

# FOR THE CENSUS

## Registrars Appointed to Enroll Men Between 21 and 30 Years of Age.

Deputy Sheriff Clyde Gage has just completed a list of registrars to make the draft census of men between the ages of 21 and 30 from whom the draft for Coos county's quota of the half million soldiers for the nation's Army of Liberty, are to be drawn. The duty of these registrars will simply be to attend to this business on the day to be named by President Wilson and enroll the young men within those age limits as they present themselves. The list is complete but subject to revision in cases where the person named is unable to serve—unwillingness won't count:

- | No. Precinct                          | Registrar |
|---------------------------------------|-----------|
| 1. Lakeside—Chas. St. Dennis.         |           |
| 2. Templeton—A. K. Brown.             |           |
| 3. North Slough—Oscar Ohman.          |           |
| 4. Haynes Slough—M. H. Reiber.        |           |
| 5. Allegany—C. E. Edwards.            |           |
| 6. Kentuck Slough—A. O. Kjelland.     |           |
| 7. Willanch Slough—H. W. Walker.      |           |
| 8. Empire—Claud G. Hockett.           |           |
| 9. North Bend—J. C. Young.            |           |
| 10. North Bend—L. A. Loomis.          |           |
| 11. North Bend—Walter S. McLeod.      |           |
| 12. North Bend—J. W. Grout.           |           |
| 13. North Bend—C. A. Smith.           |           |
| 14. Pony Slough—Geo. Watkins.         |           |
| 15. Eastside—Wm. H. Walker.           |           |
| 16. Eastside—C. P. Keating.           |           |
| 17. Marshfield—L. E. Brown.           |           |
| 18. Marshfield—D. L. Road.            |           |
| 19. Marshfield—Robt. O. Graves.       |           |
| 20. Marshfield—G. W. Kaufman.         |           |
| 21. Marshfield—Alva Doll.             |           |
| 22. Marshfield—Frank L. Grannis.      |           |
| 23. South Slough—Charles M. Rhodes.   |           |
| 24. Newport—J. E. Fitzgerald.         |           |
| 25. Bunker Hill—E. Lothard McClure.   |           |
| 26. Catching Slough—George Ross.      |           |
| 27. Coos River—J. A. Smith.           |           |
| 28. Burton—T. G. Barker.              |           |
| 29. Sumner—O. N. Wilson.              |           |
| 30. Coos City—Niel Watson.            |           |
| 31. Coaledo—John Yoakam.              |           |
| 32. Beaver Hill—Hugo Kotka.           |           |
| 33. Cunningham—J. W. Miller.          |           |
| 34. Fat Elk—T. Weekly.                |           |
| 35. Dora—Fred A. Baker.               |           |
| 36. Missouri—J. D. Bennett.           |           |
| 37. Lee—Claud Waters.                 |           |
| 38. Coquille—John Juzo.               |           |
| 39. Coquille—N. C. Kelley.            |           |
| 40. Coquille—W. C. Chase.             |           |
| 41. Coquille—N. E. Landrith.          |           |
| 42. Riverton—W. A. Benn.              |           |
| 43. Prosper—R. W. Bullard.            |           |
| 44. Bandon—C. B. Zeek.                |           |
| 45. Bandon—Chris. Rasmussen.          |           |
| 46. Bandon—A. J. Hartman.             |           |
| 47. Bandon—H. H. Dufort.              |           |
| 48. Two Mile—Kenneth Perkins.         |           |
| 49. Parkersburg—W. A. Sloane.         |           |
| 50. Lampa—J. L. Bean.                 |           |
| 51. Norway—Percy G. Schroeder.        |           |
| 52. Four Mile—Chas. T. Blumenroth.    |           |
| 53. Catching Creek—J. B. Luttrell.    |           |
| 54. Myrtle Point—Chas. A. Harrington. |           |
| 55. Myrtle Point—E. C. Roberts.       |           |
| 56. Sugar Loaf—S. S. Darnell.         |           |
| 57. Enchanted—C. S. Murphy.           |           |
| 58. Powers—T. S. Zimmerman.           |           |

### COUNTY COURT.

#### Usual Grist of Road Business Handled by Court.

At its recent meeting the County court leased the rock quarry of Alva Huntley near the Cooper bridge for a term of 20 years at 4 cents per cubic yard. The rock from this quarry will be used on the North and East Fork road between Myrtle Point and Dora, a distance of 15 or 20 miles.

