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ONE MORE CHANCE TO AID RED CROSS

ROLL CALL CAMPAIGN FOR MEMBERS TO BE STAGED NEXT MONTH.

By Marie Rowe Dunbar.
"All you need is a heart and a dollar."

This is the call that the American Red Cross is sending every man, woman and child in Thurston county. It is a homely story and typically American, that of the western miner who took hold of a bear's tail and found that he could not let go, but it illustrates the position that the Red Cross now finds itself in, at home and abroad.

When the armistice came and long after, when the treaty, and even today and after, the work of the Red Cross cannot be dropped. Things had been begun, advanced, developed, which could not be dropped. Had the Red Cross sounded retreat there would have been a howl of protest from San Francisco to Jerusalem, from the Red Cross workers and from those whom they worked.

The brilliant record of the Red Cross over there does not need review. There is not a person in Thurston county—perhaps even the entire world—who does not know of the brave and courageous work of the American Red Cross in the battle fields, in the hospitals and, yes, over here.

Starting November 2nd and continuing until November 3 the American people are going to have a small opportunity to show their real gratitude for this wonderful work. In Thurston county, as in all other counties of the United States, from November 2 to 11, a membership campaign known as the third roll call of the Red Cross will be held. Every one will be asked to give a dollar and become an active member of the Red Cross.

What do they want with money, now the war is over? Is one of the frequent questions. Visit the Home Service Department of the Red Cross in Olympia some time. See all the people that come and go—from the soldier boy who wishes to have his insurance fixed up to the deserted wife who is asking for aid for her little ones. The Red Cross in Thurston county, through the Home Service Department is continuing to serve the soldiers and their families.

The reports from the Home Service Department of the Thurston county chapter of the American Red Cross show that in this Olympia office more than 600 cases are handled each month. Health and happiness are two of the big things that the Red Cross is working for today. Minute women of this county have been called together again and asked by Mitchell Harris, chairman of the Thurston county chapter, to take charge of the Roll Call and secure members for the Red Cross in this county. Miss Louise Dittman is the able secretary of the Home Service Department.

Sunday, November 2, it is planned to have all the ministers in Olympia speak a few words from the pulpit for this worthy cause, to have the Junior Red Cross put on services in the Sunday school and to make November 2nd Red Cross Sunday.

So don't forget—all hearts beat true for the Red Cross in Thurston county. Remember, and save that dollar.

CANNON TROPHY TO BE ACCEPTED ARMISTICE DAY

Ceremonies in connection with the formal acceptance by the state of the German cannon trophy awarded it as a Liberty Loan prize, will be conducted at the statehouse November 1, the anniversary of the armistice, C. J. Lord, local member of the state Liberty Loan executive committee, announced this week.

DRUG STORES CLOSE EARLIER.

Local Firms Adopt New Schedule, Effective Next Monday.

Beginning next Monday, October 20, all the drug stores of the city will close at 8 o'clock every evening except Saturday, when they will remain open until 10 p. m., it was announced this week. Sundays they will remain closed from noon until 5 p. m., according to the new schedule.

Agreement on the part of these stores to the new closing time was effected this week and is reported to be in line with the policy adopted by various cities of this section.

ROOSEVELT MEMORIAL DRIVE NEXT WEEK

COUNTY ASKED TO CONTRIBUTE \$650 TO \$5,000,000 NATIONAL FUND.

Plans for the local campaign to be conducted next week in connection with the nation-wide drive for \$5,000,000 for a memorial to former President Theodore Roosevelt, were made at a meeting of the special campaign committee at the Chamber of Commerce Thursday evening, called by Thos. L. O'Leary, general chairman.

Thurston county is asked to contribute \$650 toward the national fund. Of this amount \$350 is to be raised in Olympia and the rest in the county outside. The campaign officially opens Monday and closes the following Monday.

Chairman O'Leary points out that the committee does not wish to receive big donations from just a few people, but a small amount from every one.

Members of the Olympia committee include J. L. Peters, Rev. R. Franklin Hart, Mrs. Lou G. Diven, George G. Mills, C. J. Lord, P. M. Troy, George R. Bigelow, Eagle Freshwater, S. L. Lester, C. E. Beach, G. C. Winstanley, G. Noyes Talcott, Mrs. C. A. Rose, R. A. Padget and J. Grant Hinkle.

Special committeeman has been appointed in each of the important districts of the county, to handle the campaign there, and a definite quota assigned to each.

