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Editorial Snap Shots.

It is a mistake to use the fire alarm for any other purpose than for to call the fire company.

No matter who is responsible, it was a contemptible trick, to sent out false reports about Germany signing the armistice. The Portland Journal, as usual, is one of the newspapers that sent out the falsehoods and deceived the people.

Mr. Hughes suggested in his report of the aircraft investigation that the government scrutinize the spruce production in the northwest. Well it will be interesting to know what it cost to get out spruce in the government spruce camps.

We suggested a few weeks ago how preachers could get their sermons before their congregations. The news reports say that the four leading Protestant churches of Lebanon have united in giving their people printed sermons on Sundays during the period of closing off all public places. Good idea.

It was a penny wise and pound foolish idea in not allowing the pavement company to put down the War-rante pavement on the piece or road north of the bridge to the city boundary. Since then it was planked which soon went to pieces. Then the concrete pavement was laid, and this is rapidly going to pieces.

President Wilson's appeal to voters to elect democrats to the Senate and House of Representatives was for the purpose of obtaining a vote of confidence. And as the voters decided differently to what the president asked, then, it is only logic to come to this conclusion: Instead of a vote of confidence it was a vote of want of confidence.

We read in the telegraphic dispatches from Germany that the Kaiser was spending much of his time in prayer and reading the bible. That German Gott of his must have failed him, and he now realizes that he is eternally damned for the remainder of his life on this earth and in the world to come. Damned on earth and damned in hades is just judgment for him.

It is to be hoped that the government will not give the large number of pro-Germans now in detention camps, their freedom when the war is over. If the government does it will allow a lot of seditious persons to sow the seeds of disloyalty. Those who would not support the government of the United States in a national crisis, but are in sympathy with Germany and the central power should be deported when the war is over.

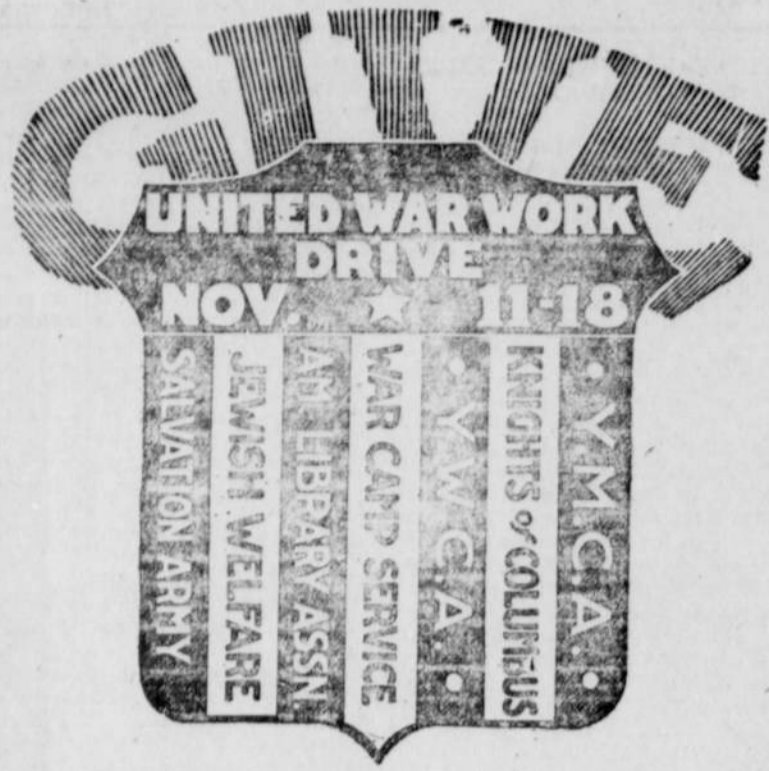
There is not much doubt when normal conditions are restored, that we shall see flour at 75c. per sack. Some persons may doubt this, but when the Dardanells becomes free water to the Black Sea, Russian wheat will come out of that country in great quantities to compete with wheat grown in the United States, Canada and the Argentine. Russian wheat will become a great factor in regulating the price of flour in the future. It may take a few years to bring this about, but as sure as little potatoes make large ones, this is what is going to happen. Look for flour at 75c. a sack then.

The mugwump editor of the Tillamook Herald said the president's appeal to the voters threw certain Republican leaders into spasms and thea some. It is Bro. Trombley who has a bad spasm, for the Republican party now control the Senate and the House, which it did not previous to the election. Some of us can remember when Bro. Trombley was sponsor for Senator LaFollette and advocated his election for the presidency, notwithstanding that our respected Bro. posed as a democrat, and hobnobbed with the democrats, and allowed certain Republicans to pull his leg.

Summed up briefly this is what Mr. Hughes says about the aircraft bungle and waste of millions of dollars:

"For a whole year after the nation entered the war, the equipment division of the Signal Corps was badly organized with a host of sections and departments will ill-refined functions, creating disorder and confusion."

