

DEFERRED CLASSES TO BE ASKED FOR RAILROAD OPERATORS

Employees Engaged Directly or Indirectly in Handling of Trains to Stay With Work.

Railroad employees engaged directly or indirectly in the handling of trains are considered essential to the proper operation of the lines under government control and will be recommended for deferred classification in the coming draft, according to instructions issued Saturday by Federal Manager J. P. O'Brien of the lines in Oregon and Washington.

The following employees are classed as necessary: General officers, master mechanics, roundhouse and shop foremen, machinists, blacksmiths, boilermakers, electricians, carpenters, ship and engine fitters, freight and passenger car repairmen and assistants, yard masters and assistants, road foremen of engines and assistants, traveling engineers, firemen, instructors, locomotive engineers and motormen, locomotive firemen and flagmen, conductors, brakemen and flagmen, helpers and apprentices of all the foregoing, chemists, locomotive inspectors, telegraph and telephone maintainers.

In every case where deferred classification is decided upon, railroad officials are instructed to make clear to the employees concerned his duty to the railroad administration to claim such deferred classification. In event of failure on the part of necessary employees to claim deferred classification, officials are authorized to make the claim in the name of the United States railroad administration, calling upon the law department for assistance if such action appears to promise good results.

Alice Patterson Sues Oregon City, Sept. 18.—Alice E. Patterson has brought a suit for divorce against her husband, H. L. Patterson, alleging cruel and inhuman treatment. The couple were married near Oregon City, December 23, 1880. The Pattersons live in the Baker's bridge district.

STRAND THEATER VAUDEVILLE PHOTOPLAYS

TODAY And Balance of Week Peggy Hyland



Bonnie Annie Laurie

A thrilling tale of two rival lovers who meet in No Man's Land

Animated Weekly Filled to brim with interesting world news

4 Acts Greater Vaudeville 4 Bab's Five Minstrel Maids Week Day Matinees 10c

Bond Quotas of Oregon Counties

Table with columns for County, Quota '18 Loan, and Quota '19 Loan. Lists counties from Benton to Yamhill with their respective bond quotas.

ALTAR OF LIBERTY IS DEDICATED WITH BIG THROUGH TAKING PART

Following Impressive Ceremony Hundreds Wearing Pledge Badges Sign Book.

With impressive ceremonies Portland's altar of liberty was dedicated at noon today. Following speeches by John L. Etheridge and Edward Cookingham, Mayor George L. Baker delivered the dedicatory address.

THEY'RE OFF; PLEDGES ARE BEING OBTAINED

fourth Liberty loan drive, I want to impress upon the citizens of Portland that we have a big task in front of us. Portland is called upon to subscribe \$1,000,000, which means that every citizen must pledge himself for at least 50 per cent more than he or she subscribed for in third Liberty bonds.

September 27 is Fraternal Day of the fourth Liberty loan pledge campaign in Portland, and will be known as "Fraternal Day" and programs noon and night at Liberty Temple will be compared with exceptional care by a committee of fraternalists directed by George Funk, head of the fraternal division of the special features bureau.

Mrs. McAdoo Congratulates The luncheon of the women's committee, held at the Hotel Multnomah, brought together 90 county chairmen and Portland women interested in the drive. Mrs. Sarah Evans presided and read a telegram of congratulation on past successes and good wishes for the fourth loan from Mrs. William G. McAdoo.

WITTHYCOMBE SCORED SHIPYARD WORKERS DEMANDING HOLIDAY

Salem, Sept. 18.—At a meeting of men registered under the selective service act, held in the Armory Tuesday night, Governor Withycombe vigorously denounced the Portland boilermakers and others who are demanding a half-day holiday on Saturdays, thus reducing their work time to 44 hours a week.

music committee, fourth Liberty loan, announces the names of the following prominent citizens who have volunteered their services, and will be heard at local theaters, at the Liberty temple and other places throughout the city.

Singing in the theaters will begin this evening. Mrs. Warren E. Thomas, John C. Boyer and George Wilbur Reed are also members of the music committee, and are assisting Mrs. Burke in arrangements.

The following directors, organists and accompanists will also assist at various times: Directors—William H. Boyer, Frederick W. Goodrich, Adrian Epping, William J. Belcher.

THE HUN WITHIN



OFFICIAL MESSAGE HANDED TO SWEDISH MINISTER GIVEN OUT

Secretary Lansing Incorporates President's Reply to Request for Peace Parley.

Washington, Sept. 18.—(U. P.)—The American reply to Austria, as delivered to the Swedish minister here, was the same as originally announced by Secretary Lansing, except that it had the usual formal acknowledgement as an introduction.

COUNTY COURT NOTES

A report to the county commissioners by Robert Warrack, superintendent of lighthouse district No. 17, declares that with the exception of the Morrison street bridge all the bridges were well lighted in accordance with the requirements. The lamps on the Morrison bridge were said to be of the old carbon filament type and too dim.

POST TOASTIES

Everything a corn food ought to be and saves the wheat — says Bobby

GOBE WASHINGTON ELEVENTH

Where the Air is Cool and Refreshing TODAY AND UNTIL FRIDAY NIGHT CHAS. RAY in "His Own Home Town"

Muck and Philo Holbrook for their courtesies in supplying free beds at the courthouse and thanks were tendered Superintendent of Building Ned Kehoe for many courtesies extended to the veterans.

