

LOCAL NEWS

Mrs. John Dunnington was a recent visitor in Medford. Fred Offenbacher of Applegate was recent visitor in town. S. S. Bullis of Medford was a visitor in this city Wednesday. Mary Bagshaw was a visitor at Medford Saturday afternoon. C. I. Dickinson of Sherwood, Oregon was a visitor here this week. Uncle Billy Cameron of Uniontown was a recent visitor in town. Mr. and Mrs. A. Kleinhammer of Buncom were in town Monday. Miles Central of Ruch was a business visitor in this city Wednesday. J. H. Crump of Forest creek transacted business in this city Wednesday. Chas. F. Dunford of Sterling Road was a business visitor in this city Tuesday. Mr. and Mrs. Frank Cameron of Uniontown were recent visitors in this city. Mary Bagshaw and Cliff Dunnington were visitors in Medford Thursday evening. H. A. Caradav of Medford was a business visitor in this city Thursday morning. William Kenney who has been spending a vacation at Squaw creek returned Tuesday. Attorney C. M. Thomas of Medford attended the meeting of council Thursday evening. Mr. and Mrs. J. Percy Wells who have been at Eugene for several months returned Wednesday. About 50 soldiers of company C, stationed at Medford, hiked to this city Wednesday morning. Mr. and Mrs. Paul Anderson and Mrs. Ralph Jennings were visitors in Medford Thursday evening. A war correspondent says that "it is easier to fly than to run an automobile." It is further to fall though. Mrs. William Finley of Bly, Oregon, visited at the home of her brother J. M. Dewes, of this city Tuesday and Wednesday. Federal Judge Maurice Dooling of San Francisco, was severely injured in an automobile accident on the Pacific Highway near Ashland Thursday evening. The official records show that 2763 persons visited Crater Lake during the month of July in spite of the fact that the road was not open until late in the month. Recruiting officers for the Marine corps have received orders to discontinue recruiting until further orders. The corps is now up to its full 30,000 strength. According to reports from Fort Stevens eleven men belonging to the Medford 7th company were rejected on account of failure to pass the physical examination. George Von der He'len of Eagle Point has been given a captain's commission in the artillery corps of the new army. Mr. Von der Hellen served several years in the Philippines. A letter received by Mrs. Bailey from her son Glen, in the navy at San Francisco, states that he and the Pahl boys are at the same station and are getting along nicely. Jasten Hartman who has been fighting fire in the Prospect district for the past two weeks returned Thursday evening. He reports the fires are pretty well under control at this time. Pauline Greaves, who has been employed in the telephone exchange at Medford for several months left Monday for Bremerton, Wash., where she has secured employment in a telephone office. Frank Cross, George Bagley and Charles Morgan arrested Saturday night by Sheriff Jennings for importing liquor into the State, after a conference with the prosecuting attorney plead guilty and were fined \$25. T. W. Fulton of Medford was a business visitor in this city Tuesday. Mr. Fulton has leased the plant of the Central Point Herald, lately suspended and will operate the job printing department for the present. Later on if conditions justify he will resume publication of the Herald. The city council held an adjourned meeting Thursday evening at which the petition for the repeal of the Jimmy ordinance was discussed. Mr. Bullis was present and promised that the company would put on a night train as in the former schedule, within ten days or two weeks and also arrange that connection will be made with S. P. trains at Medford. The pollution of the city water by the logging operations of the Applegate Lumber Co. was discussed at length, the promise being made that the company will burn up rubbish along the creek as soon as it is safe to do so. Report of Treasurer Dox was read and referred back for further details.

