

**JUNIOR RAINBOW REGIMENT.**

**The State Supt. Urges Schools to Help in Thrift Stamp "Drive."**

J. A. Churchill, superintendent of Public Instruction has sent out the following letter:

Again the Federal Government is asking the public schools to take up a definite piece of work. I realize that the demands for outside work have been very heavy this year, and that they have to some extent broken in upon our regular school work. This Department has been careful, therefore, to endorse only those movements which are authorized by Federal authorities, and which are educational in character.

Secretary McAdoo has appealed to us to have the children save their pennies to buy thrift stamps and war certificates. In order that we may actually secure results, we wish to organize a Junior Rainbow Regiment. To be eligible for membership in this Regiment, a boy or girl must be one of the first 1000 to sell \$50.00 worth of thrift stamps. We will send to each of the first 1000 an achievement pin to wear during the period of war. Just as soon as a child in your district has sold \$50.00 worth of stamps, please report his name and address to the county superintendent.

The sale of thrift stamps and war certificates is a part of the government's program for financing the war. We must realize that our very existence as a free nation depends on our success in this war, and that it cannot be won unless every person does all in his power to help. Every cent that can be raised is needed to clothe and equip our soldiers. The children of this nation are anxious to help. They need the guidance of their teachers, and this plan has the additional value of assisting the schools in their work of making good citizens.

The Oregon teachers made a record for this state in the food conservation campaign. Let us again work for the good name of our state, and help the government raise money to carry on the war.

**Colossal Blunders of the Ages.**

Germany drove through Belgium, and so got Great Britain into the war. Germany drove to Paris, and so aroused the French people to the most valorous and effective military organization in all their valorous and heroic history.

Germany leaped at the throat of civilization with its devil weapon the submarine, and so got America with all its resources into the war against her.

Germany drove for Venice, and so united the Italian people against her as they had never before, and caused the allies to form the close cooperation that had been their greatest lack before.

Germany corrupted the Russian court, and so brought on the revolution that leveled all obstructions to seeing the central fact that this is a war provoked by autocracy, that has been carried on ruthlessly and unscrupulously by the militarism that is autocracy's eager slave, and that can only end righteously when autocracy and militarism are slain.

The Russian revolution is due to Germany's intrigues in the Russian court; and it is Germany's fate that this resulted in narrowing the field of autocracy to the central empires and concentrated there the hate and distrust of the world.

Germany has shown cunning, but no imagination.

It was England's "contemptible little army," but it could not see the millions of heroes behind it from the British Isles and the commonwealths across the sea.

It saw Belgium's smallness, but it could not see the bigness of its soul. It saw France's weakness, but it could not see the strength of its spirit.

It saw America's distance, but it could not see that American ingenuity would bridge it. It saw America's disinterestedness, and mistook it for compliance toward evil. It saw America's pacificism, and mistook it for fear.

It saw the deadly possibilities of the submarines, but it could not see the tornado of world rage that it would evoke.

Germany, with all its unscrupulous cunning, and with all its boasted "efficiency," has proved itself by this war to be the colossal blunderer of the ages.—Duluth Herald.

**Knowing What Is Going On.**

At a big western state university the other day the instructors in the department of American history were instructed to find out how many of their students had read President Wilson's message to Congress. Twenty-two out of 302 had done so. That is to say, 6 per cent of the group of undergraduates who were actually studying the history of their country had acquainted themselves with the most important current document in that history. Time was when this would have meant little. Time was when reading a president's message was about as intellectually developing as playing pool. That time is past. The present crisis in American history is the most important. The situation is on trial. Her courage is about to be given a final test. Her intelligence is undergoing that test daily. These are not casual months. They are either the condemnation or the resurrection of the world. We are

told on the one hand that the country is fighting for its homes and firesides, on the other, that we do not and can not know what we are fighting for until after our terms of peace are set down in black and white. We are in the middle of a whirl of skilful German lies, long planned and intended solely for the disintegration of our purpose. Our leader sents forth, in language as clear as it is eloquent, our real aims, our real proposals—and we do not read his words. How can we contradict the assertions of our enemy? How can we justify our action to those who honestly hesitate to support it?—Chicago Herald.

**Truth About the German Nation.**

As President Wilson says with great force and verity, "we do not wish to injure Germany or to block in any way her legitimate influence or power. We wish her only to accept a place of equality among the peoples of the world, instead of a place of mastery."

