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45 CROOK COUNTY MEN ADVANCE INTO THE RANKS

BOYS ENTRAINED TODAY FOR SERVICE IN UNCLE SAM'S ARMY

Men are Given Breakfast and a Big Send-off. Largest Call Yet Filled from This County

A class of 45 men, the largest single call yet made on Crook county, left the city this morning for service in the American army.

The men were given a rousing send-off, a dance at the Commercial Club last evening for those who wished to attend, and a breakfast at the Prineville Hotel this morning, which was attended by a large number of citizens besides the men called.

Included in the list are men who are just past 21 years and who were registered in June, and some of the men who were placed in Class 1 by a recent order of the War Department, and were advanced from lower classes. All are well known to the residents of the county. Those called are:

Guy Calvin Sumner
Leon Vial
Floyd Berl James
Edward Dennis Meyer
Lincoln Kyle
Louis M. Fischer
William P. Pauls
Willie H. Ferguson
Harry F. Dohrent
William F. O'Kelley
Bruce Charles Lindquist
Earrie Carl Wolke
Lloyd F. Wiltsie
Guy Taylor
Roy Emmett Moffitt
Charles E. Johnson
Robert L. Lister
Archie Arthur Powell
Ira Cox
Clifford L. Phillips
Myron Abbott Hager
Isaac H. New
Elmer Willis Thomas
Frank Everett Elliff
Seth Dixon

Ernest D. Elrod
David F. Gutermuth
Delbert R. French
Henry A. Bernard
Frank Pedro Luce
Roy Elwood Morris
Huey Swigert
Henry Arthur Sandvig
Elmer C. Ray
Thomas E. Fitzgerald
Hugh Lawrence Lister
Merlin Edward Allen
Thomas R. Raymond
Paul H. Wilson
Joseph Judson Foster
Edward Raglin
Henry Gomer
Benjamin Davies Fox
Charlie Ely Messenger
William Oscar Payne
Edward Franklin Payne

SELECTED BOYS BREAKFASTED

Prineville Hotel Is Scene Of Early Morning Gathering. Over One Hundred Served at 5:30

The selected boys who left this morning were entertained with a breakfast at the Prineville hotel just prior to their departure for the train. Friends and relatives of the boys were guests with them.

The dining room was artistically decorated with flags of the Allies and bouquets of golden glow were placed on the tables. Seth Dixon, who was appointed to take charge of the men until they reached Camp Lewis, was toastmaster. M. E. Brink made a very appropriate speech which was responded to by Lawrence Lister in behalf of the boys.

MUCH MATERIAL GOING INTO DAM

WORK BEING RUSHED WHILE WEATHER IS IDEAL

CROSSING IS BEING INSTALLED

One Tenth Of Tunnel Yet To Be Completed On Canal System

Much material, perhaps an average of 1,000 yards a day, is being washed into the Ochoco dam at present from the pits on the north side of the river, and a total fill amounting to twelve feet or more has been accomplished since the work started on the north side, covering the entire unfinished portion of the dam.

Water is being lifted from the reservoir into the canal for use in sluicing and the supply is now considered ample for this purpose until the fall increase in flow comes.

Spillways are being installed for the Dry Creek crossing of the main canal and the McKay crossing, and before the end of the present month, Lytle Creek will be cared for in the same way.

These crossings or spillways are of cement, and are so constructed that the water can be diverted into the canal or carried over the canal to the bed of the stream below.

Of the entire length of the tunnel on the main canal, about one-tenth remains to be finished, or less than 100 feet, and work is being rushed to clear this before winter.

W. P. DAVIDSON COMING

Frank Johnson left Monday for Crane, Harney county, where he will meet W. P. Davidson of St. Paul, and return with him to Prineville. Mr. Davidson is president of the Oregon and Western Colonization Company.

DISTRICT BOARD MEETING

The Ochoco Irrigation District Board held its regular meeting on Tuesday afternoon, at which time matters of importance were discussed.

PRINEVILLE RED CROSS NEEDS WORKERS NOW

680 YARDS OF MATERIAL TO BE MADE UP BY OCTOBER -

ELECTRIC MACHINES INSTALLED

Cutting Machine Cuts Forty Garments At A Single Operation

The call is issued today by Mrs. Rea, manager for the county Red Cross, for more women workers at the local rooms.

