

RULES FOR DRAFT

To Be Put in Force As Soon As the Bill is Passed at Washington.

The two houses of Congress have practically got together on the Army bill and it is settled that the draft shall be made from men between 21 and 30 years of age. All the arrangements have been made for mobilizing the forces necessary to make the draft and the sheriff's office here is in receipt of the following instructions and will put the machinery in motion as soon as the President's proclamation is issued which may be today and probably will not be later than tomorrow:

The following is the appeal made by the War Department at Washington to the people of the country asking their voluntary aid in putting into effect the new army bill for the selection by draft of the quota needed in each locality to comply with the president's call:

There was a time in the country's history when military enumerators, backed by bayonets, went out among the people to take a compulsory service census. Today, under the principle of universal liability to service, the execution of the law is put into the hands of the people.

All Within Age Limit Liable. The approval of the new National Army bill and the president's proclamation thereunder will be coincidental. All persons within the age limits prescribed will be required to present themselves for registration at the customary voting places in the voting precincts in which they have their permanent homes on a day which the president will announce. The probability is that from 10 to 15 days will elapse between approval of the bill and registration day.

The governor of each state will be the chief of registration therein. The machinery of registration in each county is to be in charge of the sheriff, the county clerk and the county physician, acting ex-officio, unless a different board shall be announced by the governor. In cities containing populations of more than 30,000 the registration will be under the control of the mayor and selected boards of registration.

Registrars to Be Named. In order that the designated county and city officials and the people generally can get a clear understanding of the census methods, the following brief outline is given:

The sheriffs or other designated officials, immediately upon receiving notice from the governor, shall appoint registrars for each voting precinct.

The proportion of registrars shall be one for each of 170 persons to be registered. Each age to be registered will comprise about 1 per cent of the population. If, for instance, all men between 19 and 25 years of age, inclusive, are to be registered, the registrar would have to enroll about 7 per cent of the precinct population.

It is desirable to accept the services of competent volunteer registrars to serve without compensation. All registrars must be sworn. The voting place in each precinct must be prepared for registration. Full printed instructions covering every detail of registration will be in the hands of mayors and sheriffs on the fifth day after the president's proclamation.

On the fifth day after the president has issued his proclamation, clerks of counties and cities of over 30,000 must secure a supply of blanks and copies of the registration regulations from the sheriff or from the mayor. Absentees and the sick will apply to the clerks to have their registration cards filled out. In no case shall such persons be given registration certificates. They are to be instructed by the clerk that the burden is on them to see to it that the cards reach the registrars of their home precincts by registration day.

Persons absent from their home counties may be registered by mail. If so absent, a man should go to the clerk of the county where he may be staying on the sixth day after the date of the president's proclamation. If he is in a city of over 30,000 population, the city clerk is the official to whom to apply. The absentees will be told how to register, but he must mail his card in time to reach his precinct by registration day.

Persons too sick to present themselves for registration must send a competent person to the county or city clerk on the sixth day after the issuing of the proclamation. The clerk will give instructions for registration.

Officials of educational, charitable and other institutions should apply for instructions to the county or city clerk on the sixth day after the date

of the proclamation for instructions as to a convenient method of registration.

Johns Have Duties, Too. The wardens of jails, penitentiaries and reformatories should apply to the county or city clerk for instructions on the sixth day.

Five days after the date of the proclamation complete regulations will be in the hands of all sheriffs and of the officials of cities of over 30,000 population.

The president is authorized to call upon all public officers to assist in the execution of the law. The plan is, however, to rely on the people for the proper execution of the law. It is expected that patriotic citizens will offer their services free as registrars. Such services will be gratefully acknowledged. Volunteers for this service should communicate immediately with the proper officials.

Items From the Bay.

(From the Coos Bay News.)

During the latter half of the month of April Coos Bay shipped 5,025,000 feet of lumber to San Francisco.

The fishing boat Sea Foam was recently taken from the Coquille river to Ysquina, where she will be used in halibut fishing.

Mrs. Max Timmerman last week made an assignment of the Panama Millinery on Front street, in behalf of her creditors, to Albert Seelig, who is at present conducting the business.

Fred Larson, of Portland, stated at Eugene Saturday that work on the construction of four wooden ships would commence at once at Florence on the Stuslaw river. The enterprise will give employment to between 400 and 500 men and the plant will have a capacity of turning out one ship a month, after the first four months.

Constable Anderson arrested John Metzger at North Bend Friday night as he was leaving the City Dock with a sack full of booze. He said that he found the sack on the wharf, and that he was taking it home to see what the bottles contained. He appeared before City Recorder Maybee Saturday morning, and was fined \$50.

A large gathering of descendants of coast Indians from Coos, Douglas and Lane counties, met at Empire early last week, and a number of those interested in the government treaty made with the Indians in the '50's agreed to pay Geo. Wasson and his associates 20 per cent of any amounts he may secure for them out of the government appropriation.

A strike at the Smith mill Monday morning caused the closing of the big mill and crippled the Bay City mill. The men, who claim that the minimum wages now are \$2.50 per day, say that their demands are for a universal advance of 50 cents per day for all laborers. A meeting was held at the Socialist hall Monday night, which was largely attended, and a Mill Workers' Union was organized, the roll being signed by about 200 employees.

Curry County News.

(From the Port Orford Tribune.)

