

### THIRTY-THREE SHIPS UNDER WAY, PORTLAND

Several Thousand More Men Wanted for Work in Yards  
 POTATO CROP LARGER THAN USUAL  
 Railroads Will Use Over \$75,000 Cars for Shipping

Portland shipbuilding district has 48 ways with 33 wooden ships under construction. More new orders will be placed. Industry has suffered from inaction by shipping board and closed ship strikers. Portland still has need of several thousand mechanics in wood and metal work at the shipyards.

Increased sugar beet acreage in the irrigation land states means increased meat production in these states, as well as more dairying.

J. D. Farrell, President of the O. W. R. & N. Co., says: "The railroads are now moving what promises to be the biggest potato crop in history of country. Total approximately 453,000,000 bushels, or half again as much as last year. With intensive loading more than 75,000 cars will be needed."

Albany—Work starts on 5-mile extension of Albany-Detroit branch eastward from Detroit to facilitate logging operations of Hammond Lumber Co. at Mill City.

Springfield—S. P. Co. appropriates \$38,000 to replace 75 pound rails on 19 miles of main line between Junction City and Goshen with 90 pound rails. The heavier rails are already laid between Junction City and Portland, and company is going ahead with improvements as rapidly as men and conditions will permit.

Bandon—The thirteen miles county highway south of here to be gravelled from Flores creek.

Bend—Trainloads of sheep are going to Eastern markets. Feed is short and sales are being made to prevent losses by starvation.

### Thanksgiving Masquerade

There will be a Masquerade Dance at the Moose Hall, Thanksgiving night, Nov. 29, given by the Coffee Club. Covell's 4 piece orchestra, of Portland, will furnish the music. Cash prizes will be given for the most comical and best sustained characters. Tickets, \$1.00; spectators, 10c. Everybody invited.

Page Gardner and wife, of above Mountaineer, were city visitors the last of the week. Page hasn't lost his cunning in hooking a trout.

Mitchell running gears, 34, nearly new, used but short time. —Paul Zuercher, Beaverton, Or., Route 4. 36z

Carl Hieckthier and his father came up from Cedar Mill the last of the week. Carl departed for San Francisco Thursday evening, to take training in the Naval school.

W. C. Pickens and wife, who have been living at Sumas, Wash., for a few years, were here this week, guests of their son, of Kerr & Pickens. They go East in a few days, and will visit in Tennessee.

Sheriff Applegate was notified Saturday that four new men had been certified into the army from this county—Wilbur L. Thomas and Everett Burnsworth, Forest Grove; Jas. H. Jacobsen, Hillsboro, and Alfred Greenburg, of Greenburg Heights. Chairman Applegate gives out the following statistics relative to the local citizenry—total registered, 1905; called for examination, 138; quota due from this county, 38; passed physically, 101; rejected on physical grounds, 23; failed to appear, 14, this including those in the army and navy; certified to the district board, 53; ordered to report to camp, 38; claims for exemption filed, 73; 23 of them account wife and child; 17 account infirm parents; 44 claims allowed by board for exemption; 14 allowed exemption by district board, vocational; claims still unsettled, 4.

For Sale—Good work team, weight 3250, will sell single or double; 3 good milk cows; 1 is a thorough-bred Jersey-Guernsey, giving 4 gallons of milk; 1 is a black Jersey, gives 4 gal. and the other is a Herford-Guernsey, 5 gallon; all fresh or soon to be fresh; 2 heifer calves, half-Holstein, from fine registered stock. —R. M. Manning, 44 miles northwest of Oreno, and one mile northeast of West Union church. Phone 25F15, North Plains Central. Address Hillsboro R. 4, Box 113. 36

Harry Collins, of Prosser, Wn., was arrested at Beaverton the last of the week, on a warrant from Prosser, charging him with larceny by baillee. It appears that Collins mortgaged a team for several hundred dollars and then moved the team out of the state.

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.

Enoch I. Will, of Forest Grove, writes Sheriff Applegate that he is now a sergeant in the Aviation corps, and is stationed at Camp Kelly, San Antonio, Texas. Enoch was one of the first to go from this county in the selective. Here's luck to him.

