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Y. W. C. A. DRIVE BEGUN MONDAY

WOMEN NOT PLAY SECOND FIDDLE

Mrs. Ainsworth and Mrs. Butler, Managers—District Captains are All Hard at Work

Women of Hood River county, who held a luncheon at the Hotel Oregon Saturday to perfect plans for the Y. W. C. A. war fund drive, launched in all parts of the county Monday, declare that they will show the men, always in charge of former drives, that the women will not play second fiddle. The patriotic women have declared that they will not be satisfied unless their quota of \$400 is far exceeded.

The Hood River county Y. W. C. A. campaign is managed by Mrs. L. S. Ainsworth and Mrs. Truman Butler, the former in charge of rural communities and Mrs. Butler of the city. Captains for communities have been selected respectively as follows: Mrs. E. D. Kanaga, Mrs. J. W. Crites, Mrs. R. B. Perigo, Mrs. F. H. Coolidge, Mrs. Frank Howard, Mrs. Geo. I. Howe, Mrs. J. E. Slade and Mrs. C. A. Bell, city of Hood River; Mrs. W. Horbelt, Deer; Mrs. Jennie Madden, Cascade Locks; Mrs. Everett A. Bown, Parkdale; Mrs. William Munroe, West Side meadow road district; Mrs. Chas. Fuller, Odell; Mrs. F. H. Blackman, Gresham; Mrs. H. Berry, East Barrett; Mrs. Thomas Flagger, Belmont; Mrs. Harley Glass, Frankton; Mrs. J. J. Gibbons, Barrett; and Mrs. D. L. Pierson, Oak Grove.

K. OF C. DRIVE TO BEGIN SATURDAY

The Hood River county drive for the Knights of Columbus War Camp Fund will be launched next Saturday. A general committee, composed of J. H. Mohr, M. Pendergast, P. J. Mohr, Edward Dresser, F. H. Mohr, Theodore Haas, A. A. Mohr, Geo. Mellon, J. P. Naumes, Harry Farrell and Forrest Kingdon, is engaged in working out details of the campaign.

At a mass meeting to be held at Library hall next Friday evening, captains of the soliciting teams for respective city and rural districts will be appointed. The quota, which the campaign managers declare they will raise, in order that the Hood River county record for patriotic activities may be kept clear, has been placed at \$1,000. Banks are cooperating with the committee in the drive work.

The press committee of the campaign has issued the following statement: "Everyone is cordially invited to participate in the meeting of tomorrow night at 8 o'clock. We ask for your presence and support in advancing this worthy cause, conducted along identical lines and supplementing the work of the Y. M. C. A. Here is an opportunity to make an effort or sacrifice, great or small, and be certain that it will through this channel bring the greatest amount of good that constant association with the boys and sympathetic study of their needs, both here and over there can produce.

"The committees will make every effort to reach everyone in the county. But in case you are unable to contribute your bit to either of the Hood River banks. With the previous records of Hood River county as our inspiration, we feel that we must not lag behind, and again we ask you and your heavy contribution and support that these recreation hits may be erected for our boys at the country's different cantonments. Thus we will let them know that we at home are doing all we can for their welfare and comfort.

The campaign will continue until the committees have succeeded in reaching their quota. The Knights of Columbus, a Roman Catholic organization, are conducting their work of constructing recreation cottages at cantonments, under the authority of the government on the same basis that the Y. M. C. A. work is carried on. Seventy-three buildings have already been established at many different cantonments, and more are under construction. These are in addition to buildings to be prepared for troops abroad.

"Everybody welcome," is the hospitable sign that cheerily blazes forth from every K. of C. hut. Every sailor and soldier of the United States, regardless of religious leanings, finds a warm welcome and the hand of a friend and counsellor extended in greeting, and he is asked to enter, rest, read, converse or enjoy himself as he desires.

The Knights of Columbus are providing recreation buildings, including stages for entertainments. Ample facilities for writing home are at hand, and the man in the navy blue or the olive drab will find good books, magazines, newspapers, moving pictures and other forms of wholesome amusement and entertainment.

In regard to the Knights of Columbus work at Camp Lewis, Brigadier Frederick S. Foltz in command, says: "The Knights of Columbus, Camp Lewis, Wash.

"Gentlemen: I desire to express to you my appreciation of the great work which your association is doing among the officers and enlisted men of this command. Your several buildings erected in this cantonment and maintained by your association are sources of great comfort and benefit to the members of the command, and the work which you are performing is tremendously commendable and deserves the support of every patriotic citizen."

The letter was closed by expression of wishes for future unlimited success, which, it was declared, was deserved.

