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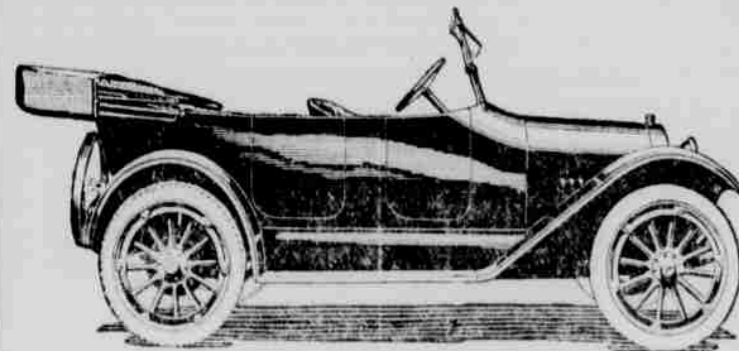
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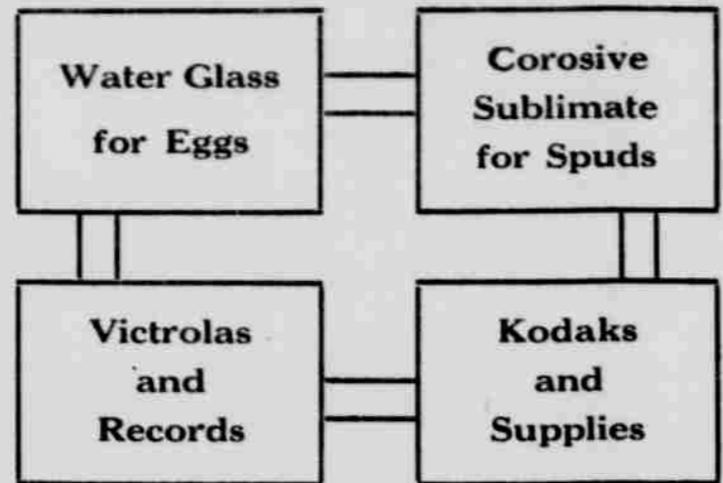
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### "The Kaiser, Beast of Berlin"

Regular Admission for Children, 30c  
Bring this Coupon and see the Show for 20 cents.

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## EVERY CITY GOES OVER THE TOP

### OREGON'S LIBERTY SCORE PERFECT

All Hood River County Communities Will Fly Honor Flags—Quotas Are Given Out

Every Oregon city has gone over the top in the Third Liberty Loan campaign. Oakland, in the Umpqua valley, reported a 100 per cent subscription last Saturday, and the state's record was made perfect. With a quota of \$18,000,000, oversubscriptions have passed the mark of 32 1/3 per cent.

While other counties of the state reached their quotas before Hood River county, this county was one of the first making such a record for all of its communities assigned quotas. Steadily and surely, without ostentation, Hood River county solicitors, during the first week of the big drive, piled up their totals, and within 10 days after the campaign had commenced Hood River had exceeded her quota of \$120,000 by a third.

Executive Chairman Blanchard has given out the following table of quotas and subscriptions from Hood River county communities to which definite assignments were made:

District	Assignment	Subscription
Hood River	\$41,500	\$50,100
Cascade Locks	7,000	7,500
Frankton	7,000	8,400
Barrett	9,000	10,150
Odell	12,000	14,100
Parkdale	9,000	12,150
Pine Grove	12,000	29,750
Valley Crest	2,000	2,500
Middle Valley	700	1,050
Oak Grove	5,500	5,900
Willow Flat	2,750	3,700
Deer	7,100	10,500
Miscellaneous direct to banks		14,000

Total subscriptions to date \$176,900

The last feature of the big bond campaign will begin next Saturday, when Boy Scouts of America will begin an intensive solicitation to see that no citizen has been overlooked. The Boy Scouts of Hood River, under the leadership of Scoutmaster Cruikshank, will glean the town and surrounding communities.

