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## FOOD CONSERVATION AND FIRE WASTE

### What The Preservation of Food Supplies Means to The U. S.

Anyone with average powers of observation who travels at the present time over any portion of the Pacific Coast, will note young men clad in the now familiar khaki uniform, with rifles over their shoulders, watching the approaches to every bridge and tunnel of any importance or strategic value. These troops are on duty day and night for the purpose of safeguarding the Nation's railway communications, so important in the present crisis. The same precaution will also be seen at all prominent shipbuilding and manufacturing plants which are working in the interests of the United States. All of these steps are taken to prevent any interruption in the campaign of preparedness in which the country is engaged in the meeting the stern issues of the war.

The guarding of these various premises has been brought about through the National Board of Defense, which has also under consideration the thorough extension of this system of protection to all warehouses and other depots where the food supplies of the country are kept in storage. Many of these warehouses, however, particularly in the States of Washington, Oregon and Idaho, are situated at isolated points, and as the National Board and various State Councils of Defense cannot perfect plans for the guarding of these premises, it becomes the patriotic duty of every American citizen to lend his aid and to "do his bit" towards rendering the food supplies in his neighborhood immune from danger.

**Fire Waste and Food Supplies.**  
One of the great problems presented to the Board of National Defense in the care and preservation of the food supplies of the United States is the fact that the fire waste of this country is so greatly in excess of that of any other nation. Statistics covering a 20-year period conclusively show that the per capita fire cost in the United States is over seven times that of the nation with which we are at present engaged in war, and that to every man, woman and child in this country there is a tax of \$2.51 each year as compared with a per capita cost of only 35 cents in Germany. The statement has been made, and it remains incapable of successful contradiction, that if the same wastage by fire existed in Germany as in this country, the consequent loss and destruction of food supplies would have been so great that Germany long since would have been compelled to sue for peace.

With this fact before us, it is easy to realize that unless we change our methods and overcome our habits of carelessness this great Nation faces the serious danger of defeat through a fault which common sense and caution on the part of each individual citizen could easily prevent.

**Pacific Coast Especially Favored.**  
Nature has been peculiarly kind to those who reside on this Coast. We have few adverse weather conditions to contend with, and all our people live under such comparatively easy and favorable surroundings as to beget habits of carelessness and indifference towards the ordinary hazards of fire. Under normal conditions these habits might be fraught with a danger easily ignored and with few results of vital significance, but in the present crisis and need for the preservation of all food supplies, these same habits of carelessness and indifference can quickly assume the importance of a National catastrophe.

That Federal and State officials are beginning to realize the magnitude of this danger is evidenced by the fact that in many of the States a special course of education is being given to the school children by fire prevention experts, who point out the dangers resulting from the careless handling of matches, the accumulation of litter and rubbish in basements, woodhouses, attics and storerooms, lack of care in the use of coal oil and gasoline, the hanging of electric cords over nails, and the numerous other habits of carelessness that almost universally prevail in every household. Even one of the school superintendents had the need of cleanliness forcibly brought to his attention by his young daughters who had listened to a lecture on fire prevention at the afternoon session of the school and who took him down into their basement and stood watch over him while he cleaned up the rubbish which he had carelessly allowed to accumulate, while a perfect wave of chimney cleaning swept over one of the cities of the State caused by a statement to the school children that their "houses were in danger of catching fire if the chimneys had not been cleaned within a year."

## NEWS ITEMS OF LOCAL INTEREST

### Narrow Escape

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Chastain and Cecil made a quick trip back to Maupin, Sunday occasioned by Leonard meeting with an accident. He had been pushing the car while ascending a slippery grade, and at the top when the machine 'picked up' he stepped back and a nail in a tent pole on the side of the car caught him by the left ear, all but severing the fleshy part of that member. The wound is healing satisfactorily and will soon be as good as ever.

Bert Knight was in from Criterion yesterday.

Jim Brown was over from Tygh yesterday. He reports plans underway for a fair about the 20th.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Westbrook came over the mountains from Portland and made Maupin a visit from Saturday to Tuesday.

G. N. Pleyler left Tuesday night for Indiana where his brother is seriously sick.

Fred Troutman who has been here from North Plains harvesting returned home Saturday night.

The little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Styer was very sick the last of the week, but convalescent now. They made a trip to The Dalles with her Saturday.

