

THE PREMIUM LIST.

At the Homesteaders' Fair Given by the Nestucca Grange.

We give below the premium list for the Homesteaders' Fair which took place recently, and which was given under the auspices of the Nestucca Grange:

For Sale or Will Trade for Tillamook city property a small improved farm on the Wiamette river, 21 miles south of Portland, on the main road. Water transportation. A. C. Everson, Tillamook.

1. Display of fruits—1st, \$2.50, won by Ray Woods; 2nd, \$1.50, won by Fannie Smith; 3rd, \$1.00, won by H. L. Jensen, Nursery stock by Albany Nurseries.

2. Display of Flowers—1st, \$2.50, won by Mrs. Blalock; 2nd, \$1.50 won by Mrs. J. H. Woods; 3rd, \$1.00, won by Mrs. Jacob Nicklaus, in choice roses by Albany Nurseries.

3. Display of vegetables grown from Portland Seed Co.'s seeds—1st, \$7.50, won by H. L. Jensen; 2nd, won by R. Y. Blalock, goods by Portland Seed Co.

4. Best last spring chickens by a boy or girl—1st, won by Albert Slackley, \$2.50; 2nd, won by Reta Kinnaman, \$1.50; 3rd, won by Georgie McDonald, \$1.00, given by Dr. Shearer.

5. Best loaf of bread, pie and cake by boy or girl—1st won by Edna Cason, \$2.50; 2nd by Clarice Booth, \$1.50. Given by Dr. Shearer.

6. Best farm display—1st won by R. Y. Blalock, \$5.00 in merchandise, by Cloverdale Merc. Co.; 2nd, won by Jacob Nicklaus, \$2.50 in merchandise by King & Crenshaw Co.; 3rd won by John Slackley \$2.50 in merchandise by A. A. Pennington.

7. Best potato display—1st, won by R. C. Magarrell, \$3.00 in merchandise, by A. McNair, Co.; 2nd, won by Hersel Hollett, \$1.50 cash by Star Garage; 3rd, won by C. A. McDonald, \$1.00 cash by Star Garage.

8. Largest Squash—1st, won by Robert Nicklaus, \$1.00 by T. H. Goyne; 2nd, won by Georgie McDonald, 50c. by Dr. Robinson.

9. Best display of grasses—1st, won by R. C. Magarrell, \$1.50; 2nd, won by C. B. Measor, \$1.00 given by Harris-Ammer Furniture Co., in merchandise.

10. Best bunch of artichokes—1st, won by J. H. Woods, \$1.00 given by W. A. Williams; 2nd, won by Arthur Measor 50c. given by Tillamook Meat Co.

11. 6 best glasses of jelly by a girl under 15—Edna Cason, \$1.00 by Dr. Robinson.

12. Best display of canned goods—1st, Mrs. C. B. Measor, \$2.50; 2nd, Mrs. W. W. Cason, \$1.50; 3rd Mrs. C. A. McDonald, \$1.00 in merchandise by Gilbert Bros.

13. Best stock beet—1st, won by Adam Schmeltzer, \$1.00, by P. W. Todd; 2nd, won by C. B. Measor, 50c. by Dr. Robinson.

14. Best woodwork by a boy under 16—1st, won by Albert Slackley, \$1.00, given by R. N. Henkle.

15. Best patch work by a girl under 16—1st won by Edna Cason, \$1.00 by W. A. High.

16. Best carrots—1st, Clarice Booth \$1.00, W. A. High; 2nd, won by Lila Booth, 50c. by W. A. High.

17. Best parsnips—1st, won by Clarice Booth, \$1.00, by W. A. High; 2nd, won by L. N. Sandoz, 50c. by W. A. High.

18. Best silo corn—1st, R. C. Magarrell, \$2.50; 2nd, L. N. Sandoz, \$1.50; 3rd W. W. Cason, \$1.00 by Coats Lumber Co.

19. Display of grasses by a homesteader—1st, W. R. Speece, \$2.00 cash by Tillamook Meat Co.

20. Largest pumpkin—1st, won by Hersel Hollett, \$1.00 given by H. T. Botts; 2nd, Miles Blalock, 50c. by W. A. High.

21. Best display of fancy work—1st, won by Mrs. Carson, \$2.50; 2nd, Mrs. L. N. Sandoz, \$1.50; 3rd, Mrs. John Barba, Jr., \$1.00, given by C. I. Clough Co.; 4th, Ruby Johnson, 50c. by Tillamook Meat Co.

