

144 OREGON BOYS CALLED TO COLORS

Student Soldiers Leave July 1 for Special Training at San Francisco.

MULTNOMAH QUOTA IS LOW

Applicants Must Be Graduates of Grammar Schools and Have Had Some Experience Along Mechanical Lines.

Oregon is again called on to furnish a quota of men of draft age and mechanical aptitude for special training that will fit them for special Army work both at the front and behind the battle lines. This time the student soldiers are to get their training at San Francisco, Cal., and are not to be assembled at the Benson Polytechnic School in this city.

The quota to be composed of 144 men to be entrained before July 1, as explained by this order from Washington to Oregon draft board:

"Complete the entrainment for San Francisco, Cal., of 144 grammar school graduates who have had some experience along mechanical lines and some aptitude for mechanical work, to report to commanding officer, California School of Mechanical Arts, on July 1, for instruction as auto tradesmen, blacksmiths, chauffeurs, gas, engine men, carpenters and plumbers."

As was the case when 369 Beaver state boys were sought to take the two-months course at the Benson School, opportunity is first given for eligibles to volunteer. Almost the entire original student quota was composed of men voluntarily inducted, and it is expected that enough registrants will again come forward to fill the new allotment. The time is extremely short, however, voluntary acceptances closing June 21—Friday of this week.

Counties Are Notified.

County and board quotas were flashed over the state yesterday from the office of Captain J. E. Cullison, head of the selective service department, of the Adjutant-General's office, as follows:

Baker	6	Tillamook	2
Benton	2	Union	2
Clackamas	2	Wasco	2
Clatsop	2	Washington	2
Columbia	2	Yamhill	2
Cook	2	Clatsop	2
Douglas	2	Grant	2
Gilliam	2	Harney	2
Grant	2	Jackson	2
Harney	2	Josephine	2
Jackson	2	Klamath	2
Josephine	2	Linn	2
Klamath	2	Lane	2
Linn	2	Malheur	2
Lane	2	Marion	2
Malheur	2	Multnomah	2
Marion	2	Folk	2
Multnomah	2	Total	144

Few Counties Omitted.

A few counties, the list discloses, have no quotas. This comes about, it is explained, through operation of instructions which seek to prevent interference with agricultural and industrial needs.

Portions of the instructions sent to boards of the state follow:

"The men will be assigned during the course of that kind of mechanical training for which greatest need exists at time of call. At end of course they will be assigned to various branches of the service in accordance with the needs of the Army. They are to receive no assurance of an assignment to any particular branch of the service."

"After June 21 no volunteers will be accepted. If on June 23 a sufficient number of volunteers has not come forth to fill your allotment your board will proceed to select in sequence of order numbers a sufficient number of qualified men from within Class 1 to fill its allotment, deducting the voluntary inductions."

"Each man must carry with him at least two suits of under-clothing, one suit of outer-clothing, including a sweater, a stout pair of shoes, three extra pairs of socks and two bath towels, as he will be kept in civilian clothing during the first three weeks until he can be supplied with a uniform and other clothing."

WOOD ASHES ROUT PESTS

Experiment Made by War Gardener Proves Success.

Spreading wood ashes over peas in the war garden of W. J. McGraw, 1139 Cleveland avenue, has destroyed all the aphids, bugs and other pests, which a few weeks ago threatened to exterminate the peas.

Following this treatment the next day, Mr. McGraw sprayed the peas with water through a hose, and while the peas were still moist sprinkled a second time with ashes.

Mr. McGraw believes that his plan if used by all war gardeners will effectively destroy the pests in the various gardens of the city.

GOOD SAMARITAN SOUGHT

Women Befriended on Street Leaves Pursue in Auto.

Mrs. G. H. Schofield, 2934 Fourth street, asked the police yesterday to find the good samaritan who picked her up in his machine when she was taken sick while watching the circus parade at Fourth and Morrison streets yesterday morning.

Mrs. Schofield became faint, and a man whose name she did not learn asked her to sit in his machine. After the parade he volunteered to take her home. When she reached her room she found that she had left her purse containing \$25, all she had, in the back seat of the machine.

Jury Fails to Agree.

LA GRANDE, Or., June 17.—(Special.)—A state charge against a druggist of North Powder, John Hinkcock, resulted in a disagreement by the jury here.

A SENSIBLE TABLE BEVERAGE FOR WAR-TIME INSTANT POSTUM

No boiling Each cup strong or mild as desired NO WASTE

We Give S. & H. Green Trading Stamps With Purchases Amounting to 10c or More—Filled Stamp Books Redeemed in Cash on the Fourth Floor

Buy Thrift Stamps With Your Savings

—Uncle Sam needs your dollars in the battle for world freedom. Show your patriotism by investing in Thrift Stamps. For sale on the Fourth Floor.

