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## FRENCHMEN TAKE FORTY VILLAGES IN 6 MILES

PARIS, Aug. 28.—In a swift advance today, covering more than six miles at certain points, the French troops south of the Somme recaptured 40 villages, the War Office announces tonight.

## She Wears Her Gold Star Over Her Heart



A year ago Mrs. Esther L. Lawton, daughter of the late John H. McIlhenny, member of the House of Representatives from Massachusetts, was a happy bride. She was married to Thomas G. Lawton, Company B, 102d Machine Gun Battalion. He died June 8, of wounds, and as he went over the great divide he said, "I am going home to Esther. Now the gold star she is entitled to is worn over her heart."

## WORK OR FIGHT CLAUSE IS OUT OF DRAFT BILL

WASHINGTON, Aug. 28.—Enactment by Congress and transmission to President Wilson tomorrow of the manpower bill broadening the Army draft age limits to include men of 18 to 45 years of age appeared assured late today, when the Senate and House conferees unexpectedly reached a complete agreement on all important disputes, striking out the Senate's "work-or-fight" amendment. Elimination of the "work-or-fight" amendment, on which the Senate conferees yielded, paved the way for the virtual agreement on the measure.

## GOVERNOR STEPHENS PROBABLE NOMINEE

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 28.—A lead of nearly 8000 votes with about two-thirds of the precincts of the state accounted for, was the statistical basis early tonight upon which rested a statement from Governor William D. Stephens thanking the Republican voters of the state for nominating him.

## TOTAL OF YANKS OVERSEAS PAST 1,500,000 MARK

WASHINGTON, Aug. 24.—The total number of soldiers embarked now has passed the 1,500,000 mark, General March, chief of staff, announced today.

## Cabinet Officer Selects



Seldom in the history of the United States has a cabinet officer selected a woman for private secretary, but Secretary of Commerce Redfield has chosen Miss Agathe O. Stewart for that position in his office. He says she is making good.

## MOTHER OF JERRY RUSK SUES OWN DAUGHTER

A pitiful case of filial infidelity and rascality came to light here Wednesday, when Elizabeth Rusk, of Milwaukie, filed suit against her son-in-law, George Cornwall, and her daughter, Lena B. Cornwall.

## 43 BOYS REGISTER IN 21-CLASS WITH LOCAL WAR OFFICE

Clarence E. Frossard of Milwaukie, celebrated his 21st birthday Saturday by walking into the county clerk's war office and registering for duty with Uncle Sam's forces. He was born August 24, 1897, is the son of John Frossard of Milwaukie, and is a Standard-Clarkson shipyard employe. Three of the boys registering were 21 years of age on Saturday.

## LARGENY OF ESTACADA FUNDS LAID TO DEVORE

Embezzlement charges have been preferred against City Recorder Claude W. Devore of Estacada, charging failure to pay over \$516.69, representing city water collections between Feb. 10th and July 1st of this year.

## HOUSE APPROVES MANPOWER BILL EXTENDING AGES

WASHINGTON, Aug. 24.—The new manpower bill, extending the selective draft to all men between the ages of 18 and 45 years was passed by the House tonight without minor changes in the draft of the War Department.

## GERMANIC LANGUAGE DENOUNCED BY LEAGUE

The county convention of the American Loyalty league held Saturday at the courthouse passed resolutions to eliminate the use of the German language in the churches and schools of the county.

## GORDON J. TAYLOR IS READY TO LEAVE FOR SERVICE OVER THERE

Gordon J. Taylor, of Molalla, was in the city Tuesday, where he interviewed officers of the local selective board in regard to securing a passport for his journey abroad, where he goes as a Y. M. C. A. worker. Mr. Taylor has just returned from a month's training course at Palo Alto, California, where he and a score or so of other prospective Y. M. C. A. workers took an intensive course. As quickly as his papers are fixed so that he can make the trip to France, Mr. Taylor will be sent on his way.

## CALL IS ISSUED FOR 27 SELECTS OF CLACKAMAS

With the departure of seventy-eight registrants Monday for training at Camp Lewis and Fort McDowell, the local war board cleared the way for another call, which will deplete the class one rank of the county.

## DIVISION HEADS ARE APPOINTED FOR LOAN DRIVE

M. D. Latourette, county chairman for the fourth Liberty Loan Bond campaign, has appointed divisional heads for the seven banking districts of the county and has called a conference for Thursday, September 5, at Oregon City.

## MOONEY CERTAIN PRESIDENT WILL SECURE JUSTICE

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 27.—A telegram saying that he felt confident that the efforts of President Wilson would "secure him ultimate justice" and condemning German propaganda which involves his case was forwarded by Thomas J. Mooney from "death row" in San Quentin penitentiary today to Walter S. Rogers, foreign bureau, committee of public information, New York.

## PAPER CONSERVATION AIDED BY REDUCTION OF FOURTH IN BOOKS

WASHINGTON, Aug. 28.—A 25 per cent reduction in the publication of books to conserve paper has been ordered by the war industries board. The reduction will be based upon the average of three years from January 1, 1915, to June 30, 1918, and the regulations will effect publishers of trade books, copyright prints, toy books, juvenile books and non-copyright books.

## WED AT VANCOUVER

License to marry was issued at Vancouver Saturday to Jonathan Keeney, 48, and Mrs. Edith Kohler, 49, both of Oregon City.

## MARRIAGE LICENSE ISSUED

John H. Tweedie and Ruth M. Kunze obtained a license to wed Saturday. Tweedie lives near Woodburn in Clackamas county.

## SOLDIERS MAY HAVE LAND FOR OWN AFTER WAR

LOS ANGELES, Aug. 28.—Reclamation of arid, swamp and logged-off land throughout the United States, particularly for the benefit of returned soldiers was considered at a meeting here of the Chamber of Commerce, which was addressed by speakers from the Northwest.

## SOCIALIST NOMINEES FILE

SALEM, Or., Aug. 26.—Certificates of nomination and acceptance have been filed with Secretary of State Olcott by the following Socialist candidates: Robert Glinther, state senator, 12th district; Robert Schuebel, representative, 16th district; M. V. Thomas, representative, 16th district.

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