of about 15 per cent in railroad com- any indication of getting caught up modity rates from the east and inter- with the work. With the enormous for points were authorized by the In- mail coming in each day, and the conterstate Commerce commission today tinual stream of personal calls, the in finally deciding the famous inter- board finds it absolutely impossible to mountain rate case pending in various do any classifying during the day time. forms for years. This action will make the through rates to the coast equal to higher rates maintained to Spokane, Denver, Salt Lake City, Reno and oth. Raphael H. Warren, Portland er interm diate cities and remove the Louie C. Strohmeyer, Oregon City rate discrimination against which William A. F. Littenmaier, Oregon commercial interests of these cities have long protested. The order be- William G McKillican, Oregon City comes effective March 15.

LOGGING CARS FOR P.R.L. & P. CO. WILL BE PROPERLY LADEN

Delays in traffic on the Portland Rail- Henry D. Smith, Jennings Lodge way, Light & Power company out of John Bolle, Oregon City Oregon City will occur no more be- Reginald Thomas Carter, Portland cause of improperly laden lumber cars, Fred Hogg, Oregon City according to a report of Examiner Peter Schuld, Milwaukie Rasch of the commission. The report Dulles M. Simonsen, Portland ... was brought forth because of a de- Ora Hexter Eisele, Aurora railment on the Oregon City night Albert Anthony, Molalla freight last Tuesday near Fern Ridge Clarence F. Kennedy, Oregon City station. The derailment occurred on Leonard Ferguson, Gladstone. a curve and Mr. Rasch in his report Owen L. Jameson, Oregon City... states that the overhang of the logs Charles W. Montgomery, Oregon did not swing clear The train consisted of 18 cars with Harry Kinnery, Leonard Lee Young, Waluga as conductor. The logs loaded were Alonzo Radford, Boring located directily south of the Inman- Edward E. Thompson, Portland Poulsen Lumber company's plant and Walter Sylvester Pratt, Portland taken from the river there and placed Byron Lewis Maine, Oregon City.... on the cars, the loading being done John William Roppell, Hammond by the Crown Willamette Paper com- Lloyd Stanley Smith, Boring. pany and on cars about 41 feet in length. The logs are from 44 to 45 feet Raymond H. Woodcock, Portland in length and this makes an overhang William Gold, Oregon City sufficient to cause trouble, Mr. Rasch Leighton Wright, Oregon City

"No inspection was made of this train, "says Mr. Rasch, "but Mr. Fields Alfred Taylor Odom, Portland . reports that from now on all these cars will be properly inspected before

George Merrell Graham, Portland 4 Paul P. Klaetsch, Estacada Donald W. Green, Portland Emergency Ray C. Hamilton, Estacada proceeding. The Seattle type bunk is used and the equipment well designed for the purpose." Mr. Fields is Superintendent for the Portland Railway Light & Power company.

A few of the early morning trains were delayed by the wreck, but the John DeYoung, Boring Willamette Valley Southern loaned Edward Elmer Jenkins, Estacada some cars and the passengers were Timm Phal, Oregon City carried to the scene of the wreck and Thomas Eiton Sloop, Boring. transferred, causing but little delay, Arthur Christian Jaeger, Sherwood

THREE DECREES AND ONE DIVORCE ACTION

Three divorce decrees were handed down Friday in the circuit court. Helen Smith was given a divorce from George W. Smith; Mae Marlow was granted a divorce, \$30 per month alimony and the custody of three minor Christina Wildeman.

serted him in Wyoming in 1916.