John Mackenzie returned Saturday with an auto truck from Portland, which he will run during the summer between this place and Bandon. He experienced hardships getting the truck here that he will not forget soon. Shortly south of Eugene he gave up trying to follow the Pacific Highway, in which he says he found places that he stuck a stick over five feet long out of sight, and turned off over the mountains to the coast. Arriving at the mouth of the Umpqua he found that the truck would not negotiate the beach sands, and he had to have it towed up the river to Mapleton on a scow and shipped on the train to Coquille. Coming down from Bandon Friday some of the parts worked loose and he had a breakdown near Sixes, and it was Sunday evening before the truck finally arrived at Port Orford.

Deputy Fire Warden, B. W. Dean, with Harry Pearce and Geo. Quiggley as assistants, has been opening the old Bald Mountain trail from the Middle Elk letter box to Salal Springs. This trail has been quite a convenience to Fire and Game wardens in their patrol duties, and will also make it easier for hunters to get into the mountains.

C. H. Pearce was in town from his home on Middle Elk the first of the week, and made application to join the mechanical branch of Uncle Sam's army. Mr. Pearce has been a First Lieutenant in the Oregon militia, and is subject for call to duty until 60 years of age. He is a first class mechanic, with a natural gift for handling men, and would be a valuable man in the engineering department of our army.

Julius Barker, who for some time had been acting as night watchman at the Dollar mill below town, had the misfortune last week to lose the sight of one eye. The accident was the result of a flying chip from some wood he was chopping for the office

New Company to Dairymen

"As you already know, we have purchased the Coquille Valley Creamery company with all its rights, business and good will. We are now taking over the active management of the field and desire to announce to all our patrons, past, present and prospective, that in purchasing and taking over this business we have in mind the possibilities of the great Coquille valley, and a real desire to become a factor in its development.

"We realize that our success depends upon your success, and it shall be our constant aim to emulate the same good business principles of fair and honest dealing heretofore practiced by the Coquille Valley Creamery.

"We will endeavor at all times to pay you the highest prices good business will justify and you will always find us ready to pay you cash for your products. With the strong financial backing we have, and possess and the life-time experience of some of our members in this line of business, we believe we are in a position to command good prices for our products; to operate and buy our manufacturing supplies at the minimum cost, and to avoid losses which are involved in an extended credit business. With our superior facilities for doing business, we expect to make a legitimate profit and yet pay you the highest prevailing prices for your products.

"In entering your field we contemplate doing everything which good business will permit a financial institution of our kind to do for the upbuilding of the community. And just as soon as we find the milk supply will warrant, we intend to erect a condenser somewhere in the Coquille valley and believe that by so doing we will be able to pay you even correspondingly higher prices for your milk. We shall work to the end that this condition be brought about as soon as possible.

"We are in a position to assist every deserving farmer to improve or enlarge his present farm; to erect more or better buildings; to build silos and otherwise improve his milk supply; to purchase more and better cattle and thus increase his profits. You will ever find us ready and anxious to do everything we can to assist you and your community in its upward and onward step of progress and prosperity.

Darifood Products Company.

The foregoing circular sent out by the Darifood Products Company, which has just purchased the local creamery, to its former patrons and the ranches of the valley, is in the nature of an advertisement for that company, but we gladly give it space without charge because of its optimistic tone and further because we believe the entrance of that company into this field means much every way in the further development of our agricultural industries and also in the supply of needed capital to increase the efficiency of the dairies already established and encourage the establishment of others.

Offer Prize for a Name.

The Conway company which took over the local creamery this week, is starting a name contest in the county with the desire to get a suitable name for the new dairy products company. Several names have been suggested but they have already been copyrighted by other companies hence can not be used.

The company is offering a cash prize of \$25 for the best name for the new company, the name to be selected by the heads of the company. This provision will not lessen the chances of the contestants as Mr. Conway stated yesterday that everyone in the company had exhausted their inventive faculties in an effort to choose a name without success.

The only conditions attached to the choice are that the name must be suggestive of dairy products but cannot be descriptive of them as such names cannot be copyrighted. No one is barred so all our readers should get busy and endeavor to win the \$25. The contest will close on June 1 and in case two or more hand in the name chosen the prize will go to the one which is received first, or divided if two or more giving the chosen name shall arrive on the same mail.

Woman's Study Club.

The Woman's Study Club met last Friday in the library and, except for a little time given to business, devoted the afternoon to the lesson on home nursing.

The club will meet on May 15 with Mrs. H. O. Anderson. This will be the closing meeting of the club year, and it is hoped that all the members will be present. Old members are cordially invited.

Hereafter all automobile and repair work must be settled for before it leaves the garage. A. A. Paul.



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Machine For Packing Silage.

A machine for packing silage in a silo has been invented and tried out by an Iowa farmer. The mechanical packer, described in the May Popular Mechanics Magazine, does away with the disagreeable task of tramping the feed down with the feet. It also does the work much more satisfactorily, for the machine weighs a ton and

is able to pack the silage close to the wall as thoroughly as in the center. The looseness of the material around the edges, which often results when silage is packed by tramping, is a source of considerable loss because the air gets into the fodder and causes it to spoil. This machine is equipped with a heavy cone-shaped roller whose length is about equal to half the diameter of the silo. It is driven in a circular course by a gasoline engine mounted on the supporting frame. The packer can be quickly knocked down into parts, few of which weigh more than 100 lbs., so that they can be lowered down the silo chute.

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Relief 7:00 a. m.
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Dispatch, Sundays 11:00 a. m.
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Marshfield 3:55 p. m.
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Arago (by boat) 1:00 p. m.
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Myrtle Point .. 6:12 a. m.; 4:15 p. m.
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