President Wilson, in a letter, dated March 14, to National Director C. H. Livingstone, recognized the valuable aid furnished by the Boy Scouts in the previous campaigns by requesting that the boys again be asked to help, acting in the capacity of "gleaners" after the "reapers." The letter follows:

"My Dear Mr. Livingstone: "Will you again muster the full strength of the Boy Scouts of America for cooperation with the Treasury Department in securing subscriptions for the third Liberty loan. As in the two previous campaigns, it is desired to have the Boy Scouts of America serve as 'gleaners' in a house to house canvass after the 'reapers,' gleaned during the days set aside for your special campaign."

"The patriotic and effective service of the Boy Scouts in your definitely planned program of war work activities is a splendid testimonial to the value of organized boyhood in helping our country win the war. As in the two previous campaigns, it is desired to have the Boy Scouts of America serve as 'gleaners' in a house to house canvass after the 'reapers,' gleaned during the days set aside for your special campaign."

## BARRETT FLAG DEDICATION IMPRESSIVE

Perhaps the most impressive meeting ever held in the Barrett district and one of the most patriotic gatherings ever assembled in Hood River county was that at the Valley Christian church last Friday night, when the service flag of the community, bearing 62 stars, was dedicated. The evening's program was opened with an invocation by the pastor, Rev. J. B. Lister. Led by the school children, who have been drilled by Miss Lillian Brock, the great audience sang the Star Spangled Banner.

An address of welcome was given by Roy D. Smith, president of the Barrett Patriotic League, the members of which, together with the Barrett Parent-Teacher Association and the Park grange, arranged for the meeting. Mr. Smith called attention to the patriotic purposes of the league and urged all citizens of the community to affiliate with it.

Miss Gladys Reavis sang "The Battle Hymn of the Republic." She was followed by Judge Fred W. Wilson, who delivered an eloquent appeal to the patriotism of the audience. The handsome banner was then unveiled by Miss Carol Hurlburt, whose father, Capt. Carroll M. Hurlburt, is in the service of his country abroad. When the red, white and blue ribbons released the folds of the flag, the audience arose with shouts and cheers. Other addresses were delivered by Supt. Gibson and E. W. Birge. The former spoke words of sharp rebuke for the lax spirit that many were manifesting in the hour of the nation's peril. Mr. Birge, captain of the Barrett Liberty Loan team, commended the spirit of his neighbors for their response to the bond appeal. His announcement that Barrett had oversubscribed her quota by more than \$6,000 brought a round of applause. The program closed with the singing of America.

## BEAST OF BERLIN HERE NEXT WEEK

"The Beast of Berlin," which has been secured by Art Kolstad for the Liberty theatre next Wednesday and Thursday, is said to depict graphically and accurately the kaiser, his whims and his ambition which has cost the world the lives of millions and millions of men, which has stopped at no atrocity, which has revealed in cruelties that would make beasts ashamed. The Beast of Berlin, which was produced and launched under the auspices of the American Defense society, has created an unrivaled interest wherever it has been shown. The truth hurts,

even for the kaiser and his minions, and the revelations of the strong photoplay has had its sting for the cohorts of Prussianism. Numerous times have attempts been made to destroy the films, playhouses where the picture has been shown have been dynamited, and the posters that have heralded the picture have been torn down, pointing out that the activities of the pro-hun in this country must be watched out for and guarded against.

The Beast of Berlin was presented to thousands in Portland last week. So strong is the picture and so graphic are its descriptions that the people are swept from their feet. Mr. Kolstad brought the show here at the special request of a number of Hood River people who saw it in Portland. Merchants and business men are cooperating with him in making the show a success, and an endeavor will be made to show it to the people of White Salmon, Mosier and Underwood during the two days it is here.

Despite the increased accommodations of the Liberty, the house will likely be crowded at night performances, and Mr. Kolstad requests all who can do so view the picture at matinee performances.

The big Jewel production comes to this city almost first among the cities west of the Rocky mountains, thanks to the promptness of Mr. Kolstad in booking it almost as soon as it reached Portland.