When it is taken into consideration that the United States Army was deprived of airplanes at a time when they were urgently needed, it looks to us that this is criminal negligence on the part of the Signal Service. But here is the reason why the production of airplanes proved such a fizzle. Mr. Hughes said Major General George O. Squier "had neither training nor experience for such a large industrial enterprise." There it is in a nutshell and it sizes up with what the government did in sending to the northwest men to look after the shipbuilding, who never had any experience in shipbuilding.



REPUBLICAN LAND SLIDE.

President Wilson is Rebuked by the Nation in Acting the Role of Dictator.

The entire Republican State Ticket was elected on Tuesday, Governor Withycombe and Senator McNary having majorities over their opponents of 20,000 to 25,000 votes.

The Republicans will control the house by about 30 votes and will also control the senate, but as the race is close in some states it is not known how many votes the Republicans will have in the senate over the Democrats.

The election in Tillamook County was a Republican landslide on Tuesday last when the Republican ticket went through with a whoop, giving all the Republican candidates substantial majorities over Democrats. The Democrats centered their fight on United States Senator, Governor, and county commissioner, and notwithstanding that they had the support of Socialists in helping to elect Bob Richards, they were unable to defeat H. M. Farmer, who had previously held the office of county commissioner. There was an interesting contest for county treasurer, the candidates being Mrs. C. A. Everson, Mrs. Stranahan, Miss K. Mills and W. L. Bryan. The first returns made it appear that he was going to win out, for he had a majority of 200 over Miss Mills when a number of the precincts in the vicinity of Tillamook city were brought in on Tuesday night; which looked like a landslide for him. But the slide suddenly stopped when the returns were reported from Nehalem. That precinct gave Miss Mills 96 votes and practically elected her. She still continued to gain and at one time was reported to be 50 votes ahead, but this was reduced to 17 majority with two precincts missing on Wednesday. It is generally thought that these two precincts, Foley and Wilson, will not change the result. Geo. W. Kiger put up a wager with M. F. Leach, the former backing Mr. Bryan against the field, and it became highly amusing as the result varied from time to time.

The vote in Tillamook County, was, with two precincts missing, as follows:

For United States Senator in Congress.	
M. E. Bean	185
F. W. Mulkey	1241
For United States Senator in Congress.	
C. L. McNary	1017
A. Slaughter	78
O. West	639
For Representative in Congress.	
W. C. Hawley	1349
H. Talbert	154
For Governor	
W. M. Pierce	580
B. F. Ramp	93
James Withycombe	1077
For State Treasurer.	
O. P. Hoff	1085
D. P. Mason	440
Pauline Sears	109
For Justice of Supreme Court.	
H. W. Evans	210
Chas. A. Johns	1133
Conrade Olson	143
Coke	11
Bennett	36
Campbell	23
For Attorney General.	
Geo. M. Brown	1119
E. L. Cannon	206
For Supt. Public Instruction.	
J. A. Churchill	1363
I. A. Lusk	153
For Labor Commissioner.	
C. H. Gram	1286
Aug. Nikula	143
For Public Service Commissioner.	
J. E. Johnson	151
F. A. Williams	1312
For Supt. Water Division.	
M. Burgholzer	145
P. A. Cupper	1245
For Joint Representative.	
J. C. Edwards	1401
For County Clerk.	
E. Harrison	1467

For County Sheriff.	
W. L. Campbell	1446
For County Treasurer.	
W. L. Bryan	578
C. Everson	123
Kathleen Mills	595
Frances B. Stranahan	325
For County Surveyor.	
W. S. Coates	1359
For County Commissioner.	
V. Alley	1256
H. M. Farmer	856
R. O. Richerds	647
For County Corner.	
Roy Henkle	1312
Establishing and Maintaining Southern and Eastern Oregon Normal Schools.	
300—Yes	427
301—No	713
Establishing Dependent, Delinquent and Defective Children's home.	
302—Yes	521
303—No	544
Prohibiting Sein and set net fishing in Rogue river and tributaries.	
304—Yes	317
305—No	558
Closing the Willamette river to Commercial fishing south of Oswego.	
306—Yes	342
307—No	525
Delinquent tax notice bill.	
308—Yes	637
309—No	427
Fixing compensation for publication of legal notices.	
310—Yes	395
311—No	406
Tax Commission Measure.	
312—Yes	377
313—No	513

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Card of Thanks.

We wish to thank the many kind friends for their sympathy and kindness extended to us on account of the death of Geo. W. Bodyfelt and we wish to express our appreciation. Mrs. Geo. W. Bodyfelt and family.

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Beef pot roast, 12 1/2c. to 22c. per pound.
Boiling beef, 9c. to 17c. per lb.
Beef for stew, 6c. to 15c. per lb.
All meats are government inspected.

