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SEES THRILLING EXPERIENCES AT BATTLE FRONT

Dr. Williams Awarded Distinguished Service Cross by General Pershing.

Dr. F. L. Williams formerly practicing in Vale has written a most interesting letter to Geo. W. Hayes for the K. of P. of Vale. The letter recites a number of war experiences. Since the letter was written Dr. Williams has been cited for bravery in action and awarded the distinguished service cross by General Pershing. The medal was awarded for heroism in action in Champaign east of Rheims on July 15, where for two hours under shellfire he ministered to wounded men lying in the open. During the advance across the river Ourcq he voluntarily remained in the open caring for the wounded until he himself was severely wounded.

Regina Hotel, Biarritz, France, Sept. 20, 1918. Mr. Geo. W. Hayes, Vale Oregon; Dear Friend Hayes: Your most welcome letter under date June 5 is at hand having followed me around quite a bit, it may be interesting to trace its travels since it landed in France at Bordeaux—1st to the 163 Infantry (I am with 168th) then to Central P. O. Paris then started to 168th in Lorraine where I was but we moved to Rheims until July 15 then we went to Chateau Thierry and our Regt. from July 21 to Aug. 1st was in the thick of the 2nd Battle of the Marne. On the evening of 29th of July I was wounded (abdomen high explosive shell) not serious in final result. If you recall one town of Serzy which changed hands between the Bosche and Americans, and so many times figured in the headlines of news.

I was injured 1 1/2 kilo from there at La Motte from where I had a 1st aid station. The Bosche had 15 direct hits on the buildings of this farm in 24 hours and we had been machine gunned by Bosche airmen at least three times that afternoon. Here I have absolutely strayed from tracing that letter, it went to Evocation Hospital then Base Hospital, Paris then R. C. Hospital No. 6 Bordeaux then to here so you see it had quite a trip.

To my mind one of the greatest things this war has done is to remove the barriers between England and the U. S. that have been prevalent since we licked them the first time. I think we have never understood them rightly and I am sure they never have us except the few times when we compelled them too. That they have bungled many times, know it, and admit it shows them to be good sports, in fact they are the same people as we are except we are a little more wilder and reckless.

I was greatly surprised to think there were 1200 21-31 men in Malheur county. The morale of the French Nation individually and collectively was never so high as it has been since July 18 this year, and now our St. Michel thrust elates them more if it is possible. The French people are the most intense and most expressive people in the world and from their writings and pictures (many of them) one would think them devoid of stamina but the reverse is the case, a Frenchman would chase a Hun a mile to throw a hand grenade (war-apple) at him like the English who would chase them a

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"YOU CAN BUILD"

Government Instructions Have Been Misunderstood in Many Instances Actual Needs are Permissible.

"The recent restrictions placed by the War Industries Board upon the erection of new buildings, repairing, remodeling, or additions, has been misunderstood in many localities," said Mr. E. E. Lauchbaugh, of the Home Lumber and Coal company, of this city today. "Many of the farmers of this vicinity believed that the government order was to not only restrict them from repairing or building new buildings, but to do so would be unpatriotic, but this is not the case," he declared.

"It is true," said Mr. Lauchbaugh, "that the government, in its efforts to conserve materials and labor, has decreed that expenditures for new buildings not to exceed \$1000.00 without a permit, and for repairing, remodeling and additions \$2500.00. The restriction is well founded and the government means to be fair and in no way stop essential building improvements, therefore does not work any hardships upon the farmer; the amount allowed for repairing, remodeling and additions is far in excess of the amount expended for such purposes on the average farm."

"Of course, the amount allowed for new buildings will cover cost of many of the necessary buildings such as Implement Sheds, to protect your implements, Grain Storage Buildings, to store your grains, Barns, to protect your stock, Silos, to preserve your silage. If proper construction is given to economical construction and materials, improvements of this character are most essential and among the most important weapons that will aid in Winning the War."

Adv. Nov. 9-11

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS

Deeds, Complaints, Etc., Filed by County Clerk During Past Week.

Deeds and Patents for Week Ending October 26, 1918.

M. C. Lewis et ux to J. E. Wells, Oct. 14, 1918, \$1125, covering 3/4 NW 1/4 SE 1/4 NE 1/4 Sec. 5, Twp. 18, S. R. 47, except 50 foot road.

Geo. A. Bender et ux to J. E. Wells, Oct. 19, 1918, \$2,000, NW 1/4 SE 1/4 NE 1/4 Sec. 5, Twp. 18, S. R. 47.

Geo. A. Bender et ux to J. E. Wells, Oct. 19, 1918, \$1125, N 1/2 SE 1/4 NE 1/4 Sec. 5 Twp. 18, S. R. 47

Anna D. S. Pratt et vir, to Walter H. Pinkston, June 3, 1916, \$10,000, N 1/2 NE 1/4 SW 1/4 Sec. 3, Twp. 21, S. R. 45.