ADVANCE IS Local Board Catching Up With Classification With Classification Work

goes on steadily by the local board, rington. Wednesday night about fifty classifica- District Attorney Hedges will

the court house is awar center, if ever there was one. Treasurer Dunn and his assistants and Recorder Boyles and and they will be rigidly investigated. his deputies have been helping in the enormous clerical work necessary in carrying on the classifications, and WASHINGTON, Jan. 30 .- Increases Thursday for the first time was there

Those classified Wednesday night

City

Clarence Laverne Stevens, Aurora Lee Mason Adams, Molalla Carl Schaudt, Oregon City. Roy McClung, Boring Arthur Wilhelm Nelson, Portland Oscar B. Franklin, Molalla Herman H. Hasselwander, Sandy John Oules, Portland Charley Westlund, Portland

George Albert Tracy, Estacada. eorge William Ross, Portland Frank Francis Rotter, Jr., Bull Run Joseph N. Spiker, Oregon City ... John William Julian, Oak Grove ... SALEM, Or., Jan. 26.—(Special)— Ethan Allen Clarke, Mulino

City William T. McNulty, Gladstone Den Otto Cole, Molalla Fred Joseph Grindeland, Barton ...

Industrial and Agricultural Claims

Transferred to District Board. Nicola Barrona, Milwaukie ... Claude Pembroke Brown, Hubbard Jens Sorensen, Woodburn... Lloyd Pulley Lowe, Bull Run Einar Johnson, Oregon City ... Eugene S. Gribble, Aurora Walter H. Staehely, Oregon City Henry Mike Egger, Estacada Charles A Worthington, Oak Grove Mark Hungate, Molalla ... George Gunderson, Boring Rudolph William Ritter, Aurora John Henry Stuwe, Oregon City Herman Binger Davis, Estacada

REGISTRANT PAPERS MAY HAVE BEEN 'DOCTORED'

children from Albert Marlow; and the of the local board and the district atmarriage relation between John Sell torney's office, that state investigaand Christina Sell was dissolved, and tions will be made on certain affidathe wife given her former name, vits in questionnaires filed recently with the local board. No names were John Arthur Stubblefield filled suit made public by the officials but it is for divorce against Harriet M. Stub-known that several questionnaires blefield in the circuit court. They have been "doctored" and those makwere married in Salem in 1909, and ing affidavits will be subpoensed bethe husband charges that the wife de- fore the board for close examination.

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Work of classification of registrants, investigated, announced Clerk Har-

present with the board at these hearings and if the facts are proven, which With a continuous stream of in are indicated now from an examinquirers in front of the desk from early ation of the questionnaires, together morning until night, and with the with recent evidence obtained from county recorder's and county treas outside sources. in all probability urer's assistance in preparing the gov. there will be some perjury charges ernment backs for the questionnaires. brought before the next session of the grand jury. Several of the cases are "phoney" according to Sheriff Wilson,

From all parts of the county loyal Americans are coming in before the board and giving valuable information on cases they have personal knowl edge. This action is greatly appreciated by the board, and in cases where been made, the board will appreciate any evidence in the matter.

Additional classification were made Friday evening as follows: Edward Vonderahe, Oregon City Fred Boese, Portland...

Wilford Warren Phillips, Portland Curtis Earl Lay, Molalia Benjamin Isaac Hoover, Gresham Leo Willis, Parkplace Howard C. Worthington, Oswego

Melvin Priebe, Oregon City Urich Eggenberger, Portland Albert Arthur Cole, Portland Guy Husbands, Molalla William R. McDonald, Portland Frank A. Mulligan, Molalla Roy Paddock, Portland Charles Carroll Leete, Gladstone

Walter L. Norton, Oregon City Avery Lloyd Lasswell, Estacada Denzel Ernest Bernard, Portland Thomas W. Rayburn, Cazadero.... Melvin Frank Young, West Linn 2 Thomas C. Elliott, Orland Cal. Erik Hedlund, Oregon City . 2 Edgar Wiley May, Molalia Thomas R. McClincy, La Grande Winfield Scott Miller, Molalla

Reuben Beer, Marquam 4 James E. Downey, Willamette William A. Reddaway, Oregon City Henry Schoenborn, Canby ... 4 Clyde Samuel McMuray, Barton ...