This appalling war is the crimson flower and fruitage of two false and fatal conceptions that trace back 100 years through German philosophy and statecraft—a delusion that the German people were essentially superior to all the other nations and therefore called by a God-given mandate to make themselves the masters of this planet says the Spokesman Review.

The insolent assumption runs through the utterances of such famous German philosophers as Fichte, Nietzsche and Treitschke, and a great host of minor philosophers and authors, university professors, journalists, pastors, public officials, army officers and toadies have joined in the acclaiming chorus.

"We feel ourselves to be the bearers of a superior kultur," declares Dr. Paul Conrad, pastor of the Kaiser Wilhelm Memorial church in Berlin, in his book published in 1915. "We execute God Almighty's will and the edicts of his justice we will fulfil, imbued with holy rage, in vengeance upon the ungodly. God calls us to murderous battles, even if worlds should thereby fall to ruins."

"We are the salt of the earth," boasted the kaiser, in an address at Bremen.

This ridiculous and violent bombast would be cause for world laughter if its consequences were not so terribly tragic. It shows to what wide departure from the truth an inordinate conceit can carry individuals and nations.

It has no foundation in fact. The lamentable truth is that the German people are being carried down to a status of national inferiority by their overpowering egotism, their gross materialism and their craze for militarism.

Their art is inferior to the art of France and Italy. Their literature does not measure up to the glory of English letters. They fall short of America's progress in government and inventive genius.

Take the great modern inventions that have revolutionized world life in the past 150 years.

- The steam engine.
- Steamboats and railroads.
- The electric telegraph.
- The sewing machine.
- The telephone.
- Wireless telegraphy.
- Aerial flight.
- The automobile.
- Electric lights.
- The phonograph.
- The typewriter.
- Animated pictures.
- The rotary printing press.
- Modern farm machinery.
- The gas engine.

Not one of these world changing inventions came out of Germany.

Medical science has throttled typhoid, small pox, yellow fever, diphtheria and rabies, and is now conquering infantile paralysis. Germany's contribution to this splendid beneficence has been practically nil.

Take again the realm of exploration and discovery. What Germans have found new lands or explored unknown continents? Columbus and Cabot discovered America, and before their day Scandinavian seamen were on the verge of the great revelation.

What nations poured the light into the dark places of the globe? Italians, Frenchmen, Spaniards, Russians, Portuguese, Englishmen, Scots and Irishmen were early abroad with vision and daring. A Spaniard discovered the Mississippi, a Hollander the Hudson, an American the Columbia. An American broke the long slumber and isolation of Japan. An American, Stanley, and two Britons, Speke and Livingstone, penetrated the deepest recesses of darkest Africa.

Although the German people are inherently a great people and wonderfully efficient in many ways, they are destroying their own soul and spirit with their damnable philosophy and their corroding egotism. They are wrong headed and wrongly directed. Their philosophy is false, their government medieval. And 20 years hence, if the entente allies succeed in their righteous purpose to demolish the ruthless Prussian military machine, the German people themselves will rejoice in their reformation.

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**I Make It Personal--Do You ?**

This is my war. The kaiser is my enemy. Every one who believes in the kaiser, who favors the kaiser, who does the kaiser's bidding, who helps the kaiser in any way, is my enemy. On my faithfulness, loyalty, industry, skill, thrift, self-denial, co-operation, efficiency, earnestness, zeal, belief and honesty depend the outcome of this war. It will be won or lost by me. Each night when I lay down to sleep I shall say: "This is my war." Every morning when I awake I shall say: "I must fight every minute of this day with all the strength and purpose I possess to win." Democracy is my right. I must defend and establish that right at all time and against all odds. I believe that only with this full sense of my individual responsibility shall be able to do my full duty as an American citizen.—Old Fogey in the Valve World.