John McLaughlin to Cora A. Kerwin et al. Oct. 10, 1910, \$1,000, a piece of land in Sec. 30, Twp. 18, S. R. 45.

U. S. A. to Charles C. Crawford, Patent, December 12, 1891, Lots 1, 2, 3, and 4, Sec. 8, Twp. 20, S. R. 47.

Amos K. Johnson to Elizabeth I. Johnson, October 21, 1918, \$ Love and affection, Lots 14, 15, Blk. 66, Ontario, Oregon.

Sheriff Ben J. Brown to First National Bank of Hastings, Nebr., Oct. 15, 1918, 904.04, E 1/2 SE 1/4, Sec. 16, tp. 17 S. R. 44.

Clinton Woodard et ux to Dan W. McPherson, Oct. 14, 1918, \$325.00, lot 7, Blk. 17, Outlook, Oregon.

P. O. Duncan et ux to Gregorie Antustegui, Oct. 21, 1918, \$1,000, Lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, Blk 11, Blackaby Addn, Jordan Valley.

Myrtle M. Stout, et vir, to Snake River Implement company, July 3, 1918, \$10,000, SE 1/4 SW 1/4 Sec. 31, Twp. 15 S. R. 47.

L. L. Bowen to E. J. Bowen, Oct. 12, 1918, \$10,000, SE 1/4 SW 1/4 SE 1/4 Sec. 25, Twp. 20 S. R. 38.

Benj. H. Blessinger et ux to J. E. Roberts, Sept. 20, 1918, \$3,000.00 Lot 7, Sec. 30, Twp. 21, S. R. 47.

James Morritt et ux to Malheur Cattle Co. Oct. 1, 1918, \$10,000 SE 1/4 Sec. 14, N 1/2 NE 1/4, SE 1/4 NE 1/4, Sec. 23, S 1/2 NW 1/4, Sec. 24, Twp. 13, S. R. 39, W 1/2 SW 1/4, Sec. 32, Twp. 13, S. R. 40, W 1/2 SE 1/4 SW 1/4, S 1/2 NW 1/4, S W 1/4 NE 1/4, Sec. 5, Lot 4, Sec. 5, NE 1/4 NW 1/4, NE 1/4, N 1/2 SE 1/4, Sec. 3, NW 1/4 SW 1/4 Sec. 2, Twp. 14, S. R. 40, SW 1/4 SE 1/4, SW 1/4, Sec. 31, Twp. 13, S. R. 41, N 1/2 N 1/2, Sec. 6, Twp. 14, S. R. 41, Malheur county E 1/2 SE 1/4 Sec 1 T 13 S. R. 39, Lots 6, 7, SE 1/4 SE 1/4, Sec. 6, Twp. 13, S. R. 40, Baker county, all tools, implements, vehicles, farm machinery and about 100 head of horses, about 900 head cattle.

James V. Graham to Mrs. J. H. Rowley, March 16, 1918, \$1000.00, 10 acres in Sec. 20, Twp. 18, S. R. 41.

Sheriff Ben J. Brown to State Land Board, Oct. 19, 1918, \$432.55, N 1/2 Lot 5, Sec. 6, Twp. 18, S. R. 47.

F. M. Draper et ux to Martin G. McEndree, May 31, 1910, \$1000. Lots 6, 7, 8, Blk. 182, Ontario Oregon.

Martin G. McEndree et ux to Winnie Minster, Oct. 14, 1918, \$1300.00 Lots 6, 7, 8, Blk. 182, Ontario Oregon.

U. S. A. to Bertie E. Cassell Patent, April 5, 1917, SE 1/4 Sec. 32, Twp. 18 S. R. 46.

Dell Overton et ux to Alva M. Vanderford, Aug. 24, 1918, \$2000, SE 1/4 NE 1/4 Sec. 5 Twp. 16 S. R. 47.

Emil I. Cole et vir, to Leonard Cole et al Oct. 21, 1918, \$10, W 1/2 SE 1/4, E 1/2 SW 1/4, Lot 4, S 1/2 Lot 3, Sec. 30, Twp. 18 S. R. 45.

Arthur W. Cox et ux to George W. Cox, July 16, 1918, \$1,000 SW 1/4 SW 1/4 Sec. 13, SE 1/4 NE 1/4 Sec. 23, W 1/2 NW 1/4 Sec. 24, Twp. 23 S. R. 37, Lot 1, Sec. 34, Twp. 11 S. R. 1, Linn county.

James W. Cox et ux to George W. Cox, July 13, 1918, \$1, SW 1/4 SW 1/4, Sec. 13, SE 1/4 NE 1/4, Sec. 23, W 1/2 NW 1/4 Sec. 24, Twp. 23 S. R. 37, Lot 1, Sec. 34, Twp. 11 S. R. 1, Linn county, Oregon.