LOCAL REAL ESTATE MEN GO TO HOQUIAM SATURDAY

Southwest Washington Operators to Be Guests of Hoquiam Dealers.

Olympia real estate men will go to Hoquiam Saturday, to attend the banquet at which the Hoquiam real estate men are acting as hosts. All the real estate men of Southwest Washington will be guests of the Hoquiam land dealers.

Fred W. Stocking, president of the Chamber of Commerce, expects several automobile loads of local real estate men and their families to go to Hoquiam. Among those who are planning to attend are: Mr. Stocking, J. C. Sams, county commissioner and real estate dealer; J. L. Peters, M. H. Flinn, G. H. Uhler and John C. Ellis.

H. B. Fultz, secretary of the Chamber of Commerce, has been chosen by the business men of Olympia to represent them. Mr. Fultz will give a talk on "Olympia's Prospects." Every town and city in Southwestern Washington has been invited to send a delegate who will represent them in a contest for a loving cup.

To the person giving the best five-minute after-dinner talk on the prospects of the town he represents the loving cup will be awarded.

"Olympia has no realty dealers' association," said Mr. Stocking, "but we all hope to receive an inspiration from Saturday's meeting. It is the plan of the Olympia real estate dealers to form such an association on their return from the gathering in Hoquiam."

MAY NEVER LEARN IDENTITY OF SUICIDE

BODY OF UNKNOWN MAN FOUND BY HUNTER NEAR BELMORE SUNDAY.

No clues have been uncovered, Coroner Jesse T. Mills states, to the identity of the man, believed to have been a suicide, whose body was found by a hunter, Jerry A. Arts, Sunday morning in the woods a mile from Belmore, five miles south of Olympia.

No marks of identification were on the clothing or about the body, Coroner Mills states, and identification is considered hopeless. The condition of the body indicates that it had lain in the woods for three years.

Death was due to a bullet wound in the head, the bullet entering the mouth. A little 32-calibre pocket revolver was found near the body, leading the coroner to believe that the man had sat down beneath a tree, placed the muzzle of the gun in his mouth and ended his life.

The body was found in a dense part of the woods, about half a mile from the railroad track.

Beside the remains were the revolver, a purse containing 35 cents, a pipe and a pouch of tobacco. The dead man was evidently young, and wore a derby hat and blue serge suit.

FARM BUREAU MAY STAGE COUNTY FAIR

BERGSTROM EXPECTS PLANS TO BE MADE FOR EXHIBIT NEXT YEAR.

That a campaign will be launched in Thurston county during the next year to arrange for an annual fair for Thurston county is the opinion of C. H. Bergstrom, county agricultural agent of this county. Mr. Bergstrom expects the Thurston County Farm Bureau to consider plans for a county fair.

"The community fairs which have been held in this county during the last month show the great need for a county fair here," said Mr. Bergstrom. "Fine exhibits have been given in all the communities. Two very good community fairs were given at Little Rock and Rochester."

County Superintendent of Schools Fred W. Brown, Mr. Bergstrom and Miss Myrtle Boone, Home Demonstration Agent of Thurston county, are attending the community fairs, acting as judges. Friday the last two of the fall fairs will be held at Yelm and Rainier. Following these a \$10 prize will be awarded for the best exhibit and a second prize of \$5.

County Superintendent Brown states that some very fine potatoes and apriaries were on exhibit at the Little Rock and Rochester fairs.

Miss Myrtle Boone, the home demonstration agent, states that the classes in home millinery at Olympia and Lacey were very successful.

"I have often been asked if home millinery worth while," stated Miss Boone. "I have conclusive proof that through home millinery the women can save a substantial amount of money. During the classes in this work at Lacey during the last month there were 59 women at work. Of the 59 hats made over there was \$250 worth of old material used."

"In making these hats only \$60 worth of new material was used. This was for the purchase of frames and trimming. The women saved \$250 in making their own hats. The saving on the hats was figured up on the comparison made between bought hats of the same appearance as the home-made hats."

These hats, made by Lacey and Olympia women were shown at the Western Washington Fair at Puyallup and are put on display at all the community fairs in this county.

ODD FELLOWS TO BE HERE SATURDAY

DISTRICT MEETING TO BE HELD IN AFTERNOON—OPEN SESSION IN EVENING.

