

## GOVERNOR PROCLAIMS JUNE 5 A HOLIDAY

Issues State Paper Setting out  
Registration Day

THREE REST DAYS CONSECUTIVE

Military Day Follows General State  
Election

Gov. Withycombe has proclaimed June 5 a holiday, and this will give the laborer three holidays if he shall want them—Sunday, the state election, and military registration day.

His proclamation follows: "Whereas, the President of the United States has designated June 5, 1917, as the day upon which our citizens shall register in accordance with the provisions of the selective draft law, and

Whereas, on this day we face a gigantic task new in our national history and one whose proper conduct can only be attained through the united cooperation of every citizen, and

Whereas, it is vitally desirable that the registration be accomplished with thoroughness and dispatch, both as a testimony to the efficiency of our democracy and as a moral example stimulating to our allies and depressing to our adversaries, and

Whereas, it is especially fitting that this occasion be made one of patriotic festival fittingly celebrating the Nation's unity and the willingness of its citizenship to serve our flag and to make sacrifice, if needs be, in a righteous cause,

Now, Therefore, I, James Withycombe, by virtue of the authority vested in me as Governor of the State of Oregon, do proclaim Tuesday, June fifth, 1917, as War Census Day, and I do further declare it a legal holiday, believing that by so doing the purposes above set forth will best be served. And I call upon the patriotic men and women of Oregon, and their sons and daughters, to make of this day an occasion memorable in the history of our state, marking, as it does, a great forward step in the efficient utilization of our manhood upon the side of democracy and justice in the World War, to the end that world peace may the sooner be restored and permanently assured."

Every male resident aged 21 and not yet 31 years must register. This includes aliens, as well as men who are sick or crippled. Exemptions from military service will be determined later.

Register in your home voting precinct. Booths at regular voting places will be open from 7 a. m. to 9 p. m. Absentees must register before War Census day at the office of the County Clerk of the county in which they happen to be.

Men of military age who are sick must send a competent person to the office of the County Clerk to arrange for their registration.

The penalty for failing to register, or for giving false, misleading or incorrect answers, is imprisonment without option of fine.

### LAND PLASTER

Is now in stock at our warehouse.—C. B. Buchanan & Co.

M. J. B. coffee at Greer's.

Robert Thompson, of Cedar Mill, was greeting friends here Saturday. He states that the Union School had a fine program and basket social, Friday evening, in honor of the close of a successful term of school, just closed by Mrs. C. C. Arns. The baskets brought the school \$50 net, and the teacher and students are very much pleased at the public support extended.

I have for sale a limited amount of seed corn, good for silo or other purpose.—Zina Wood, Hillsboro, Ore. 10-11

For Sale—Twenty acres, black loam soil, all cleared except half-acre of oak grove; in high state of cultivation; on county road; situated between Oregon Electric and S. P. electric lines, at Reedville; good school; church; stores, and post office. Easy terms. One-third down, balance on long time. Price reasonable. Obtain owner's name by writing to Box 27, Reedville. 7-9

Alex Gordon and son, Fred, were in from North Plains the last of the week.

Ray Emmott and Harry Cline returned a few days ago from the Siletz, where they caught all kinds of fish. The boys returned with a small bunch of cattle picked up between here and Sheridan, but brought none from the Grand Ronde. Stock over in that section entered rather badly and were very thin.

John Donovan, of near 1 monia, was up to the city the last of the week.

Jos Cawrse, of North Tualatin Plains, has plowed up so of his hops, retaining enough fill his contracted crop. He says that hops are very backward this Spring, owing to the heavy late frost, which touched a good many of the vines.

Chas. Reiling and family, Roy, were Hillsboro visitors Saturday and Sunday.

Peter White, of Gales Cree was in town Sunday. He was accompanied by his brother, O., known as "Bud," who, with his wife, is visiting here from Dot, Wash., near the Horse Heaven country.

The High School students enjoyed a picnic at Meacham's, last Saturday.

Wanted—Hogs of all kinds, sheep, beef, poultry of all kinds.—C. K. Rogers, Beaverton, Rt. 4, Box 20. Phone Beaverton 53, line 3. Will call at any place designated. 37-1f

John H. Humphreys, of Woodland, Wn., is here and will stay until the end of the week.

J. R. Hayden, of near Gales, was down the last of the week with a bobcat pelt. He secured his two bucks and took his pelt back with much poultry and many fawns.

M. J. B. coffee at Greer's. Try a can. 48f

M. E. Ward, of Enterprise, was here, Saturday, the guest of his parents and brother, E. M. Ward. He came up from Eugene, where he represented the Enterprise Odd Fellows in grand lodge.

Garden seeds in bulk at Greer's. 48f

Bruce Schulmerich, of South Tualatin, was in town the last of the week. He has his crop all in.

Dr. R. M. Erwin has bought a new Vellie machine from John Wunderlich.

Laurel is now running a Ford stage line to the city.

