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WOMAN'S NEW JOBS.

Tremendous social changes in the life of women will take place from this war, as they have in England.

In some steel working factories, women are being employed extensively. They have long furnished the backbone of the labor in the textile fields.

One man who has taken girls for messengers instead of boys says they will return to the office in an hour where the boys would formerly take two.

Women and girls who are undertaking new kinds of work may get on pay at first, but they will find there is always an opportunity for anyone who shows exceptional skill.

These qualities are noticed by employers and when vacancies occur the best equipped person will get them regardless of sex.

CONGRESS AND THE NEWSPAPERS.

It seems probable that the war finance bill will impose a heavy tax on newspapers, on a basis applied to no other industry.

The newspaper community may well ask itself what it has done to provoke this feeling of hostility.

No doubt many of the faults of Congress, at which we all rail, are faults inherent in human nature and our national character.

Yet when all this is said, it remains true that Congress lays itself open to attack by persistence in practices contrary to common sense.

The principal trouble is that too many Congressmen are anxious about their political future, too fearful of defeat at the polls.

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The wage earning class of young men are going to escape conscription, as their wives are dependent on their labor.

In the old times of titled nobility, it was considered the mark of aristocracy for a man to show a certain indifference to danger.

It will be a hard parting for many young married men of wealth, but lots of them are going out of pure patriotism.

They have the comfort of knowing that their families are provided for in any event.

are usually bright educated fellows who have seen a good deal of life, and they help straighten out things wonderfully.

RUSSIAN RAILROADS—AND OURS

American concerns have received orders for \$28,000,000 worth of locomotives for Russian railroads.

GRADING OF NEW ERA HILL MAY START IN A VERY FEW DAYS

That work will probably start on the grading of the New Era Hill by the Warren Construction company within a very few days.

The purchase of the right of way for the new route has been arranged for by the county court and although the purchase has not been made, the terms of the sale have been practically agreed upon.

The new property involved in the change of road will cost the county something over \$1000, said County Commissioner H. A. Knight Wednesday.

200 TONS OF HAY BURN

SALEM, Or., Aug. 9.—Damage estimated at \$5000 was done when fire destroyed a warehouse and nearly 200 tons of hay at the J. Schindler dairy here yesterday.

EXPRESS COMPANIES WILL NOT DELIVER GOODS ON SUNDAYS

SALEM, Or., Aug. 13.—Express companies will suspend the service of picking up and delivering express matter on Sundays.

LOYD O. HARDING IS GIVEN COMMISSION OF 2D LIEUTENANT

Lloyd O. Harding, youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. George A. Harding, of Oregon City, who has been at the officers' reserve training camp at the Presidio, San Francisco, for several months, has received a commission as second lieutenant.

LA GRANDE UNIT IS ON ITS WAY TO ARMY CAMP

LA GRANDE, Or., Aug. 15.—The La-Grande hospital unit, numbering 33 men, Major J. P. Graham commanding, entrained Tuesday night.

NATIVE SON ACCEPTS CALL OF A SEATTLE LUTHERAN CHURCH

Rev. C. F. W. Stoeber, for 14 years pastor of the St. Johns Lutheran Church of Tacoma, has accepted the pastorate of St. Paul's English Lutheran church, corner Forty-third street and Fremont avenue, Seattle.

Rev. Stoeber is the minister who ran a close race with A. V. Fawcett for mayor of the city of Tacoma in 1914.

Rev. Stoeber was born and reared in Oregon City, Ore., and is probably the only native Lutheran minister on the coast.

St. Paul's church, which is housed in a splendid brick building, is one of the few English speaking Lutheran churches in Seattle.

Rev. Stoeber is the eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. Stoeber, of Twelfth and Monroe streets, of this city.

DESERTED AUTOMOBILE ON 82D STREET IS FOUND BY H. E. MEADS

A Ford automobile bearing the Oregon license number 11732, issued to Roy R. Under of 690 Kearney street, Portland, for a Fiat automobile, was deserted by three soldiers at a point near the Multnomah county line on the 82d street road late Friday night.

Because of the fact that only one license was carried and it was issued for another car, it is believed that the machine was stolen.

WOOD COMPANY SAYS CONTRACT HAS BEEN BROKEN BY BELLAMY

W. L. Miller, F. L. Tobey and W. L. Tobey, doing business in Portland as the Miller Wood company, filed suit Wednesday against Phillip Bellamy to collect on an unfulfilled contract for wood ordered to be cut.

According to the complaint, the Miller Wood company entered into a contract with Bellamy on February 6, 1917, by the terms of which Bellamy was to cut wood near Kaylor station and deliver all of it to the Miller Wood company, with a minimum of 400 cords of fir and 200 cords of oak.

It is alleged that Bellamy cut 149 1/2 cords of oak wood and 638 1/2 cords of the fir. Of this only 17 1/2 cords of oak and 125 1/2 cords of fir were delivered to the Miller company.

The wood is worth \$5 and \$6 for the fir and oak respectively, says the complaint, delivered in Portland. An order restraining Bellamy from selling the wood to anyone else and compelling him to deliver the wood to the Miller company, or pay them for their loss, is asked.