Flora Thompson was a recent visitor in Medford. All work done in 1917 spot cash at W. R. Sparks. Mrs. W. E. Finney was a visitor at Medford today. Are you a subscriber to the Post? If not, why not? Fred J. Fick was a visitor in Medford this morning. Lloyd Howard of Butte Falls was a recent visitor in town. J. H. Beaman of Gold Hill was a recent visitor in this city. Mrs. Chester Kubli of Applegate was a recent visitor in this city. Mrs. G. W. Godward was a visitor in Medford Friday afternoon. A. B. Cornell of Grants Pass was a business visitor in this city Tuesday. A fire has been raging in the hills north of this city several days this week. Herman Offenbacher of Applegate was a visitor in this city and Medford Friday. Medford newspapers report the closing of three meat markets in that city recently. Mr. and Mrs. Will Barnum returned this week from a few weeks trip at Portland. Mrs. Ida Wilson and Mrs. S. E. Dunnington were visitors in Medford Friday afternoon. County commissioner P. H. Madden who has been in Alaska looking after his fishery interests has returned. The county court will hold a special session Monday to consider an irrigation petition and several other matters. A representative of the Pacific Paper Co. of Portland, was calling on the patrons of the company here Thursday. Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Wilson expect to leave Friday for a two-weeks visit with friends and relatives at San Francisco. Frank Vetkas of Corning, Cal. and Miss Lena Barr of Medford were married Sunday afternoon. Rev. Carstens officiated. Twenty members of the Ashland 1st company Coast Artillery failed to pass the physical examinations at Fort Stevens this week. An ad over the signature of C. B. Wolfe of Ashland asking for a position "editing, reporting soliciting, weekly or semi-weekly;" appears in the last issue of the American Press, published in New York. Mrs. Jane Waterman died at her home at Phoenix, Thursday afternoon, aged 72 years. Funeral services will be held at the Presbyterian church in Phoenix, Sunday afternoon, Rev. Baillie officiating. The national food bill, over which congress has been jangling for the past month, was signed by the president Friday and is now a law. Under this law Herbert Hoover has been appointed food administrator. Mrs. Isabel Langdon and Miss Mabel Brault of Medford were severely injured in an automobile accident at Talent Monday afternoon. Miss Brault who was driving lost control of the car and let it run into the ditch where it turned over. The county court has plans for a new bridge across the Applegate river near Deb McKee's ranch, which when built will eliminate one of the worst hills on the road to the Blue Ledge. Two other bridges farther up the stream are to be built next year. John Peterson, a fire fighter aged about 50 years was killed by a falling tree while fighting fire in the Elk creek district Monday afternoon. Peterson was a stranger here of whom little was known. A letter from a sister at Helmsstead, Sweden, was found in his effects. Yakima Hop Buyers Offer 20 Cents Pound. North Yakima, Wash., Aug. 10. Buyers here are offering 20 and 25 cents per pound for hops, but so far as can be learned only a small tonnage has changed hands at these figures and some growers say that the price is "only conversational."

One Appointment For Annapolis Is Available. Washington, Aug. 4.—Congressman Hawley has at his disposal the nomination of a principal and three alternates for an Annapolis cadetship for the class entering March 19. Eighteen failures in mathematics have caused the rejection of many Annapolis candidates from Western states. Army Officers Make Record Balloon Trip. Waseca, Minn., Aug. 6.—Four officers of the army signal corps ended a balloon flight from Omaha on a farm four miles south of this city today. The trip of 225 miles was made in six hours which is said to be a record. The journey was uneventful. S. D. Clark Home Burned. Philomath, Or., Aug. 7.—The house of S. D. Clark near Philomath was burned Saturday afternoon with almost a total loss of household goods. The fire started by sparks from the kitchen flue falling on the roof. Mr. Clark had many valuable relics of revolutionary days, all of which were lost. Dyuamile Suspect Sent To Jail. San Francisco, Aug. 7.—A six months' sentence in jail was today meted out to James T. Cody, alias Kazlowsky, for wearing the uniform of a United States marine without proper authorization. Cody was arrested in Woodland, Cal. recently as a suspect in the explosion at Mare Island arsenal. Wants Hunting Season Pulloff. Dallas, Or., Aug. 7.—W. V. Fuller, supervising fire warden for Polk county, is making an effort to have the hunting season postponed at least 15 days or until after a rain. Mr. Fuller states that the woods are in such a dry condition that should a small fire get a good start the entire timbered area of Polk county would be in danger. Bar Silver Goes Up. New York, Aug. 8.—Bar silver rose to a new record of 82 1/2 cents an ounce in the local market today, the highest quotation, according to dealers, in almost 30 years. The movement was concurrent with a new maximum for the metal in the London market. Douglas County Has Bumper Pear Crop. Roseburg, Or., Aug. 8.—Preparations are being made to harvest the largest pear crop ever raised in Douglas county. The growers also expect a good price. Airplane Strikers Return. Berkeley, Cal., Aug. 6.—Work in the Hall-Scott airplane engine factory, which was suspended by a strike of unknown instigation, was resumed this morning. The company authorities declared their willingness to accept all its old employees. Word was received from a military source that the work must be resumed as the company is engaged in contracts of great importance to the government. Heat Kills 190 In 24 Hours. New York, Aug. 4.—While a fall in temperature has brought relief from the intense heat, the board of health has announced that of the 539 deaths reported in the city for the 24 hours ending yesterday noon, 190 were due directly to the heat. Grants Pass—Sugar beet crop suffering for lack of irrigation. Portland—Site for a million-bushel grain elevator bought for \$137,000.

