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Handsome Footwear. These are the styles that will lead in the promenade on Easter Sunday.



Buster Brown Shoes for Boys and Girls. With each pair sold we will give a coupon that will entitle you to a chance to win a Buster Brown Watch, Free.



FIRE PATROL FOR PROTECTION

Making Plans to Enlist Rangers For Military Service in Time of Need.

TRAINED MEN NEEDED

Men Trained in Engineering, Signaling and Electrical Work Would Be Valuable to The Government.

Harry Pargeter, secretary of the Douglas Fire Patrol Association today received a letter from the Western Forestry and Conservation Association in regard to the enlistment of men engaged in the forest patrol work. As the Douglas patrol employs a hundred or more trained men it could raise quite a number, according to the terms of the letter, who would be of value to the government. Excerpts from the letter are as follows:

"If the war situation becomes serious enough to bring out any general call to arms, it is quite likely that our forest protective organizations throughout the country will be more or less crippled by enlistments. It is therefore well to get advance information of such a situation, so the gaps can be filled effectively and our organizations will not break down during the fire season."

"Furthermore, foresters, rangers, patrolmen and the like constitute a body of men with peculiar qualifications for service along special lines. If any are to enlist it is no less to the country's interest than to theirs that such qualifications be made available in the most effective manner, not dissipated and lost through random and unsystematic enlistment in the wrong arms of the military establishment. It is both the privilege and the duty of everyone in position to do so to help if possible, in making an opportunity for the very best utilization of their training and experience."

"I understand that these problems as they relate to the government's forest men are being worked out by the departments of agriculture and war. It may be that they will be handled as an auxiliary unit, making enlistments in the army or militia undesirable, or that enlistment will be according to a plan worked out of a census now under way, showing the qualifications of those who may be so. Possibly some of the forest men may be organized, made available to the war department in a systematic manner. The engineering, quartermaster's and signal branches would probably want most of them. It might be possible to get a company or two together who would be quite at home in the former's pioneer regiments or topographic detachments."

"We suggest therefore, that the managing heads of such organizations get in touch with their men as early as possible to learn of those who may be likely to enlist, should future developments stir a patriotic impulse and classify these according to any special qualifications they possess. It is only fair that each organization know in advance if any of its men contemplate leaving. If this results in any considerable list of value we can then take steps to make it available to the proper authorities. It might result in any one of the following plans:

"1. Advising the men to take no action unless the government indicates that they are needed elsewhere more than on their present work."

"2. Their enrollment in the several existing reserve corps according to their fitness for each, not to be called out unless needed."

"3. Systematic enlistment in the proper branches if the need becomes sudden and great."

"4. The formation of a separate woodmen's reserve organization, private, state and federal; to be organized as a unit but used as developments shall determine."

"As you no doubt know, the main existing army classifications are as follows: Infantry, cavalry, artillery, signal, quartermaster's, medical and engineers. For example, telephone builders, as well as heliographers might stand more chance of advancement and service in the signal corps, while other kinds of engineering belong in the engineers."

"In closing we wish to repeat that it is quite possible under arrangements now being considered, that our men could be made more useful in war time by adding certain other duties to their important one of fire prevention than by leaving the locality for military service."

THROW OFF TAX SLAVERY.

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ably, and no just reason for any one to say that there is. All fears of this sort are groundless. On the other hand, there is danger that the people, tottering under the burdens of the general property tax, and despairing of relief, may some day assert themselves, and give Oregon something worse than the general property tax. Electors Should Vote 308 Yes.