TWO MARRIAGE LICENSES

Carl Hesse, aged 20, and Edna Sheehy, aged 20, each of whom gave their home addresses as Gladstone, Or., were granted licenses to wed Saturday afternoon by County Clerk Iva M. Harrington.

Fifty Years Ago

Taken From Oregon City Enterprise August 10, 1867.

New Ferry Boat—It is gratifying to us that a new ferry boat is in course of construction at this place.

Street Improvement—Commissioner Ryan has just completed a neat improvement of the road leading over the bluff.

Narrow Escape—On Monday last Captain George A. Pease, of this city, ran a narrow escape of losing his life, by being wound up by his clothing in some machinery in the P. T. company's warehouse.

War Brewing in Europe—A council of war is now being held in Russia armies, under the presidency of the czar himself.

Mexico—Intelligence from Brazos states Juarez has issued an address complimenting the Mexicans for preserving their liberty and achieving the independence of the Republic.

Naval Dock—Orders have been received from England directing the selection of a suitable site on Vancouver Island for a naval yard.

CAR SHORTAGE INCREASES

SALEM, Or., Aug. 15.—Car shortage on the Southern Pacific took another leap today, when the company's reports to the public service commission show a shortage of 910 open cars.

LOCAL BOARD GRANTS EXEMPTION TO 11 OF 19 WHO FILE CLAIMS

Clackamas county's local exemption board has allowed the claims for exemption of 11 men and denied eight claims, called in the first demand for 52 men.

TRY IT ON THE DOG FIRST THEN TAKE A CHANCE

EUGENE, Or., Aug. 13.—Eating part of an egg that had been poisoned for squirrels, the 19-year-old son of L. C. Ingalls, of Pleasant Hill, narrowly escaped death yesterday.

PRISON GUARDS GET ESCAPED CONVICTS NEAR SILVER FALLS

SALEM, Or., Aug. 13.—Robert Burns and J. E. Burg, who made a spectacular escape from the penitentiary Wednesday forenoon, were captured near Silver Creek Falls this forenoon by a posse headed by Warden Murphy.

HOLY ROLLER IS HELD AT KELSO; CHARGE SERIOUS

KELSO, Wash., August 13.—E. H. Findley, who has been associated here with A. Pellochioti and others in the Pentecostal evangelistic services often referred to as "Holy Rollers," was taken into custody last evening by Marshal M. E. Hull on information from Waukegan, Ill., charging him with a statutory crime.

CONCERNING PLANTING

By John Curtis Underwood of the Vigilantes

Friend Kipling wrote some lines long since that ended "Pay, Pay, Pay!" And he helped to clean up Africa.

They say all nature's short of crops this year and next may be. The world is shy of ships beside. It spills grain in the sea.

I've dug my trenches there. I've planted seeds, instead of shells and made the neighbors stare.

Apparently the entire case of the United States versus Jefferson New, of Jennings Lodge, charged with evading the draft law, will rest upon the change which is said to have been made in the family bible.

The effort of the prosecution has been to show that the records of the bible were changed to read "March 22, 1886," when they originally were March 22, 1887.

Special Deputy United States District Attorney Earle Latourette represented the prosecution and members of the local draft board and Deputy District Attorney Thomas Burke were witnesses against New.

GOVERNORS WILL ACT ON HOOVER'S ALLEGED MUTTON SALE CURB

SALEM, Or., Aug. 13.—When the northwest governors' conference convenes at Portland tomorrow Governor Withycombe will ask that the attending governors protest to Food Administrator Hoover against his recent decision that mutton should be tabooed as food in hotels and eating houses.

Before the departure of the prisoners the police arrested 338 other members of the colony for creating a disturbance outside the city jail where some of the prisoners were confined.

SHIRKER HELD AT BLY

KLAMATH FALLS, Or., Aug. 13.—Joe Burns, an alleged shirker, was arrested at Bly last week on the charge of attempting to evade the draft law and he is also charged with using a fictitious name.

With pinks and roses round the sides as pretty as you please. This year the flowers will have to go. My wife says that we shan't steal one more Belgian baby's life.

This year the game is gardens. This year the fad is food. Gad, if they plow their golf links up I'd cheer the multitude.

Canal slides in New York will bloom. Besides our railroad tracks We're going to turn the Germans out. Around the rusty shacks.

NEW YORK, Aug. 13.—The threatened strike of carpenters, employed in government work in this district on cantonments, navy yard construction and aviation fields was called off today.

The carpenters had demanded the immediate discharge of all nonunion carpenters from federal work, or the cancellation by the government of contracts with all firms employing such labor.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 10.—Possibility of important government contracts being impeded seriously by labor disputes virtually is eliminated by the creation of a special commission with extraordinary powers to settle industrial troubles.

Members of the board will soon be selected. There are to be nine of them, three representing the government, three employers and three labor.

DRAFT DODGERS ARE SENT TO JAIL BY AN ARIZONA COURT

PHOENIX, Ariz., Aug. 13.—Thirty-five members of a colony of Molokans, Russian religionists living near Glendale, eight miles west of here, were taken last night in a barred car to Prescott, Ariz., to serve sentences of one year each in the county jail there for refusing to register under the selective draft act.

When sentence was pronounced by United States District Judge Sawtelle yesterday afternoon there was a wild scene in the court, women and men shouting their protests. Some of the court attendants were slightly scratched while subduing the disorder.

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