Frederick W. H. Baker, Gladstone

4 Charles O. Sinclair, Oregon City 4 Hilmer Clarence Olson, Canby 2 Guy Wilcox, Estacada 4 Joseph Wesley Haines ,Oswego 4 Harry Payne Confer, Oregon City 4 Carl Theodore Sether, Hubbard 4 Irving Province, Oswego 4 Louis Alvera White, Oswego 4 Ernest M. Curry, Amboy, Wash 4 Earl A. Britton, Portland

4 Virgil Steve May, Oregon City.... 4 Burton A. Warner, Newberg 4 Christopher E. Jones, Sherwood 4 J. H. E. Webster, Gladstone 4 Wilbur Rule Ivey, Milwaukie

William James Thien, Waluga 4-5 George Adam Misun, Milwaukie Jake Streib, Milwaukie

> Industrial and Agricultural Claims Transferred to District Board

Jacob Fenske, Aurora Frank P. Burch, Mulino. Ottot Vernon Purcell, Athena Herschel Seely, Sherwood Peter Schoppert, Clackamas Charles Schreiber, Mulino ... Richard J. Zivney, Oregon City... Henry Koch, Sandy John Andrew Wilson, Milwaukie Lacy Wade Day, Oregon City ... Raymond H. Baker, Sherwood Maurice Walter Hall, Bay City John Philip Hult, Mulino . Gordon Westberg, Aurora Otto Paul Hofstetter, Mulino Michael R. Hemrich, Boring Joseph C. Mann, Willamette

Emerald E. Groshong, Scotts Mills William Y. Farnworth, Seattle Ralph Hardy, Molalla Joseph M. Schauble, Oregon City

Intimations were made by members ADDTIONAL RECRUITS ASSIGNED TO PLACES IN FIGHTING RANKS

True C. Schmelzel, Los Angeles. Vernon Avery, Lents Herbert E. Kraeft, Oregon City Hugh E. Burdon, Ocean Falls, B.

Raymond P Caufield, Oregon City Chas. J. Huiras, Canby Roy Ringo, Oregon City John Henry Clark, Aurora Victor C. Barney, Oregon City Jacob Daniel Owen, Molalia Charles A. Montgomery, Portland Ernest James Patrick, Astoria... Harry Orwin Warren, Portland ... Floyd Erval Hartsell, Milwaukie Raymond Edwin Richey, Boring Lawrence S. Aldrich, Oregon City Ira Jacob Green, Molalla Aubrey Lee Smith, Oregon City Harvey W. Heath, Willamette Reuben Warren Confer, Oswego David A. Mobley, Oregon City Ray Cariton Cameron, Portland ...

Montana Carl Bigge, New Era Felty V. Sanders, Waluga Yojo Heinioja, Portland Otto Nollmeyer, Fessenden, North Dakota

Claud B. Anderson, Bear Creek

Ralph D. Bullock, Lebanon Industrial and Agricultural Claims Transferred to District Board. Martin Eberhart, Boring .

Curtis Chalfin Young, Boring ...

John C. Kunzman, Oregon City Raymond Switzer, Molalla Fay Wilson, Aurora Jake De Young, oring Ernest Ireneus Johnson, Gresham Otto Stulke, Barton Alfred Haugium, Boring

SALEM, Jan. 26,-(Special)-Ches- control act. ter L. Chambers, writing to the State | The rationing system, as presented Farmers union is contemplating at- features are:

the commission has lost over \$50,000 bought. on the sale of bonds and already has expended \$36,000 for automobiles. The commission will answer specifically, In a statement to be drawn up soon, all the questions asked by Mr. Chambers in his letter. As to the \$36,000 spent for automobiles, it was stated at the office of the commission today that this sum has been expended, but it has been from a standpoint of econ-2 omy. Of the \$36,000, spent in this 2 manner, \$21,600 was for auto trucks 2 it was stated. To show the necessity CIRCUIT COURT HAS rental of trucks would cost from \$2.75 to \$3.00 an hour and from this stand point alone the trucks purchased practically paid for themselves on the work done last summer and fall and the trucks are still as good as new. But in addition to that, it was stated, vested, the purchase of the trucks days to amend their answer.