22. Best dairy cow—1st, R. C. Magarrell, \$2.50; 2nd, D. W. Bendfield, \$1.50 in merchandise by E. T. Haltom.

23. Best Bull—1st, H. L. Jensen, \$2.50; 2nd, Ralph Welsh, \$1.50; 3rd, W. W. Cason, \$1.00, by F. R. Beals.

24. Best heifer—1st H. L. Jensen, \$2.50; 2nd, Earl Aver, \$1.50; 3rd, Albert Slackley, \$1.00 by First National Bank.

25. Best calf—1st, Emet Bendfield, \$2.50; 2nd, Walter Hollett, \$1.50 3rd, Merl Jensen, \$1.00 by Tillamook County Bank.

26. Best decoration in the parade—1st, W. R. Speece, sack of flour by Standard Feed Co.; 2nd, Albert Slackley, \$1.00 by E. T. Haltom; 3rd, Guy Swartes, \$1.00 R. E. Wilson.

27. Best Cauliflower—1st Mrs. J. F. Kumm, \$1.00 in goods by R. E. Wilson; 2nd, Mrs. L. N. Sandoz, 50c. by Tillamook Meat Co.

28. Best cabbage—1st, L. N. Sandoz, \$1.00 by Smith's Variety Store.

29. Best table beets—1st, W. R. Speece, \$1.00 Knife by Mason & Co.; 2nd, Charlotte Measor, 50c. by W. A. High.

30. Best loaf of bread—1st, May Nehl, \$1.00 by Dr. Shearer; 2nd Mrs. Addie Schmeltzer, 50c. by Tillamook Meat Co.

31. Best Butter—1st, Mrs. Nicklaus, \$1.00 by R. W. Bennett.

THE GERARD ARTICLES.

The Oregonian's Comment on Them is also Highly Interesting.

The articles of ex-ambassador Gerard, which appeared in the Oregonian, proved most interesting reading, but the editorial comment is also interesting for it lays the bare facts before the people of this county and opens their eyes to the serious menace that he confronted the world.

The Oregonian says: When the break in relations with Germany finally came, many Americans still cherished the pacific delusions born of our remoteness from Europe and its quarrels, of our assumption that, because we were devoted to peace and good will, all other nations were inspired by like sentiment; and that we need only keep aloof from Europe's wars and practice impartial friendship with all belligerents in order to enjoy unbroken peace and security. To these people, so filled with our own National good intentions that they could not conceive of ill-will by any other nation towards us, the proclamation of ruthless submarine war and the Zimmermann note inviting Mexico to join Germany in war upon us came as a shock. They were reluctant to believe the truth, and only by degrees has the truth come home to them.

James W. Gerard has opened their eyes. With all the authority of the man who was accredited to represent the United States in Germany, who has been at the center of German government through two and a half years of war, who has been in close intercourse with its rulers and leading men, he has turned the microscope of his keen intelligence, inspired by deep patriotism and fidelity to democracy, upon Germany, and he has revealed the result of his observations to the American people. We know now, beyond the power of any man to dispute, with what we contend—the great danger which overhangs us in common with every other nation which loves freedom, mercy and all the virtues which are summed up in the words civilization and humanity.

The picture which Mr. Gerard spreads before our eyes is hideous. It reveals the German government as a monster to combat which every American who loves not only his country but his fellow-man, should nerve his arm and apply his powers of intellect. Germany is ruled by men who have elevated war into a thing good in itself, who despise mercy and weakness, good faith as folly, and who have organized a great nation into a machine for the purpose of crushing other nations and winning world dominion. If this design were carried out, we can infer how the world would be ruled by the manner in which it would have been conquered, and by the inhuman manner in which the people of the occupied territories are now ruled. The whole world would relapse into the condition to which the people of the barbarians reduced Europe, except that modern inventions would have been used by the conquerors to keep the conquered in subjection and to enrich themselves at their subjects' expense. Mankind would begin all over again the climb from a state of tyranny and moral degradation to the state of freedom and enlightenment which it has made since the dark middle ages.

The cold deliberation with which Germany and her tool, Austria, began the war has been laid bare by Mr. Gerard. The autograph telegram from the Kaiser to President Wilson which he published at the first time founds the German cause on a mass of falsehoods. It fixes on the Kaiser himself responsibility for having the cynical disregard for the sanctity of treaties and for the rights of nations, invaded Belgium. It reveals an attempt to keep France and Britain out of the war in order that Germany and Austria might first crush the weak and tottering empire of Russia, then France, then Britain and then America, while the thrust to the east was to carry Teuton arms through Turkey to India and Egypt.

