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## WOODSMEN WANTED FOR FOREIGN SERVICE

### Three Thousand Men Are Needed In The Engineers Corps.

For immediate foreign service, 3000 experienced woodsmen and lumbermen are wanted for the 20th engineers, the "Lumbermen's Regiment." Because of the pressing need for volunteers at this time, a special appeal has just been made by Major General W. M. Black, chief of engineers of the U. S. Army, for men who have had practical experience in lumbering.

"Office experience and experience in the wholesale selling of lumber has not qualified men for selection as officers, nor will it qualify men as privates, or for consideration as non-commissioned officers in the 20th engineers," says a letter just issued by Major General Black.

Experienced men in woods work, operating and maintaining logging railroads, and operating sawmills are wanted for a score or more of different positions.

The auxiliary road building units of the 20th engineers need 3000 men qualified in road and bridge building. Enrollment in either the lumbermen's or the road building units is open to:

Able-bodied white men, not subject to draft, 18 to 21 and 31 to 40, citizens of the United States, with experience as woodsmen or sawmill employes, can enlist at any United States recruiting station for service in the 20th engineers. The recruiting office will forward them to a concentration camp, where they will be outfitted and then sent to regimental headquarters of the 20th engineers, at Camp American University, Washington, D. C.

Able-bodied white men subject to draft, between the ages of 21 and 31 can be inducted into the 20th engineers under the selective service law, provided their number is so low that they do not come within the current quota of their local board.

Men who consider themselves qualified and desiring to enlist in the lumbermen's unit of the 20th engineers, should wire or write Major C. E. Clark, Office of the Chief of Engineers, Room 25, War Department, Washington, D. C., advising their age, full name and address, number of years' experience in woods, sawmill or other classes of work; also class of work they are best qualified to perform.

Milton—Construction work to start on \$9500 Carnegie Library here soon.

## GERMAN-AMERICAN DEMANDS LOYALTY

### Otto Kahn Says Teutons In This Country Must Not Let Their Blood Rule.

Milwaukee, Jan. 14—Americans of German birth will not permit the blood in their veins and the call of race to go beyond the call of honor in this war, but will show their allegiance to the United States and wear as a badge of honor the abuse and spite of the few in this country who love Germany better than they love America, Otto H. Kahn, New York banker, declared in an address here last night.

"It is not enough for us Americans of German birth merely to do our duty and be loyal to the United States," said Mr. Kahn. "We must speak out. Fairminded men will understand that we are not merely blatantly patriotic in so speaking, but that we are proud to let it be known that the blood in our veins cannot crown the conscience in our breasts; that the taint of Germany is not in the blood but in the system of rulership."

"I was born in Germany; I served in the German army. I was closely connected with German business interests until the outbreak of the war. I know Germany and I know the real causes of this war. Thirty years ago almost to the day—Germany began laying her plans for world conquest."

"Americans of German blood know that it was not the old Germany—of which we are proud—that brought about war, but the German system."

## Port of Astoria Tenders Storage

Washington, Jan. 14—President Stone of the Port of Astoria, in a telegram to Senator McNary, referring to the congestion of loaded cars at Seattle and San Francisco, tenders storage at Astoria equal to a capacity of 300 carloads. Mr. Stone asserts there is no interference with navigation either to Astoria or Portland by fishing appliances, as the season does not open until May 1. Senator McNary is submitting the tender to Director General McAdoo.

Silverton—Blow Pipe Co. gets large contract for spark arrestors.

Salem—Salem Fruit Union announces sale of 1,700,000 pounds of prunes to Government, at approximately \$125,000.

## THRIFT STAMPS DRIVE

### To Have 8,000 Stations In Oregon, One Million In The U. S.

Eight thousand stations for the sale of War Savings Thrift Stamps, in addition to regularly authorized individual sales agents, are to be established in Oregon within the next month.

National Chairman Frank Vanderlip has wired Thrift campaign headquarters at Portland to the effect that one million such stations are to be established throughout the country during the month of January and Oregon will lose no time in doing her part. The plan is to have a sales station for every 100 of population and to make "War Savings Stamps for Sale Here" signs so common the "dropping in" to buy a stamp to help win the war will become a matter of daily routine until the habit of "Thrift" becomes a national characteristic, just as it is in France.

French statesmen, moreover, declare that it is in fact the thriftiness of the French people that has made possible the Republic's stand against the inhumanity of the Hun.

No compilation of state figures has been received, but latest reports on the larger cities show Portland in ninth place in amount of sales. New York City is first. Then comes Chicago, Cincinnati, Detroit, Kansas City, Pittsburgh, St. Louis, Milwaukee and Portland. Seattle is twenty-ninth, Los Angeles tenth and San Francisco thirty-second.

## Dane Not Eligible To Serve In The U. S. Navy.

Washington, Jan. 14—Senator Chamberlain is advised by the navy department that Andrew Johnson, a native of Denmark who traveled from Alaska to Portland expressly to enlist in the navy, cannot be accepted because he has not taken out his final naturalization papers.