## GASTON TRIO IN TOILS OF THE LAW

Have Been Robbing Gaston Stores  
For Many Moons—Come to Grief

DENNIS STORE ROBBED AT NIGHT

Sheriff Applegate Makes Trip and  
Strategy Gets Plumlee

Geo. Plumlee, renter, married and father of a child; Doc Tallman, barber, father of two children, and Roy Porter, head teamster for Griebeler, all of the Gaston section, are under arrest for alleged Gaston robberies of stores. The Roy Dennis store was the object of the larceny raid last Saturday night, and Sheriff Applegate went to the scene. Early Sunday morning he sent for Geo. Plumlee and taking him to the rear of the Dennis store, found that the tracks corresponded with Plumlee's footgear. Plumlee broke down and confessed, and from his admissions the arrest of others followed. Roy Porter and Doc Tallman were picked up Sunday night. All were brought

only Porter has been non-committal.

Arthur Gottlieb, aged about 15, son of Mr. and Mrs. Peter Gottlieb, was last Thursday evening

wounded by the explosion of a 22-calibre pump rifle. The lad had jammed the barrel with a piece of rag while cleaning, and had tried to shoot it out with a cartridge. Failing in this he loaded the barrel, at the breech, with some powder and then added a regulation cartridge. When he pulled the trigger something had to give, and that "something" was the stock and breech of the gun. The stock was so demoralized that there was nothing left but splinters, while the copper and metal of the chamber was blown to fragments. Several pieces entered the boy's face and nose and that his eyes were not blown out was a miracle. He will not lose his vision. Dr. E. H. Smith attended the young man.

Y. M. C. A.

Forest Grove signed up a larger sum of money for the Y. M. C. A. work in the Army than any other city of its size in the Northwest, giving \$540. Sherwood turned in \$63. The Northwest has already given nearly \$50,000.

Y. M. C. A. buildings are being established in all of the 13 Officers' Reserve Camps. Five of the strongest men available are being put in charge of each building. Such men as Henry B. Wright, of Yale Seminary, are being placed in charge of religious work. The regular Army Y. M. C. A. building at the Presidio in San Francisco is being used. The first new building to be erected is at Plattsburg, New York. In formally opening the building Major General Franklin Bell said, "On the battle line it's character that wins—it does not matter when a soldier leaves this life, but it does matter how he leaves it."

E. I. Kuratli has his office in the Hillsboro National Bank Bldg. Loans your money, insures your buildings, rents your houses, buys and sells your property, makes collections. Notary Public. Also speaks German and Swiss. 42tf

Mr. and Mrs. Gail Wells have moved to Portland, where Mr. Wells has a position with Wells Fargo, in the general offices.

Th. Nissen, of Scholls, was in town Saturday.

A. A. Morrill went to Portland, Saturday.

Mrs. Rose Merlo, of Beaverton, was in town Monday.

C. F. and L. M. Hesse, of Scholls, were in town Sunday.

W. H. Bentley and family have gone to Portland for residence.

O. G. Wilkes, now of McMinnville, was visiting in the city Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Davis, of North Plains, were in the county seat Monday.

And. Bendler, of North Tualatin Plains, was a county seat caller Friday.

Chris Johnson, of Mason Hill, transacted business in the county seat Saturday.

Wm. Tupper and wife spent Sunday with their son, W. A. Tupper, of near Oregon City.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Jackson, of Portland, were here over Sunday, guests of Mrs. Wm. Jackson.

H. S. Hudson, of Portland, formerly of Gaston, was a guest at the Hotel Washington, Saturday.

John Engeldinger, who is working in the shipyard at St. Helens, came up to spend Sunday with his parents.

I will sell my fine 80-acre dairy farm; 50 acres in crop; new buildings. I will take small piece as part payment.—Wm. Fizele, Laurel, Ore. 9-11

For Sale—Cement manufacturing plant. Ready for operation, orders to be filled, good profits, small investment. Address, sealed envelope, "H," care Argus, Hillsboro.

L. L. Doane and family, of Cornelius, went to Dryad, Wn., the last of the week. Mr. Doane has a position with one of Dryad's big establishments. His Cornelius friends regret his departure.

D. H. Hanshaw, formerly in the butcher business here, arrived here Saturday, in company with his wife. They recently sold their place near Heppner, and are trying to locate in this section of the state.

Taken up—White horse, weight about 1000 lbs; mane hangs on left side; brand on left side. Owner prove property, pay charges and take same away.—Fred Ruff, two and one-half miles northeast of Hillsboro. 11

Chas. Nichtman, of Shady Brook, severely cut his index finger while chopping lumber, last week, for Mook & Matson. Dr. Hyde dressed the digit, and was not obliged to amputate. He will be laid up for some time.

Saturday witnessed a change in the weather, old Sol having warmed up the atmosphere considerably. Sunday was the first day without rain for seven Sundays—and it was the first real Summer day. Monday followed with another fine day, and one could see vegetation fairly boom.