**Shocked by Lloyd George.**

Lloyd George is said to have shocked the British public in his famous Paris speech by the use of "yea" instead of the more sober "yes." A comic paper, with an eye to our co-operation in the war, stated that perhaps he meant to say "yep." It seems to be a matter of remark on the other side that our slang has been interpenetrating England. England statesmen have been reported as pouncing the diplomatic table and stating that "we will put it across," generals are reported to have concluded an order of the day with the words, "Soldiers of England its up to you!" When Asquith fell a staid old member of parliament is said to have remarked: "I knew he would get in bad." "Some" in the superlative sense has risen to the dignity of discussion in the staid old Manchester Guardian. How have we reciprocated for this British courtesy? We have adapted such expressions as "doing our bit," "slacker," "over the top" and other war expressions. But ordinary English slang has passed over our heads. "Side," "doing some one in the eye," "fancy," "joser" and the rest have not yet reached us. Courtesy might point to our cultivation of them. But good sense, let us hope, will keep us to our own idiomocracy of Mark Twain's soul.—New York Post.

**The American Sacrifice.**

After all American talk about the sacrifice America is making for the allies, the figures produced by Mr. Hoover respecting American consumption of sugar are enough to make Americans feel uncomfortable and look hypocritical. The plain facts are that American consumption of sugar during a period of distressing shortage has at best slightly diminished. Each American consumes over twice as much sugar as each Englishman and almost four times as much as each Frenchman. Surely it is time to deal more drastically with such anomalies—with such overwhelming indications of a refusal or inability on the part of the American to abandon under the shock of war and wasteful indulgence of his ordinary desires. Americans are the most reckless consumers of candies and sweet drinks in the world, and it is in this class of consumption which is least necessary and has the smallest food value. Something can be done to diminish the drain made by candy stores and soda water fountains on the sugar supply by an appeal to voluntary effort, but the appeal should be backed up by a power of coercion with which the food administration is not now possessed, but which should be granted to it some time in the near future.—New Republic.

**The Way to Talk and Act.**

If much has been heard of late about ships and other engines of war it does not mean that the air program has lost any of its supreme importance for the allies. It is probable a fact that none of America's plans for fighting Germans has caused more uneasiness in that country than the announced determination to build a conquering air fleet with which to bombard German cities, destroy German railroad facilities and bring home to Germany exactly what war can be made to mean.

A British authority on the subject of aerial warfare has just reminded his countrymen and their allies of the possibilities of this method of offense. He maintains that with thousands of airplanes carrying the war into Germany day and night we shall shatter the two nerve systems on which Germany relies. The first is the nerve of the men who are directing the war; the second is the railway system, which is so necessary for German operations. And he is, moreover, of the opinion that the British bombing and training program, supplemented by what aid can be gotten from America will be sufficient this spring to give Germany a worse taste of war than she has managed to give British cities. That is the way to talk—and to act. In the war airplane the allies have a formidable weapon that may well turn the tide of combat in their favor. They can build them more rapidly than the enemy, with the immense facilities of America at their disposal. Nothing that Washington can do to speed this part of our war program should be omitted.—Chicago Herald.

**Summons.**

In the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon for Tillamook County.  
Donald L. Schofield, Plaintiff

vs.

Ethel Schofield, Defendant.

To Ethel Schofield, the above named defendant:

You are hereby required to appear in this cause and answer the complaint filed against you in the above entitled cause, on or before the date of the last publication, hereinafter named; and if you fail to so appear and answer, for want thereof, the plaintiff will apply to the above entitled court for the relief prayed for in the complaint, to-wit: that the marriage contract existing between the plaintiff and the defendant be dissolved and annulled, and that the plaintiff have a decree against you for absolute divorce and for such other and further relief as the court may deem just and equitable. This summons is published by order of Hon. A. M. Hare, Judge of the County Court of the State of Oregon for Tillamook County, said order being made in the absence of the Judge of the said Circuit Court from said County of Tillamook; and the first publication thereof is fixed by said order to be January 24, 1918, and the last publication, February, 28, 1918.

Johnson & Handley,  
Attorneys for the Plaintiff.  
108 I. O. O. F. Bldg.  
Tillamook, Oregon.

**Notice of Administrator's Sale**

Notice is hereby given, that by authority of the County Court of the State of Oregon, for Tillamook County, and in pursuance of an order heretofore made and entered in said court in the matter of the Estate of Frank Long, Sr., deceased, the undersigned administratrix of said Estate, on and after Monday, the 18th day of February, 1918, will sell at private sale for cash to the highest bidder, subject to confirmation of said Court, all the right, title and interest of said Estate in and to the following described real property, situated in Tillamook County, Oregon, to-wit: The Northwest quarter of Section 31, Township 2 South, of Range 9, West of the Willamette Meridian, except the right of way for logging and timber purposes, being in connection with and appertaining to what is known as the Yellow Fir Saw-mill, in Tillamook County, Oregon, and the right to use the pond thereon for mill purposes.