There are many reasons why Oregon should vote 308 yes, and adopt the proposed amendments. First and foremost Oregon will be given the foundation for a sane system of taxation, which will be attractive both to the investor and the homeseeker. Second, the amendments, with the laws that must be enacted in accord with them, will put an end to the agitation in regard to taxation which have disturbed Oregon for many years and tended to discourage the introduction of capital. From the standpoint of public revenue, the laws that will be based upon the amendments will bring more money into the treasury, than now reaches it, and distribute in an equitable manner the burden of taxation. The question of sources of revenue in Oregon is not only important, but serious. In late years the federal government has been appropriating itself revenues like income, inheritance and corporation taxes, which in comparatively recent time, have been assumed to belong exclusively to the states. Federal encroachment upon sources of state and local revenue has become a live issue in every state. For example, California derives \$2,500,000 a year from inheritances and is coerced by the threatened absorption of this fund by the federal government. To cope with this situation, involving the relation of the state with the federal government, and to keep abreast with the forward spirit of the time, Oregon needs these amendments incorporated into its constitution. Sound tax laws founded upon these amendments will accomplish wonders for the material welfare of the state. Such laws, so sorely needed, can be made possible only by the adoption of the amendments. Vote 308 yes. Put Oregon in the column of states whose tax laws are sane, sound and modern. (Signed.)

FRED W. MULKEY, A. L. VEAZIE, RICHARD W. MONTAGUE, WM. L. BREWSTER, ROBERT H. STRONG, HENRY E. REED, CHAS. V. GALLOWAY, GEO. NEUNER, Jr.

FORMER RESIDENT TELLS OF SEVERE EARTHQUAKE

Captain Buchanan yesterday evening received a letter from his son, Bayard, who is located with the constabulary force in the Philippine Islands. Bayard has now assumed control of a station and has a large number of native soldiers under his charge.

His letter contained a very vivid description of a heavy earthquake which he experienced during the month of February when the letter was written. The earthquake was a very severe one and shook down all the buildings except two of the offices of the constabulary. The earth opened in many places and gaseous fumes and smoke poured out. Seven persons were killed by the falling buildings while a number were hurt.

LODGE DIRECTORY.

- EAGLES—Roseburg Aerie meets in their hall on Jackson street, 2nd and 4th Monday evenings of each month, at 8 o'clock. Visiting brethren in good standing always welcome. Howard Mess, W. P.; B. P. Goodman, W. Sec. Phone 183. I. O. O. F.—Union Encampment No. 9, meets in Odd Fellows Temple every Thursday evening. Visiting brethren always welcome. O. H. Pickens, C. P.; J. E. Pickens, R. S.; James Ewart, F. S. I. O. O. F.—Aising Star Lodge No. 174, meets in Odd Fellows Temple every Friday evening. Visiting brethren always welcome. W. S. Powell, N. G.; J. D. Reese, V. G.; Carl W. Ohman, Rec. Sec.; M. Pickle, Fin. Sec.; A. S. Hunt, Treas. B. P. O. E.—Roseburg Lodge No. 326, holds regular communications at their temple on second and fourth Thursdays of each month. All members requested to attend regularly. All visiting brothers are cordially invited to attend. E. B. Stewart, R. R.; I. B. Riddle, Sec.

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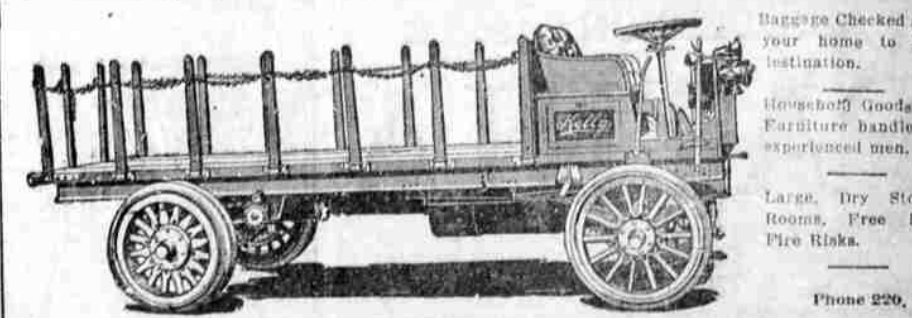
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