The Emmotts have bought the Hardin & Olsen Meat Market, taking possession last week. They expect to merge it with their Main Street shop, and will occupy the same quarters on Main, except that they will take a part of the old court house building, giving them a great deal more room.

Robt. Simpson and Wm. Jack departed Saturday for Tendo, Idaho, where they have a gold and copper mine. They expect to go in the mountains until snow flies and come back to Oregon this fall. J. E. Reeves will join them next week, and Bert Arms, of Portland, well known here, will be one of the party. Reeves will stay in the mine for several weeks.

Franklin Marion Griffith, aged 68 years, of near Scholls, was Monday ordered committed to the State Hospital at Salem. He came here with his parents in 1852, the father taking up a donation claim. He has never married, and suffered from a paralytic stroke a few years ago. Years ago he had a fine memory, and was considered one of the best historians in that section. Dr. F. A. Bailey made the examination, and found that the old gentleman was harmless, but absolutely unable to care for himself, having no business mind. The patient says he was euchered out of about 7 acres a few years ago, trading it for slashing which was never done. Griffith is not suicidal, and says he has no grudge against anyone, saying "I'm just not fit to do any business." He spends his time breaking little sticks.

## BIG INDUSTRY MOVES ALONG TILLAMOOK LINE

Nearly a Thousand Men at Work  
in Mills and Camps

WHEELER PLANT LEADS ALL OTHERS

Eagle Lumber and Standard Box Co.  
Follow With Big Crews

Logging and milling in the North of Washington County, between Hillsboro and Cochran is assuming mammoth proportions. Early in February the Argus stated that at least 600 men would be employed in the North County, but a census shows that these figures have been discounted considerably. As a matter of fact there are 890 men employed in the various camps, and, including the extra train crews needed to handle the output, at least 925 men are given labor because of the lumber industry.

As near as can be ascertained the following men are employed between the county seat and Cochran—

C. H. Wheeler Mill and Logging, Cochran, 175; Summit Tr. Co. Logging, Cochran, 70; Burst & Cox Logging, Reliance, 40; Eagle Lumber Co., West Timber Mill and Logging, 165; Standard Box Co., Mill and Logging, 165; Nordby Mill & Woods, Strassel, 35; Buxton Lbr. Co., Mill and Woods, Buxton, 125; McFarlane Bros., Mill and Woods, Manning, 40; Hunger Bros., Mill and Woods, Manning, 30; Hall Lbr. Co., Mill and Woods, Manning, 20; G. H. & P. Lbr. Co., Logging, Buxton, 25.

For the week closing last Saturday the P. R. & N. brought out 230 car loads of logs, or a total of 1,850,000 feet. For this week if things go right it is expected that over two million feet of logs, to say nothing of the lumber, will be billed out of the north country, all of it being cut in Washington County.

S. P. & P. E. & E.

All, except the P. R. & N. trains are electric, and stop at the depot on Main Street.

TO PORTLAND  
Forest Grove Train 6:50 a. m.  
McMinnville Train 7:36  
Sheridan Train 10:03  
Forest Grove Train 12:50 p. m.  
McMinnville Train 2:16  
Forest Grove Train 4:05  
Eugene Train 4:55  
McMinnville Train 6:40  
Forest Grove Train 9:50

FROM PORTLAND  
arrives  
Eugene Train 8:15 a. m.  
McMinnville Train 10:03  
Forest Grove Train 11:59  
Forest Grove Train 3:14 p. m.  
Sheridan Train 4:33  
Forest Grove Train 6:40  
McMinnville Train 7:15  
Forest Grove Train 9:00  
McMinnville Train 12:15

All trains stop on flag at Sixth and Main; at North Range and Fir streets, Sixth and Fir Sts., and at Tenth street.  
Steam Service from old depot at foot of Second Street

TO PORTLAND  
P. R. & N. Train 5:05 p. m.  
FROM PORTLAND  
P. R. & N. Train 9:15 a. m.  
Motor Car Service  
To Buxton 12:25 p. m.  
To Timber 4:20  
From Timber 9:55 a. m.  
From Buxton 2:10 p. m.

### PENCE PLANTS POPPERS

A. S. Pence, for several months with the Oregon Electric as assistant agent at the Hillsboro station, has gone into the bean business in Umatilla County, near Weston. According to the Weston Leader, Mr. Pence has leased 80 acres of bean land, and will plant the entire plot to beans. He expects to clean up a neat little bunch of money this year, war or no war.

Pasturage—Seventy acres clover, timothy and orchard grass. Excellent condition. Not previously pastured this season. Plenty of shade and water. Prices right.—W. B. Congdon, Route 4, Beaverton, Ore. 10-2

Jas. F. Sheehan, of the Nursery Co., was here the last of the week. Mr. Sheehan is very proud of the Oreoco Military Band.

Born, to A. L. Keenon and wife, of above North Plains, May 20, 1917, a son.

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