It is necessary that six hundred and eighty yards of goods be made up during the month. The garments will be for women refugees, and are of course, badly needed at this time of year.

The local Red Cross rooms are equipped excellently for the work at hand, and records made by this chapter during the past year demonstrate that the plant is operated in a very efficient manner.

Power machines are installed and in operation. One of these cuts out as many as forty garments at a single operation, in reasonably light material, and six power sewing machines are in use putting the garments together.

COUNTY COURT IN SESSION

Commissioners Lister and Luthy and Judge Wallace in Attendance

The regular monthly meeting of the County Court is being held this week. Commissioners Lister and Luthy and Judge Wallace are in attendance and the regular routine of business is being disposed of.

CIRCUIT COURT WILL CONVENE NEXT MONDAY

The regular September session of the Circuit Court will convene next Monday morning. So far there have been no criminal cases reported and there will be very little business to dispose of. The Grand Jury will convene, however, and the regular business will be attended to.

13,000,000 MEN WILL REGISTER IN AMERICA ONE WEEK FROM TODAY

All Men Between the Ages of 18 and 45 are Included. No Excuse Will Be Accepted From Any One.

President Wilson, by official proclamation, has set Thursday, September 1, as Registration Day.

On that day every man in the United States and its possessions between the ages of 18 and 45 years, inclusive, who has not already registered, or who is not already in the military service, must register.

This includes citizens as well as aliens. There are no exceptions.

Registration will be held between the hours of 7 o'clock a. m. and 9 o'clock p. m. on Registration Day.

Local Draft Boards will be in full

charge of registration. It is the duty of the local boards to name the places for registration, and to give proper publicity as to their locations.

However, failure on the part of any man subject to registration to learn his proper registration place will be no excuse for his failure to register.

Failure to register on Registration Day is punishable by imprisonment up to one year, without option of a fine.

Men who will be absent from home on Thursday, September 12, should consult the nearest local board at once for instructions.

PARTY AT HORGAN'S

Myron Hager Is Entertained By Friends—Gift Presented

Myron Hager, who left with the last draft contingent from Prineville, was entertained at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Horgan Friday evening. Games were played and refreshments served. Mr. Hager was presented with a fountain pen.

PETITIONS FOR R. F. D. SERVICE

Daily Service Wanted—Think That Business Warrants Increase

Petitions are being circulated to have the Tri-Weekly R. F. D. service increased to a daily. F. S. Townner, who is representing the farmers, says that the large number of patrons served on this route and the amount of business warrants the increase.

LABOR DAY DANCE AT CLUB

The "Labor Day" dance at the club Monday evening was enjoyed by a large crowd. A number of young people motored over from Redmond. "Spec" Young of Redmond and Geo. Stearns furnished excellent music.

OCHOCO GOLD MINE TO BE DEVELOPED

Twenty-eight miles east of Prineville, situated in the Blue mountains, are the Mayflower gold mines, which represent a vast amount of wealth yet to be developed.

The Mayflower group, includes several shafts which have been operated with good results for a number of years.

About four weeks ago, an entirely new tunnel was opened up on the premises. It is called the Blue Buck-et Mine, and promises to be one of the richest and best lodes ever discovered in that locality. The ore from this particular lode, assayed \$14.00 a ton, and the minerals extracted are gold, silver, and manganese of iron. Operations will be continued on this new shaft in the near future.

New machinery, including an air-compressor, has recently been installed, and will enable a greater output. Extensive operations will probably be started soon, and a three compartment shaft is now being contemplated.

One of the larger tunnels which is 1400 feet in length, has been operated for a number of years with good returns.

Indications show that there is a rich vein of ore yet undiscovered, and all engineers who have made investigations say that it is of a great depth.

The products which have thus far been extracted are of a high quality, and are chiefly hydrate ore, although there is a considerable amount of concentrate ore milled.

The chief mineral is gold, although silver and manganese of iron are also found.