The county made a five year contract for powder with the Bandon Hardware company, at a saving of \$40 a ton from prices paid for small lots. Forty per cent powder is to cost \$12.80 per cwt., 40 per cent Red cross, \$17 per cwt. and 40 per cent nitro-glycerine \$20 per cwt.

The Joe Nay Slough bridge matter is to be investigated. The bridge is in a dangerous condition and has been ordered closed. The people there will not be permitted to improve it at their own expense, as in that case the county would be liable in case of accidents, but if it can be repaired to be safe for about \$600 that will probably be done.

The amount paid to Alex Hall for running the Eatside ferry at the Bay was raised \$10 a month, making it \$85, and he was given authority to employ a night crew for the Transit, so as to furnish a 16 hours service.

The attorney for the Coos Bay Coal & Lumber company said he was ready to deposit \$47,600 in the Farmers and Merchants bank here to pay the taxes for 1913 and 1914 on the Boutin tract, but as these taxes with interest, penalties and costs now aggregate about \$58,000 the court declined the offer, and District Attorney Hall was instructed to proceed with the proposed injunction suit against that company to prevent the cutting of any more timber until these taxes are paid.

Judge Hall was of the opinion that this company could not legally furnish bond for the taxes before the injunction suit was begun, as Mr. Starr proposed.

An order was made for the payment to Mrs. Peter Johnson here of \$20 a month to take care of the children of her daughter, Mrs. Charles Nordstrom, who is in the state insane hospital at Salem. The father recently died.

All the rights of way required for the Myrtle Point bridge across the

### VALUABLE BULLETINS.

#### Information for Food Preparedness Patriots by O. A. C.

Gardeners, poultrymen, housewives, and all who are "doing their bit" in the nation wide food production campaign, will find it possible to largely increase their efficiency by securing and studying some of the bulletins contained in the following list. They are carefully compiled and the instruction and information contained in them is dependable.

118—Ammonification and Nitrification Studies of Certain Types of Oregon Soils.

119—A Report of the Experimental and Demonstration Work on the Substation Farms at Moro, Burns, Redmond and Metolius.

140—Economic Use of Irrigation Water.

142—The Culture of Small Fruits on Irrigated Sandy Land.

5.—Incubating and Brooding Chickens.

83—Principles of Breadmaking.

91—Insect Pests of Truck and Garden Crops.

99—Fowl Tuberculosis.

106—Farm Butter Making.

107—Care of Milk and Cream.

111-10—Food for the Family.

126—How to Conduct a Fly Campaign.

127—Breeds of Chickens.

146—Strawberry.

147—Oregon Station Trap Nest.

157—Feeding for Eggs.

158—Trapping Moles for Market.

159—Housing of Chickens.

165—Loganberry.

167—Programs and Suggestions for Study Clubs in Home Economics.

183—Home Co-operators' Demonstration Project.

184—Potato Growing in Oregon.

185—Improvement of Seed Potato.

186—Potato Diseases.

190—Preserving Eggs.

192—Brambles.

207—Field Bean.

218—Methods of Cleaning.

222—The School Luncheon.

201—Oregon Rural Credits Primer.

203—Clover Insects.

Emergency Circular—Cold Pack Method of Canning.

Emergency Circular—Foods, Preparation.

Emergency Circular—Home Vegetable Garden.

Emergency Circular—The Hen in Town.