Less Than Twenty Per Cent Passes Tests. Centralia, Wash., Aug. 6.—Up to yesterday afternoon the Lewis county exemption board had examined 160 men under the draft law. Of this number only 29 passed the physical examination and did not claim exemption. Eighty-one filed claims of exemption and 50 were rejected for physical deficiencies. Lumberman Is Murdered. Grants Pass, Or., Aug. 10.—William McAllister, sawyer at the Spalding mill near Selma, Ore., was murdered today by Ralph Turpin, a fellow worker. A quarrel which Turpin apparently began while McAllister was at work, preceded the shooting. Turpin left the mill for a time after the quarrel and returned, casually took aim and fired three times at McAllister, two shots hitting. Turpin took to the hills and is now being chased by a posse. McAllister died tonight. Crushed Under Paper. Oregon City, Aug. 9.—Joseph Fisher an employe of the Crown Willamette Paper company, was caught under 1100 pounds of paper which fell on him yesterday. His back and legs were injured and he was removed to his home at Gladstone. Asylum Patient Runs Away. Salem, Or., Aug. 9.—William Malee, committed to the asylum from Curry county, eloped last night from the kitchen where he was working. He is not considered dangerous. Electric Sparks. (From Off Our Wireless) Gen. Scott was referred to merely as an observer of the Russian offensive, but it may be that he had previously given little helpful suggestions on the side. George Creel's typewriter appears to have been torpedoed without warning. One touch of Teddy gives the whole world vim. Coal and oil are playing out as a reliable fuel supply on railroads and still Congress fails to provide laws to develop electric power. Intimation that Dr. Michaelis, Emperor William's new hand picked chancellor, is a mystic, will recall various facts associated with the late Rasputin whether the comparison be justified or not. The Kaiser is enthusiastically in favor of home rule for Ireland, but not for Germany. You can't teach an old dachshund new tricks. Bernstorff was too shrewd a diplomat to permit himself to be made an honorary member of the I. W. W., however much he may deserve the distinction. When the people of Germany lose their dream of world empire established at other's expense they will be a more neighborly lot. Soon there will not be an American left in the American socialist party to translate its German propaganda into the English language. People who oppose government food control apparently do not want Mr. Hoover to explain why food stuffs are cheaper in Europe than here. There need be no discussion as to which independence the democratic allies should celebrate together. After this war every day should be independence day all over the world. The Department of Agriculture reports that the indicated yield of potatoes will be 452 million bushels, as against 285 million last year, so we can all eat potatoes again, provided congress allows Mr. Hoover to catch the food sharks. The corn crop is indicated as considerable over three billion bushels, which is another big item, for which we are all thankful. Congress wants to usurp a part of the President's authority in raising the war. It is the duty of Congress to pass laws, and the President is the one to execute them. Wilhelm accepts Bethmann's resignation with a heavy heart, which is the kind of a heart he is doing everything with nowadays. Chancellor Mike is said to be a deeply religious man. Probably he owes his job to his firm belief in the "Me and Got" doctrine. The draft levy appears to have silenced the claim of St. Louis that she is the fourth city in the union. What this country seems to need are a couple of up-to-date 1917 model alien and sedition laws. The Kaiser having dropped the plot, Michaelis now undertakes to pilot the dropper.

