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REGISTRATION OF ALIEN ENEMIES

Suggestions And Instructions To Registrants, By the Department Of Justice.

Persons required to register should understand that in so doing they are giving proof of their peaceful dispositions of their intention to conform to the laws of the United States.

Every registrant should read carefully the form of registration affidavit handed to him and ask the registration officer for explanation on all points not clear to him before attempting to fill out the blanks. Registration officers are instructed to give registrants all possible aid in the way of explanation and advice.

Each registrant is required to furnish four unmounted photographs of himself, not larger than 3 by 3 inches in size, on thin paper, with light background. All four photographs should be signed by the registrant across the face of the photographs, so as not to obscure the features, if the applicant is able to write.

Three blank forms of registration affidavits must be completely filled out by the registrant or his representative (with the exception of the blanks indicated to be filled out by the registration officer and the description of the registrant and the placing of finger prints on the blank) and must be produced by the registrant personally to the registration officer and be signed and sworn to by the registrant in the presence of and before the registration officer, who will fill in the description of registrant and supervise the fixing of the finger prints and the attaching of the photographs. If the registrant cannot write he must make his mark in the signature space and affix his left thumb print in the space provided opposite the signature space.

The finger printing is a method of identification and follows the practice observed in the military and the naval service of the United States.

The registrant is hereby informed that he must again present himself before the registration officer who took his oath after 10 days but before 15 days from the last day fixed for registration in his registration district to obtain a registration card, upon which he must sign his name or make his mark, and place his left thumb print in the presence of the registration officer.

STORM TIES UP ROADS

Freight and Passenger Service Is Demoralized In The East.

Philadelphia, Jan. 28—Due to the biggest snowstorm of the winter, the tie-up on the Pennsylvania is said by railroad officials to be the worst in years. Outbound service from Philadelphia has practically been annulled. Six of the Pennsylvania's fast through trains were stalled in the mountains. Four are indefinitely tied up at Altoona.

At noon all passenger service from New York, Philadelphia, Baltimore and Washington to the West was suspended. Officials said it was impossible to operate out of the big terminus at Broad-street station because of frozen switches.

New York, Jan. 28—Coal movements were checked, freight congestion intensified and street traffic badly hampered by a snow storm of blizzard threatening proportions which struck New York today.

Freight service in the anthracite regions has been entirely stopped by the storm, according to a statement today by A. H. Smith, regional director of railroads.

OPTION ON OIL LANDS

Coos Bay Properties To Be Prospected.

North Bend, Or., Jan. 29—No less than three firms and individuals are now securing options on land supposed to be oil bearing in Coos County.

The Powers Investment Company, of Los Angeles, already has secured options on about 8000 acres of land in the South Inlet district. J. E. Himes, oil operator of Cheyenne, Wyo., who was here last summer, in company with the Wyoming state geologist, has through his local attorney, John D. Goss, taken options on a big acreage.

C. R. Wade and W. W. Button, of Bandon, are also out after options between Beaver Inlet and Bandon. They have refused to make any statement regarding the parties they represent.

A North Bend man named Fackler, last Fall put down a shaft to a depth of 200 feet, and although he found traces of oil-bearing shale, he was compelled to give up the experiment owing to difficulty in obtaining labor.

UNNAMED DRAFT REGIMENT LEAVES.

First Full Unit Quits Camp Lewis for Unannounced Destination.

Tacoma, Wash., Jan. 28—With destination unannounced, an unnamed regiment has gone from Camp Lewis.

With the bands playing "Where Do We Go From Here?" the strapping young Westerners shouldered their blankets and tramped to the station. Standing by were men from other regiments, envious that their units were not given the order to go as a body. This was the first complete regiment to leave Camp Lewis.

As the long troop train pulled away the soldiers leaned with their heads out of the windows and waved goodbyes with hats and handkerchiefs to their friends on the platform.

U. S. Aviators Make A Raid Over Germany.

With the American Army in France, Jan. 27—Four American aviators attached to a French squadron have participated in a daylight bombing raid over Germany. All returned safely.

Because the weather was foggy, the aviators were unable to determine just what damage was done, but as they flew fairly low over the targets, it is believed the results were good. After re-crossing the lines the bombers were fired upon vigorously by enemy anti-aircraft guns. They then ran into still heavier fog, and some of the airmen were forced to land before reaching their hangars.

Kilauea's Menace Grows.

Honolulu, T. H., Jan. 28—The terrible beauty of the latest activity of Kilauea, the largest active volcano in the world, has taken on a more sinister aspect, as the lake of bubbling lava rises toward the crest of its crater. Latest reports say that only 15 feet remain before the molten body will stream over its cone.

Intense gas pressure has developed within the depth of the volcano as the lava has risen. If released it is feared heavy quakes will occur in the region of Hilo, immediately north.