Olds, Wortman & King

The Standard Store of the Northwest

Reliable Merchandise—Reliable Methods

Home Journal Patterns

—Easy to use, accurate and most economical—no Home Journal pattern costs over 15c. July patterns now ready—Department on the First Floor.

Double Stamps Today With Cash Purchases All Over the Store

Petticoat Day in the Garment Store

Showing the Season's New Styles and Colors

Women's New Cotton Petticoats

At \$1.69—Petticoats of good quality sateen and heatherbloom. Some with plain flounces, others with pleated flounces. Shown in the new plain shades, also in pretty floral effects. Good values, \$1.69

At \$2.29—Attractive new Petticoats of "Se-co" silk in blue, rose, green and brown changeables. Also sateen tops with taffeta flounces. Several neat styles in this lot—\$2.29

At \$2.79—Petticoats of cotton poplin in fancy Roman stripes. Made with scalloped flounce. Also one style made up in white satin. Excellent values. Special at \$2.79

Women's New Silk Petticoats

At \$3.79—Women's Silk Petticoats in several pretty styles—all the wanted plain shades, also in changeable effects. Good quality silk taffeta or silk jersey tops with taffeta flounces. Our special price \$3.79

At \$4.49—Many new styles shown in this lot. All taffeta, all silk jersey or jersey top with taffeta flounces. Full assortment of the popular colors, some with fancy striped flounces. Priced very special at only \$4.49

At \$5.95—Taffeta, gros de londre and silk jersey Petticoats in many pretty styles—plain colors and changeables. Priced special at \$5.95



Large \$3.50 Comforters At \$3.15

Third Floor—Full-size Comforters, filled with fluffy white cotton and covered with good grade alkoline, in attractive patterns and colors. Grade usually selling at \$3.15 \$3.50. Priced special at \$3.15

—Portland agents for Motorweave Auto Robes.—Dept., Third Floor.

Muslin Underwear Greatly Underpriced

—Hundreds of beautiful new garments, bought especially for our Great June Sale will be featured again tomorrow at the Center and Bargain Circles on the Main Floor. Look to your Summer needs.

At \$1.59—Women's Night Gowns, Envelope Chemise and Skirts in many pretty styles, trimmed with dainty laces and embroideries. Fine quality cambric and nainsook materials. Priced special for June Sale, \$1.59

At \$1.98—Women's Envelope Chemise, Petticoats and Gowns in assorted styles; also the popular Billie Burke Pajamas. Excellent quality batiste, long-cloth and nainsook materials. Priced for June Sale, \$1.98

At \$2.49—This assortment comprises Envelope Chemise of white or pink batiste—Pajamas in hand-embroidered effects—Gowns in various styles, and lace trimmed Petticoats of muslin and sateen. Priced at \$2.49



June Sale of Home Needs

Featuring Special Offerings In Pillow Cases, Table Linens, Towels, Sheetings and Kindred Lines

Main Floor—BLEACHED PILLOW CASES of good quality—size 42x36 inches. No telephone orders 29c accepted for these. June Sale price, at, each 45x36-Inch Linen-Finish Pillow Cases priced at 48c
—BLEACHED SHEETINGS of good firm quality, 2 1/4 yards wide, Limit 10 yards. Special, yard 68c
—BLEACHED PILLOW CASING of good quality, 42 inches wide. Priced special in June Sale, yard 39c
—HUCK TOWELS of good large size—75 per cent pure linen; 1 dozen to customer. Priced very special, each 39c

Mercerized Table Cloths, Special \$1.98
Tinted Nainsook, Box of 10 Yards, \$2.38



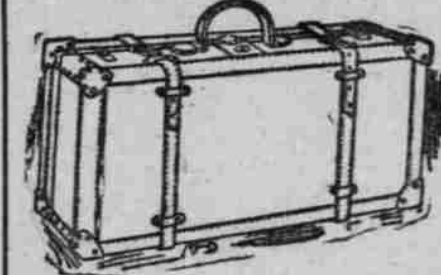
New Fruit Cooker Baskets

No Loss From Dropping Hot Jars A Wonderful Help in Canning



Third Floor—The modern, safe, scientific and sure way to cook fruits and vegetables is right in the glass jars. These Fruit Cooker Baskets or holders make it easy to remove jars and at the same time keep the glass from touching the bottom of the boiler. Every housewife should have at least a half dozen of these. Six for 50c. Sets to hold eight jars, 85c and \$1.25 set. Headquarters for Fruit Jars and accessories—supply your needs now.

