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goes to print the latter part of this month. Will our patrons please notify us immediately of any desired changes, corrections, new installations, or advertising. Telephone 1001 for our advertising rates.

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## TODAY

has been proclaimed national Thanksgiving Day by President Wilson.

## Let All Give Thanks

For the ready response of American manhood to the call to arms:

For the effective work of our farmers toward increasing food production:

For the loftiness of America's Ideals and the fairness of her purpose:

For the mighty resources which we have available for the defence of democracy:

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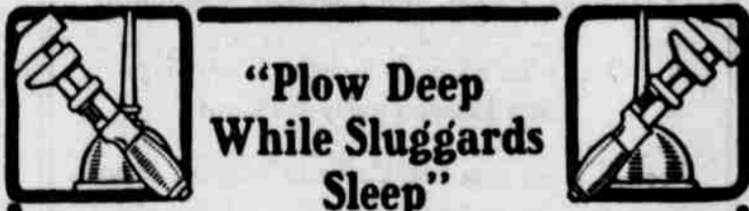


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## UNION SERVICE AT 10.30 TODAY

### PATRIOTIC ADDRESSES PLANNED

Dumble, Gibson and Hutton Will Talk At Asbury Church—Special Hymn to Be Sung

With the cooperation of local civic and educational organizations, the Hood River Ministerial Association has arranged for a Union service to be held at the Asbury Methodist church this morning, beginning at 10.30 o'clock. It has been announced that patriotism will be the keynote of the meeting.

Three addresses have been planned. Mayor L. Dumble will represent the civic life of the city on the program; L. B. Gibson, county school superintendent, the educational life; and the churches of the city by Rev. M. L. Hutton, pastor of the Riverside Congregational church. A hymn, dedicated to America's soldier boys by Rev. E. H. Longbrake, will be sung to the tune of Garibaldi's "Come Thou, Almighty King."

In announcing the meeting the committee of the Ministerial Association says: "We should like to call attention to the spirit of the union Thanksgiving service to be held at the Methodist church Thursday morning at 10.30 o'clock. Attendants will find absence of sectarian religious thought, but will breathe the atmosphere of the greatest of all religious ideals—that of democracy. The service will be a championship of these national and international ideals in whose name we have entered the war. Our attendance may be thought of as a unique patriotic service to the highest ideals of civilization, and one more factor in helping win the minds of men and women to the essential principles of international brotherhood."

The words of Mr. Longbrake's song are as follows:

Our National Thanksgiving,  
To God, our only King,  
Thanksgiving praise we bring,  
To Thee alone,  
Thou King o'er all the earth,  
Let Thy eternal worth  
Be known to all mankind  
For o'er and aye.

For food and earthy store,  
Rich harvests the earth o'er,  
We give Thee thanks,  
Thou from Thy bounty gave  
To men from hunger save,  
Great gratitude to Thee,  
Kind Providence.

Thou God of Liberty,  
We pledge our loyalty  
For all mankind,  
Life and prosperity,  
That the whole world may see  
That God and right shall reign  
O'er all the earth.

With Freedom's banner bright,  
Whose stars and stripes the right  
For'er shall stand;  
For men whose cry and groan,  
And not for us alone,  
We fight in warfare brave  
Their right to save.

Hear Thou our prayer and vow  
We bring before Thee now;  
Save the whole earth  
From tyrants' awful heel;  
To all men bring Thy weal,  
And Thine own will reveal  
In Thy dear Name.

Thus would we give to Thee  
Praise for prosperity,  
Giver of life,  
Our thanks in life we give,  
Our sons that men should live,  
Our offering now we give  
For all the earth.

## FIELDS, AFTER VISIT, PRAISES LOCAL ROADS

C. S. Fields, an enthusiastic local motorist and West Side orchardist, who with Mrs. Fields has just returned from an extensive tour of Illinois and Wisconsin, declares that he has seen no roads any better than those of Hood River county.

