Y. M. C. A. TENTS AT BATTLE FIELDS

In the Holy Land, or the Desert Sands of Egypt.

THE Y MEN ARE THERE

Theirs is a Mission to Inspire Courage and Loyalty to All That is Good and Noble—Add Your Bit.

(By I. E. McClintock.)

There are soldiers writing home on Y. M. C. A. stationery from Y. M. C. A. tents near the foot of Mount Sinai where Moses received the ten commandments, other soldiers are writing home from the desert places of the orient "on the edge of the rim of the world." They are in Y. M. C. A. tents or huts in Egypt, Mesopotamia, East Africa, Palestine, France, England, and in training camps right here at home.

Whenever the soldier goes he finds the welcoming sign of the red triangle, the emblem of the Y. M. C. A. Bank presidents, clergymen, college professors, men from every calling, are to be found in the huts in the war zone acting as Y. M. C. A. secretaries doing their "bit" for the soldiers. You will find them in dugouts with German shells flying over their heads. Whenever the soldier is sent there the red triangle is established to give him a place to go where he can get some little touch of home.

Over in the blood-red trenches in Europe you will find men to testify to the value of the Y. M. C. A. work there. In the prisoner-of-war camps you will find men whose hearts and [illegible], have been saved from insanity because of the influence of the association. Whenever there is misery and distress, wherever men are fighting or training you will find red-blooded Y. M. C. A. secretaries to serve them.

To continue this work which is vital for the enlisted men, the sum of $35,000,000 is asked by the American Y. M. C. A. No one knows how soon their boy will need the services of the Y. M. C. A. When he does this appeal becomes a personal matter. Respond to it at once. If it doesn't reach your boy, it reaches your neighbor's boy.

NOTICE OF HOMECOMING.

All members of Roseburg Chapter No. 8, Order of the Eastern Star, are urgently requested to attend the homecoming session of that chapter at the Masonic temple, Thursday evening at 7:30 of November 15, 1917. This is an occasion when every member of Roseburg Chapter should be in attendance. A unique and interesting program and war times refreshments will be served.

n15 COMMITEE

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Chapman arrived in Roseburg yesterday for a visit at the home of their son, Fred Chapman.

CHORUS ENSEMBLE WITH "WHEN DREAMS COME TRUE," AT THE ANTLERS THEATRE, TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 20.

NEW DRAFT RULES READY FOR ISSUE

WASHINGTON, Nov. 13.—Copies of the new army draft regulations came off the press today for a final reading preparatory to mailing to the local exemption boards throughout the country next week.

Under the new plan the burden of supplying information which will result in his being placed in his proper classification under the selective service law rests squarely upon the individual registrant. All instructions now in the hands of the boards will be annulled upon the receipt of the new regulations, which are greatly reduced in extent and simplified in process.

Included in the new book is everything bearing on the draft processes as now organized, from the time the questionnaire is to be sent to each registrant and filled out and returned to the boards, until accepted men are actually in the military service. Each book carries a copy of the statutes and also a verified copy of the master list of the drawing.

The questionnaire is the basis of the plan of grouping registrants in five classes, liable for duty by classes. The boards will be able to classify a man immediately when his questionnaire has been received.

The questionnaire process will eliminate from consideration for military service probably 75 per cent of the men who would have been discharged or exempted under the old plan. Under the first call the average board was compelled to examine five men to obtain one for service. In some cases not more than one out of 10 or 12 was sent to the camps.

It is expected that under the new scheme, the average figures will be reversed and at most not more than one man in five called will fail to pass his physical examination and be rejected.

ADMITS THEFT OF MOTORCYCLE

Pat Riner alias Henry Lane, who stole Elmer Johnson's motorcycle and was captured at Roseburg about a week ago, has been turned over to the California authorities and returned to Bakersfield, says the Eugene Guard. He is wanted there for a series of alleged auto [illegible].

His arrest followed when he took Johnson's motorcycle a few days after the Springfield bank robbery and, when especially strenuous efforts were made to catch him because of the belief that he was the bank bandit. He admitted the theft of the machine which was found in his possession at Roseburg, and also the theft of a machine at Bakersfield.

Riner lays his downfall to the fact that he bought a motorcycle on the installment plan and sold it before he had it paid for. The man he owed suddenly returned to town and he took the first motorcycle he could find and fled, afterwards coming to Oregon.

CLEVELAND NEWS.

Most of our farmers are doing some fall sowing since the last rain.

Eric Truelh has been helping Wes Lane dig his large potato crop.

Jesse Kruba and Adolph Doerner were out on the road with a grader cleaning out the ditches and smoothing up the road.

Mrs. Lindsey, of Roseburg, has been spending the past week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Adam Doerner.

David Good and [illegible] returned from Portland where they have been spending a much needed vacation.

[illegible]

[illegible] Walker, Murdock and [illegible] Reynold motored to Oakland and Sutherlin and stopped [illegible]

Doc Maddox has been helping with the piling at the Aitenbury bridge the past week.

Fred Beagety, of [illegible], was calling on friends here Sunday.

Mr. R. W. Vanney [illegible] been sorting apples for [illegible] of Carson valley the past few weeks, finished work Saturday.

Adolph Doerner went down to [illegible] Saturday, for a load of [illegible].