Dated Jan. 14, 1918.  
Catharine A. Long,  
Administratrix of the Estate of Frank Long, Sr., deceased, Tillamook, Ore.

**Notice of Call of Tillamook City Improvement Bonds for Payment.**

Improvement bonds of Tillamook City are hereby called for payment on their respective interest paying dates as follows:  
Nos. 1 and 2 for \$500.00 and \$317.91 dated Feb. 3, 1913, payable Feb. 3, 1918.  
Nos. 3 and 5, for \$400.00 and \$465.34 dated March 17, 1913, payable March, 17, 1918.  
Nos. 1, 2, and 3, for \$500.00, \$500.00 and \$66.62, dated April 2, 1916, payable Feb. 19, 1918.  
Nos. 41 to 56 inclusive of issue dated Oct. 19, 1916, total of bonds called \$1641.59, payable April 19, 1918.  
Interest will cease on the respective interest payment dates above stated.  
M. W. Harrison,  
City Treasurer.

**Notice.**

In the County Court of the State of Oregon for Tillamook County.  
In the matter of the guardianship of Mrs. Inez Vinning, an incompetent person.

Notice is hereby given to all whom it may concern: That the undersigned as the guardian of the person and estate of Mrs. Inez Vinning, above named, pursuant to and by virtue of an order and license of sale made and entered of record in and by the above entitled court on the 8th day of January, 1918, of the real property belonging to her situated in Tillamook County, Oregon, described as follows, to-wit:

An undivided one-fifth of the East one-half of the South West quarter of Section thirty-two (32) T. 1 S. R. 10 W, of the Willamette Meridian; and also all of the South West quarter of the South West quarter of Section thirty-two (32) T. 1 S. R. 10 west of the Willamette Meridian, excepting therefrom that certain two acre tract of land heretofore conveyed by G. N. Hodgdon and wife to J. H. Riggs and wife, directing, ordering and licensing me as said guardian to sell said undivided one-fifth interest in said real property for cash in hand to the highest and best bidder therefor.

I will as such guardian on the 11th day of February, 1918, at the North door of the County Court House in Tillamook City, Oregon, at the hour of 10 o'clock a.m. of said day and date sell at private vendue to the highest and best bidder for cash in hand said undivided one-fifth interest in said real property belonging to said Mrs. Inez Vinning.

Dated this 8th day of January, 1918.  
George N. Hodgdon, as Guardian of the person and estate of Mrs. Inez Vinning.

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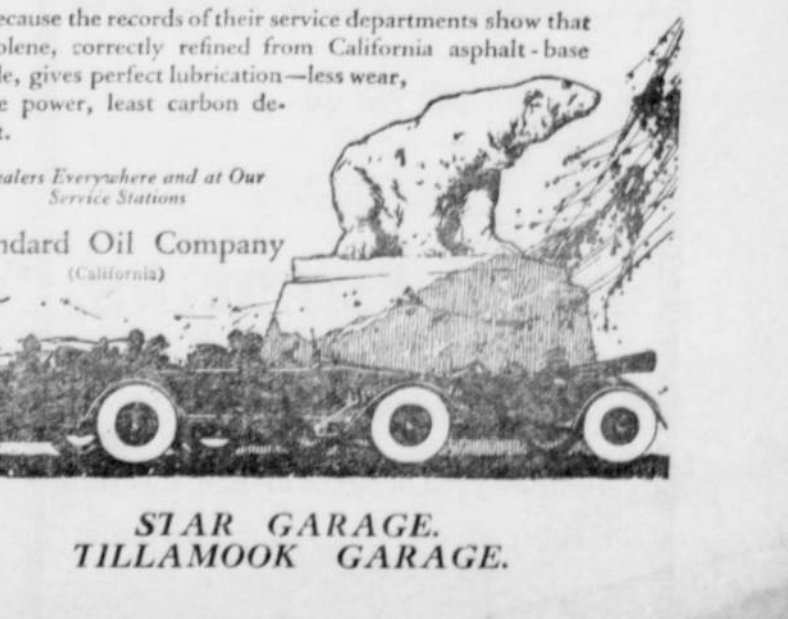
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