W. S. S. First Aid Class is Successfully Completed.

The following ladies recently completed a very successful First Aid course under Dr. Edwards and Mrs. Nicolai and were given certificates: Mrs. C. L. Roberts, Mrs. J. H. Rosenberg, Mrs. Jerome Fertig, Mrs. E. J. Wilson, Mrs. Hendrickson, Mrs. B. M. Nevel, Mrs. W. S. Ayres, Mrs. R. S. Dixon and Miss Helen Ayres.

Another class will be started soon and a large attendance is expected.

MRS. LASLETTE ENTERTAINED

Given Surprise by Friends at Her Home Friday Evening.

Mrs. F. C. Laslette was given a surprise shower at her home Friday evening, by about twenty friends.

Mrs. Laslette will leave for Chicago in the near future where she will take a course of Bible study at the Moody Institute. Mr. Laslette will continue his Y. M. C. A. work at the camps.

TWO NEW TEACHERS FOR H. S.

The two new teachers who have just recently been secured are Asst. Commercial, Miss Anna H. Anderson, who is a graduate of the Winona Normal of Minnesota and also of the University of Chicago, and for the Normal Department, Miss Ida M. Manson, who is a graduate of the Kansas State Normal and of the University of California.

Cecil Abel Alive and Well

Mrs. Henry Abel received a letter from her son Cecil, who was reported to be killed in action on August 1, that he is alive and well. Cecil has been in England several months.

The report of his death appeared in the Spokesman-Review at Spokane.

HIGH SCHOOL DIPLOMAS READY

Prof. E. E. Evans has reported that the High School diplomas are ready and will be given out at the office of Supt. J. E. Myers.

A BOND ISSUE OF \$78,350 MAY BE ASKED

CITY NEEDS FUNDS TO COMPLETE AND EQUIP ROAD

THE AUDIT TO BE PUBLISHED

Exact Estimate of Amount To Complete Project Will Be Made

A proposed bond issue in the sum of \$78,350 may be submitted to the people at a special election to be set for an early date.

This matter was discussed at council meeting last evening, at which considerable figuring concerning the amount that will be required to complete the road and other matters connected with the construction was done.

It was first considered that a less amount would do the work, but the meeting finally adjourned until next Monday evening, at which time a complete audit of the railroad fund will be submitted, and an estimate of all the work that is yet to be done will be considered.

These figures will be published in the Journal, and will show the voters just what is yet to be done, and just what has already been accomplished with the money.

LADIES' ANNEX MEETING

At the first meeting for the year, held Tuesday afternoon the following delegates were elected for the State Federation meeting in Portland: Mrs. C. L. Shattuck, Mrs. Mattie Elliott, Mrs. J. B. Shipp and Mrs. W. I. Dishman.

GOVERNMENT ORDERS

No industry has responded more loyally to the wishes of the United States Government than the newspapers of the land. A very able assistance, too, as we have been repeatedly told by high officials of the government.

Now comes an order direct from the War Industries Board, which is as follows:

"Rule 2. No publisher may continue subscriptions after date of expiration, unless subscriptions are renewed and paid for."

The date of expiration of every paper is stamped opposite the name of the subscriber, and thus everyone is notified each week just how he stands.

The rule also restricts the mailing of papers to advertisers. Look at the date on this copy of the Journal. If you are in arrears, please arrange the matter with us before next week if you wish the next copy of the Journal, as the government order will be obeyed strictly.



CAN OREGON REPEAT?

The vaults of the U. S. Treasury again need refilling. Ever increasing expenditures necessary to hasten the end of the War, the Keeping-up and Backing-up of "Our Boys," the Sustaining of the Allied Nations and their Peoples, the Perpetuation of Democracy and Destruction of Autocracy—require the unstinted sacrifice—the DO YOUR BEST, NOT SIMPLY "BIT," of every true American.

The Eve of the 4th Liberty Loan is here. FIRST in every patriotic endeavor, OREGON

cannot, will not, shall not falter NOW. With more to work for, more to give for, more to sacrifice for—every true Oregonian will make it his duty to see that OREGON DOES REPEAT—by going over the top FIRST once again.

While the campaign does not officially start until September 28th, we will so voluntarily pledge our subscriptions and anticipate our quotas that in this town, this county and this state IT WILL BE OVER WHEN IT'S OPENED.

FOURTH LIBERTY LOAN COMMITTEE