

Neighborhood NEWS

EUREKA.

M. Sexton's mother, who has been spending the summer with him, left Tuesday for her home in Berkeley, Cal.

Misses Curry and Robinson attended the institute in Olympia Friday. Miss Curry went on to Tacoma to spend the week-end.

Miss Ruth Robinson, who is working at the N. P. hospital in Tacoma, spent a few days at home last week, returning to her work Friday.

Messrs. and Mesdames Gifford and children, Tom Cubit and children and John Dam visited the Puyallup fair Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Sexton transacted business in Olympia Wednesday.

Mrs. Alfred Morris and children of Yelm are visiting at the home of Nathan Morris.

Mrs. Harley Morris and children are visiting in Tacoma with her sister, Mrs. Art Martin.

A few of the friends of Miss Mae Robinson gathered at her home last Tuesday evening to help her celebrate her birthday.

PLEASANT GLADE.

Everyone enjoyed the rain. Miss Gladys Brown of Grand Mound was a guest of Miss Bessie Sleater last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Rogers and son of Seattle are guests at the Rogers home.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Adair and

daughter Jessie returned Saturday from their hunting trip.

Foster Sleater spent a few days last week down by Eima hunting. He brought a deer home with him.

Mrs. Steve Guthrie of South Prairie is a guest at the Sleater home.

Miss Ethel Glenn arrived Monday to visit her sister, Mrs. John Rogers.

E. R. Cramp, Harold Rogers and Fred Robbins left Saturday evening for Pickering Pass on a hunting trip.

MUD BAY.

Mrs. George Arnold was obliged to leave her work the fore part of the week on account of illness.

Chan Aspinwall was quite sick Tuesday.

W. D. Cook is in Des Moines, Wash., this week.

Mrs. Della Bennett and son Gordon returned Tuesday from a long visit with her father in Hood River and other relatives in Portland.

There were few out Tuesday evening at the council of defense meeting at the McLane Grange hall, because of sickness and fear of sickness, but those present enjoyed a fine discourse by Rev. R. F. Hart of Olympia.

Mr. Starr has been very ill for the past two weeks, but is reported better.

There was no Red Cross meeting Wednesday on account of orders from headquarters. This auxiliary has received praise for the quality and quantity of the work turned out. This is most creditable, as the most faithful workers are those who have no spare time but lay aside their own work to work for their country a few hours each week.

The McLane Grange has planned to give a Red Cross dance October 19, but it depends on the Spanish flu whether they will be able to give it or not.

Arthur Hatcher has a new auto. Odie Hueston, who has been suffering from a severe attack of tonsillitis, is convalescing.

SOUTH UNION.

Mrs. Gordon Jenkins and daughter Ruth and Miss Lillian Hansen are spending a few days with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Hansen.

Mr. W. K. Ball made a business trip to Olympia one day last week.

Mr. Andrew Hansen, son and daughter were Olympia visitors Saturday.

Those from here who attended the dance in Olympia Saturday evening were: Mr. and Mrs. W. K. Ball, Mesdames W. J. Abbott and M. D. Haight, Misses Elsie Abbott, Mildred Ball and Mildred Haight, and Messrs. Harold Abbott, Lester Walker, Tom Ismay and George Wise.

Mr. P. B. Glasford was a business visitor in Olympia Saturday.

South Union hunters who have returned report pretty good luck.

Messrs. Tom Ismay and Lester Walker have returned home after spending several days with Mr. Charles Gunstone at Potlatch.

Mrs. W. K. Ball and daughter spent Friday with Mrs. John Gunstone in Olympia.

Mrs. M. D. Haight and children visited her sister, Mrs. George McDowell, Friday.

Miss Jeanette Pound spent the week-end in Olympia attending institute.

Mr. and Mrs. Chris Schulze are spending a few days in Portland.

Mrs. Vogel spent Sunday evening with Mrs. W. K. Ball.

GOOD SPIRIT RULES IN DEMOCRATIC SESSION

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and under the conditions enunciated by our great president, Woodrow Wilson.

While fighting for the maintenance of democracy throughout the world, we recognize that great problems of reconstruction are to immediately follow. Public utilities having been taken over as a war measure to revert to private ownership at its conclusion, and the minority party having declared, through its duly constituted officials, and many of its leading spokesmen in favor of such return, the Democratic party of the state of Washington, as represented by this committee, take issue with this policy, and insist these public utilities must continue to be operated for the benefit of all the people. We believe that a return to corporation domination of governmental functions would be contrary to the spirit of the democracy for which we are struggling.

We favor the enactment of a just and efficient national child labor law; the adoption of the national prohibition amendment, and a national woman's suffrage amendment to the constitution.

We further pledge the influence of our party to amend the workman's compensation law to provide more adequate compensation, standardize first aid provisions and to cover all workers engaged in hazardous employment.

We favor equal pay for equal service, regardless of sex.

We give our hearty endorsement to the wise, patriotic and efficient administration of Governor Ernest Lister, who has ably met the grave questions presented for solution with statesman-like vision, dignified firmness and the courage born of conviction to truth and justice.