The will back of Germany's war and ruthlessness of German methods will be brought home to citizens of Hood River as never before. At the same time revolting scenes will not be conspicuous. Audiences will see in a terrific review the massacre and sack of Louvain and German ruthlessness at work in Belgium, even as it hopes some day to be at work in America.

They will see the decoration of the kaiser placed on Capt. von Neige, commander of the U-boat that sunk the Lusitania, and will see how the captain went mad with remorse over the crime he was ordered to commit by Europe's "man with a withered soul."

They will see the kaiser smashed in the jaw by the captain of his guard whom he insulted. They see him swagger in gorgeous uniforms and hear his boasts and threats in the historic scene with Ambassador Gerard. They will see him fall, and will see the prediction of the end of the war and the end of the kaiser and his imprisonment in Louvain, the first city to fall victim to German aggression.

All of the scenes and episodes, up to the entry of America into the war, are historically accurate, and the words of the kaiser in the play are correct quotations of his actual utterances.

In connection with the present big drive in France the picture assumes a new interest and gives one an especially vivid glimpse of the actual forces against which America is arrayed in this war for freedom from the curse of autocratic ambition. A short synopsis of the story follows:

Summer 1914, and the world was at peace, love and friendship ruled the glad business of every day. Marceas, blacksmith of Louvain, was a mighty man. Marceas lived in faith and love and friendship, and by the sweat of his brow had won peace and prosperity.

There was another man who lived in a palace in Berlin. He was twice a prince, 18 times a duke, twice a prince nine times a count, besides being a bishop, William of Hohenzollern, King of Prussia, Emperor of Germany.

August 1, 1914, and William of Hohenzollern spoke the word that set the world adrift; came the crash, Titanic, colossal, staggering. Joy died, hope fled, desolation became supreme. Up on that day the world passed into twilight. The baneful autocracy of Prussia had spoken.

In two years 22 million men were killed, maimed or made prisoners. Twenty-two million families mourned. Then came the master crime. An offending people was ground into extinction beneath an iron heel, a nation was destroyed, the crime against Belgium completed to its fullest; the Prussian stalked onward with his twin comrades, Frightfulness and Horror. A new blotch of infamy, the Lusitania, was added to the Black Name of the Beast.

There was another man who lived in a White House. The chief and spokesman of a great nation that believes all people were born free and equal with a right to peace and happiness.

Then came the end. The dark curtain which, like a shroud, had enveloped the earth, cleared away, and, when the echo of the last cannon had died upon the air, the silver-throated bells of all the world rang forth the glad tidings: "William of Hohenzollern Has Fallen!"

Liberty Theatre, Wednesday and Thursday, May 1 and 2.

## GODSPEED FOR H. R. N. A. RECRUITS

Citizens are making preparations to give the county's second increment of drafted men to leave for Camp Lewis a rousing farewell ovation Monday, April 29. Hood River's quota under this call will be filled by the following nine men: W. E. Jones, Guy Eastman, J. A. Weber, Stewart E. Kimball, Tony Bosh, D. E. Titchell, C. H. Thomas, Martin Plog and Roy Carnell. Bosh and Carnell have moved from here since their registration. The former will be inducted into the service from Portland and the latter from a Wyoming point. The local board is daily receiving requests from other northwestern exemption boards to induct transfers into the service from here.

The National Army recruits will entrain here on the afternoon local which passes through Hood River at 2.55.

## ALL COMMUNITIES TO GET HONOR FLAG

Subscriptions to the Third Liberty Loan passed the \$100,000 mark last Friday. It was found that many men and women of the valley, not listed with any soliciting team, have been coming to banks and volunteering subscriptions for bonds.

All of the 13 communities of the county allotted quotas reported excess subscriptions early last week. Scores of Japanese ranchers subscribed to the loan, and among the most faithful team workers were Japanese.