George B. Archibald to James F. Archibald, Oct. 15, 1918, \$1, SE 1/4 SW 1/4, SW 1/4 SE 1/4 Sec. 22, Twp. 30, S. R. 44.

U. S. A. to Arch A. Wheeler, Patent, Aug. 15, 1918, SW 1/4 NW 1/4, NW 1/4 SW 1/4 Sec. 8, N 1/2 SE 1/4, SW 1/4 SE 1/4 SW 1/4 Lots 3, 4, Sec. 7, Twp. 21, S. R. 37.

Mary J. Hallock to Henry Applegate Jan 2, 1918, \$5000.00 N 1/2 NW 1/4 Sec. 21, Twp. 18 S. R. 46.

D. C. Wells et ux to Lula M. Kessler, March 3, 1915, \$500, Lots 1, 2, Blk. 30, Eldredge Add'n to Vale Oregon.

Lucy H. Clark to G. K. Clark, Oct. 17, 1918, \$1000, SE 1/4 SE 1/4, Sec. 15, N 1/2 NE 1/4 Sec. 22, NW 1/4 NW 1/4 Sec. 23, Twp. 17, S. R. 46.

Northwest Twp. Co. to Edgar A. Shepard, Oct. 15, 1918, \$1,000 Lot 4, Block 2 N. W. T. Co. Add Vale, Oregon.

R. C. Carpenter to Lula C. Carpenter, June 4, 1918, \$Love and Affection, Lot 14 Routh Tract Sec 3, Twp. 18 S. R. 47.

Hubbart Walters et ux to Eastern Oregon Land Co., Oct. 16, 1918, \$10, W 1/2 Sec. 16, Twp. 15 S. R. 38.

Deeds and Patents for Week Ending November 2, 1918.

H. M. Plummer to Hans Oft, Aug. 17, 1918, \$4800.00 NE 1/4 NE 1/4 Sec. 38 Less 5 A. N 1/2 NW 1/4 Sec. 33, SW 1/4 S W 1/4 Sec. 22, Less 8 A, Twp. 18 S. R. 47.

Ben J. Brown to Wm. H. Williamson Oct. 19, 1918, \$5010.53, SW 1/4 SW 1/4 Sec. 15, SW 1/4 NE 1/4 W 1/2 SE 1/4, S E 1/4 SW 1/4 Sec. 33 Twp. 23 S. R. 46.

U. S. Land Office to W. A. Webb, Oct. 22, 1918, Final Certificate 3 1/2 N E 1/4, NW 1/4 SE, Lots 3, 4, E 1/2 SW 1/4 Sec. 31, SW 1/4 NW 1/4 Sec. 32, Twp. 16 S. R. 46.

Wilber M. Burke et ux to M. B. Myers et ux, Sept 12 1918, \$1600, S 1/2 NE 1/4, N 1/2 SE 1/4, Lot 2, Sec. 3, SW 1/4 NW 1/4, SW 1/4, Lot. 4, S. 2, Twp. 14 S. R. 47.

Mary R. Allison to John Edward Allison Oct. 14, 1918, \$10,000 E 1/2 W 1/2 SE 1/4 SW 1/4 Sec. 23, Twp. 16, S. R. 47.

John Edward Allison to Geo. W. Lattig, Jan. 14, 1918, \$1918.00, E 1/2 W 1/2 SW 1/4 Sec. 23, Twp. 16, S. R. 47.

Ferda M. Johnson et al to G. J. Magenheimer, Sept. 7, 1918, \$1,000, N 1/2 NW 1/4 SW 1/4 SE 1/4 Sec. 23, Twp. 15 S. R. 42.

Douglas Smith et al to G. J. Magenheimer, Oct. 11 1918, \$1,000 N 1/2 NW 1/4 SW 1/4 SE 1/4 Sec. 23, Twp. 15 S. R. 44 SE 1/4 NE 1/4 Sec. 16, SE NW 1/4 Sec. 32, Twp. 15 SW 1/4 NW 1/4 Sec. 32, Twp. 15 except 5 1/2 acres, SE 1/4 SW 1/4 SE 1/4 Sec. 22 Twp. 16, all in S. R. 43.

Douglas Smith et al to Emil Lanoir, Oct. 11, 1918, \$1,000, 23.7 acres in NE 1/4 NW 1/4 Sec. 23 Twp. 15, S. R. 42.

Moline Farms Co. to Emil Lanoir, Oct. 23, 1918, \$1,000 3 1/2 NW 1/4, NW 1/4 Sec. 23, Twp. 15, S. R. 42, 23.7 acres in NE 1/4 NW 1/4 Sec. 23, Twp. 15, S. R. 42.

Geo. E. Schweizer et ux to Andrew Hansen, Oct. 11, 1918, \$5000.00 E 1/2 SE 1/4 NE 1/4 Sec. 32, Twp. 20, S. R. 46.

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