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## U. S. ARMY TO PURCHASE MANY HORSES AND MULES

**Central Oregon Ranchers Are Urged To Bring In Animals For Inspection.**

Redmond, Or., March 19—County Agricultural Agent R. A. Ward is arranging for the second series of war-horse inspections which will be held in Crook and Deschutes counties early in April by the war department. The dates for inspections are: Bend, April 3; Prineville, April 5; Redmond, April 6.

The county agricultural council members have been notified and are now locating horses and urging owners to take them to inspection points. The call this time is for cavalry horses weighing between 1000 and 1200 pounds.

Mr. Ward reports that farmers are well pleased with the prices they received at the last inspections and will make every effort to furnish more animals this time. Prices of \$140 for cavalry horses and \$215 for wheel mules were paid at the last inspection. The next inspections will be made by Captain Frank S. von Stade, of the Q. M. R. C.

## Near-Beer Is Barred In Camp Lewis Order.

Camp Lewis, Tacoma, Wash., March 19—Near-beer beverages are barred from Camp Lewis canteens, exchanges and officers' messes by an order issued yesterday by Major General H. A. Greene. No explanation could be had by inquiry at division headquarters offices. Pop and grape juice are still on sale. Another order makes post exchange checks good in Greene Park establishments, and the park is declared within military bounds and soldiers are to be permitted to remain there after tattoo.

## Pheasant Eggs For Ohio.

Albany, Or., March 19—Three thousand pheasant eggs are to be shipped to Ohio from this city during the next three months. Charles Alexander, of the Ringneck pheasant farm, will fill the order.

## PRESS OF HOLLAND DENOUNCES PROPOSAL

**Say That Misuse Of Power Will Not Be Forgotten.**

The Hague, Saturday, March 16—It is impossible for Holland to give an affirmative answer to the entente's proposals concerning Dutch ships, says the Nieuwe Courant.

"It is an act of violence," it adds, "to which we are subjected by the rulers of the ocean and nothing makes us so bitter as the attempt being made to base it on the so-called rule of international law—the antiquated gangly law which is in no wise applicable here."

Discussing the Dutch shipping question, the Amsterdam Tyjd says: "We shall have to acquiesce, but such rough misuse of power will not be forgotten by our people."

In an article vehemently denouncing the allies, the Handelsblad, Amsterdam says:

"We cannot think what our government will do. Will it request the ministers of these piratical powers to pack their trunks and depart? We should not lose much thereby."

In the same article, however, the Handelsblad admits that it is unfortunately true that Holland is the only northern neutral which has done nothing to combat German submarine methods.

## Hoover Orders Fifty-Seven Restaurants Closed

New York, March 16—Fifty-seven restaurants and lunch rooms, whose proprietors have confessed to ignoring food regulations, were closed today by order of local food administrators with the approval of Herbert Hoover, the national administrator. The places will remain closed until midnight tonight.

## Overseas Post Burdened.

Washington, March 19—Unnecessary articles sent by relatives and friends to American soldiers overseas are taking up so much transportation space that drastic curtailment of the parcel post privileges to the fighters in France will be necessary unless the public co-operate in decreasing the volume of this class of mail.

The Postoffice Department announced this last night.

## SWITZERLAND DEMANDS INDEMNITY FROM HUNS.

**Also Wants Investigation Of Submarine's Destruction of Grain Cargo.**

Berne, March 18—The Swiss government has sent a note to the German government demanding the payment of an indemnity for the destruction of the grain steamer Sardinero. The note also requests a careful investigation of the circumstances by the German authorities.

The Spanish steamer Sardinero under charter by the Swiss government was torpedoed February 23. She was conveying 3000 tons of wheat from the United States. The sinking aroused strong feeling in Switzerland and pro-ally newspapers there urged that the bread rations of the German colony in Switzerland be cut as a reprisal.

## Next Training Camps Limited To Military.

Washington, March 18—Adjutant General McCain informs Senator Chamberlain that no definite plans have yet been adopted in regard to the fourth series of training camps. Should any be held doubtless they will be largely restricted to enlisted men of the regular army, national guard and national army, with the possible exception of a few civilians who have had military training under the direction of army officers.

## Big Submarine Renamed.

Washington, March 16—The seagoing submarines of the American Navy will be numbered under a double-letter system, it was announced today at the Navy Department. The first of this type, the 1000-ton submersible Schley, has been renamed the AA-1 and a destroyer has been given the name of Schley.

The smaller submarines retain the single letter, to denote the type, with the number attached to denote the individual boat. As new types of ships are developed, they will be given the additional letters of the alphabet. Large submarines succeeding the AA-1 and differing from that vessel in type.