G. J. Derthick was home from Bremerton, Wn., a few days the first of the week.

J. W. Ayres and Willis Farlow were over from Smock Sunday.

Kodaks and Kodak supplies, Maupin Drug Store. Leave your films here for developing.

L. N. Winfree was up from Portland last week on a business trip. He has sold his property recently purchased there.

J. O. Winfree has purchased 'Max' the Times car, and now can fairly fly at the wheel.—Well, we will have to walk.

Little Marguerette Dickinson of Friend has been here visiting her aunt, Miss L. Britton.

### Wapinitia Auto Stage

Leaves Maupin, 8 a. m.  
Leaves Wapinitia, 1:10 p. m.  
V. ROBERTS, Prop.

Hot Coffee, sandwiches,  
Light Lunches Served at the  
Hazelwood Ice Cream  
Parlor.

I. O. O. F.  
WAPINITIA  
Lodge No. 209, Maupin, Oregon,  
meets every Saturday night in  
Donaldson's hall. Visiting mem-  
bers always welcome.  
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Every young man in the United States who has passed his 21st birthday since Registration Day for 21 year old men last June 5 must register for the draft on Saturday, August 24, 7 a. m. to 9 p. m., with the local draft board.

Dr. Hatfield returned Saturday evening from Portland, coming over the mountains. His machine went through the Salmon river bridge and caused considerable inconvenience getting it up.

Portland Painless Dentist, 805 Second St., The Dalles, Ore. Portland prices. Phone Main 3831. W. T. Slatten, D. D. S., proprietor.

Mr. R. J. Muir wishes to make it known to the public through the columns of this paper that the case against Miss Estel Emerson has been withdrawn on account of the lack of evidence. The case Emerson vs. Muir was settled by Mr. Muir paying fine and costs amounting to \$25.

Are you using The Times lines column when you have any thing to sell or want to buy some article that your neighbor may have or wishes to dispose of? If not try a want ad in that column. We are sure that it will bring results.

### For Sale

One span Bay Geldings with harness and 2 1-2 inch Old Hickory wagon with farm bed.

One span mules with harness and 3 1-4 inch Racine wagon with California rack.

Inquire Frank Buzan, Maupin.

### Public Sale

I will sell at Public Auction at my farm 1 1-2 miles northwest of Tygh Valley, on Saturday, September 14, 1:30 p. m. the following

Seyral head of horses, several head of cattle (subject to Private sale), plows, harrows, backs wagons, cultivators and general farm implements.

About 500 chickens in lots to suit purchasers.

Eight tons of hay.

Some household goods.

Terms: Sums over \$10, 1 year on approved security at 8 per cent

A. D. Gibbe,

### Estrayed

One sorrel mare, white face, weighs 1200, braided horseshod in center on right shoulder. One sorrel horse, weighs 1200, braided horseshod in center on right shoulder and wire cut on on right front foot. One bay mare weighs 1000, not branded. All three had halters on when last seen.—Frank Russell, Criterion.

### Books and Magazines

at the Hazelwood Confectionery.

Large sheets of carbon paper for embroidery stamping at the Times

### For Sale

Red Durham Bulls, from year to year and one-half old.—Mayrauch, Tygh Valley.

### Cold Boiled Meats

at the Hazelwood Confectionery.

### Lumber

From the Interior Warehouse there is still some left. For prices see Mr. Peter Kilburg at the Maupin Warehouse.

### Church Notice

Rev. John G. Hessler, Pastor  
The pastor will preach Sunday, both morning and evening, Sunday school at 10 a. m. Everyone is invited to attend these services.

## LEGAL NOTICES

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION  
Department of the Interior,  
U. S. Land Office at The Dalles,  
Oregon, August 14th, 1918.

Notice is hereby given that  
Mary E. Beaty

of Wamic, Oregon, who on March 21st, 1912, made Homestead Entry No. 010090, and on June 26th, 1912, made additional Homestead Entry No. 010470, for Lots 1 and 2, Section 18, Township 4 South, Range 12 East, Willamette Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make Final Five Year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before F. D. Stuart, United States Commissioner, at Maupin, Oregon, on the 24th day of September, 1918.

Claimant names as witnesses: Laura Kennedy, J. E. Kennedy, N. J. Sharp, R. L. Gerity, all of Wamic, Oregon.

