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REGISTRATION FOR THE YOUNG MEN.

Between Twenty-one and Twenty-two, Is Set For June 5.

Portland, Or., May 22—Wednesday, June 5, has been officially designated as Registration Day throughout the United States, for all young men who have attained the age of 21 years since draft Registration day one year ago.

On Wednesday, June 5, every 21-year-old man in the United States must appear at the registration place designated by his local draft board and register.

The only exceptions are men already in military or naval service. Special arrangements have been made whereby absentees and those too ill to appear at the registration places may register by mail.

But they must all register. Failure to do so makes the guilty young man liable to imprisonment for one year. And ignorance of the fact that June 5 is Registration Day will not be accepted as an excuse. The burden of informing themselves as to the place and date of registration is placed on the men themselves.

Registration will be in charge of the local boards in their respective districts. They are required to post immediately a list of the registration places.

These registration places will be open from 7 o'clock the morning of June 5 until 9 o'clock that night. They will be in charge of officials of the local draft boards.

June 5 has been selected as the date for Registration Day because it is the anniversary of the first draft Registration Day, when approximately 10,000,000 men between the ages of 21 and 30 years, inclusive, registered for the draft.

This Registration Day is only for men who have reached the age of 21 years, thus coming within the draft age, since last Registration Day.

70 Idlers Are Arrested On Sedition Charge.

Omaha, May 20—Seventy arrests were made by the police last night on a charge of sedition under the new state law making vagrants answerable to a charge of sedition. Most of the arrests were made in pool halls and similar places.

HUN AIRMEN MAKE RAID OVER LONDON

Thirty-seven Killed, 155 Injured. Four German Machines Are Destroyed.

London, May 20—Thirty-seven persons were killed and 155 injured in the London area during last night's air raid.

The attack probably was the most ambitious ever undertaken. Never before was there such a continued volley of firing from the British anti-aircraft batteries.

Thousands of persons had their first experience in a raid. They were visitors from many points of England, Scotland and Wales, who took advantage of the Whitsunide holidays, which run from Saturday until Tuesday, to visit the metropolis. On the other hand, thousands of Londoners had gone to the country and seashore resorts. They cut short these visits and hurried back to London to learn the fate of their homes and relatives.

Except for a few brief pauses, the gunners blazed away with a terrible concentration of fire. The raiding goths flew at a great height, the majority of them keeping well up to 12,000 feet in a very clear sky.

It was the first air raid on London since March 7, and four of the raiders fell before the defenses of London.

The moon was shining brightly when the raiders crossed the southeastern point and headed for the metropolis.

The usual warnings were given promptly, and the people had time to reach shelters before the guns in the neighborhood of London were heard. The firing was almost continuous for more than two hours, and was unusually severe. Several bombs were dropped by the raiders.

The number of enemy aircraft is not known, but they seem to have been more numerous than usual.

Dog Meat Sold.

New York, May 21—Camel meat, dog meat and horse meat are being eaten in Saxony by the poorer classes, according to the Berliner Tageblatt. The camel meat comes from the Mohair camels of the Hagenback menagerie, which gave a show in Zwickau in March. The camels were sold to a butcher because of lack of fodder. Dog meat sells for two marks 75 pfennings a pound and horse meat at one mark 80 pfennings.

OREGON FLAG LAW IS CONSTRUED.

Attorney General Passes Favorably on Request Of Saturday Evening Post.

Salem, Or., May 20—In an informal opinion written for Alan H. Reed, assistant business manager for the Curtis Publishing Company, of Philadelphia, Attorney General Brown holds that a cover design, prepared by the artist, Lyendecker, for the Saturday Evening Post does not violate the flag laws of Oregon and may be circulated legitimately in this state. The design has not yet been used. A kneeling soldier holding a flag above a flower bedded grave is represented by the design. The attorney general says that Oregon has a flag law to prevent the misuse or abuse of the flag but that "in Oregon we interpret criminal laws to suppress evil and punish wrong and not to prohibit patriotic endeavor."

Fifteen Airplanes Burn In Coast Factory.

San Francisco, May 21—Fifteen airplanes in various stages of construction and a considerable quantity of dried spruce and Irish linens were destroyed here today in a fire which swept the plant of the Fowler Aeroplane corporation.

The fire started in a furniture factory and swept a block bounded by Twelfth, Thirteenth, Howard and Mission streets, destroying several frame apartment houses. The Fowler concern was working on government contracts and the stock on hand was estimated at from \$250,000 to \$1,000,000 in value.

Bar Alien Enemies From Going Boating.