Dr. Powers, to Give Series of Lectures On Cause of War The National League for Woman's Service is to present Dr. Harry Huntington Powers in a series of five lectures on the general theme, "Why We Are in the War."

Are You Pledged?

There isn't one person in a hundred that visits either of our two restaurants who is not pleased with the wonderful table d'hote meals served at popular prices.

Imperial Hotel Phil Matakhanf Manager

THE HUN WITHIN

They thought him god-for-nothin', so he left his home town. But he came back—and, oh, how he made 'em sit up and take notice.

FATTY ARBUCKLE in "MOONSHINE" A "WET" PICTURE IN A DRY TOWN 2000 LAUGHS

Now! — Try the Globe — It's Different COMING STRONG—GERALDINE FARRAR IN "JOAN THE WOMAN"—SEPTEMBER 21

history. His "University Bureau of Travel" has been named the world over for the groups of students of mature years and culture who have explored the interesting places of the earth under its guidance.

Dr. Powers for 25 years has been a lecturer and traveler of note. He has written many books about art and world history.

Kansas Man Dies as Result of Injuries Inflicted by Auto

Nelson Boyce, 50 years old, died early this morning from a fractured skull as the result of an accident which occurred Tuesday evening at 5:30 o'clock when he was struck and knocked to the pavement on Fifth and Morrison street by an automobile driven by Lee Simmons of 6421 Sixty-third avenue southeast.

Kan. where he leaves a widow, and was living at the Clayton hotel at Sixth and Davis streets while working for the Peninsula Lumber company. His body was removed from the St. Vincent's hospital to the county morgue. Simmons was arrested by Traffic Officer Jess and is being held at the city jail pending an inquest by the coroner.

A. O. U. W. Will Help Its Members Buy Liberty Bonds. Former issues now owned by A. O. U. W. Affiliated Grand Lodges \$171,700.00. OREGON GRAND LODGE Now owns \$14,000.00 Is now purchasing 10,000.00. And will assist all members who desire to buy bonds, but are financially unable to meet the Government's requirements. For those members the Grand Lodge of Oregon will purchase the bonds and the members can pay for them, 10 per cent down and 10 per cent per month until paid for. Subscriptions must be in the Grand Recorder office on or before Sept. 28, 1918. D. C. HERRIN, Grand Master, 415 Oregonian Bldg.

SIMON'S THE STORE BARGAINS FIRST, SECOND AND ALDER STS.

Thursday Shoe Bargains for Men, Women and Children. Our prices on shoes are lowest. It is to your interest to buy here for the entire family. Women's All-Kid Gray Boots \$5.98, Women's Heavy Tan Calf Shoes \$4.98, Women's Black Gunmetal Lace or Button Shoes \$3.75, Men's Bl'k Work Shoes \$2.98, Girls' Gunmetal Button Shoes \$2.29, Boys' Heavy Unlined Shoes \$2.69.

About the House Handy things at little prices. Inside Lock Sets, all 75c, Enamel Dish Pans, 90c, 21-quart, white, 1.35, Enamel Baths, 1.35, Enamel Milk Cans, 1/2 40c, gal. with bail and lid, Enamel Tea Kettles for \$1.10, White Enamel Slop Jars with cover, now at \$1.25, Enamel Dish Pans, 90c, 21-quart, white, 1.35, Enamel Baths, 1.35, Enamel Milk Cans, 1/2 40c, gal. with bail and lid, Enamel Tea Kettles for \$1.10.

Women's Hose Special Pure thread Silk Hose with lisle garter top, in black, white, tan, brown and gray. The \$1.50 Buster Brown Cotton Hose, for boys and girls; best grade, medium weight, with strong reinforced heels and toes; black only. Three pairs for 35c \$1.00. The pair... 35c. Women's Union Suits \$ 1.85 Heavy fleece-lined garments; high neck and long sleeves or Dutch neck and short sleeves; ankle length. The \$1.85 garment. 42-Inch Wool Serges and Poplins \$1.75 We show a wide range of newest colors in these desirable fabrics. We advise early selections at the price. Tobacco Comfort for Less! Visit our tobacco department. You can buy your favorite brand here for less than you pay elsewhere. Saves you money! A CLEAN SWEEP! Brooms for Less Alder Brooms, special... 90c, Spruce Brooms, spe'l \$1.15, Violet Brooms, spe'l \$1.25, \$1.25 Decid Brooms... \$1.10, \$1.50 Mill Brooms... \$1.35 TOILET PAPER— 25c Five large rolls for...

Men's Fall Furnishings and Underwear at Lowest Prices. Heavy Wool Mixed 50c Blue Socks, pair... 50c, Heavy Flannel \$4.50, Heavy Woolen Undershirts and Drawers, \$1.75, All-Wool Mackinaw Shirts, \$7.75 and upwards, Men's Sweaters in a big assortment, \$2.95 up, Outing Flannel Pajamas, only \$1.98, Cashmere Hose, 3 pairs for \$1.00; the pair 35c, Heavy Flannel Shirts from \$2 to \$4.50.