"While visiting relatives at Rockford, Ill., a bustling city in the midst of a wealthy agricultural district," says Mr. Fields, "I was particularly struck just what they were doing toward bettering their roads. I had often heard the criticism that we were doing too little for our highways out here. I find that our roads are not only already better but that we are doing several times as much toward making our highways permanent. The most of the work I saw under way there consisted of the scraping of ordinary earth roads that were fast becoming mudholes."

Mr. Fields says that Wisconsin roads show more care than those of Illinois.

## LAWYERS TO HELP WITH QUESTIONNAIRE

Every man registered for the draft will be sent a questionnaire in the next two or three weeks that he must fill out and return within seven days to his local exemption board.

These questionnaires are long and the answers of some of the questions may require considerable study. But though Uncle Sam will insist that all the questions be answered he is going to safeguard the rights of every man by providing him with free legal assistance and advice in writing out his answers.

To this end the government is about to mobilize all the lawyers of the country for patriotic service. The mobilization will be voluntary, but every lawyer will be expected to do his bit and volunteer.

## THE RED CROSS BALL TONIGHT

### 12TH CO. FOOTBALL TEAM IS HERE

Big Crowd Expected at Game—Heilbronner Building All in Readiness for Big Event

If the weather is bad and Boreas takes a hand in disturbing plans keen disappointment will prevail in nearly every Hood River valley household this afternoon and tonight. Never, perhaps, in the valley's history, have any two events created such universal interest as the football game, to be played this afternoon at Heilbronner field between the 12th Co. team and a team made up of players from the high school and Volunteer fire department, and the big ball the Red Cross Chapter will give tonight at Heilbronner hall. If the weather is good the football game will claim a record attendance for such an event. And even if the weather is bad, hundreds and hundreds will roll in from all parts of the valley and join the families of the city for the pleasant diversion offered by the Red Cross ball.

Talented decorators have been at work for more than a week in preparing the ballroom and the office rooms of the second floor, where card tables will be placed and lunches served by the Honor Guard girls. The greens were gathered in the Boy Scouts' hall, and the big Billy Sunday Packard truck spent a good part of Sunday hauling in the miniature Christmas trees.

## ALL MEN PRAISE WORK OF DR. KERR

Expression of hopes that Dr. W. J. Kerr, who has been tendered the presidency of the Oregon Agricultural College, can be persuaded to remain at the head of the Oregon Agricultural College is universal here. Merchants, ranchers, educators and bankers as one declare that Oregon would feel a distinct loss if Dr. Kerr were to leave the institution, characterized as a reflection of his strong personality and executive ability. Plans have been made for resolutions by local civic organizations urging Dr. Kerr to remain in Oregon and expressing the strong appreciation of his work for the state's general welfare.

"It would indeed be a great misfortune," says E. O. Blanchard, "for Oregon to lose Dr. Kerr, whose genius as an executive has gone far toward making the Oregon Agricultural College what it is today. The tact of Dr. Kerr has brought about a unification of all interests working for the general good of the state. His words have brought to us bankers of Oregon a realization of the benefits of the cooperation of ourselves and the college."

Prof. J. O. McLaughlin says: "Dr. Kerr has been the man who has built up the Oregon Agricultural College. The progress of the institution, the strides of which have been remarkable, under a new man would have been speculative. Dr. Kerr has been able to effect harmony straight down the line and has gathered at Corvallis a corps of faculty men and women second to none. I cannot conceive of the Oregon Agricultural College with Dr. Kerr at its head."

"We have won a place throughout the nation for our progressive farming and orcharding," says Judge Blowers. "To Dr. Kerr should go in great part the credit for this advancement."