Suit Cases Only \$5.95



Third Floor—Brown fabricoid Suit Cases in 24-inch size. Made with leather straps, leather handles and leather corners. Steel frame and cloth lined. Good strong cases that will give satisfactory service. While they last, special, \$5.95

GIRLS ON LONG HIKE

Nine Leave Eugene to Walk 125 Miles to Portland.

20 MILES DAILY PLANNED

Travelers Expect to Cook Most of Their Own Meals, but Will Stop at Hotels at Night on Way to City.

EUGENE, Or., June 17.—(Special.)—Dressed in khaki hiking suits and wearing big tan walking boots, nine members of the Gamma Phi Beta sorority of the university will leave tomorrow morning to hike the 125 miles to Portland. The girls plan to do 20 miles a day, stopping at hotels each night on the way and cooking most of their own meals.

Those making the walk are: Mrs. Emma Wootton Hall, of Astoria, graduate, who will be chaperone; Dorothy Dunbar, also a graduate; Dorothy Wootton, Frances Dunbar, of Astoria; Aileen Tomkins, of Cascade Locks; Myrtle Jane Albright, of Salem; Verne Robbina, of Hood River; Helen Woodcock and Buena Margason, both of Portland.

Mrs. Hall, prominent in class and student activities and secretary of the associated students during the past year and Miss Dorothy Dunbar received their bachelor of arts degrees

this morning at the commencement exercises. The nine girls who will make the trip spent the afternoon making final preparations for the hike which they have been planning for three weeks.

"Every mile of the way on foot," is their slogan. Nearly all of the girls are experienced hikers and are looking forward to their long tramp with pleasure.

"The weather seems ideal for our trip," said Mrs. Hall yesterday. "The parents and especially the brothers of some of the girls have said we are foolish to attempt it and will never make Portland. They don't know us very well. We are going to show them just what we can do."

The girls will start at 6 o'clock tomorrow morning and follow the road on the west side of the Willamette River. They plan to reach Harrisburg the first night and then go through Monroe, Corvallis and Salem, where they will leave Miss Albright at her home. They expect to do most of their hiking "from 4 in the morning until about noon and again in the latter part of the evening until dark."

They are taking with them two frying pans, a coffee pot and cups and expect to get supplies from farm houses and cook at least two meals a day themselves.

Cherries Picked for Army Hospitals.

Members of the Women's League for National Service picked a large quantity of cherries from the orchard at Forty-sixth and Belmont donated by the owner, Mr. Reese. The Young People's Society of the East Side sent 15 workers under the leadership of Mrs. McKee Morehead, and others came with Mrs. Sherr, of the Railroad Women's Club. The cherries are being canned for use in the hospitals of France and America in the canning kitchen at Grand and Belmont. Mrs. E. Zimmerman was in charge of the kitchen yesterday and Mrs. C. A. Wood will be in charge today.

ICE NOW 70 CENTS

Promised Price Reduction Goes Into Effect.

ZONE DELIVERY TO FOLLOW

Dealers Look for Complaints, but Are Confident New System Will Eventually Meet With Approval of Public.

Portland ice companies yesterday put in effect the reduction of 10 cents a 100 pounds, recently arranged in conference with the food administration for Oregon. Under the coupon book sales method the price now is 70 cents.

Dealers are perfecting the zone arrangement under which deliveries are to be made in future, and which, by economy in delivery expenses, permits the reduction. The zone system of delivery will be in operation within a few days, when maps will be issued showing the districts to be served and the days upon which delivery will be made in each.

Certain zones will be served on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays, and others on Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays. Householders who have been accustomed to daily deliveries will be asked to readjust their needs so that the alternate daily service will suffice.

The reduced price of 70 cents a 100 pounds applies only to coupon book sales, say the ice men. In instances where ice is ordered for irregular delivery and collection made at the same time, the price will remain at 1 cent a pound.

The use of the coupon book and the zone system of delivery do away with extra bookkeeping and with long trips for unprofitable deliveries. Under the present system the entire zone will be served on a specified day, and the waste of delivery trips to fill small orders will be dispensed with.

Ice dealers yesterday said they were confident the plan would meet with favor, when the public fully realizes that it is an economy to be prepared beforehand with orders for ice and to accept delivery on a specified day.

"There will be numerous instances," said one dealer, "in which householders will have butter, milk and other foods spoil before they get used to the new conditions, but the great majority will be with us from the start."

The measure is one of importance to the cause of food conservation, as by the use of ice, regularly supplied, a great deal of food will be preserved until it is adapted to the needs of the day, and the food administration, and is deserving of undivided support."

THE OWL CELEBRATING

DRUG COMPANY HAS 26TH BIRTHDAY THIS WEEK.

Portland Store, Under Management of E. Struppler, Is Second Highest in Number of Customers Served.