In his letter Mr. Chambers says: "The Farmers union of Oregon is bonds, and proposing an initiative terested is necessary. vote this coming autumn on the proposition to discontinue same, and to annul the vote of last spring by which the highway bonds were provided.

"They charge that the loss in selling the previous installment was over 4 \$50,000; that the commission has already spent \$36,000 for automobiles, and that the contract price for paying Is three times the cost to Clackamas county for similar road improvement.

you wish upon the subject: total issue of road bonds authorized records. by the election of last spring?

"(b) How many have been sold up "(b) How many have been sold up to date and what is the loss from face HIGHWAY BOARD IS

"(c) Did you really spend \$36,000

for autos to date, and why? "(d) Please specifiy the mileage and location of the roads which can and probably will be built with the present bond issue, if it is not interferred with? Kindly do not fall to answer this fully.

which is covered by the present con- way commission who returned today tract for the paving surface and at from an examination of the work on what price? Does the price include the rock cut at New Era, being done grading, etc?"

EVIDENCE THAT ORDER WAS WRONG MUST COM

Steady and consistent effort on the erroneous or without justification, the indicates it will, then progress will be At least six cases will be thoroughly part of the local classification board commission will reopen the case, and considered satisfactory. is bringing forth splendid results in it is now squarely up to the council Judge Anderson stated that in midesignating the men of Clackamas to either produce such evidence or dition to the work to be started by the thing else saying France and Eng. . ITALY TAKES PRISONERS der was unjustified.

The commission offers to reopen the Pulp and Dorbecker's mill. 6-cent fare case under such conditions third and last resolution of the coun-department in his letter. cil, asking for a recision of the 6cent fare order on the ground that the commission had no jurisdiction to issue it. The commission declares in today's order that it cannot either modify or rescind the 6-cent fare order, on the theory that it had no jurisdiction, as the commission's legal advisor, the attorney general, had ruled that the commission had jurisdiction, but that it can reopen the case if the council will make a showing that it possesses evidence that the order was without justification 4 from a fact viewpoint. The commission makes it plain that it will not reopen the case on the mere formal application for a rehearing, declaring that such application must be accom panied by a showing that the council possesses and can present, evidence 4-5 that the order was without justifica-

ALIENS HAVE GUNS,

SHERWOOD, Or., Jan. 30 .-The authorities have taken guns 4 @ and ammunition from enemy @ @ aliens. Others are watched and @ 1 / their guns will be taken as soon @ 1 | as possession is established.

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ENTIRE COUNTRY IS ASKED TO CUT USE MEAT AND WHEAT

WASHINGTON, Jan. 26. - The ood administration calls it.

Curtailment of consumption will be wherever permitted under the food Washington, D. C., Virginia, New Jer-country in it's early history. There are

Highway commission for the Eagle by the president in a proclamation desires for new things. Creek Grange in Clackamas county, is and by Food Administrator Hoover in citizens know that false claims have gathering data as to what the com- a list of regulations, forms the food mission is doing, and how it has ex- administration's 1918 food conservapended its money, asserting that the tion programme, of which the chief

tacking the further sale of road bonds | Shle by retailers to householders of and proposes to annul their sale by an equal amount of substitute flours initiative at the election in the fall. for every pound of wheat flour pur-Among other things he states that chased at the time the wheat flour is

> wholesalers to retailers of only 70 per cent o fthe amount of wheat flour sold last year. Two wheatless days a week-Mon-

> less meal a day. One meatless day a week-Tuesday and one meatless meal a day. Two porkless days a week-Tues-

day and Saturday.

