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## MEN CALLED SEPT. 1. Hurry Up Order From Provost Marshal. Rules Waived.

Portland, Aug. 8.—One-third of Oregon's quota of 717 men taken in the selective draft will be called September 1 and within five days en-train for mobilization camps yet to be designated by the government.

Adjutant General George A. White this morning received the order of Provost Marshal General Crowder and he immediately wired all local and district boards to speed up their work so the first draft of 239 men will be ready by the first of the month.

To expedite the examination of drafted men General Crowder has waived numerous provisions in the examination rules and the new order of procedure will be mailed to the various boards tomorrow morning.

The men drafted are to be certified daily from now on by the local to the district boards. While the delay of five days in the arrival of the master sheets and the instructions to the boards has held back the work of examinations, this handicap will be overcome by the time the men must report. Where they will be taken from or where they will be sent has not been made public.

More explicit instructions concerning exemptions have been received from General Crowder. He announces that a person married since July 29 and pleading exemption on this ground may not plead marriage as a valid ground exemption. The test of whether a married man shall not be drafted comes when the man proves that the man is mainly dependent upon the daily labor of her husband for support and not that the man is liable for the support of his wife.

General Crowder also announces that firemen, policemen and students in technical schools are not exempt because of their status. These men who are affected by the draft will have to have other reasons for exemption or they will have to face service in the new national army.

## 19 Ships Sunk By Diver In 3 Weeks.

An Atlantic Port, Aug. 7.—One German submarine during a three weeks period ending July 19, sank 19 vessels aggregating 66,000 tons and was still in condition to remain longer away from its base, according to a report brought here today by Harold Hansen, of Detroit, a member of the crew of one of the 19 ships, who said he received his information from the U-boat commander.

Hansen said he belonged to the Norwegian sailing ship Arsenis; a vessel of 1719 tons gross register, sunk while on its way from Glasgow to Hampton Roads. His ship stopped when ordered to do so by the submarine commander and a detail from the U-boat came aboard and removed all the food supplies.

The crew was then ordered into the boats, given the course to nearest land and the Arsenis was torpedoed. The captain of the submarine, Hansen said, told him and other members of his crew with pride that he had sunk 18 other ships in three weeks and was after more.

## New Sawmill Starts.

Philomath, Or., Aug. 7.—A new sawmill company has started operations at Harris station, three miles west of Wrens, on the Corvallis & Eastern railroad. The members are Messrs. Harrison & Brown, both from Chehalis, Washington. The company has purchased options on a large body of second growth fir extending along the north bank of the St. Mary's river from 2½ miles west and on the ranch of Ed King. The company expects to cut ties, bridge and mine timbers and lumber. The mill dam is being raised to back the river up a mile and a half. Fallers and buckers commenced work Monday, August 6. The mill frame is up and the machinery will be put in place this week. The owners of the mill figure on cutting from 25,000 to 40,000 feet a day.

There was a suspicion that the kaiser was forced into the war by the junkers. His discarding of Bethman-Hollweg suggests that the junkers did not need to use all their force to make the kaiser come along.

## Fatal Auto Accident Is Held Unavoidable.

Oregon City, Aug. 7.—Justice of Peace John N. Sievers, in the absence of Coroner Hemstead, called a jury to pass on the accident on the New Era hill Sunday night in which Miss Olive Marquiss, of Eugene, was killed and several others in the party badly injured. The jury held the accident unavoidable. Maurice Marquiss, brother of the dead woman, who was driving the car when it plunged over the embankment, was the only member of the party able to give testimony.

## Only 10 Out Of 51 Claim No Exemption.

Centralia, Wash., Aug. 8.—The Lewis County exemption board yesterday started examining the first 325 men drawn in the county in the conscription law. Of the first 12 men examined five were rejected because of physical weakness. Of the remaining seven, four claimed exemption. At this rate and providing the exemption claims are allowed, it will be necessary to examine 648 men to secure the county's quota of 162. Of 51 men examined only 10 claimed no exemptions.