The Owl Drug Company is celebrating its 26th birthday this week. This institution now has 28 stores—25 on the Coast and three in the Middle West. All are joining in the celebration.

The first Owl drug store was established in San Francisco in 1892. At the time of the fire in 1906 the company owned and operated four stores and a laboratory. Quickly recovering from this setback, with the aid of stores operated in Sacramento, Oakland and Los Angeles, the march of progress was again started and has never stopped.

The Portland store was opened in 1910. E. Struppler, local manager, has just received a report showing that his store was the second highest in the number of customers served in the month of May and that in the percentage of gain he was far in the lead.

Every store has made consistent progress. The number of customers served has grown from 250,000 in 1902 to more than 12,000,000 in 1917. The volume of business from a financial standpoint has grown in the same proportion.

R. E. Miller, the organizer of the company, is still its president and directing head and is surrounded largely by men who have started in the business with him. War conditions have not hindered the growth of the Owl Drug Company—five stores have been opened within the last ten months and preparations are being made for a new one in Seattle.

Damage Suit on Trial.

LA GRANDE, Or., June 17.—(Special.)—In a suit for \$4000 filed against the O-W. R. & N. will be taken tomorrow morning. Mrs. Grace F. Fuller is the complainant, suing for damages as a consequence of the fatal injury to Francis Fuller near North Fork, Or., last year.

Soldier Dies at Fort.

ASTORIA, Or., June 17.—(Special.)—Byron W. Lemmon, an enlisted man in the Spruce Division, died at the post hospital in Fort Stevens, Sunday night, following a short illness with pneumonia. He was 25 years of age, a native of Nebraska, and the body was sent there tonight for interment.

Portlanders at Tacoma.

TACOMA, Wash., June 17.—(Special.)—Mr. and Mrs. John Burgard, of Portland, spent today in Tacoma, visiting with their sons Lieutenants Clark and William Burgard.

MOTHERS GET CLAIMS

GOVERNMENT ALLOTMENTS FOR DEPENDENTS MADE PROMPTLY.

J. P. Jaeger Interests Himself in Cases of Delay and Representative McArthur Takes Matter Up at Washington.

Oregon mothers of soldiers and sailors who have not been receiving their allotments from the Government are now being cared for promptly, thanks to the efforts of Representative C. N. McArthur, who has personally taken up a large number of claims with the Bureau of War Risk Insurance at the solicitation of J. P. Jaeger, of Portland.

"Not all the mothers come in to tell me about receiving allotments," said Mr. Jaeger, "but a number of them have proudly showed me their money received from the Government. Yesterday one woman announced that she had received \$200 of allotted allotment money and another received a warrant for \$140 from the War Risk Insurance Bureau."

As a result of his offer to help mothers get their allotments, Mr. Jaeger has received letters from all over the state, as well as from Washington and California. In every case he has taken the claim up with Mr. McArthur, who has traced it through the War or Navy departments to the War Risk Insurance Bureau, where it has been attended to. Mr. Jaeger sends allotment claims to Washington, D. C., every week and he will be glad to help other mothers receive the money due them from the Government. Letters to him should be addressed to 151 Sixth street and should include full information about the case.

FARM HOME IS DESTROYED

Fire of Unknown Origin Burns Sand Ridge Dwelling.

ILWACO, Wash., June 17.—(Special.)—The home of A. L. Byers, of Sand Ridge, was destroyed by fire this afternoon. The fire was first discovered in an upstairs room. In spite of every effort on the part of hundreds of willing workers it was impossible to save the house. Some of the contents, including a piano and other large pieces of furniture, were saved. The origin of the fire is not known. The loss is covered by insurance.

Read The Oregonian classified ads.

Drink Better Coffee

An appetite for the better things of life is born in all of us and it should be cultivated.

—thus the object of this advertisement is to repeat the fact that GOLDEN WEST COFFEE is a healthful bracing beverage. It aids digestion and invigorates the mentally or physically tired. Vacuum packed in airtight cans, it is always "Just Right," no matter where or when you buy it.

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Order a Can Today

LIBERTY

Yesterday's Oregonian Said: "Is greatest screen novelty of the year."

TARZAN OF THE APES

Save More Wheat Use AOLSUM War Bread

40% Nutritious Substitute

Bluhill cheese fits in on that auto trip!

Isn't this product worth trying?

You may wait twelve hours before baking, your oven floor may vibrate, you may use unfamiliar flours, yet



Crescent Double-Acting Baking Powder will raise the dough so perfectly that you'll wonder how you got along before without this pure, wholesome leavener.

All Grocers Sell It.

ASK FOR and GET Horlick's The Original Malted Milk For Infants and Invalids Substitutes Cost YOU Same Price