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—BY—
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Oregon has raised its National Guard up to war strength, being one of the first states on the coast to fill its quota. The navy enlistments have all been filled, pro rata, and Oregon boys are still joining that branch of the National service. Old Oregon has always been to the front since the days of "54-40 or fight."

If we are to have war we should have a system that will mean prompt enlistment. The present fight in Congress against the conscription measure reminds one of the story of the father and son, who in the heat of argument, as to which should go and put out a trespasser, became involved in a fight, while the invader helped himself to the household effects.

The Chamberlain O. & C. land law, disposing of the railway grant lands, has been held valid, and the over two million acres will soon go to sale. The timber will be sold by the government, and agricultural land will sell to settlers, the company to receive its \$2.50 per acre, in consonance with the terms of the grant. The timber sales will go into the government and state treasuries. It has taken years to get this verdict for the people.

OFFICIAL VISIT

Henry S. Westbrook, Portland, Grand Master Oregon I. O. O. F., visited Montezuma Lodge last night, and delivered an address. He was introduced by Chas. E. Deichman, of the local lodge, and the address was enjoyed by the one hundred present. The visit had a special significance as today is the 98th anniversary of the founding of the order. After the lodge session the meeting was open and the Rebekahs attended, and refreshments were served.

R. B. Goodin, of the State Board of Control, came down from Salem to be present at the meeting, and R. Beamish came up from Cedar Mill to participate in the session.

A CARD

Editor The Argus:

The U. S. Civil Service Commission has requested me, as local secretary of the commission, to advertise as far as possible, the need of the government at this particular time, of Mechanics of all kinds in the Navy Yards and Arsenals of the U. S.

A list of places and kind of employment can be seen at any time in the lobby of the postoffice, and application cards may be obtained there.

Good wages are offered, and any one wishing work in any of the branches mentioned, would do well to look into this.

A. U. Davis,
Local Secretary.

EDWIN HUGHES

Edwin Hughes died at his home near North Plains, April 23, 1917, aged 53 years, 4 months and 12 days. He leaves a widow, Mrs. Nellie A. Hughes, and a son, Ray H. After coming from Illinois to Oregon he resided ten years at Albany, 5 years in Eastern Oregon, three years at Banks, and three years at North Plains.

A brother, Wm. T. Hughes, resides in Montana, and a sister, Mrs. Ada E. Putney, lives at Ashton, Idaho.

Deceased was a prominent member of Freeman Lodge, No. 235, I. O. O. F., of North Plains, and a member of the Albany Woodmen of the World.

The funeral was held Wednesday afternoon, at 2 o'clock, at the residence, Rev. Walton Skipworth, of the M. E. Church, of Hillsboro, conducting the services. The remains were shipped to Albany this morning, by Undertaker Limber, and interment will be in that city.

Father Moore, the well known Catholic priest, died at Salem, last Sunday.

Chas. F. Barrett has sold his farm at Lyons, Ore., and has moved to Salem to reside.

The State Encampment of the Spanish-American War Veterans will meet in Hillsboro, June 27-8. Persons who can accommodate two or more visitors to rooms during encampment will please notify the Secretary of the Commercial Club, City.

The M. E. Church Ladies' Aid

Society, Committee No. 2, met at the church yesterday afternoon, complimenting their guests with a tea. Refreshments were served and a program enjoyed. Fifty guests were present.

Wanted—Pasture for 7 head of young cattle, calves and yearlings; also for two young horses.—H. M. Basford, Pleasant Home Farm. Phone X515.

Queen Miriam and her attendants, and perhaps some of the enlisted boys, will be honor guests of the Coffee Club, at their Jitney Dance, Saturday night, April 28. Best of music and a good time assured.

Adam Wilkinson has sued his wife, Emma, for divorce, alleging desertion in 1915. There are no children. They were married at Goble in 1907.

OREGON ELECTRIC TRAINS

To Portland—55 minutes.

6:32	.....	a m
7:18	.....	a m
8:28	.....	a m
9:58	.....	a m
12:43	.....	p m
3:58	.....	p m
5:18	.....	p m
7:53	.....	p m
9:58	.....	p m

From Portland—55 minutes.

7:54	.....	a m
9:20	.....	a m
11:25	.....	a m
2:12	.....	p m
4:27	.....	p m
6:31	.....	p m
7:18	.....	p m
8:25	.....	p m
12:20	.....	p m

DELEGATES

Delegates have been appointed to attend the Good Roads Convention, Portland, at the Multnomah Hotel, Saturday of this week. Mayor Wall has named D. B. Reasoner, M. H. Stevenson, Geo. McGee, Dr. F. J. Bailey and T. M. Kerr; the Commercial Club has named G. C. Combs, Dr. Wood, J. H. Garrett, O. B. Gates, G. J. Limber and Dr. J. P. Famiesie.