We stand a solid phalanx behind President Woodrow Wilson, a wise national ruler and a great party chieftain. He has by the force of his genius and learning become the foremost statesman of his age. He speaks and the world listens; he advises, and the civilized world acquiesces; he leads, and whosoever understand follow. There is for man no more exalted station.

\$50,000 TO GO YET TO REACH OUR BOND QUOTA

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having participated in the first great American offensive, and C. J. Lord.

The entertainment features of the evening were furnished by a group of soldiers from Camp Lewis, including the orchestra of the 38th Field Artillery, and some eccentric dancers who called themselves "The Burtons."

Practically every district in the county outside Olympia was reported "over the top" by Chairman O'Leary. "The country districts are doing well—they will take care of themselves," he said. "Where our work must be done is right here in the city. Olympia hasn't reached its quota by a whole lot."

Yelm has set the best record of all, having subscribed \$12,000, or more than twice its quota at the close of Honor Week.

To stimulate the work in the city and to impress upon those who may be holding back the necessity of their subscriptions or of increasing the one they have already made, in order to assure the success of the Fourth Loan in Thurston county a special committee has been appointed to check up all subscribers.

The list of purchasers are being compared with the card index census recently made, at meetings of the committee every evening, and such individuals who could increase their purchases, in the opinion of this committee, and others who could buy but have not, are being consulted.

The members of this special committee are: C. J. Lord, chairman; H. E. Van Arsdale, J. F. Kearney, Michael Harris, Joseph Reder, Clarence Uhler, C. H. Springer, L. Portman, G. C. Winstanley, G. W. Drabham, George Prigmore, Thos. L. O'Leary, L. B. Faulkner, George G. Mills, J. L. Peters.

WORLD APPROVES THE PRESIDENT'S NOTE

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semi-official Stefani news agency of Italy says.

"None of Wilson's state papers issued in connection with the war has been more clever than this last one," W. W. Jermaine, Washington correspondent of the Seattle Times, says, and Paul H. Lovering, associate editor of that paper, says that "the president has demanded unconditional surrender and has so couched his demand that the responsibility for continuing the war will rest solely upon the shoulders of the crooked Berlin autocrats in the event that they are seeking again to hoodwink the allied peoples."

"President Wilson has not opened the way for fruitless exchanges between Germany and the United States," the Associated Press says. And the comment of all the leading newspapers of the United States supports this view.

ALL COUNTY SCHOOLS CLOSED ON ACCOUNT OF "FLU"

Every school in the county was ordered closed by Dr. H. W. Partlow, county health officer, upon receipt of orders from the state board of health Wednesday, as a further means of combating the Spanish influenza epidemic. The only way it can be stopped is to close every place where people congregate, the state board of health says.

SOLDIERS WILL BE TRAINED SPEEDILY

EXPERIENCE OF PAST YEAR SHOWS HOW TO PREPARE RECRUITS FOR WAR.

From now on soldiers will pass through the camps and cantonments in this country rapidly, Washington dispatches say.

The average training period on this side of the Atlantic probably will not be longer than three months.

Troops are to be kept moving across the ocean at the average rate of 350,000 a month. The government is now ready to move the second installment of troops from some of the camps and cantonments.

September saw the last of the units that were in the original mobilization depart for France. One year ago the first of September the war department announced that it was ready to receive troops for training in 16 national guard mobilization camps and an equal number of national army cantonments.

At the same time every existing regular army regiment in this country was split into three parts and the work of building each part into a complete unit was begun.

One regular army division and two national guard divisions went almost directly to France after mobilization and the men who went over there in those divisions are now wearing the three gold stripes which a year's service abroad gives them.

Throughout the year the stream of troops has continued to move across and during the last four months it has moved at a rate far beyond the expectation of a year ago.

A few of the divisions, mostly national guard divisions, became considerably discouraged before they finally got off for the other side. No public explanation of why these troops were held until the last has been made or will be made; but it is generally understood that the trouble was a lack of efficient officers.

The experience of the year in the training of troops has, of course, been of great value to the government, and members of the general staff say that, in the light of all that has been learned during the 12 months, raw troops should make as much progress in three months as the troops first mobilized made in six months.

Returning transports are bringing back weekly large numbers of seasoned American officers, who are to train troops here at home. Many hundreds of these officers already have been distributed to the various mobilization camps and cantonments. It is proposed to assign them permanently to the new divisions that are being trained and they will go across with these divisions. When it comes time to fill the camps and cantonments the third time, a second relay of training officers will be brought home.

Many of the 32 mobilization camps and cantonments that were originally established for the training of the American army are now

being enlarged and it will soon be possible to train at one time one-third more men than were admitted to the camps and cantonments last year. Members of the general staff say that as far as they can see there is not a single obstacle in the way of the government carrying out its plans for an army of nearly 5,000,000 men by the middle of next summer. The draft is to provide the men, and the machinery to train them already exists.

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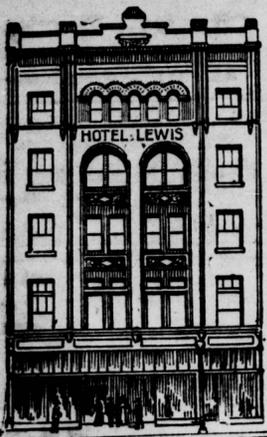
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