Odd Fellows from Shelton, Centralia, Bucoda, Kamliche and Tenino will be in Olympia Saturday afternoon and evening attending the sixth semi-annual meeting of District No. 4, I. O. O. F., at which Olympia Lodge No. 1 will be host. Levi Graham, Ralph Drury and John Briggs compose the local committee in charge.

The meeting starts at 2 p. m. with a business session. Rev. Charles T. Goodsell will deliver the address of welcome on behalf of the local lodge, to which Robert C. Johnson of Shelton will respond. A feature of the afternoon will be a contest in lodge work.

The visiting delegates will be the guests of the local Odd Fellows at a banquet in the lodge hall at 6:30 p. m. Music will be furnished from 6:30 to 8:30 by the McLane Grange orchestra.

Following the banquet, an open session will be held, to which all Odd Fellows, Rebekahs and their friends are invited. A special program is being arranged and Judge John M. Wilson of the local superior court will deliver an address.

LOCAL CHECK ARTIST CAUGHT AT ABERDEEN

MAN WHO VICTIMIZED THREE OLYMPIA MERCHANTS IS APPREHENDED.

Arrest at Aberdeen Monday of a man operating there under the name of R. B. Lang, ended the career of a check artist who victimized three local merchants the latter part of last week, using the names "F. W. Hurst" and "J. A. Bailey." After a trial before Superior Judge Wilson Thursday, Lang was found guilty and sentenced to two years in the state penitentiary.

The man was caught in an Aberdeen drug store a little while after he had realized \$28 on a check given another pharmacy in that city. In his operations here he passed three worthless checks, one for \$56 on the Mottman Mercantile company; one for \$12.60 on Primrose & Sears and one for \$46.75 on the Kelly Tire company. In each store he made small purchases, getting a considerable sum in change on each check.

Each of the checks was drawn on the Olympia National bank, made out to "Cash or Bearer", each bore the number "35", and the writer took particular pains to write on each one "Acct. 701." One was signed, "F. W. Hurst," one "J. A. Bailey" and one "Frank W. Hurst," and all were written in a "backhand" penmanship. No account of the kind was carried at the bank.

Besides issuing these checks, he left an order at G. W. McGrath's for a \$160 dragsaw, a notation he made at the time bearing the name "J. A. Bailey" and the address, 415 Washington street.

Lots of Cigars—"It's a Boy."

The Smokehouse has been getting rid of cigars rapidly this week—there's a new baby boy at the home of R. L. Blankenship, one of the members of the firm. The youngster arrived Tuesday and is "the finest boy ever," the joyous father says as he passes 'em out. When he isn't around the clerks feed his friends cigars, just to show that the whole bloomin' firm is happy.

Chief of Police Harry Cusack Tuesday dumped out eight gallons and one quart of moonshine. The eight gallons were seized from Leo Cormier, who was fined \$100 in the superior court recently for having the moonshine in his possession.

LOCALS TO PLAY CHEHALIS.

Olympia's Championship Prospects Depend on Saturday's Game.

Next Saturday the Olympia High football team goes to Chehalis for the game which will decide their chance for the Southwest Washington championship. If Olympia wins, she stands a fair chance; if not, she will certainly have to work for it. Chehalis has a big and powerful team in the field this year, and whipped Centralia last Monday, 6-0.

STATE WHEAT CROP SHOWS LARGE YIELD

AVERAGES FIVE BUSHELS PER ACRE MORE THAN 1918, OFFICIAL REPORT SAYS.

An average yield of five more bushels to the acre than was recorded last year is reported for Washington's wheat crop by G. S. Ray and J. H. Jacobson of the Federal Bureau of Crop Estimates, in a statement for October issued this week. The state crop also shows an average yield of five bushels more per acre than the average for the whole United States.

A crop of 45,642,000 bushels is reported in this statement from 2,573,000 acres, or an average of 17.7 bushels per acre, compared to 26,429,000 bushels harvested from 2,191,000 acres last year, an average yield of 12.1 bushels per acre.

"This is a larger production than was generally thought possible on account of the prolonged drought," the official statement says. "It is due in part to the large area of winter wheat, 962,000 acres (double that of last year) with its average yield of 24 bushels per acre. Numerous reports received indicate that the average yield of the 1,611,000 acres of spring wheat was 14 bushels per acre, compared with 9.5 bushels in 1918."

"The United States crop is placed at 918,301,000 bushels with an average yield of 12.8 bushels, as compared with 917,000,000 bushels with an average yield per acre of 15.5 bushels in 1918."