## STAMP SALES TO BE RUSHED

### DISTRICT RIVALRY TO BE CREATED

War Savings Societies Will Be Organized in Every Community—Meeting of Workers Tomorrow

With Hood River county subscriptions to the Third Liberty Loan almost 50 per cent oversubscribed, efforts for the next several months will be concentrated in bringing the purchase of War Savings Stamps to the 100 per cent basis. At a meeting of the War Stamp executive committee at the Commercial club last Friday afternoon Chairman Vaughan reported that Hood River county had been complimented on the excellent showing made from the recent house to house canvass in the county.

Before the canvass was made total Hood River county stamp sales had reached only \$5,000. Within a month's time another \$20,000 has been sold. Postmaster Reavis reports that the habit of purchasing the small securities is on the increase.

Still Hood River county must be up and doing it, during the remaining eight months of the year, the remaining allotment of \$130,000 worth of War Savings certificates are sold. The quota set for the entire nation is \$20 per capita.

According to the plans outlined at the meeting of Friday afternoon, Hood River county will be divided into districts, conforming to school districts, and when the population of these districts are ascertained, the quotas will be set on this basis. Each community will be asked to sell its quota of the small securities. Through the organization of numerous War Savings societies, each with a membership of 10 or more, the committee hopes to attain the desired results.

At the meeting of last Friday afternoon Chairman Vaughan appointed committees as follows: Promotion, R. B. Bennett and Joe D. Thomson; educational, L. B. Gibson and E. McLaughlin; speakers, S. J. Moore and P. S. Davidson; War Savings societies, D. G. Cruikshank, S. J. Moore, P. S. Davidson and R. B. Bennett.

A meeting of the chairman of district War Savings committees will be held at the Commercial club tomorrow afternoon, when further plans for the coming drive will be worked out.

## TEAMS RELEASED FOR FARM WORK

The state highway department is dispensing with the services of all teams on its force account work and substituting trucks and labor-saving devices instead of the men and teams may be released for work on the farms. State Highway Engineer Nunn has announced. Very few teams, in fact, are now being used on state highway work anywhere, he asserted, and every effort is being made to cooperate with farmers in handling the situation.

Work on every contract job throughout the state is now in progress and Mr. Nunn says that the labor situation is fair, in fact, as good as at this time last year, and that good progress is being made. The principal jobs include the work on the Lower Columbia River Highway, on the Upper Highway between Hood River and Cascade Locks and on the Pacific Highway. On the Hood River work five steam shovels are being used and only about half a dozen teams.

In addition to the principal jobs mentioned, there are between 150 and 160 little jobs scattered over the state, many of these being small contracts for filling in little chunks of work in connection with the larger contracts.

## 1917 APPLE CROP BECOMES HISTORY

The distribution of the 1917 apple crop of the Hood River valley is fast becoming history. But four cars out of a total of 935 remain in storage warehouses of the Apple Growers Association. The rest will probably be shipped this week. All other local sales agencies have cleaned up their holdings.

Warehouse crews of the Association are now making preparations for handling the approaching strawberry and cherry harvests. Weather conditions for cherries, now in full blossom, are excellent for pollenization and a full crop is indicated. Strawberry tracts, too, are reported in good condition.

## S. S. WORKERS GO TO SALEM

A large delegation of Hood River county Sunday school workers have left for Salem to attend the 33rd annual convention of the Oregon State Sunday School Association, the sessions of which will last from Thursday to Saturday. Miss Martha Ferguson, daughter of the president of the Hood River county association, Mrs. J. E. Ferguson, will participate in the program Saturday afternoon. Local Sunday school workers will endeavor to return home with the banner awarded annually for the county displaying the greatest interest in Sunday school work.

The annual convention of the Hood River County Sunday School Association will be held May 18 and 19 at the Pine Grove church.

### Tourist Advance Guard Here

The advance guard of summer automobile tourists is reaching Hood River from the middle west. Two big cars, bearing Wisconsin license plates and carrying full camp equipment, rolled merrily through town Monday. The visitors were not aware of the Ruthton bill blockade until they reached the mass of debris covering the old road, which lies below the new road being cut from the solid rock cliff.

The motorists faced about and motored back through the city to camp on the lowlands east of the city where they awaited a boat to carry them to Cascade Locks.