## OUR OWN STATE

**Some Recent Happenings In Various Parts of Oregon**

**R. L. Tucker Out for Legislature**  
Beaverton, Or., March 18—Friends of R. L. Tucker, of this city, announce his candidacy for the Legislature. Other avowed candidates for the place are W. G. Hare, of Hillsboro, and J. P. Hurley, of the Forest Grove News-Times.

## Molalla Child Is Buried.

Molalla, Or., March 18—The funeral of Doris, the 5-year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Eagle, prominent citizens and pioneers of Clackamas County, was held at the home of the child's grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Adams on Friday. The little girl was burned on Wednesday morning, when her night dress caught fire from the fireplace. She died a few hours after the accident.

Mrs. Adams, the child's grandmother, was burned severely in her endeavor to save the life of the child. Rev. A. T. Shoemaker preached the funeral sermon.

## Cannery Association Of Eugene Buys Creswell Plant.

Eugene, Or., March 18—The deal for the purchase of the fruit cannery at Creswell by the Eugene Fruit Growers' association has been closed and the association will operate the plant in conjunction with the one in Eugene and the branch at Junction City. Manager J. O. Holt says he looks for the largest business year in the history of the association.

## Hammond Mill Completes Spur Track Into Woods.

Warrenton, Or., March 18—After several months' suspension of work, the Hammond Lumber company is finishing the railroad spur from the main line to the Skipanon river. The piling was driven last fall, but the rails have never been laid. Logs are to be cut south of Seaside, brought to this place, taken over this spur and dumped into the Skipanon river. From there they will be rafted to the mills.

## Pioneer of 1854 Is Buried.

Roseburg, Or., March 18—George Chapman, a pioneer of 1854, who was but 2 years old when he reached Oregon, died Saturday at Guide, a village 15 miles northeast of here and was buried yesterday in the Glide graveyard by the side of his father and other members of the family. In the '70s he settled at Ritzville, Wash., and lived near there and Dayton, Wash., until 10 years ago, when he married Miss Willamina Kaiser, and moved to Springdale, Mont., where he lived until a few months ago.

## Liquor Smugglers Use Airplanes As Claim.

Albany, Or., March 19—W. W. Crawford, of a local automobile agency, who has just returned from California, states that he has reliable advice that large quantities of liquor are being shipped into Oregon by airplane. Recently on two occasions airplanes have been sighted passing over this section.

## Man Escapes from Asylum.

Salem, Or., March 17—W. F. Peysar committed to the State Insane hospital from Portland in July of last year, escaped from the hospital yesterday. He is 45 years old, and not considered dangerous.

## Hood River Man Ill In Italy.

Hood River, Or., March 18—Mrs. H. J. Frederick, wife of a local contractor has been officially notified by the British war office that her son, Milo Frederick, a member of the British Royal Engineers, is ill at a military hospital in Genoa Italy. The young man, who was formerly in the United States navy, is engaged in the inland transportation service.

Such an entente cordiale is being built up between this country and Canada that Canadian dimes and quarters circulate freely without causing any fights.

## AMERICAN TANKER SANK HUN U-BOAT.

**One Man On Paulsboro Wounded In Course of Battle Lasting One Hour.**

An Atlantic Port, March 18—At the end of an hour's battle between a German submarine and an American tank steamer, the Paulsboro, of the Vacuum Oil company, which arrived here today, the U-boat apparently was sunk, according to officers of the American vessel.

One of the crew on the tanker was wounded. Two other shots struck the American ship, which was not seriously damaged.

The fight took place in the Bristol channel on February 24. The American vessel was about 24 hours out from a British port when the U-boat began shelling her.

The tanker halted and gave battle. The officers said a shell fired by the American gun crew struck the submarine fairly in the center, and she disappeared immediately.

## COAL MEN ARE PUT UNDER A LICENSE.

**President Announces Regulations To Go Into Effect On April 1.**

Washington, March 16—All coal jobbers, brokers, selling and purchasing agents and wholesale dealers were put under license tonight by President Wilson on recommendation of Fuel Administrator Garfield, who issued regulations carefully circumscribing the charges to be made for their services.

While recognizing that legitimate jobbers are "essential to the conduct of the coal business," the Fuel Administration said affiliated companies organized solely for receiving the jobbers' margin for the "swapping of coal" and other fictitious trade operations will be dealt with severely.

Licenses must be obtained before April 1. The regulations affecting the sale of coal under jobbers' licenses do not apply to contracts for coal before the President's executive orders taking over control of the industry.