For Sale, Tools, Etc. A lot of Blacksmithing, Wood working and Pipe fitting tools, stock of bolts, old iron, etc. A set of 4 wheels for hack, old baggy, gasoline engine, etc. now in shop on California street. Also: Small cook stove, heating stove, step ladders, large camera etc., being the personal property belonging to the estate of the late Charles H. Basye, deceased. Will be sold in a lot at a bargain, or blacksmith outfit will be sold separately if desired. D. W. BAGSHAW, Adm. Jacksonville, Oregon. Camping, fishing and Hunting Guide. We are in receipt of an attractive booklet, entitled "Camping; Fishing and Hunting", which was compiled by the Forest Service and published by the Southern Pacific Company. The Forest Reserves of Western Oregon with roads, trails, resorts, camping places, mountains, fishing, streams and lakes are described in detail. Complete instructions are given to prepare for a hunting or fishing trip, even to cooking utensils and amount and quantity of food. This booklet contains much useful information regarding Western Oregon and will be invaluable to anyone contemplating a fishing, hunting or camping trip, in that territory. Copies can be obtained from any Southern Pacific Agent, or will be furnished free on application to the General Passenger Department of the Southern Pacific at Portland. Slight Operation On Arm Makes Man Flawless. Bend, Or., Aug. 7.—With the removal of a growth on his right elbow caused by pressure on the joint while writing, the only physical flaw found when officers' reserve corps examiners tested E. A. Stover here Saturday, has disappeared. Stover underwent the operation yesterday when he found that the slight physical disability would keep him out of the training camp should he be granted an appointment. Drafted Men Remain Volunteers In Home States. Washington, Aug. 7.—American citizen soldiers whether located in cantonments of the national army, mobilization centers of the national guard or even in France with the expeditionary forces, may vote at the fall elections if their respective states establish voting machines. Provost Marshal General Crowder said last night there was no bar to the voting of guardsmen or drafted soldiers so far as the federal government was concerned and that the only obstacle would be the absence of state legislation on the subject. No Government Reward for Potash Discoveries. The Government has offered no reward to the discoverer of deposits of soluble potash. When it is realized that soluble potash is now selling in the United States for ten times the price asked for it before the outbreak of the European war, and that no more than one-twentieth of the amount commonly used before the war is now produced in this country, it will be seen that the Government has no need to offer a reward. The discovery of commercial amounts of soluble potash is its own reward. Second Liberty Loan To be Floated Soon. New York, Aug. 8.—Preparations for the floating of the second Liberty Loan to be offered to the public some time early in the fall, were begun here today by the general loan committee of the second federal reserve district. Although the date the second loan will be offered to the public and the rate of interest it will bear have not been definitely decided upon, it was said it would be about September 15, and not October 15, as at first reported. Two Veterans Die. Roseburg, Or., Aug. 1.—Charles Harper, aged 78, for 29 years an inmate of the Soldiers' Home, was buried today. He was a miner in Jackson county and during the Civil war was sergeant in company F, 1st Kansas infantry. Martin V. Andrews another old soldier, died yesterday. Andrews was born in Maine and served in company A, 1st Maine infantry. He came to Roseburg in 1915 from the Gardiner county where he has two sons.

Real Estate Ads. FOR SALE—A tract of five acres in Applegate valley, close to postoffice and school; an ideal location for lunch counter, confectionery, etc. Large house nearly new, barn with stalls for 34 horses. Tract fronts 600 ft. on Applegate river. Regular stopping place for tourists etc. Will be sold at a bargain if taken soon. D. W. Bagshaw, Jacksonville, Oregon. FOR SALE—The McLaren property on Applegate road. Good small house and necessary outbuildings, chicken park, etc. A number of fine fruit trees bearing excellent fruit. Will be sold at a bargain. Apply at the premises or at office of Jacksonville Post. The Government needs Farmers as well as Fighters. Two million three hundred thousand acres of Oregon & California Railroad Co. Grant Lands. Title vested in United States. To be opened for homesteads and sale. Containing some of best land left in United States. Large Copyrighted Map, showing land by sections and description of soil, climate, rainfall, elevations, temperature etc., by counties. Postpaid One Dollar. Grant Lands Locating Co. Box 610 Portland, Oregon. At The Churches PRESBYTERIAN Albert H. Gammons, Minister Sunday Services regularly as follows: 10:30 A. M. Sabbath School Classes for all ages. 11:30 A. M. Morning worship, with sermon. 6:45 P. M. Christian Endeavor Prayer meeting. 7:30 P. M. Evening worship, with sermon. Prayer meeting on Wednesday evening at 7:30. Everyone welcome to these meetings. "I was glad when they said unto me let us go into the house of the Lord."—Ps. 122:1. CHRISTIAN SCIENCE Services held every Sunday morning at 11 o'clock in I. O. O. F. Hall. Everybody welcome. PATENTS D. SWIFT & CO. PATENT LAWYERS, 303 Seventh St., Washington, D. C. POLK'S OREGON and WASHINGTON Business Directory A Directory of each City, Town and Village, giving descriptive sketch of each place, location, population, telephone, shipping and banking points; also Classified Directory, compiled by business and profession. W. L. POLK & CO., SEATTLE. DEO FOR CROUP Dennis Eucalyptus Ointment AT ALL DRUG STORES TUBES 25C JARS 50C Hood River Ready. Hood River, Or., Aug. 7.—Replying to a letter just received from Bruce Dennis, director of work of the Oregon division of the National Council of Defense, County Judge L. N. Blowers states that Hood River county has already organized for the purpose of quelling possible labor disturbances. More than 50 representative business men and orchardists have been sworn in as special deputy sheriffs and will form a home guard. Machinist Recruits Wanted. Hood River, Or., Aug. 7.—A. B. Provost, chief machinist's mate, United States navy, spent yesterday here opening a campaign in the county to secure naval recruits. Mr. Provost is seeking machinists, cooks and musicians. Liberia Declares War. Washington, Aug. 7.—Liberia, the negro republic on the coast of Africa, has declared war on Germany. Some time ago Liberia broke off diplomatic relations. The declaration of war now gives opportunity to intern German merchants and others who have been accused of unneutral activities. The United States was advised today of the little republic's action.

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