a "business or trade"
when it exceeds \$3000 a year in the
case of a corporation, and \$6000 in
the case of a partnership or an in-
dividual. A subsequent section just
discovered declares that a trade or
business includes "professions and
occupations."

If this interpretation stands, pro-
fessional business and salaried men
will pay two taxes on their incomes.

WAR TAX BILL SIGNED BY WILSON NOW IN EFFECT

WASHINGTON, Oct. 4.—The new
war tax designed to raise two and a
half billion dollars under the provi-
sions of the revenue bill, signed yes-
terday by President Wilson, went
into effect today.

In the form of levies on incomes,
excess profits, liquor, tobacco, trans-
portation and various luxuries and
amusements, the law either directly
or indirectly affects everyone in the
country. One of the first results is
the advance in distilled beverage
prices caused by an assessment of
\$2.10 per gallon.

It has been estimated by the treas-
ury department and the senate fi-
nance committee that the law during
the first year of its operation will
raise from individual and corporation
incomes \$851,000,000; excess profits
\$1,000,000,000; distilled spirits
\$125,000,000; tobacco, cigars and
cigarettes \$61,500,000; transporta-
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