REPORT BY CAN- TEEN COMMITTEE

In a report to E. O. Blanche, chairman of the Red Cross Chapter, C. A. Bell, chairman of the canteen committee, states that apples at the rate of two boxes per car have been distributed to all soldiers who have passed through Hood River since the canteen committee was appointed.

"In every instance," says Mr. Bell's

report, "the boys were very profuse in expressing their appreciation."

Mr. Bell states that his committee to date has had no emergency calls, but that one or more of the members are always present at the arrival of day trains and the early evening trains in readiness for anything that may arise. Mr. Bell declares that his fellow committeeman, Mrs. L. M. Bentley, should be highly commended for her untiring efforts in securing donations of apples from growers and having brought them to the station.

"We have several boxes of apples in storage at the Apple Growers Association," continues the report, "this institution having granted the Red Cross storage gratis, which this committee feels is worthy of mention and commendation."

IMPORTANT NOTICE FOR DRAFT ELIGIBLES

Neglect by any draft registrant who has been granted deferred classification to report to his local board within five days any fact that might change or affect his classification, will be a very serious matter, indeed, for that draft registrant.

The penalty for such forgetfulness is up to one year in jail. And government appeal agencies and the police have been instructed to watch very closely the status of all registrants in deferred classes.

As an example, suppose a draft registrant, who other wise would be in Class I, to have been granted deferred classification by reason of his employment in a shipyard.

His deferred classification holds good only for the time he is actually so employed. If he quits work in that shipyard for any reason whatsoever, he must report the fact, within five days of his quitting, to the local board.

If he doesn't report it, the change in his status is certain to become known sooner or later. He will be arrested, prosecuted and probably sent to jail.

Making a false report is punishable as severely as neglecting to make any report.

The rule cited does not apply only to men employed in shipyards. It applies equally to any draft registrant in a deferred classification whose status has been changed.

ODELL BOY SCOUT TROOP FORMING

A Boy Scout troop, to be composed of two patrols of eight boys each, is being organized in the Odell district with J. C. Duckwall as Scoutmaster. Mr. Duckwall says the boys will be trained immediately, that they may play an important part in the approaching Liberty Loan of 1918. They will also be instructed in gardening

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"The Man of the Hour—the Shipbuilder"
A. J. DERBY
SATURDAY AND SUNDAY AT
GEM THEATRE

methods, and each Scout will be obligated to plant a small tract of land the coming spring.

The troop committee of the organization is composed of Allison Fletcher, V. M. Vose and Dr. E. O. Dutro, all prominent citizens of the neighborhood. W. G. Ogden will be assistant scoutmaster.

Any boy of the neighborhood over 12 years old will be welcomed in the new organization, according to Mr. Duckwall. The teaching of the Boy Scouts is an excellent training for boys, teaching them early in life and in an attractive manner the responsibilities of life.

PLANS MADE FOR SALE OF SMILEAGE

W. A. Isenberg, chairman of the Hood River Council of Defense, received a telegram Tuesday from Harry P. Harrison, of Washington, D. C., appointing him to take charge of the local sale of Smileage books. Definite plans for the sale of the books of tickets, which will admit enlisted men to theatres provided for their entertainment, will be decided at a meeting to be called tonight at Library hall.

At the meeting of tonight the Hood River Defense Council, Mr. Isenberg states, will be reorganized. It is asked that all men who were recently sworn in as a special home guard, special duty sheriff's commissions having been issued them. The Council will be reorganized from those present tonight.

J. W. WEST BECOMES MT. HOOD MANAGER

Friday J. W. West, formerly in charge of the civil engineering department of the Eccles interests in this county, will assume the superintendency and management of the Mount Hood R. R. Co., with an office here. Mr. West will succeed J. M. Read, who came here recently from Ogden, Mr. Read having resigned.

Mr. West, who succeeded his father, Joseph West, as engineer for the line, had charge of construction of the most of the road.

Shipbuilders to be Recruited

The Hood River Council of Defense is making ready to conduct a local campaign for recruiting woodsmen and shipbuilding laborers. All available men will be registered. The local Four Minute Men's organization, according to E. C. Smith, chairman of the organization, is working along these lines.

Judge Derby will be the Four Minute speaker for the week at the Gem theatre. He will talk on "The Man of the Hour, the Shipbuilder."

See "The Rescue," at the Gem Tuesday, one day only. Its a Bluebird with an all star cast.

CANADIANS TO BE HERE SUNDAY

OFFICERS WILL TELL EXPERIENCES

Meeting at Asbury Methodist Church—
Delegation of Citizens Will Greet
Visitors at Station

From preparations that are now being made, one of the most enthusiastic meetings ever held here will take place at the Asbury Methodist church Sunday afternoon, when addresses will be delivered by Major F. B. Edwards and Capt. E. J. Cook, officers of the Canadian army, home from the trenches recuperating from wounds, will deliver addresses. The visiting officers, who have been touring the state for the past several weeks under the auspices of the Oregon Council of Defense, will tell of their experience in the battle front. In a degree they will bring the war and its meaning to the people of Hood River county.