An order sustaining the plaintiff's trucks were not available in any such in the case of the Hibernia Savings numbers as needed and where needed. Bank vs. Joseph and Luella Hawkins, and that to expedite the work and se- was entered in the circuit court Tuescure adequate return for the money in- day and the defendant was allowed 5

was practically a necessity. As to H. E. Cross has been appointed other automobiles, these were needed guardian ad litem of the person and estate of Lena Macho, an inmate of the state hospital at Salem. A dower ARMY HEAD TELLS WHAT in the work, it was stated, and proved estate of Lena Macho, an inmate of relinquishment of some property in which Mrs. Macho and her husband, a attacking the further sale of road resident of Clackamas county, are in-

George Henkel, administrator of the estate of William Seltmann, deceased. has brought foreclosure proceedings against Fred B. Madison and Julia Madison to foreclose a mortgage on lot 50 of Frst addition to Jenninge lodge. The instrument is in the sum of \$1189.77 and \$100 attorneys fees are

An order setting aside a default case of the State Industrial Accident ed: grange, for which I have been asked to was signed by Judge Campbil Tues at camps will not be tolerated. obtain the information, I respectfully day. A default was taken some time ask you to answer the following ques- ago, an dit was afterwards discovered ed and dismissed for negligence. tions, and make any other comments that an undisposed demurrer was on the files. The order Tuesday will "(a) What is the amount of the give the state a chance to correct the

WELL CONTENT OVER COUNTY ROAD WORK

SALEM, Or., Jan. 26 .- (Special)-"(e) What mileage, and where is it, One of the experts of the State Highby the Warren Construction company on force account, reported the work to be progressing as well as could be expected. The company is using a small crew, but under the conditions that exist progress seems to be satisfactory. The commission has received a let-

ter from Judge Anderson, Clackamas year. county, in which assurances are given that the county will proceed with the grading work to the New Era rock cut Portland city council will present evi- partment officials here expressed the did shape. dence showing that the public service opinion today that if the work procommissioner's 6-cent fare order was gresses as rapidly as the county court

work. These crews are working by "We will do our best to make good,"

sey and New York have enough in many little details I could tell about store to more than satisfy a person's much better than write. near the men of the nation who are ing. I know I did.

Sale by millers to wholesalers and plains all in view.

the past

day and Wednesday and one wheat. Among many other things we saw was the ground.

Greek God couldn't ask for any thing city is so large that a common street

Besides the capitol I saw the White House and the other main buildings ute that you live in Oregon. After all at close view. One afternoon I went the west is the only place. Don't to the top of Washington's monument, think that I am homestek now, for I which is 555 feet high, and took a general view of the whole city. It must It is now supper time, and I am gobe very beautiful in the summer when ing to an automatic reataurant. We all the many parks are green. A guide | don't have them out west. You put demurrer to the answer of defendants showed us the main points of the your money in a slot and out comes

> have been complete if Mt. Vernon, comes forth. Washington's home, had not been vis-

FELLOWS TELL OF NEW YORK TRIP

Lieutenant Writes Experiences to Cousin Miss Iva Harrington

NEW YORK CITY, N. Y., Jan. 13 .- ited. It is kept in excellent condition American people will go on a war. Dear Cousin—At last I have arrived in the same as it was in colonial times. bread diet Monday as a part of a warthis land of cold winds and ice. Even
been a landscape gardener as well as rationing system prescribed tonight though winter has spread over the a soldier for the location and lay of by President Wilson and the food ad- country, the trip has been a thor the grounds is excellent. The old ministration. "Victory bread," the oughly enjoyable one. The country is home must have the personality of its so filled with new things for a west- former owner with it, for I felt like I The reduced rations are asked for erner that one forgets the cold weath- was right in his presence while there. the purpose of creating a larger ex- er when looking at the varied scenes We saw the ancient bed in which port surplus of food for the allies, before his eyes. Of course the states Washington died. The occasion felt one has to pass through on his way as solemn as though he were in it. Anecomplished largely by voluntary ef here have their attraction but the other room was the one in which Lafort, but force will be employed nucelus of it all is in the far east, fayette slept when he visited this

> I believe if every American citizen Our capital city is the most interest- could visit our capital they would ing of all. When you know you are come away with a more patriotic feel-

> making history and see the statues of New York City is so big that one many, who have made it in the past, can't tell where to start to tell about it makes one feel how small he is and it. Any way it isn't a city that aphow great are the things it is possible peals to the imagination like Washto accomplish. The capital itself is ington does. It is a stern, modern a work of art, both inside and out. A town. The most wonderful thing I person can appreciate this more when have noticed so far is naturally the the guide takes you through and ex- method of transporting the awful mobs of people. (Where do they all The party I accompanied consisted come from?) There are elevated of four naval officers and .myself. roads, tracks on the streets and under

> the room where the president signs. Those subways surely travel fast. the bills and the vice-president's of There are no horses or autos in their fice. Talk about splendid offices. A way and "believe me" they go. This better. The guide showed us where car would never get from one end to bombs had been placed some time in another so they have to have a faster mode of travel.