The committee on prize essays has awarded two prizes to Washington county people—H. A. Ball, of Hillsboro, former county school superintendent, received a \$5 prize, and Adelaide Hunter, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Hunter, of North Plains, was awarded a \$2 prize.

RAY-SMITH

Albert M. Ray and Miss Margaret Smith were united in marriage in Hillsboro, April 23, 1917. Rev. Miller officiating. The bride has been a resident of Portland several years. The groom is a son of J. H. Ray, and is connected with the corps of employees of the Carnation Co.

HANSEN-MEIER

Harry Hansen, and Miss Ida Rose Meier, well known young people of the east end of the county, were united in marriage at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Meier, of Bethany, April 25, 1917. Rev. Zicha officiating. The ceremony was performed in the presence of the members of the families and a few invited guests. The groom is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Nels Hansen, of near Elmonica, and the bride has grown to womanhood in the Bethany community. Her father is connected with the German Mutual Insurance Association, and for several years was an officer of that institution. After a short wedding trip they will return to Bethany, where they will reside on the home of the groom. Arrangements are now being perfected for the building of a fine home on the farm, which is one of the best in that section.

The bride is a niece of Mrs. Emil Kurath, of this city.

Fire broke out in the Mrs. Benj. Haines home, Sixth and Fir, last evening, and the department arrived bright off the reel. The neighbors had extinguished the blaze, however, before the apparatus arrived. An accident grew out of the fire, Lester Smith, the seven year old son of Rev. E. A. Smith having been knocked down by an auto run by Will Cornelius. No bones were broken, although the lad was severely bruised. No blame is attached, as the car had slacked up for the lad, who then became confused.

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CHURCH ANNOUNCEMENTS

Methodist Episcopal Church, Third and Washington, (Church of the Friendly Greeting.) Walton Skipworth, pastor.—Sunday School at 9:45 a. m.; 11 a. m., "The Atonement in Christ." Junior League at 3 p. m. Epworth League at 7 p. m. Eight p. m., address by Miss Ada Holmes, a returned Missionary from India. Choir practice every Wednesday evening. Prayer meeting Thursday evening.

Services at the Baptist Church, Sunday, April 29, 1917—E. A. Smith, pastor.—Sunday School at 10 a. m., W. P. Dyke, Supt. A lively school. Give it a call. Preaching service at 11 a. m., theme, "Working Out the Supreme Object." Young People's meeting at 7 p. m. Preaching at 8 o'clock; subject, "Temptations at Home and at the Front." Prayer meeting Thursday evening. A cordial welcome to all services.

The twenty-third annual session of the Oregon Conference of the Free Methodist Church will be held in the Free Methodist Church, in Hillsboro, May 9-13. Bishop Walter A. Sellen, of Jamestown, N. Y., will preside. There will be a business session each day from 8:30 to 11:30 p. m. Religious services will be held each day at 2:30 and 8 p. m. The public is invited to attend all these services. There will be the regular services next Sabbath, conducted by the pastor, Sabbath School, 10 a. m.; preaching at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.—J. N. Wood, Pastor.

First Congregational Church, Fifth and Main Sts., Rev. A. D. Shaw, Ph. D., Pastor Sunday School at 10 a. m., B. W. Barnes,

Supt. Morning worship at 11 a. m. Sermon subject will be: "The Definition Applied to a Truly Great Life by Jesus." Christian Endeavor at 6:30 p. m. Evening worship at 7:30 p. m. will be an address illustrated by 30 stereopticon pictures. At the morning service the Hillsboro Home Guard will attend in a body. This service will commence promptly at 11 o'clock. The public cordially invited to the services of this church.

United Evangelical Church—A. H. Miller, Pastor. Sunday School at 10 a. m., Miss Katie Brendaw, Supt. Morning service at 11 a. m.; sermon by the pastor, C. E., at 6:45 p. m.; Mrs. Lillian Perkins Davis, leader, Evening service at 7:30. Sermon by the pastor. Prayer meeting every Thursday evening at the parsonage. Bishop Fouke will speak next Tuesday evening at 7:30. Bishop Fouke is a delightful speaker and everybody is cordially invited to hear him at the Evangelical Church, Tuesday, May 1st.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

In the County Court of the State of Oregon for Washington County. In the matter of the estate of Peter Gebson, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been duly appointed and confirmed by the above entitled Court as Executor of the last will and testament of Peter Gebson, deceased, and has duly qualified as such.

Now therefore, all persons having claims against said estate are hereby notified and required to present the same together with proper vouchers therefor, to the undersigned at the law office of Hare & McAlair, in the American National Bank Building, Hillsboro, Oregon, within six months from the date hereof.

Dated April 24th, 1917.
WM. KING,
Executor of the last will and testament of Peter Gebson, deceased.
HARE & McALAIR,
Attorneys for Executor.

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