The oats crop of the state is reported to be 11,920,000 bushels, exceeding last year's crop of 8,370,000 bushels; and the barley crop is about double that of 1918. Concerning potatoes, the statement says:

"Reports from all over the state indicate it has been a poor year for potatoes on the non-irrigated areas. A commercial production of 3,000 cars is indicated or 84 per cent of last year. October 1st condition indicated a yield only 70 per cent of normal."

"The commercial crop for the United States is very good in Eastern states, which indicates a production of 40,818 cars in Maine, New York and Pennsylvania, or 94 per cent of last year."

"In the heavy producing states of Michigan, Wisconsin and Minnesota, the production promises to be 55,075 cars as compared with 63,510 cars last year, or 86.7 per cent of last year."

"The Rocky Mountain states have a comparatively light crop, and Colorado, one of the very important states in the country in late potato production, promises but 68 per cent of last year's crop."

"The Northwestern states of Oregon, Idaho and Washington promise to ship about 11,500 cars as compared with 13,205 last year, or 87 per cent of last year."

"Prices—Farm value of important products in Washington are as follows:

	1919	1918	1917
Corn	\$2.05	\$2.02	\$1.57
Wheat	1.98	1.98	1.89
Oats	.90	1.00	.74
Barley	1.32	1.27	1.02
Potatoes	1.28	1.37	1.13
Hay	25.00	25.80	18.90
Butter	.65	.56	.48
Eggs	.57	.53	.43
Chickens	.28	.24	.17

EXPECTED TO LIVE THOUGH BACK BROKEN

HARRY WISE, LOCAL TAILOR, SERIOUSLY INJURED IN AUTO ACCIDENT.

Though his back is broken in two places between his shoulders, as the result of an automobile accident on East Fourth street two blocks beyond the city limits at 4 o'clock Wednesday afternoon, Harry Wise, a local tailor, has excellent chances for recovery, according to Dr. Kenneth L. Partlow, who is attending him at St. Peter's hospital.

Unless a hemorrhage or some other relapse occurs today, Dr. Partlow says Wise will live, though he will be a long time recovering. His injury consist of the fracture of the fourth and fifth dorsal vertebrae, the fourth being badly crushed. Dr. Partlow says, while a large chip was broken off the right side of the fifth.

Beside the injury to his back, Wise also suffered four broken ribs on the right side and was considerably cut about the face and head. Strangely enough, R. A. Lutes of Seattle, who was driving the car, sustained only a few cuts and bruises. The machine, an almost new Ford roadster, was practically ruined.

The accident occurred when Lutes apparently lost control of his machine. He and Wise were driving to Tacoma when, as they approached within 75 feet of Wilson street, two blocks east of the city limits, the car veered to the north and headed for a telephone pole. Lutes applied his brakes, the car skidded and then was completely upset when a rear wheel was struck by a Ford delivery car belonging to the Palace Market and driven by Anthony Mulligan, which was going toward Olympia.

Speed Cop Peterson, who investigated the accident immediately, absolves Mulligan of all blame. He had driven his car north out of Wilson street on to Fourth and was going west on the proper side of the street, the tracks of the machine indicate, Peterson says, when the driver of the eastbound car lost control and the machine veered into Mulligan's path.

Both Lutes and Wise were pinned under the roadster. Witnesses of the accident removed them and they were taken to St. Peter's hospital for treatment. Wise was unconscious when picked up, but recovered consciousness before reaching the hospital, though he has not been entirely rational since.

Wise has conducted a tailoring establishment on East Fourth street for several years and has a wife and child.

ONLY 903 QUALIFIED TO VOTE AT BOND ELECTION

Less Than One-Fourth of the City's Voters Will Decide on \$25,000 Issue for Bridge.

When registration books at the city clerk's office were closed Tuesday evening, a total of 903 Olympians had registered and were qualified to vote at the special bond election which will be held in the City Hall November 4. The voters of Olympia go to the polls at this time to cast a ballot as to whether the city should issue \$25,000 worth of bonds to aid the county in the construction of the \$157,000 Westside bridge.

At the last city election, December 3, 1918, there were 3,254 registered. Of this number only 401 voted or remained in Olympia so their names were taken off the registration books. This means that about 500 people will vote on the \$25,000 bond issue. The average registration runs about 4,000.

Elks Go to Bremerton. The local lodge of Elks chartered the steamer "Nisqually" for a trip to Bremerton Thursday afternoon, where the officers of the local lodge put on the initiatory work for the Bremerton lodge.