You don't need to regret one minhave gotten over that long ago.

the ham and eggs. Put a nickle in My visit in Washington would not another slot and lo, and behold coffee LIEUT, HURLEY FELLOWS

IS DONE TO WAGE WAR

WASHINTON, Jan. 28.—Declaring that every man in 32 national guard and national training camps is ready now to be sent to France whenever day struck back at critics of the war

In answer to those who have critijudgment taken by the state in the cised the war department, he declar-

"For the benefit of the Eagle Creek commission against W. H. Chilcotte, That laxity of the medical service sold bonds aggregating \$441,250 from

Pershing indorsed the adoption of the modern Enfield rifle. A great army was called on before

guns were ready for it upon the earnest request of Major General Wood. Wood declared the men would first need other training besides that in

gun and was trained to use it. Many times as many men are in to the farmers in making loans. Con-France as had been planned for this sequently the board has assumed the

General Pershing himself declared ing less than par bids. against the Lewis machine guns for

were sent to each training camp.

Every man in the 32 training camps is now ready for service in France. no large amount and will probably be Our army in France-now large and founed out shortly after its receipt. it will be much larger-will have the With Liberty loan and other issues

guns in this country before another promises to lag for a while yet. Official reports based on careful

consideration show that camp hospi- for garage soon to be built here. tals in many cases are the equal of SALEM, Or., Jan. 28.—Provided the all the expedition possible, and the de- civilian hospitals, and all are in splen- whom live at St. Helens Tonnage is the crux of the whole

French artillery to save ships for for 1917. other supplies. The allies urged troops before any-

county to their positions in the na- cease charging that the increased Oregon Engineering & Construction land could supply us with artillery. tions fighting forces. Friday evening fare granted the Portland Rallway, company within a few days, two crews Baker declared that the "impression & ROME, Jan. 30.—More than & the following classifications were Light & Power company under the or- have already started on the grading has spread abroad" that "the war de- 2600 prisoners have been taken & partment has fallen down," in the . by the Italians in their successful & crisis. To correct this impression, he * attacks upon Austrian lines on * said, it was vitally necessary that the & the Asiago Plateau, the war of & in an order issued today, denying the Judge Anderson informs the highway country be informed as to what has * fice announced today. been accomplished.

FARMERS OF COUNTY BORROW \$28,600 OF RURAL CREDIT FUND

SALEM, Or., Jan. 25 .- (Special to needed, Secretary of War Baker to hite Enterprise) - Farmers of Clackamas county have borrowed an aggregate of \$28,600 out of the state rural credits fund to develop their farm lands, but for some little time, at least no more money will be available from that fund. The State Land board has the fund, but no further bonds will cured. At least that has been the sentiment of the board right along, and there seems to be no indications of a change. Quite a little of the rural credits money was secured from the sale of bonds to individuals who were willing to pay for them at par as a solid investment. Bond buyers, as a rule have offered bids at less than par, and should the board have accepted Every man in France has his own these bids it would have been necessary to increase the interest charged

The school fund still has about \$76. 600 available. The first payments will On November 20, 140 machine guns begin coming back into the rural credits fund in April, when interest and principal will be due. However, the money received in this manner will be type of artillery it wants and needs. taking the attention and money of the Three hundred 3-inch anti-aircraft public, sale of rural credits bonds

attitude of holding down sales to noth-

Roseburg-New concrete building

Salem-10,000,000 output of trout situation, and this country is using and game fish from hatcheries of state