The molten lava display in the never-slumbering crater becomes more spectacular, according to reports, as the storming mass mounts upward, exploding spurts of lava a distance of 60 feet.

OUR OWN STATE

Some Recent Happenings In Various Parts of Oregon

S. P. to Build Steel Passageway.

Oregon City, Jan. 30—After long disputes between the city and the Southern Pacific company, the council has been assured, through a letter from an official of the company that a steel passageway will be built over Fourteenth street. Court procedure and arrests of company employees last year followed the efforts of the city to have a permanent and safe byway for trains over this street, which is the main thoroughfare from the city going north.

Coos Mills To Speed Up.

Marshfield, Or., Jan. 30—It has been learned unofficially the C. A. Smith sawmills at Bunker Hill and Bay City are preparing to increase their outputs and will soon put on extra shifts of nine hours each at both mills. Shipbuilding timbers have not been turned out by the Smith company, which has a Government contract, as fast as the builders need them nor as promptly as the Government requires.

Doubling shifts will necessitate more shipping facilities for the company and the tug Tyee, of Seattle, has been engaged to transport barges between Coos Bay and Bay Point, Cal.

Pioneer Dies at Butteville.

Aurora, Or., Jan. 28—Aaron Graham, a native of Ohio and who has lived for many years at Butteville, having come here as a pioneer by ox team, died at the latter place January 18 and was buried in the Butteville cemetery. He is survived by a brother, Joseph Graham, of Butteville; two nephews, Jerome Epperly, of Portland, and Collins Epperly, of Washington, D. C., and a niece, Mrs. J. H. Boyd, of Spokane.

Ray Crites Is Arrested On Forgery Charge at Lebanon.

Oregon City, Jan. 28—Ray Crites, for whom a warrant for forgery was issued here almost a year ago, was arrested Saturday morning at Lebanon and returned to this city. The warrant, issued last March, charges Crites with having indorsed and passed a check, the property of John Gleason, employed with Crites at the Hawley paper mills. Crites disappeared when the warrant was issued, and the first heard of him since then was a few days ago when the local authorities received a tip that he was in the employ of the paper mill at Lebanon.

Warrenton Marshal In Race.

Warrenton, Or., Jan. 28—D. C. Connell, who has been city marshal of this place for several months, and made a record for his enforcement of the law pertaining to the liquor situation while the big boats were running between here and San Francisco, has announced his candidacy for the sheriff's office in the coming primaries.

Fruit Growers' Association Shows Big Business for 1917

Eugene, Or., Jan. 29—The Eugene Fruitgrowers' association, operating the largest cannery in the state and two branch canneries, held its annual meeting Saturday and elected directors and officers. The report of the manager shows that the largest business in the history of the association was transacted in 1917 and that future prospects are very bright. The capital stock was increased from \$50,000 to \$100,000, enabling the association to meet a number of opponents. A box factory has just been completed and the association will make most of its own boxes.

Submarines to Raid Transports

Washington, Jan. 28—Warning that the Germans are preparing for a great submarine offensive against the American lines of communication with France in connection with the impending Teutonic drive against the west front is given by Secretary Baker in his weekly military review.

Recently there has been a marked decrease in the number of allied merchant ships sunk by submarines. The explanation for this is found in the withdrawal of submarines in preparation for the coming thrust.

MEN WANT CHEAPER POULTRY FEED.

Oregon Poultrymen Need Help To Get Wheat Substitutes.

Corvallis, Ore., Jan. 30—Oregon poultrymen want to help Uncle Sam win the war by growing more poultry and feeding less wheat to his requests then to do, but they also say they need a little help in return. The Oregon Poultry Producers Association at Farmers week passed resolutions to this effect and sent copies to headquarters at Washington.

They have been asked to double the production of poultry and eggs during the coming year, and are willing to do so whether they make money or not. As Prof. Dryden told them, it is not now as formerly a purely business proposition in which they should grow only so many chicks as could be raised at a profit. Patriotism must be mixed with business. And they agreed.

But they are also asked to use but ten percent of wheat in their feeds, and this is where they need help. Corn, barley, oats and kaffir are the usual substitutes for wheat, but corn cannot be had at all at a fair price and the other grains are scarce and high and going higher. Bran and shorts are hard to get and of poor quality, although the price fixed on these by the Government is reasonable.

The Oregon poultrymen want to get corn prices fixed at a reasonable figure and a supply placed on the market. Some such provision is absolutely necessary if they are able to follow the administration's program.

The Government was also petitioned to increase the number of eggs in army rations in the United States, to help offset the high grain cost as well as save red meat for shipment to the allies.

Rejected Men To Be Called For Service.

Philadelphia, Jan. 28—Two hundred thousand men rejected in the first draft for slight physical defects which can be corrected will be subject to the second draft, Surgeon General Gorgas told an audience here.