[illegible]

[illegible]

Former Chief Despatcher Here.

[illegible]

HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT SPENDS HALF MILLION

Approximately $512,000 has been expended between December 1, 1916 and November 1, 1917, by the state highway department. The word approximately is used for the reason that bills for October are not all in. It is estimated that they will make a total of $527,000.—Capital Journal.

Up to September 30 the total expenditure was $[illegible] [illegible]

[illegible]

Sherman section [illegible] yards. Tillamook [illegible] yards. Cummings hill (Wheeler county) 21,100 yards.

NOTICE OF SCHOOL MEETING.

[illegible]

of levying a special district tax.

The total amount of money needed by the district during the fiscal year beginning on June 19, 1917, and ending on June 20, 1918, is estimated in the following budget and includes the amounts to be received from the county school fund, state school fund, special district tax, and all other moneys of the district.

Budget—Estimated Expenditures.

Teachers' salaries	$32,000
Furniture	1,500
Apparatus and supplies, such as maps, chalk, erasers, stoves, curtains, etc.	1,250
Library books	1,500
Repairs of school houses, outbuildings or fences	1,000
Improving grounds	1,000
Janitors' wages	3,000
Janitors' supplies	250
Fuel	1,500
Light and Power	1,000
Water	350
Clerk's salary	420
Postage and stationery	200
For the payment of bonded debt and interest thereon, issued under Sections 117, 114 to 118, and 122 of the School Laws of Oregon, 1917	3,750
Insurance	400
Man. Tr. and D. S.	1,000
Equipment and building	1,500
Miscellaneous	1,500
Total estimated amount of money to be expended for all purposes during the year	$53,120

Estimated Receipts.

From county school fund during the coming school year	$ 8,793.60
From state school fund during the coming school year	2,886.86
Estimated amount to be received from all other sources during the coming school year	3,963.87
Total estimated receipts, not including the money to be received from the tax which it is proposed to vote	$15,644.14

Recapitulation.

Total estimated expenses for the year	$53,120.00
Total estimated receipts not including the tax to be voted	15,644.14
Balance, amount to be raised by district tax	$37,475.86

Dated this 2nd day of Nov. 1917.

R. L. STEPHENS,
Chairman Board of Directors.

Attest:
ROSCOE N. GREEN,
District Clerk. n24

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

Sealed bids will be received by the State Highway Commission of the State of Oregon at Room 1301 Yeon Building, Portland, until 11:00 a. m. Tuesday, November 27, 1917, for the following work:

Douglas County, on the Pacific Highway on what is known as the Myrtle Creek-Dillard section, thirteen (13) miles of grading involving approximately 140,000 cubic yards of excavation.

No bid will be considered unless accompanied by cash, bidder's bond or certified check for an amount equal to at least five (5) per cent of the total amount of the bid.

A corporate surety bond will be required for the faithful performance of the contract in a sum equal to one-half the total amount of the bid.

Proposal blanks and full information for bidders may be obtained at the office of the State Highway Commission and the State Highway Engineer in the State House, at Salem, Oregon.

Plans and specifications and forms of contract may be seen at the same place or may be obtained upon the deposit of $5.00.

The right is reserved to reject any or all proposals or to accept the proposal deemed best for the State of Oregon.

STATE HIGHWAY COMMISSION,
S. Benson, Chairman.
W. L. Thompson, Commissioner.
E. J. Adams, Commissioner.

Attest:
HERBERT NUNN,
State Highway Engineer.
Salem, Oregon, Nov. 8, 1917. D-n28

Monday, Bargain Day at the Roseburg Cleaning AND Pressing Works!

Men's Suits French Dry Cleaned and Pressed for $1.00. All work given prompt attention. Bargain day prices do not include calling for or delivering clothes.

G. W. SLOPER
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TURKEYS!

As in the past we are in the market for all the marketable Turkeys we can get for the Holiday trade.

Indications are for good prices, and we are prepared, as we have always done, to pay the highest spot cash prices on the day of delivery. There are more than usual this year, of small young, immature birds, consequently we urge you to grade out carefully, before killing, all stock not strictly first class. It will pay you to feed them for Christmas or later killing, and will help keep the market up on the better grade. A large number of poor birds on the market always causes a slump in all grades on the city market.

Feed Your Cull Birds Until They Make No. Ones

We solicit your birds as long as our price is as good as the best. When we cannot pay that we want you to sell them where you can get the best price. On this basis we know we will get the birds. See us before selling.

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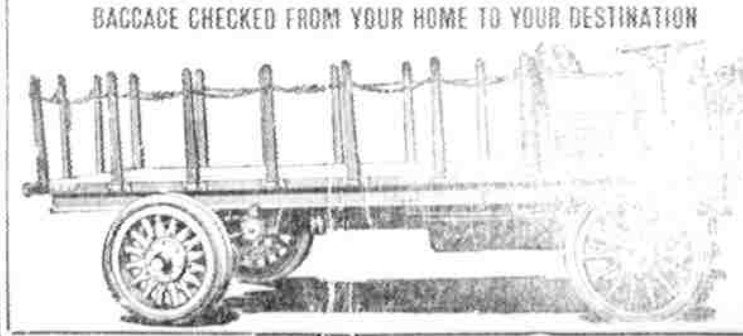

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