Washington, May 20—Unnaturalized German men and women were warned in a department of justice statement today not to go boating on any river, canal, lake or seashore this summer, under penalty of being interned.

Regulations forbid Germans to go within 100 yards of canals, wharves, piers, warehouses, elevators and terminals and require citizens to obtain passes before entering the waterfront barred zone.

OUR OWN STATE

Some Recent Happenings In Various Parts of Oregon

To Train For Commission.

Eugene, Or., May 21—Donald McDonald, aged 18 years, of this city, who is a cadet at the New Mexico military school, has been named to attend the next officers' training camp at the Presidio, San Francisco, beginning June 3. It is believed he is one of the youngest candidates for an army commission in the United States. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. A. H. McDonald, of this city.

Farmer Near Elmira Dies.

Eugene, Or., May 20—Albert Needham, a prosperous farmer living on the Elmira road a short distance out of Eugene, died suddenly at his home yesterday at the age of 76 years. He had done his morning chores about the place and sat down in his easy chair when he fell asleep and never awoke. His son, Frank Needham, found him dead a short time later. He was born at Akron, N. Y., and came to Oregon in 1905, settling on the farm near Eugene. Besides his son Frank, he leaves a son, Oliver Needham, of Weston, Or.

War Stamp Auction Planned.

Molalla, Or., May 20—The Dicky Prairie school district will hold a War Savings Stamp auction and will sell anything brought in, the proceeds to be put into War Savings Stamps which is to be later used for erecting a new school building. They will charge admission which will be that each person will be required to buy a War Savings Stamp which he will keep.

Coquille Asks for Water Supply.

Salem, Or., May 21—Application has been received at the state engineer's office from the city of Coquille for permission to appropriate five second feet of water from the South fork of Cunningham creek to be used as a municipal water supply. The town proposes to install a pipe line, one and one fourth miles long, and the total cost of the new water system is estimated at \$5,000.

Cows Are Sacrificed In Order To Purchase Liberty Bonds.

Cottage Grove, Or., May 20—Cottage Grove has two young people who have set an example in patriotism that many older ones might emulate. The two are Florence McFarland and John Van Nortwick, each selling a cow to obtain money with which to buy a liberty bond.

Klamath Farmer Dies.

Klamath Falls, Or., May 21—Henry G. Bussey, a pioneer of Klamath county, passed away at the age of 66 years at his home at Merrill. Mr. Bussey is survived by his wife and six children, most of whom live in Klamath county. He had lived in Klamath county for over thirty years, coming here from Texas. He was engaged in farming.

Justices Have No Authority Outside Their Jurisdiction.

Salem, Or., May 21—Justices of the peace in Oregon do not have authority to extend their jurisdiction outside the limits for which they are elected, according to an opinion written by Attorney General Brown yesterday. The question was placed before the attorney general by H. Bullington, district attorney for Curry county.

Honor Man Fails To Report At Lime Quarry

Salem, Or., May 21—Warden Murphy, of the state penitentiary, was informed yesterday afternoon that J. W. Gordon, under sentence from Baker county for larceny for from one to seven years, failed to report to an honor camp at the state lime quarry at Gold Hill. Gordon does not have a good reputation. He was one of several honor men who escaped several months ago. Gordon was recaptured after he had broken into a barber shop in Los Angeles.

THREE ARE KILLED WHILE SLEEPING

Woman And Two Children Are Murdered At Kelso, Wash.

Kelso, Wash., May 20—Within 200 feet of the Pacific Highway and two miles from here, there were found in a tent today the bodies of a woman about 25, a girl 13 and a boy of 10. All had been shot to death. It was apparent the murders had been committed within the past 48 hours.

The bodies were discovered late today by a small boy who lives near the scene. Altho Sheriff Clark Studebaker of Cowlitz county, Marshal Hull of Kelso and Prosecuting Attorney Delos Spaulding, who were called to the scene immediately, have made a thorough search of their belongings, no means of identification of the victims nor any clue to the murderer's identity were found tonight.

The spot where the crime was committed was a favorite night camping ground for tourists.

Several people claim they have seen the woman and children in an automobile with a man and a dog Saturday afternoon. Members of a road gang, who pass the spot every day, also say the party camped there Saturday. There were no signs of a struggle about the tent and it was apparent the three had been slain while they slept.

The Mail In France Is Handled by Army.

Washington, May 20—Delivery of mail to, and its collection from, the American expeditionary forces, has been taken over by the war department. Postmaster General Burleson, in making this announcement tonight, said the postoffice department had insisted on the army conducting its own mail service in France, because of the refusal of the military authorities, charged with the conduct of operations there, to disclose to the postal authorities the location and movement of troops.