## Professor H. E. Risley Killed.

Centralia, Wash., Aug. 7.—When his automobile shot over an embankment Sunday night, two miles north of Tenino, and landed bottom side up in a ditch, Professor H. E. Risley, newly appointed superintendent of Adna schools, met instant death. He was pinned under the machine. Mrs. Risley, who was in the front seat with her husband, escaped injury. Professor Risley was 48 years of age and is survived by his wife, three sons, and a daughter, the latter living in Chicago.

## German Seaplane Crew Interned

London, Aug. 7.—A dispatch to the Times from Rotterdam says a German seaplane alighted at Texel, Holland, yesterday after being fired at by Dutch soldiers. It was short of gasoline. The occupants were interned.

## Out of 35 Men Examined at Kalama, 24 Are fit

Kalama, Wash., Aug. 7.—Thirty-five of the 40 men notified to appear before the Cowlitz county exemption board presented themselves yesterday, and all but 11 men were found to be physically fit. Eighteen men took exemption blanks, nearly all of them being married men with children to support. Three letters of notification sent to men registered in the county were returned unclaimed. All of these were from Carrolls.

## Klickitat County has 685 Autos

Goldendale, Wash., Aug. 7.—County Auditor Crooks has issued licenses for 685 automobiles in Klickitat county this year, a gain of 160 cars over 1916 and the county now has approximately one automobile for every 15 inhabitants against one for the entire population 19 years ago, when the first automobile was purchased in the Klickitat valley. It is estimated that the first cost of cars purchased during the past 10 years is \$385,000 and that fully as much more has been expended for gasoline and the upkeep of machines.

## Movement Under Way To Save White Flour.

Boston, Aug. 6.—A concerted movement to save white flour was started in the state today. At the suggestion of Henry B. Endicott, state food administrator, the majority of hotels, restaurants and clubs will refrain from serving white bread during the entire week. Thousands of householders have expressed the intention of joining in the movement by using this week only corn, rye and other grains in making bread. Mr. Endicott expressed the opinion that in this way fully 50,000 barrels of flour would be saved.

## Louisiana and Texas Furnish Most of Sulphur.

More than 98 per cent of the native sulphur now produced in the United States comes from deposits in Louisiana and Texas, according to Philip S. Smith, of the United States Geological Survey Department of the Interior, but deposits of sulphur that have been or might be productive occur in Utah, Wyoming, Nevada, California, Oregon, Colorado, and Alaska.

Louisiana and Texas apparently produce enough sulphur to supply even an extraordinary demand, for the combined output of these two States, although the production has not been vigorously pushed, has so greatly exceeded the amount sold that large stocks of sulphur have been accumulated.

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  - THE MILITARY DEPARTMENT, enrolled 1885 cadets in 1916-17, and was recommended for O. A. C. from the Western Department of the U. S. War Department as one of the fifteen "distinguished institutions" of higher learning. All cadets will be furnished complete uniforms by the U. S. Government and the junior and senior cadets, enrolled in the R. O. T. C., will be given commutation for subsistence, as well as all transportation and subsistence at the six weeks' summer camp.
- REGISTRATION BEGINS OCTOBER 8, 1917. Information on request. Address, Registrar, Oregon Agricultural College, Corvallis, Oregon.

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## Convicts Walk Out of State Penitentiary.

Salem, Or., Aug. 8.—Climbing to the roof of the shoe shop and walked out through the gate of the prison, in which they were at work, J. B. Burg and Robert Burns, prisoners at the Oregon state penitentiary, escaped this morning about 9 o'clock.

Burns was sent up for forgery from Multnomah county and Burg for the same offense from Wasco county. Both were doing from two to 20-year sentences and did not belong to the "honor gang."

They wore blue overalls, light shirts and caps, and boldly walked away under the noses of the penitentiary officials. Dogs were put on their trails at once. They apparently headed south.

## R. B. Hammond Is New Phone Manager.

At a meeting of the telephone and Telegraph company, held at Medford Tuesday, the resignation of A. J. Vance, as vice-president and manager, was accepted. C. P. Van Houtte, of Eugene, was elected vice-president, and R. B. Hammond manager. Mr. Hammond has been secretary and treasurer of the company for five years, is thoroughly acquainted with all the territory under his jurisdiction and will make a splendid manager.