Jos. Brandenburg, of Oreno, was in town Sunday. He has a son, Francis, in the U. S. Navy, and at last writing he was in Egypt, having crossed through the Suez from the East.

Basket social and entertainment at Witch Hazel School, Saturday evening, November 24. Special music from Portland. Ladies bring baskets and gentlemen bring pocket books.

A. B. Flint, of Scholls, was in town Sunday. He says that a big acreage of Winter grain is being sowed down his way, notwithstanding the drouth.

Fred Taylor, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Taylor, was here Sunday. He is now with the Aviation corps, stationed at Vancouver.

Lost—On Third St., between Fir and Maple, Hillsboro, a pair of glasses, black case. Finder please leave at this office. 35f

Mr. and Mrs. George Emmott were Seattle visitors the last of the week, guests of relatives.

Miss Helen Vaughn was a week-end guest of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Jackson, in Portland.

Mrs. Ware, of Corcong, Iowa, is a guest of Mrs. Patten and son, Prof. Patten.

### FRANK L. HAY JR. HAS THRILLING EXPERIENCE

Lost Bearings in Aeroplane and Crossed Lake Ontario in Storm LANDED IN BUFFALO BALL PARK

Flyer in British Royal Flying Corps. Will Finish Training in United States

Frank L. Hay Jr., aged 19, son of Frank L. Hay, Supt. of the Great Northern Pullman service, had a thrilling experience a few weeks ago while flying in a snow storm. He has been a cadet in the British Flying Corps, near Toronto, Canada, and while flying at an altitude of 3,000 feet, was lost in a snowstorm, without a compass. When he got his bearings and could see down through the clouds, he was over a city, and with some trouble landed in a baseball park in Buffalo, New York, having crossed Lake Ontario. He was up in the air four hours and had traveled 198 miles.

Young Hay was here a year ago, enroute to Honolulu. He is a nephew of Mrs. Frank Imbrie, of Oreno; John Hay, of Seattle; Ben Hay, Astoria, and Mrs. Zada Falangus, Portland, all of whom are well known here.

He has been made a second lieutenant in the Corps, and now comes to the United States to finish his flying training somewhere in Texas. He will be a scout pilot.

### ANTON GNOS

Anton Gnos, aged 40 years, died suddenly at his home on Iowa Hill, Sunday morning, Nov. 18, 1917. He had been to Hillsboro Friday, with a load of potatoes, and had a stroke while going home. He came to himself and found he was off the load and was holding his team. He went home and rested Saturday. Sunday morning he felt better, and after Mrs. Gnos had talked with a relative at Forest Grove, over the phone, she spoke to him. He failed to answer, and when she made an examination she found that he had passed away.

Mr. Gnos was born in Canton, Uri, Switzerland, Aug. 9, 1877, and came to America with his parents when he was aged 7 years. He was married to Margaret Lennartz, at Milwaukee, Wis., May 16, 1899. The widow and the following children survive—Selma Margaret, Arnold Anton, Anthony Lawrence, Frances, Elizabeth, Joseph and Frank. Of his immediate family he is survived by his mother, Mrs. Selma Michel, Forest Grove, and the following sisters, Mrs. Anna Dober, Cornelius; Mrs. Elizabeth Regan and Mrs. Selma Reichard, Portland.

The funeral took place Tuesday, the services being conducted by Father O'Neill, of St. Matthews. Interment was in the Catholic cemetery, below Newton.

Wm. Hansen and family, of Scholls, were Hillsboro visitors the last of the week.

Money to loan on improved real estate, principally farms and choice city property.—Kerr Bros., Hillsboro, Odd Fellows Building. 19tf

Mrs. Clarence Gonyo, of Shady Brook, is at Dr. Hyde's Hospital, suffering from a cancer.

We are making chocolates, caramels, nougats and many other kinds of candies every day, and if you want candy get the home-made.—Koeber's Confectionery, Second St.

Mrs. Margaret McKinney, of Seaside, visited with her son, F. G. Mitchell, and wife, the last of the week.