## Snow Falls In Willowa County.

Willowa, Or., Jan. 15—Weather conditions in Willowa county have been almost without parallel this fall and winter. During December rain fell almost incessantly and the roads were very muddy. Last week the temperature dropped and on Thursday night five inches of snow fell. The Nibley-Mimmaugh Lumber company's logging train has resumed operations since the cold snap started.

## OUR OWN STATE

### Some Recent Happenings In Various Parts of Oregon

#### Oklahoma Teacher in Newburg.

Newburg, Or., Jan. 15—Professor J. F. Adams, of Oklahoma, has been elected to fill the vacancy in the faculty of the high school, caused by the resignation of Professor Amey, who has enlisted in the army.

#### Brownsville Cow Found To Have Lived Up To Hoover.

Brownsville, Or., Jan. 15—A cow slaughtered here was found to have in her stomach the following delectable eatables: Eighteen nails, ranging all the way from full-grown ten penny wire ones down to nice little shingle nails and tacks; one plow bolt, copper rivets with washers, bits of twisted wire of unknown nationality and use, ten pebbles, medium-sized rocks and boulders.

#### Smokehouse Filled With Ham Takes Fire at Cascade Locks

Hood River, Or., Jan. 12—Residents of West Cascade Locks were aroused last night from deep sleep by the cry of fire. R. R. Thomas, a resident of the neighborhood, had improvised a smokehouse from a number of old goods boxes in his back yard, and it, with its precious supply of meat caught fire. The savory aroma of the cooking hams gave warning, and the fire was discovered in time to save a part of the meat.

#### Jackson County Does Not Lie East Of Cascade Range.

Salem, Or., Jan. 14—Jackson county cannot be considered as lying east of the Cascade mountains, in the application of chapter 255, laws of 1915, which provides that no bull, except a pure bred bull of a recognized beef breed, can run at large on ranges of the counties east of the mountains. A small part of the county lies east of the main divide of the mountains. State Veterinarian Lytle asked the attorney general for an opinion on the question, with the above result.

#### Booth-Kelly Mills Employ 150 Workmen at Wendling.

Eugene, Or., Jan. 12—A hundred and fifty men are employed by the Booth-Kelly Lumber company at reconstruction work at the mill in Wendling, according to A. C. Dixon, manager of the company, who was there yesterday looking after the progress of the work. The company is rebuilding the planing mill destroyed by fire several months ago and installing an electric plant which will furnish power for the operation of this plant and eventually for the sawmill.

#### Two Sisters In One Klamath Family Die Within A Week.

Klamath Falls, Or., Jan. 14—Mrs. John Cox, who died Friday following an operation for appendicitis was the second daughter of W. D. Johnson, a farmer of this district, to die within a week's time. Her sister, Mrs. H. Vincent, died on Friday, January 4, following an operation for abdominal troubles. Mrs. Cox attended her sister's funeral the following day and in the evening was taken to the hospital for an operation. She was 28 years of age and had been married just a few months. She is survived by six brothers and sisters.

#### Marshfield Fugitive Taken.

Roseburg, Or., Jan. 14—Frank Raney, wanted in Marshfield on a charge of assault to kill, has been arrested near Glendale and will be taken back to Marshfield for trial. He attempted to rob a man of a considerable sum of money, it is charged.

#### Fined For Having Deer Meat.

Roseburg, Or., Jan. 14—William Krantz and Ray Lawrence, of Dillard, have been fined \$25 each for having deer meat in their possession. A 30-day jail sentence was placed against each one, but suspended pending good behavior.

## EMMA GOLDMAN IS TO GO TO PRISON.

### Anarchist's Conviction Sustained by Supreme Court Ruling.

Washington, Jan. 14—Conviction of Emma Goldman and Alexander Berkman on charges of conspiring to prevent the operation of the selective service act by urging men of draft age not to register, was today sustained by the supreme court.

Conviction of Louis Kramer and Morris Becker on charges of conspiracy to prevent persons of draft age from registering in New York, were also affirmed. Kramer was sentenced to two years' imprisonment and a \$10,000 fine and Becker to 20 months' imprisonment.

The court sustained Ohio degrees sentencing Charles E. Ruthenberg, Alfred Wagenknecht and Charles Baker to one year imprisonment for violating the draft law.

Miss Goldman and Berkman were convicted in New York and sentenced to serve two years in prison and pay a fine of \$10,000 each. Both contended the act was unconstitutional, but the supreme court last Monday upheld the law.

## Men Now 21 Are To Be Registered.

Washington, Jan. 15—At the request of the war department today, Chairman Chamberlain, of the senate military committee, introduced a bill for the registration for military duty of all men who have become 21 years old since June 5, 1917, when the draft law went into effect.

In determining upon the registration of men who have become 21 since the draft law was enacted, the war department has rejected any plan to raise the age limit of the draft to take in men more than 31.