General Gorgas said present plans call for from 12 to 15 hospitals in France to care for reconstruction cases of the American expeditionary forces. The allies, the speaker said, have sent back 85 per cent of their wounded to the trenches. Only 15 per cent were permanently disabled. Of the Canadian overseas forces he said but 10 per cent had been invalided home.

British Flying Corps Want Flyers

British Subjects resident in the United States who up to the present have not had an opportunity of getting a commission in some branch of the British Army can now have a chance to get a commission in the Royal Flying Corps, according to information received at the British and Canadian Recruiting Office, Third and Oak Streets, Portland.

Applicants must be between the ages of 18 and 30, and be possessed of a good education. Students, Bankers, Auto Sales Managers, Technical Engineers, and Clerks are the class of men most desired. The pay ranges from \$1.10 to \$1.60, while in training, and when commissioned as a Second Lieutenant the pay is \$5.00 per day.

Kelso Mill Leads World.

Kelso, Wash., Jan. 30—The McLane Lumber & Shingle Company mill here can boast the world's record for the number of shingles turned out by a single plant in 12 months. Operating two shifts each 24 hours, the mill cut 165,000,000 shingles, or 15,000,000 more than the best previous cut by any mill in the world.

E. J. McLane is owner of the mill, and since it was built five years ago it has been operating almost continuously. The mill is equipped with seven shingle machines.

Count von Luxburg has been found insane by Argentine alienists. That is nothing. Coming generations will find the whole junker regime crazy.

Apparently the time has come when the genuine American can speak for genuine Americanism without being cautioned that he is stepping on the feelings of an uninvited guest.

INDUSTRIAL REVIEW

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

Honors to Oregon fill draft report. Provost Marshal-General's book places Beaver State foremost in patriotism. First chart shows highest enlistment credits—excess of enlistments over quotas and small exemption claims features.

Pilot Rock—\$21,000 subscribed for grain elevator.

Waldport—Commercial street to be electric lighted.

Athens—\$15,000 concrete grain elevator to be built here.

Pendleton-Warren Construction completes 10 miles paving between here and Blakely.

Vale—Malheur county's \$20,000 jail completed.

Toledo—New sawmill to operate here by Jan. 1st.

Gold Hill—Machinery arriving for state limestone fertilizer plant. California-Oregon Power Co. to construct power line to quarry.

Roseburg—Contract let for one new Pacific Highway bridge across South Umpqua River.

Silverton—Luis sawmill sold to St. Croix Lumber Co. Operation to commence soon.

Linton—Clark & Wilson Lumber Co. purchase large track timber land in Columbia Co. for \$800,000.

Gold Hill—Hydraulic Mining Co.'s mine on Upper Jump-off Joe Creek, purchased.

Is it not a patriotic duty to demand that waste and extravagance cease in city, county and state government and that the highest class of citizenship be placed in office.

Salem—\$3,000,000 worth of bonds to be sold by State Highway Commission this year.

Salem—10,000,000 output of trout and game fish from hatcheries of state for 1917.

Cottage Grove—Oakland planing mill to be moved here.

Myrtle Creek—Work started on Pacific Highway between here and Dillard.

Reedsport—New mill on Umpqua to be operating within 60 days.

Bandon—Work starts on new condenser here.

Fort Rock—During last quarter of 1917 permits were issued to irrigate 600 acres from Ana River and 155 acres from Thomas Creek. Cost \$5000.

Bandon—Deposits in 2 local banks \$120,000 greater than in 1917. Banks aiding community industries on increased plane.

Bandon—County Road Approach to Oregon avenue nearing completion.

North Bend—Construction of 2 dry kilns at Buehner mill to start.

Gardiner—Work on 3 sawmills here being rushed.

North Bend—Condensers plans to increase output 75% for 1918.

North Bend—Material purchased for new lighting system here.

Cottage Grove—Work progressing on new mill to commence sawing Mar. 1.

Baker—New white pine sawmill here rapidly nearing completion.

Marshfield—S. P. Co. to establish an uptown depot.

North Bend—Lane County expects to double road work for 1918.

Donald—Sutherland mill near here resumes operations.

Drilling of oil well at Camas Valley begun.

Ione—Old Fellows to build new hall. West Linn—Modern 100 room hotel building to be erected by Crown Wilamette Paper Co.

Klamath Falls—Six cottages will be erected here immediately to supply demand.

Hermiston—Main street to be paved.

Toledo—Operations at Miller Logging camps started.

Toledo—To have another sawmill. 10-acre mill site purchased.

Germany can keep its autocracy if it will build an impenetrable barrier between itself and the rest of the world. Sharkskin shoes and whale steaks indicate that the vasty deep is being compelled to pay increased tribute to man's war time necessities.

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