Five young cows for sale, second calf coming, fresh last of November. Am selling because of crowded barn.—Frank Greener, 3 miles south of Hillsboro, second place on left across Road Bridge. 34-6z

Miss Elizabeth Figero, of Yamhill, was the guest of her sister, Mrs. Thos. Williams, the last of the week, returning home Monday.

Feed Cutter for Sale—"Swiss Improved," No. 10, 2-knife machine, hand and power, new. Reason for selling is the need of a larger one.—Inquire of R. J. Schwanke, near Shefflin. Phone C151, Hillsboro Central. P. O. address, Cornelius, R. 1. 36

H. H. Cochrane, of Banks, was in town Saturday.

J. N. Loudon, of Blooming, was in town Monday.

This is open season for mince pies. Get your cider at Koeber's, Second St.

Miss Esther Eilford, of Gresham, was a week-end guest of Miss Anna Sias.

Wanted—To rent, a farm of from 40 to 80 acres.—Box 44, Aloha, Oregon. 36

J. B. Campbell, of beyond North Plains, was in the city Monday.

Hillsboro Clock Shop. Clock repairing of all kinds. All work guaranteed.—W. F. Tews, 1140 Third St., Hillsboro. 36

Geo. Hart, of Gales Creek, and Chas. Collins, of Buxton, were taken to the pen at Salem, Sunday, to serve sentences.

Young pigs for sale.—Edward Wendt, Hillsboro, Ore., R. 3. Telephone F5125, Hillsboro Central. 34-6z

John Wilder, formerly of near Banks, but now of Melbourne, Wn., is visiting with the Wilcox brothers and other friends in the Greenville-Banks section.

Frank Weisenbeck and family, of Oregon City, were over Sunday and Monday, guests of relatives. Frank is still conducting a big dairy in Clackamas County.

Phone City 12 for "Liberty Brick" ice cream—nothing more appropriate for Thanksgiving dinner. Let us know as early as possible.—Koeber's Confectionery, Second St.

B. Fleischauer, of Gaston, was down Monday. He has finished putting in over a half mile of gravel between Gaston and the Yamhill line. Over \$2,000 was expended in the work.

For Sale—Bay horse, 8 years old, weighs 1400 lbs, sound and true.—Inquire of J. C. Leedy, Beaverton, Oregon, Route 3. Phone, Scholls Central, 51 on Line 20. 35-7

Mrs. H. B. Luce, of Eddyville, Lincoln County, arrived last week for an extended stay with her son, E. C. Luce. Mrs. Luce has been indisposed for several weeks and came over for the benefit of her health.

To Trade.—160 acres cut-over land three miles from Buxton. Suitable for dairy and sheep ranch. Want Hillsboro residence and acres. Money to loan on Hillsboro real estate. Long time.—A. W. McCormack, 703 Oak street. 35-1f

Monday and Tuesday nights two plays will be given, at the Liberty Theatre, by the pupils of the lower grades. Monday night, "Mother Goose Convention." Tuesday night, "Hansel and Gretel." Admission, 10 and 15 cents. The proceeds will be used for the benefit of the school.

Wm. Gottlieb, Roy McKnight and Herbert Luck, of the local Pythian Lodge, departed Friday for San Francisco, as enlisted men in the U. S. Marine Corps. The Pythian Uniform Rank gave the boys a farewell reception Thursday night. Gottlieb enlisted as a marine in order to be with McKnight and Luck in the service, and they will ask to be assigned in the same corps.

Fiske at Cornelius, has team of bay 5-year-old horses, weight 3200 lbs, sound; registered Duroc Jersey sow, 1 year old; 3 shoats, weight 80 pounds each, for sale. 35tf

The county court Friday appointed F. W. Livermore, W. J. Good and Thos. Connell as viewers of road No. 706. Petition for road No. 707, Zumwalt et al, disallowed. Road petition No. 704, W. W. Maller et al, continued to December term. County road No. 705, S. Schmidt et al, referred to district attorney. Ordered that the county court does not secure right of way for state highway on the Rex-Tigard road, and refers the same to the State Highway Commission.