## Klamath Falls Plans To Lead Over Top In Drive.

Klamath Falls, Or., March 19—With a desire to be the first county in the state "over the top," every effort is being made to further this plan by the Liberty Loan committee in Klamath county, and 170 men and women have been drifted into the classification boards, Liberty Loan chorus work, and as subchairs in the outlying districts while 87 have been enrolled as salesmen in the drive in Klamath Falls. Three rooms have been donated by the owners of one of the largest office buildings in the city, the Masonic lodge furnishing the necessary furniture and the local power company donating the lights.

## Counties Cannot Pass Laws By Initiative.

Salem, Or., March 18—An opinion of the supreme court in the case of L. A. Carraker and Lucy A. Carraker, against Lake county et al., has the effect of establishing the fact that a county does not have the power of a city to initiate legislation, and that the only way such power can be acquired is by a legislative enactment. The case passed upon today involves the question as to whether or not the voters of Lake county, can, in the exercise of initiative and without an enabling act, enact a law authorizing the county court to levy taxes for the payment of bounties on jackrabbits. Such a measure was passed by the people of Lake county at the election of 1915. The county court made the tax levy and the sheriff attempted to collect it when the plaintiffs in the case refused to pay the rabbit bounty and brought suit to enjoin its collection. The trial court overruled a demurrer to the complaint.

Justice Harris, who writes the opinion, says: "No act has ever been passed by the legislature or by the people of the whole state granting unto the voters of a county the right to enact a jackrabbit bounty law for themselves."

## INDUSTRIAL REVIEW

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

Astoria—Columbia Fishermen's union fixes price of salmon and sturgeon at sixteen cents, an advance of 5 cents over 1915.

Gold Hill—Two sawmills to start on Sarline creek.

Portland shipbuilding plant buys and removes Eugene Iron Works.

Portland—Bergman Shoe Co. has government order for 4000 pair loggers shoes.

Maximum price-fixing and new grading rules by government will add \$5,000,000 to incomes of eastern Oregon farmers this year.

Riddles—Warren Construction Co. to build tramway from quarries to Caldeite of S. P. line.

Portland—Six circuit judges sitting en banc uphold Oregon railroad commission in granting six cent fare on Portland streetcar line.

Oregon farmers stubbling in spring grain for lack of labor to plow land.

Million bushel Portland grain elevator to be ready for fall crops.

Hood River—Silver Creek valley has 16 new houses building.

Loganberry industry faces labor shortage of berry pickers for 1918.

Auto licenses paid of road fund \$167,834 for the year 1917.

Experts declare Oregon and Washington can supply 400 to 500 wooden ships in 1918.

Gaston—Dairies selling off herds because condenseries cannot sell product.

Oregon planing mills get contract for 25 carloads airplanes spruce stock.

Heppner inaugurating street improvements.

North Bend—Announcement was made that all the North Bend mills, including the North Bend Mill and Lumber Co., the Buchner Lumber Co. and the Bay Park Lumber Co., went on a straight minimum wage of \$3.75 for 10 hours.

Bend—Range riders to have a new club house on Crave prairie.

Wasco county farmers demand registration of all able bodied men.

Now all the metal trades of Birmingham have gone on strike.

Waldport slated for two new sawmills.

State school machine already preparing to screw up taxes a notch.

Hood River 1917 apple crop brought \$1,238,022, average of \$1.40 a box net.

Toledo—Local mills busy on spruce and fir, and three cars of spruce and Douglas fir shipped.

Toledo—Spruce camp established on Wessel ranch, just north of here.

Waldport—Warren Spruce Co. establish camp at Big Creek below here.

Eugene Ice and Storage Co. doubled capacity of ice storage of factory, can store 400 tons of ice.

Ontario—\$100,000 bonds voted to build new water works system.

Reedsport—Old cold storage plant being moved to Gardiner.

Standard wages of common laborers in spruce and fir industry of western Oregon and Washington will be 45 cents an hour. Maximum wage for laborers in pine section in eastern portions of two states will be 40 cents an hour.

Divide—Old O. L. & T. mill here again sawing.

Shipbuilding has brought prosperity to the whole state of Oregon.

## Convicted Of Selling Liquor To Soldiers.

Centralia, Wash., March 18—John Bernovich and W. M. Wassick, proprietors of north end rooming houses, recently arrested by the police on charges of bootlegging, were convicted in the justice court Saturday afternoon and fined \$50 and \$70, respectively. Two soldiers from Camp Lewis were witnesses against Wassick and Bernovich, testifying that they had purchased liquor in the rooming houses. The liquor purchased was introduced as evidence. At the conclusion of the trial Wassick and Bernovich were taken into custody by federal officers on warrants charging them with selling liquor to soldiers.

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