Registration of men who have become of age since the draft law was enacted was referred to in the recent report of Provost Marshal General Crowder as one of the means by which a supply of men for the national army might be assured without taking those who might have others dependent upon them. It could be done also, the provost marshal general pointed out, by extending the age limits above the present line of 31. The war department has adopted the first suggestion. It is estimated that it will add about 700,000 men to the draft available each year. Passage of Senator Chamberlain's bill with administration support is expected promptly in both houses.

Another bill introduced by Senator Chamberlain would provide a distinctive badge or button for exempted men.

## British Needs More Troops.

London, Jan. 14—Between 420,000 and 450,000 troops must be raised at once in this country, Sir Auckland Geddes, minister of national service, told the house of commons when it reassembled today.

The minister said this was the absolute minimum and that it might be necessary during the year to take more men from civil life for the army. Sir Auckland said the government had decided not to introduce conscription in Ireland for the present, nor change the military age limit. Great Britain and the colonies, he added had raised 7,000,000 men.

## Dorris Business Man Dies.

Klamath Falls, Or., Jan. 14—William Kerwin, a well-known business man of Dorris, died Friday. Mr. Kerwin spent the early part of his life at Kerwin station, at the foot of Topsy Grade in Klamath county, and later moved to Dorris, where he has resided for the past 15 years. He was 39 years of age, and is survived by his wife and two sons. His death was caused by pneumonia.

Nyssa—Oregon Short Line completes plank crossing over its tracks and has indicated intention to supply water for stockyards here.

Portland—Grant-Smith-Porter Co. awarded contract to deliver 100,000,000 feet of spruce to Government. 5000 men to be employed. Cost between \$10,000,000 and \$15,000,000.

Helix—Machinery being installed in new mill here.

## INDUSTRIAL REVIEW

### Manufactures, Enterprises and Improvements, Providing Payrolls and Promoting Development of Oregon.

Salem—\$22,000 Colosseum, seating capacity 5000, to be erected at state fair grounds.

Medford—Rogue River land owners to form oil prospecting company.

North Bend has 2400 men on payroll \$24,000 a month. North Bend mill being enlarged at expense of \$100,000 to operate by Feb. 1.

Portland—W. D. B. Dutton, Sec. Chamber of Commerce is making effort to secure development of flax industry to help out in linen shortage for airplane wings.

Portland Railway, Light & Power Co. to increase street car fares from 5 to 6 cents.

Nyssa—65 per cent of ditch work for Nyssa-Arcadia drainage district completed.

Nyssa—Streets here being improved at cost of \$2200.

Shipbuilding is now Oregon's greatest industry and the time is here to consider ways and means to perpetuate it after the war. One of surest ways is passage of legislation encouraging building up American Merchant Marine which was killed by Lt. Follett's seaman's act.

Lane county votes \$30,000 appropriation for addition to Court House.

Shaniko—\$200,000 realty deal closed here.

Evans—Elevator and creamery plant may be located here.

Enterprise—School opens in new \$60,000 high school building.

\$393,000 contract awarded for South Jetty at Newport.

Nyssa—Owyhee Ditch Co. installing pumping plant on Snake river, three miles above here, cost \$24,000.

Florence—Contract signed for Siuslaw road. Gov't and State will expend \$46,000 each. Lane county to expend \$30,000.

Coquille—Contract awarded for macadamizing 3 miles of Empire South Inlet road.

St. Helens—Million Creeks Logging Co. resumes operations.

Silver Lake—Sisters' Hospital to be erected here in spring.

Harrisburg—Farmers here working hard for new flour mill.

Astoria—McGregor-Maine Co. sold its logging camp in Upper Youngs River district to Crown Willamette Pulp & Paper Co.

Hopner—Lexington State Bank to build new home.

Eugene—New bridge over mill race being constructed.

Toledo—Bridge to be built across Yaquina river at Mill Creek.

Toledo—Logging camp to start here. Logging railroad may be built to tide-water on Siletz river soon.

Waldo—Reynolds copper mine, six miles west of here, making progress in development work and expects to ship ore soon.

Harrisburg—Work commenced on new lift span in Oregon Electric railroad bridge.

Prosper—Shingle mill here to reopen.

## Rolling Log Kills Tenino Man.

Centralia, Wash., Jan. 11—Frank Palaza, aged 23 years, an employe of the Mutual Lumber Co., of Tenino, was fatally hurt in the company's camp near Tenino when he was struck by a rolling log. His back was broken and he died soon afterward. Joe Bucko-bich, a life-long friend of Palaza, was injured by the same log and is in a local hospital. Palaza is survived by his parents, who live somewhere in Europe, and a brother living in Seattle.

## Lebanon Youth Instructs Flying

Lebanon, Or., Jan. 15—Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Hall, who went to San Antonio, Texas, about a month ago to visit their son, Russell, have returned. Their son has been in the school of aviation for the past year, having graduated recently with honors. He is now a qualified instructor in the school and is receiving a salary of \$250 a month. He is a graduate of the Lebanon high school and of the University of Oregon.

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