H. FRANK WOODCOCK,  
Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

Department of the Interior,  
United States Land Office at The Dalles, Oregon, August 12th, 1918.

NOTICE is hereby given that  
Clarence C. Davis

of Shaniko, Oregon, who on April 30th, 1914, made Homestead Entry, No. 012676 and on May 1, 1914, made additional Homestead Entry No. 012995, for NE1-4SW1-4, W1-2SW1-4, Section 27, E1-2SE1-4, SW1-4SE1-4, Section 28, W1-2NW1-4 Section 34, Township 7 South, Range 15 East, Willamette Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make rinal three year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before H. C. Rooper, U. S. Commissioner, at Antelope, Oregon, on the 7th day of October 1918.

Claimant names as witnesses: Bert E. Davis, Orvel L. Davis, Silas C. Richardson, Kate Richardson, all of Shaniko, Oregon.

H. FRANK WOODCOCK,  
Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

Department of the Interior  
U. S. Land Office at The Dalles,  
Oregon, August 12th, 1918.

Notice is hereby given that,  
Laurence L. Suckles,

of Shaniko, Oregon, who on September 4th, 1915, made Homestead Entry No. 015890, for NW1-4, (North-east-fourth) Section 26, Township 6 South, Range 16 East Willamette Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make Final three year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before H. C. Rooper, U. S. Commissioner, at Antelope, Oregon, on the 11th day of October, 1918.

Claimant names as witnesses: William H. Worustaff, William F. Johnson, George Lee, Sanford M. Black, all of Shaniko, Oregon

H. FRANK WOODCOCK,  
Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

Department of the Interior,  
U. S. Land Office at The Dalles,  
Oregon, July 17th 1918.

NOTICE is hereby given that  
Anthony Cavallo,

of Wapinitia, Oregon, who on February 4th, 1915, made Homestead Entry No. 014397, and on March 16, 1915, made additional Homestead Entry No. 014612, for SE1-4-SW1-4, Sec. 1, E1-2NE1-4, SW1-4SE1-4 NW1-4SE1-4, N1-2SW1-4, Section 12 Township 6 South, Range 12, Lot 7, Section 6, Township 6 South, Range 13 East Willamette Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make Final three year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before commanding officer in the U. S. Military Service and testimony of my witnesses before Register and receiver, United States Land Office, at The Dalles, Oregon, on the 21st day of October, 1918.

Claimant names as witnesses: Charles S. Gabel, Benjamin H. Gabel, Alva R. Wilcox, Frank Gabel, Mark C. Hollaman, all of Wapinitia, Oregon.

H. FRANK WOODCOCK,  
Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

Department of the Interior,  
U. S. Land Office at The Dalles,  
Oregon, June 6th, 1918.

Notice is hereby given that  
David Mahaffey

of Wapinitia, Oregon, who on March 17th 1914, made Homestead Entry No. 012686, and April 27, 1915, made Additional Homestead Entry No. 014790, for Lot 4, SE1-4SW1-4, Section 6, Lots 1, 2, 3, 4, NW1-4SW1-4, SE1-4SW1-4, Section 7, Township 6 South, Range 12 East,

Willamette Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make Final three year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before F. D. Stuart, U. S. Commissioner at Maupin, Oregon, on the 27th day of July, 1918.

Claimant names as witnesses: Orris Kellar, Marcus Arnett, G. T. Teschner, E. A. Cyr all of Wapinitia, Oregon.

H. FRANK WOODCOCK,  
Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

Department of the Interior  
U. S. Land Office at The Dalles  
Oregon, June 28th, 1918.

NOTICE is hereby given that  
Jesse R. Fleming

of Maupin, Oregon, who on October 11th, 1915, made Homestead, Entry No. 015155 for E1-2NW1-4 Sec-14, E1-2SW1-4, Section 15, Township 5 South, Range 15 East, Willamette Meridian has filed notice of intention to make Final three year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before F. D. Stuart, U. S. Commissioner, at Maupin, Oregon, on the 19th day of August, 1918.

Claimant names as witnesses: James McCown, Wamic, Oregon, F. S. Fleming, Maupin, Oregon, E. W. Fleming, Maupin, Oregon, Arnold Wyss, The Dalles, Oregon.