## Commissions For All Now In Training Camp.

San Francisco, Aug. 7.—Barring unforeseen contingencies, every man remaining in the reserve officers' training camp here may consider that he has been recommended for a commission, it was learned here today. Those who failed of recommendation have departed by hundreds in the last few days, bolstered by the war department's suggestion that they enlist with prospects for a non-commissioned officer's post immediately and a chance at a commission later on. A few will be held over for the second training camp.

## Exemption Boards to Protect Farmers.

Washington, Aug. 9.—Provision to protect harvesting from shortage of hands due to the mobilization of the national army has been made by the government in regulations now going out to district exemption boards.

Men needed in the harvesting fields to complete harvesting will be permitted to remain at work until the need for them passes, when they will join the colors.

Local boards, because of their knowledge of local crop conditions, will determine what men are necessary in this class.

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## Three Girls Drowned

Scotts Mills, Or., Aug. 6.—Three girls, between the ages of 15 and 9, were drowned in the mill pond here late Saturday while floating about on a frail raft which, it is claimed, went to pieces under them. They were Beulah Dale, daughter of J. E. Dale, Athol G. Hickox, daughter of E. E. Hickox, aged 13; and Myrtle Cooper, daughter of John Cooper, 15. Ethel Shilts, daughter of J. M. Shilts, an older girl with the party, escaped death narrowly. It is claimed that some boys, also bathing, jumped on the raft causing it to go to pieces or sink.

## Weather Report.

Following is the report of U. S. Volunteer Cooperative Observer, E. Britt; Jacksonville, for month of March. Latitude 42 deg. 18. min. north; longitude 123 deg. 5 min. west.

| Date | Maximum | Minimum | Precipitation |
|------|---------|---------|---------------|
| 1    | 91      | 53      |               |
| 2    | 93      | 56      |               |
| 3    | 89      | 56      |               |
| 4    | 87      | 54      |               |
| 5    | 92      | 57      |               |
| 6    | 91      | 56      |               |
| 7    | 92      | 53      |               |
| 8    | 92      | 56      |               |
| 9    | 89      | 55      |               |
| 10   | 97      | 53      |               |
| 11   | 97      | 60      |               |
| 12   | 96      | 59      |               |
| 13   | 97      | 59      |               |
| 14   | 98      | 68      |               |
| 15   | 102     | 61      |               |
| 16   | 101     | 72      |               |
| 17   | 98      | 61      | 02            |
| 18   | 97      | 63      |               |
| 19   | 97      | 62      |               |
| 20   | 95      | 57      |               |
| 21   | 94      | 55      |               |
| 22   | 91      | 52      |               |
| 23   | 85      | 52      |               |
| 24   | 82      | 52      |               |
| 25   | 97      | 48      |               |
| 26   | 89      | 62      |               |
| 27   | 82      | 47      |               |
| 28   | 81      | 49      |               |
| 29   | 87      | 45      |               |
| 30   | 88      | 49      |               |
| 31   | 85      | 51      |               |

Temperature—mean max. 92; mean min. 55.9; mean 73.9. Max 102. on 15. Minimum, 45, on 29. Greatest daily range, 49. Total precipitation .02 inches. Greatest in 24 hours, .02 in., on 16. Number of days with 0.1 inch or more precipitation, 1, clear, 28; partly cloudy, 3; cloudy, 0. Total snowfall inches. Precipitation for season, Precipitation for last season Seasonal average

E. BRITT, Cooperative Observer.

## Notice of Final Settlement.

IN THE COUNTY COURT OF THE STATE OF OREGON IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF JACKSON.

In the matter of the Estate of Ruth Keizer, deceased. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that Clarence A. Keizer, the administrator of the estate of Ruth Keizer, deceased, has presented to and filed in said Court his final report and petition for distribution to the parties entitled thereto the residue of the said estate and that Monday the 10th day of September, A. D. 1917, at 10:00 in the forenoon of said day at the Court room of said Court in said County has been fixed as the time and place for the hearing of said final report and petition when and where any person interested in said estate may appear and file his exceptions in writing to said petition and contest the same.

Dated this 10th day of August, A. D. 1917.

CLARENCE A. KEIZER, Administrator of Estate of Ruth Keizer

Of course, this thing of shipping coal to New England by express is all right but wouldn't it be a bit cheaper by Parcel Post?