## 4-Minute Men—4 "Carrying the Message"

C. H. VAUGHAN SATURDAY AND SUNDAY AT ELECTRIC THEATRES

Representative N. J. Sinnott and family will be provided with Hood River apples for their Christmas dinner. When the two carloads of gift fruit, sent east by the Apple Growers Association, one to New York city and the other to Chicago, left here Monday night, the former carried a consignment of the valley's finest apples, selected by officials of the sales organization for the eastern Oregon congressman. The apples on arrival at the respective destinations of the refrigerator cars will be distributed by association representatives by express.

"We are remembering Mr. Sinnott," says C. W. McCullagh, "because of his efforts to secure a modification of the British embargo on apples and for numerous other services rendered for northwestern apple growers."

## NICK SINNOTT TO GET FINE APPLES

Representatives of the federal civil service commission at the post office in all cities are the official recruiting agents for the great civilian army, an army of a half million behind the men behind the guns.

## SUGAR PURCHASES LIMITED TO DOLLAR

To conserve the supply of sugar and make it possible to send the commodity to France, a limit has been set on sugar purchases in Oregon. Grocers are permitted to sell but \$1 worth to any customer. To farmers residing in remote sections as much as 25 pounds may be sold. Hotels and restaurants are permitted to buy only a ten days' supply.

## COUNTY TO HELP BUILD NEW BRIDGE

At a conference Thursday with State Bridge Engineer Purcell, representing the State Highway Commission, the county court executed an agreement to appropriate \$8,000 toward construction of a Columbia River Highway bridge across Hood river. It is estimated that the total cost of the proposed structure, of ornamental concrete design, will reach between \$25,000 and \$30,000. The agreement calls for beginning of construction by September 1, 1918.

Ill at a Portland hospital, State Highway Engineer Nunn was unable to attend the meeting as planned.

The agreement provides that traffic will not be retarded in the construction work, and the old bridge will remain the property of the county.

## Mrs. McGuire Red Cross Worker

Mrs. Maria McGuire, a pioneer resident of Hood River, who spends the winters of each year in Salem, according to her daughter, Mrs. Laura Baldwin, here on a visit, has joined the Salem chapter of the Red Cross and is spending a part of each day sewing on bandages and other hospital supplies. Mrs. McGuire is probably the oldest woman in the state who is actively engaged in Red Cross work.

## ENORMOUS BUILDINGS FOR ARMY OFFICERS

### ONE OF THE MANIFOLD PROBLEMS PRESENTED BY THE WAR IS THAT OF FURNISHING ADEQUATE OFFICE ACCOMMODATIONS FOR THE THOUSANDS OF ADDITIONAL OFFICIALS, CLERKS, AND OTHER FEDERAL SERVANTS WHO ARE POURING INTO WASHINGTON.

The government is exercising its prerogative in this direction and has commandeered conveniently located office buildings and apartment houses with a free hand. In addition, it is erecting huge temporary structures for use as offices, and in the building of these contractors are breaking time records for construction work. A building to house the six hundred officials and clerks of the Council of National Defense, containing more than 100,000 square feet of floor space, was erected and fully equipped in 83 days. Similar buildings nearby are for the use of the forces of the food administration, fuel administration, and army ordnance work. It is well under way on a mammoth structure which will cover three city blocks to house the overflow of the war and navy departments, the contrast for which calls for completion in four months.

By these methods the government keeps in advance of its actual needs. At the present rate of increase the usual 35,000 federal employees in Washington will be more than doubled if the war continues another year. Workers of all kinds are being appointed, stenographers and typewriters and draftsmen for the service generally, and what are known as schedule clerks, index and catalog clerks, clerks qualified in statistics or accounting, and clerks qualified in business administration for the ordnance department of the army, being in great demand.

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## ASSESSED VALUATION MORE

The 1917 assessment roll of Hood River county, just completed by Assessor Wickham, shows an increase in valuation of only \$100,890 over last year. The total assessed valuation of the county last year, exclusive of public service corporations, which are assessed by the State Tax Commission, was \$7,324,340. The 1917 valuation is \$7,425,230.