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NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

U. S. Land Office at The Dalles,  
Oregon, June 4th, 1918.

NOTICE is hereby given that, the Northern Pacific Railway Company, whose post office address is St. Paul, Minnesota, has this 4th day of June, 1918, filed in this office its application to select under the provisions of the act of Congress, approved July 1, 1898 (30 Stat. 597, 620.) SW1-4 of SW1-4 Sec. 11, Twp. 6 South, R 15 East W. M.

Any and all persons claiming adversely the lands described, or desiring to object because of the Mineral character of the land, or any other reason, to the disposal to applicant, should file their affidavits of protest in this office, on or before the 29th day of July 1918.

H. FRANK WOODCOCK,  
Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

ISOLATED TRACT  
Public Land Sale  
Department of the Interior,  
U. S. Land Office at The Dalles,  
May 20, 1918.

NOTICE is hereby given that as directed by the Commissioner of the General Land office, under provisions of Sec. 2455, R. S., pursuant to the application of George L. Brown Serial No. 018745, we will offer at public sale, to the highest bidder, but at not less than \$2.00 per acre, at 9:30 o'clock A. M. on the 15th day of July next at this office, the following tract of land: Lot 3, Section 4, Township 4 South, Range 14 East W. M. (Containing 39.16 Acres).

The sale will not be kept open, but will be declared closed when those present at the hour named have ceased bidding. The person making the highest bid will be required to immediately pay to the Receiver the amount thereof.

Any persons claiming adversely the above described land are advised to file their claims, or objections, on or before the time designated for sale.

L. A. Booth, Receiver.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

Department of the Interior,  
U. S. Land Office at The Dalles,  
Oregon, April 29th, 1918.

NOTICE is hereby given that Augusta M. Mahaffey, widow of Vern H. Mahaffey, Deceased, of Wapinitia, Oregon, who on March 21th, 1914, made Homestead Entry No. 012707, for N1-2NW1-4, Section 9 Township 6 South, Range 12 East, Willamette Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make Final three year Proof to establish claim to the land above described, before F. D. Stuart, U. S. Commissioner, at Maupin, Oregon, on the 26th day of July 1918.

Claimant names as witnesses, Orris Kellar, Marcus Arnett, John R. Lewis, E. A. Cyr, all of Wapinitia, Oregon.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

Department of the Interior,  
U. S. Land Office at The Dalles,  
Oregon, July 27, 1918.

NOTICE is hereby given that  
Walter Beyer

of Shaniko, Oregon, who on January 12th, 1915, made Homestead Entry No. 014354, for E1-2NW1-4, W1-2NE1-4, SE1-4NE1-4, N1-2SE1-4, NE1-4SW1-4, Section 32, Township 6 South, Range 17 East, Willamette Meridian has filed notice of intention to make Final Three Year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before H. C. Rooper, U. S. Commissioner at Antelope, Oregon, on the 25th day of September, 1918.

Claimant names as witnesses: John Adams of Shaniko, Oregon, William Mitchell of Kent, Oregon, Guy C. Haynes, of Shaniko, Oregon, Claud T. Guyton, of Shaniko, Oregon.

H. Frank Woodcock,  
Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

Department of the Interior  
U. S. Land Office at The Dalles,  
Oregon, July 25th, 1918.

Notice is hereby given that  
Fred Brown

of Kent, Oregon, who, on April 14th 1915, made Homestead Entry No. 014744, for SW1-4, W1-2SE1-4 Section, 8 Township 6, South Range 17, East Willamette Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make Final three year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before H. C. Rooper, U. S. Commissioner at Antelope, Oregon, on the 23rd day of September 1918.

Claimant names as witnesses: William Mitchell, William Byer, Claud F. Guyton, of Kent, Oregon, Guy C. Haynes, Shaniko, Oregon.

H. Frank Woodcock,  
Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

Department of the Interior,  
U. S. Land Office at The Dalles,  
Oregon, August 6th, 1918.

Notice is hereby given that  
George O. Nosker

of Shaniko, Oregon, who on July 2nd, 1914, made Homestead Entry No. 013559 for S1-2NE1-4, SW1-4, S1-2SW1-4, Section 35, Township 6 South, Range 15 East, Willamette Meridian has filed notice of intention to make Final three year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before H. C. Rooper, U. S. Commissioner, at Antelope, Oregon, on the 5th day of October, 1918.

Claimant names as witnesses: H. Walter Lang, Minnie Lang, Bert McCready, Luther Wallace, all of Shaniko, Oregon.

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Register.

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