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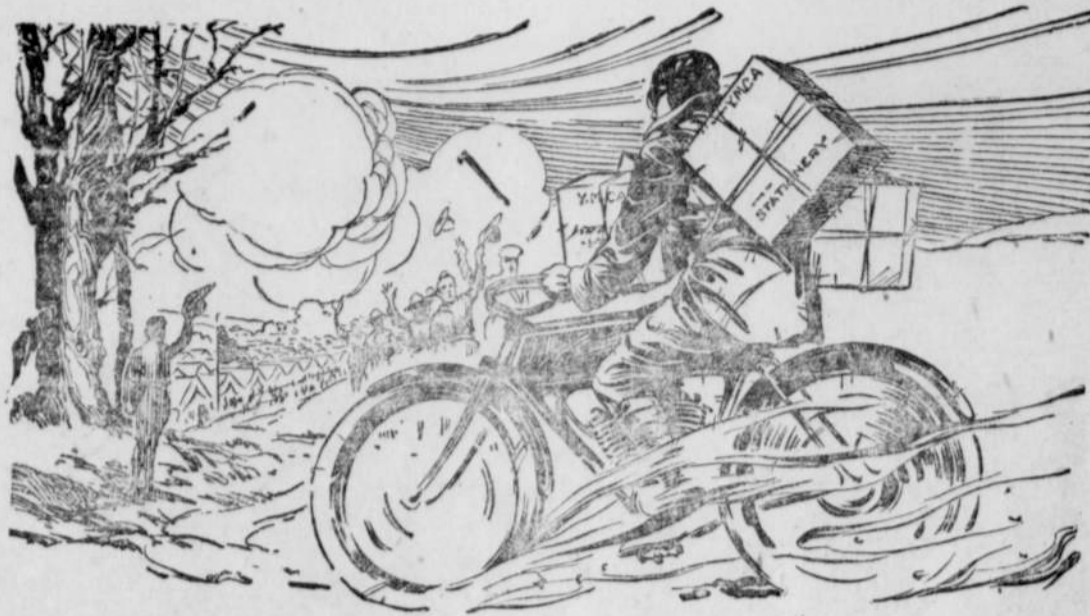
We are told (by the Democrats) that the tariff will never figure in politics any more. That is just all you know about it; a man who will tell you that is as ignorant on that question as he is on the tariff itself. We are told that it has been settled by a non-partisan tariff board. Show us a non-partisan tariff board and we will show you a "board" that hasn't enough sense to pound into a rat-hole. The present tariff board is composed of free-traders or else they wouldn't have been appointed. When the Republicans get back in power in 1920 they will boot every mother's son of them out and put in Protectionists. —Collinsville Courier.

H. T. Botts, Pres Attorney at-Law.

John Leland Henderson, Secretary Treas., Attorney-at-Law and Notary Public.

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Did one of these 200 letters come to you?

A DUSTY courier slid off his motor-cycle at the big double hut in a French town and tramped up to the canteen.

"Got a note for the secretary from my commanding officer," he said. He handed a piece of paper across the counter to a smiling middle-aged man.

This is the note the Secretary read:

We landed here three days ago—miles from anywhere. Can you send us some supplies, especially writing paper? This is the first chance the boys have had to write home and we have no paper to give them.

The older man looked up and grinned.

"Got you away off in the woods, have they?"

"I'll say they have!"

"Can you carry anything?"

"All you'll give me!"

From the shelves the secretary took big packages of paper and envelopes.

"Too much?" He asked.

"It will be gone ten minutes after I get back!" said the boy.

"Tonight," the secretary went on, "I'll drive out a truck with more supplies and a man to stay with you. And tell the boys that if their letters are finished, I'll bring them back with me tonight, and get them into the mails."

An hour later that motor-cyclist whizzed into camp, loaded down with writing paper, and in ten minutes letters were being written to 200 American homes.

The United War Work organizations know what letters mean to American soldiers. They know that fighters want to get letters and want to write letters.

So in every hut and on every ship your boys find writing paper, envelopes, ink, pens and pencils, and tables where they can get off by themselves and tell the folks back home how things are going.

Millions of sheets are given away free every week to American boys overseas. That is why the letters you get from your boy are written on the stationery of one of these organizations. It is one of the plans to bridge the Atlantic. Help keep the letters coming! Your dollars will supply a whole Company for several days. Dig deep today; help to bind together France and here.

Why you should give twice as much as you ever gave before!

The need is for a sum of 70% greater than any gift ever asked for since the world began. The Government has fixed this sum at \$170,500,000. By giving to these seven organizations all at once, the cost and effort of six additional campaigns is saved. Unless Americans do give twice as much as ever before, our soldiers and sailors may not enjoy during 1919 their:

3,600 Recreation Buildings	2,500 Libraries supplying 5,000,000 books
1,000 Miles of Movie Film	85 Hostess Houses
100 Leading Stage Stars	15,000 Big-brother "secretaries"
2,000 Athletic Directors	Millions of dollars of home comforts

When you give double, you make sure that every fighter has the cheer and comforts of these seven organizations every step of the way from home to the front and back again. You provide him with a church, a theatre, a cheerful home, a store, a school, a club and an athletic field—and a knowledge that the folks back home are with him, heart and soul!

You have loaned your money to supply their physical needs. Now give to maintain the morale that is winning the war!

UNITED WAR WORK CAMPAIGN