The Kaiser planned a short war—this time with Russia only, but that was to have been only the first of a series of wars by which each nation in turn was to have been subdued until the plan of world empire was carried out. He was profuse with promises designed to keep other nations than Russia out of the war, but of what value are the promises of a man who violated Belgium "on strategic grounds"? He planned a short war against Russia, and when France came in, against Russia and France combined. Bitter must have been his disappointment when Britain joined his enemies, for he then said the war would be long. Mr. Gerard rates at its full value the important part played by Britain when he says that her entry into the war saved the world from Prussian conquest, and saved America.

The war is shown to have followed long preparation, not only by making Germany an armed nation but by training the minds of the German people in militarism. With cunning the ruling class played on that fear of invasion which they were "bred in the marrow of their souls by centuries of devastating war," and upon their cupidity and lust of conquest by promising them untold riches and world dominion. For these things they were willing to submit to a conscienceless autocracy. To keep their minds constantly inflamed to the fighting point they were "stirred to a white pitch of hatred," first against Russia, then against Britain and now against America.

Almost from the beginning intrigue was directed toward America. In February, 1915, an attempt was made to use one of our citizens for the purpose of dividing the allies. When that failed, submarine war began. When this country exercised its undoubted right to sell munitions to whatever nation was able to buy, our citizens were murdered at sea, our country was filled with spies who sought to induce us to abandon our rights and thereby to become prac-

tical allies of Germany, and our factories were blown up. When we refused to yield, the current of hatred was turned against us, even while German ministers were making professions of friendship. Our military attaches and correspondents were insulted at German army headquarters, our flag was treated with contempt in Berlin and our Ambassador was for weeks denied an interview with the sovereign who had never concealed his hatred for our nation. This sentiment openly expressed when he said to Mr. Gerard on October 22, 1915:

"America had better look after this war."

"I shall stand no nonsense from America after this war."

Contempt for this country was never concealed. German militarists knew their own people well, but they are densely ignorant of this as of other nations with which they have come into conflict. This was proved by Zimmermann's remark that 500,000 German reservists in the United States would fight for Germany if this country went to war, and by his astonishment when Mr. Gerard replied that there were 500,000 lamp-posts on which they would be hanged if they tried it. The malevolent purpose of the war-lords was revealed by Von Tirpitz when he predicted that the submarines would make Britain surrender and that Germany would then use the British fleet in exacting from America an indemnity large enough to defray the entire cost of the war. Restrictions were never placed on this brutal warfare in good faith; they only meant delay until enough U-boats of improved types had been built to give a chance of success.

Being fully informed of the evil designs of Germany, we need to take good heed of Mr. Gerard's warnings as to her ability to carry them out, even at this stage of the war. He has warned us that her military and naval power is still unbroken; that she cannot be starved, though she may suffer privation; that there is no real financial distress, and that peace through revolution is impossible; finally, that Germany is still the greatest military power the world has ever seen, with an army of 9,000,000 men and with naval strength still unimpaired.

When we are confronted with such a power, aiming at our destruction as an independent Nation and controlled by men so unscrupulous that no treaty can bind them, we should take heed of what Mr. Gerard has told us of the nature of the German government, that we may not be lured into what Mr. Lloyd George has well termed as "bad peace, which goes staggering on from one war to another." The Kaiser and the militarist Junkers are supreme, the Reichstag is a mere debating society with no real power, and the franchise has been so limited that the mass of the people have small voice in its election. The Socialist party is so morally weak that it at first approved the war, is now devoid of leaders drawn from the classes of social standing, and is committed to such extreme views that no reliance can be placed upon it as a means to democratization of Germany which President Wilson regards as a necessary preliminary to a peace that will bind the German people as distinguished from their distinguished government.

There can be no sure peace with Germany so long as her military power continues and is in the hands of such a government. We must turn a deaf ear to all appeals for peace until that power is destroyed or until we can deal with a government which is controlled by, and speaks the truly expressed sentiment of, the German people. We must not be deceived by any sham concessions to democracy by the Junkers, such as were made in the revolution of 1848, only to be taken back when the autocracies again got firm hold of the reins. In order that this war may be ended by permanent peace, it should go on until Prussian militarism is destroyed, either by the armies of the allies or by the German people themselves.

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