Up to last Saturday the two officers above named have been accompanied by Lieut.-Col. T. M. McMillan, a third Canadian officer, who was called to Vancouver, B. C., while at Baker. The three men have been accompanied on their tour by Bruce Dennis, secretary of the Oregon Defense Council, who will be here with them Sunday.

At all the points where they have appeared, the Canadians have been greeted by overcrowded houses, and it is feared that the Methodist church will not nearly accommodate the big audience next Sunday. The meeting will be presided over by Mayor Dumble. Three patriotic solos will be rendered by Mrs. C. H. Sletton.

NITRATE OF SODA AVAILABLE AT COST

To the farmers and fruit growers of Hood River county:

I wish to make the following announcement:

The United States Department of Agriculture has purchased 100,000 tons of nitrate of soda and proposes to dispose of this fertilizer direct to farmers at cost plus the local freight from seaport to point of destination. The plan provides that farmers make application for this fertilizer through county agricultural agents and local committees appointed by such agents. In every county having no agricultural agent the state director of extension is expected to appoint a committee of three and to designate one member of this committee to perform as chairman the duties of county agent in taking active lead in the county. Applications for nitrate must be in the hands of the chairman or a member of the committee not later than February 4 so the necessity for quick action is apparent.

In the absence of a regular county agent I have been appointed by the extension department of the Oregon Agricultural College to act as chairman of this committee. The two other members of this committee are A. W. Stone, manager Apple Growers Association, and Leroy Childs, Hood River Experiment Station. Applications should be sent to myself or to either of the two whose names are given. Applications should indicate amount of nitrate required and for what crop. Remember that this holds good only until February 4. Advice has been just reached that approximately 40,000 tons of nitrate will be distributed from Portland and Seattle. The approximate cost per ton will be about \$70.

We urge that fruit growers and farmers of this county avail themselves of this opportunity to secure cheaper fertilizer. It is not urged that anyone buy this fertilizer because of its greatly reduced price only, nor in larger quantities than sufficient to meet present year's needs. The grower will appreciate this is a war emergency provision and it is hoped that he will make use of it with this idea in mind.

Gordon G. Brown,
Horticulturist Hood River Experiment Station.

HUMAN TOE FOUND IN EXCAVATION

A crew of men engaged in excavating for the new garage at the corner of Third street and Cascade avenue last Friday found a human toe, a severed member enclosed in a small bottle filled with some kind of preserving fluid.

The toe, it is presumed, was once appended to a pioneer woodsman, who may have lost it in some early day logging accident. The toe was found on the former location of an old logging house patronized extensively in early days by loggers. Enclosed in the original bottle, the cork stopper of which is almost rotten, and accompanied by a typewritten inscription, "Owner please call and claim," the ancient toe has been placed on display in the show window of Keir's drug store.

SANFORD SMITH'S SISTER IS DEAD

Sanford Smith, past commander of Canby Post, G. A. R., has received news of the death, at Lawrenceburg, Mo., of a favorite sister, Mrs. Mary E. Mason, wife of L. F. Mason, aged 67 years and five months. Mrs. Mason was a native of Kentucky. She had settled with her family in Missouri when a small child. Death occurred December 24.

Mrs. Mason is survived by two other brothers and two sisters. She was a member of the Christian church, and known for her devoted practice of her religion.

"It indeed brings me great grief," says Mr. Smith, "for I had hoped that we might be with each other again on this earth. She was a true mother, and taught her children to walk the honest and upright path. She watched over them and protected them from the storms of life. We will ever cherish her love in our memory."

See the Animated Weekly at the Gem every Friday and Saturday.

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JEWELER

Odell Folk to Give Play

The play, "Miss Molly," will be given at the Odell grange hall Saturday night, February 2. There will be good musical numbers, both vocal and instrumental by Miss Aldine Bartness, Mrs. A. H. Ferguson and Hans Hoerlein.

The cast of the play is as follows: Reginald Peters, an eccentric old bachelor, Mr. Bucher; Miss Annie Peters, twin sister of Mr. Peters, Mary Shepard; Miss Molly, their niece, Eva Boyed; Joe, the negro servant, Loyal Rhoades; Pearly White, another Ethiopian domestic, Thelma Cameron; Julian Hewitt, an artist and a ward of Mr. Peters, Algine Weinheimer; Lady Elusia, a guest, Anna Vonada; Cissie Saunders, the officious an slangy governess, Bobby Clark.

The program starts at 8 o'clock sharp. Admission 25 and 15 cents.