Wanted: Beef, pork, mutton, veal, etc., and pay the highest market price for same. Will call any place.—T. A. Miller, Beaverton, Route 4; Tel. Beaverton, 3 on line 3. 37 tf

The will of the late Eugene Schiller was filed in probate last week. His entire estate is valued at about \$20,000. His will was made May 1, 1900, and gave his wife a life interest in 13 1/2 acres of land near Beaverton. To his mother, who lived in Cannstatt, Wurtemberg, Germany, he gave \$250; to a brother, Oscar, of the same place, \$100; to a brother, Carl, \$5. A step-son, Perry Miller, he left \$100. The residue of the estate goes to the son, Eugene Schiller.

### PIONEER OF 1845 DIES AT LAKEPORT, CAL.

Jane Evans Morton, Well Known Here in Early Days CAME DOWN COLUMBIA ON RAFT Mrs. Letitia Smith Visits Lakeport to Find She Had Passed

When the Imbrie party visited California recently, Mesdames Imbrie and Smith visited Lakeport to see their aunt, Mrs. Morton, only to find she had died a few days before.

"Mrs. Jane Evans Morton, after years of ill health, passed peacefully away Tuesday night, at the home of her daughter, Mrs. John Beach, of Lakeport. Mrs. Morton was born near Danville, Iowa, in April, 1839. Her father, Alexander Evans, was the first Baptist missionary sent into the Iowa country.

In 1845, the Evans family crossed the plains with ox-teams to Oregon, the trip taking six months. The dangers from hostile Indians, sickness, poison springs, wild animals and hail storms were well remembered and interestingly told by Grandma Morton in after life.

At the Whitman Mission in the Oregon country the family enjoyed a short season of rest, then continued their journey down the Columbia river on a rude raft until they reached Portland, which then consisted of a few log buildings. They settled in Tualatin Plains in 1845.

In 1848 her father came to California; locating near Sutter's Fort, the family following overland the next spring. Mr. Evans died before the family arrived.

In the spring of 1850 the widowed mother and her four children returned by water to Oregon and made their home near Forest Grove. Here Jane Evans attended the Pacific Academy, a school established by the earlier missionaries. In 1853 she became the wife of L. L. Whitcomb, by whom she had five children, three of them now living. In 1881 she was married to Omar Morton. Fourteen years ago he passed away.

Grandma Morton was a member of the first Baptist church organized on the Pacific Coast.

Her three living children are Mrs. John Beach, of Lakeport, with whom she made her home, Mrs. W. D. Heath, of Cottage Grove, Ore., and L. A. Whitcomb, of Portland. A sister, Mrs. Reeves, of Portland, survives. There are ten grandchildren and twelve great grandchildren living. Grandma Morton was a first cousin of Fighting Bob Evans.

One of her favorite Bible promises was "When we see Him, we shall be like Him," and the VIII chapter of Romans was her favorite chapter in the Bible.

The funeral services were conducted by Karl O. Baylees, at 2 o'clock, Thursday afternoon.—Lakeport Press, Cal.

Mrs. Morton was an aunt of Mrs. J. A. Imbrie, Mrs. Letitia Smith, Mrs. Wm. Beagle, Mrs. Irving Ballard, all sisters, and also an aunt of J. E. Reeves. She visited here with Mrs. Imbrie and the late Mrs. Loui Manning in 1905.

### C. G. T. C.

Cornell Good Times Club will give a dance at W. O. Wall, Cedar Mill, Saturday night, Nov. 24, 1917. Dancing commences at 9 o'clock. Lunch served. Good times for all. 35-6

Two kinds of "Liberty Brick" ice cream for Thanksgiving. Call up Koeber's Confectionery, telephone City 12.

Earl Lewis, an I. W. W., who talked too much to an old man who had subscribed to the Y. M. C. A. fund, at the railroad camp, is in jail, awaiting investigation by the Federal authorities.

Chas. Norris, of Cornelius, is feeling very proud to know that he passed the United States Civil Service exam as an expert harness maker. He made 15 per cent above the necessary figures to pass. Chas. made harness in Athena, Umatilla Co., for years, and also he is 56 years of age, he has been wracking his mind as to just how he is to get into the big war game. Now he says he is ready to go just as soon as the government calls him. He was examined last June, and just got his returns the other day.

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