Mail for the troops overseas will be delivered by the postoffice department to army authorities at the port of embarkation in the United States and that from the soldiers abroad will be received by the postoffice department at a port in France for its dispatch to America.

President Shifts Aircraft Work.

Washington, May 20—As his first act under the new Overman act permitting executive re-arrangement and consolidation of departments, President Wilson today took production of aircraft from the army signal corps and established as a separate organization the air production board headed by John D. Ryan, of New York.

Colonels S. D. Waldon, W. W. Montgomery and Edward A. Deeds, signal corps, U. S. A., have been detached from their present duties and ordered to report to the attorney general for co-operation and assistance in the air plane investigation now being conducted.

Eclipse To Be Watched By Centralia Guests.

Centralia, Wash., May 20—At a meeting held last night by the local Commercial club a letter was read from a professor in charge of the observatory of an Eastern university asking as to whether or not this city is favorably located for taking observations of the total eclipse of the sun next month. The letter stated that a party is to be sent West from the university. The secretary was directed to issue an invitation from the club to the party to come here, and in addition an invitation was issued to outsiders in general to come here and view the event, as the city will be directly in the path of the eclipse.

Election Board Gives Salaries To Red Cross

Cherry Grove, Or., May 21—At the close of the election board, consisting of Ben Patton, J. A. Woodhouse, Tom Calahan, Fred Robertson and H. W. Scott, chairman, the members decided to turn their wages for the day over to the Red Cross.

INDUSTRIAL REVIEW

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

Oregon leads the entire United States in the number of wooden steamer hulls launched for the Emergency Fleet Corporation, the total for the month being 33 vessels, launched in six districts, while 18 of the number are built in Oregon waters. That gives the state three more wooden vessels, almost than the five other districts combined.

Milton—Work of grading North Main street started.

Roseburg—1918 crop prospects good. Surveys determine definitely that at least a 70 per cent yield will be enjoyed this season by prune orchardists. Production will equal 1917.

Roseburg—Broccoli crop brings over \$20,000 cash to growers the past two months.

Toledo to build new reservoir with twice capacity of old one.

Roseburg—Sub contract for grading stretch of new Pacific highway along Booth ranch let.

Portland—Troy Laundry & Machinery Co. installs new machinery in Portland Hotel.

Portland—War conditions have necessitated installation of dough mixer as labor saver at Portland Hotel bakery.

Portland—Pacific Car & Foundry Co. "launches" first fleet of box cars. It has orders for 700 from Union and Southern Pacific systems and 2000 from the government.

Anlauf—Equipment shipped here to be used in construction of Pacific Highway.

North Bend—Belka Logging Co. to log Empire tract. Will be cut into saw logs, railroad ties, poles, piling and ship knees.

Port Orford—Wharf here to be repaired.

Toledo may get new hotel.

Toledo—Work on Toledo-Siletz road is forging ahead.

Pendleton—Local phone plant will be enlarged. Pacific Telephone and Telegraph Co. has authorized installation of two additional sectional switchboards.

Salem—Canneries of Salem expect busy season. Salem-Kings dehydrating plant prepared to fill 1,000,000 tins. 300 persons employed.

Coquille—Contract is let to Andersen & Klecker to build Coos Bay Bridge. Cost \$12,064.50.

Toledo—Electric Light Co. to enlarge capacity. 2 new boilers added to plant. Reported an electric railroad will be built from Newport to Toledo this summer. Survey has already been completed.

McMinnville—Dennis Construction Co. awarded contract for constructing two million gallon reservoir additional pipe line from reservoir to city. Combined cost \$24,904.

Toledo—Petition granted for bridge to be built across Yaquina river here.

Taft—To build docks here soon. Construction to cost about \$6000.

Toledo—New mill to be shipped in here. Capacity of 50,000 feet.

Roseburg—Hotel Umpqua being improved by lobby changes and fittings.

Toledo—Public land to be open. Lincoln county has 14,855 acres of old O. & C. land grant.

Pendleton Offers Its Indian School To The Army.

Washington, May 20—The Pendleton Commercial association wires Congressman Hawley that the Indian boarding school at the Umatilla reservation is to be discontinued June 30 and urges him to endeavor to have the buildings and grounds used by the war department as a home for convalescent soldiers or a similar purpose, as they are admirably adapted for such use.

Women Work In Sawmill.

Centralia, Wash., May 21—Eight women on Friday went to work in the sawmill at Bunker, four miles west of Adna. They are making good, and it is expected that other women will be added to the force later. The women are doing light work, taking lumber away from the machines and other duties for which they are fitted.

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