### War Against Weeds

J. L. Smith, county agent, last night received from O. A. C. the form of an enlistment blank for service on the farms.

It establishes a scale of wages for able bodied boys over 16 providing a minimum wage of \$27.50 a month and board for those who have had satisfactory farm experience. Green hands will get \$22.50 the first two months and after that \$27.50. Boys and girls of any age not able to do doing regular farm work but fit to do berry picking and work in canneries are to get the same wages for those classes of work.

The following is the pledge which the boys are required to sign: I hereby enlist as a member of the UNITED STATES BOYS' WORKING RESERVE and pledge my services to the country as a farm laborer, to the end that the nations now engaged in war for the preservation of democracy may be adequately fed. I will continue my regular school duties while school is in session unless assigned to active service, but I will hold myself in readiness to respond immediately to assignment to duty. I am willing to accept the wage scale as printed hereon. I will keep N. F. Johnson, Director of the Public Employment Bureau, Portland, informed of my address or place where I may be located. I offer my services in the spirit of patriotism. I will stay with the job and endure hardship like a patriotic American.

### Big Damage Suit Possible.

It is suggested that a suit for heavy damages may be brought against the Commission of the Port of Coquille River on account of the drowning of three members of the Carpenter family last Monday. The sawed off piling along the river bank which is submerged at this season forms a death trap which is made more dangerous by the swift current caused by confining the river in that way. In this connection attention is called to the fact that this port was formed to protect the timber owners of the upper forks from having to pay taxes in a real Port, and that this fatality was due to that sort of parsimony. Two ports on this river are an anomaly.

South Fork were secured without contest. E. N. Smith, who had been asking \$500, selling for \$100.

Mrs. Pearl Riley Ballinger, having remarried, her widow's pension from the county was discontinued.

The indigent allowance Mrs. Hannah Starr had been receiving was discontinued at her request, her son who had been with the army on the Mexican border having returned to care for her. The court was astonished, however, by a request of this sort, it being unprecedented.

The allowance made to Mrs. Olive A. Smith, of Bandon, was increased from \$6 to \$15 a month, W. F. Hendricks, of Myrtle Point, was given an allowance of \$10 a month from the indigent fund.

### COQUILLE ROAD NEXT.

#### Road Between Coquille and Myrtle Point Next on List.

The road between this city and Myrtle Point, which will be one of the next grist to be taken up by the commissioners, will have considerable new work done on it but nothing compared with that which is necessary on other roads of the county.

For years this rock and gravel road, nine miles in length has been the only stretch of any considerable length in the county which was fit for auto travel 365 days in the year. Today the Sentinel carries an advertisement for proposals for its further improvement, the probable cost of which will not fall much short of \$50,000 and which it is expected to see completed during the present year. This will be followed next year, if the \$6,000,000 bond issue is voted in June, by its hard-surfacing by the state as a part of the Coos Bay to Roseburg highway.

For most of the forty minutes drive over this road, which will be reduced to twenty when it is paved, the present winding way around or over the lower foothills will be followed, though there are several notable changes. The first will be made at the Peter Jacobsen place about half a mile from this city. There the present big double loop in the shape of an immense S will have the sharp turns taken out of it making the driving both easier and safer. This will be done by cutting off the point of the sharply projecting hill at the beginning of the first loop and using the material there excavated to make a grade through the Jacobsen orchard and directly between the house and the barn. This of course, means the payment of a tidy sum for damages, but as it will shorten the road some 200 feet, the expense of widening the grade and hard-surfacing for that distance will be saved, so that the additional cost will not be excessive.

The rock excavation for the whole of this project is figured at 15,000 cubic yards, fully one-half of which will have to be made at the old county rock quarry near Norway. Here the railroad hugs the bluff so closely that it was necessary to cut into the bluff some twenty feet above to get a shelf for the old roadway, and that is now altogether too narrow for the modern road 24 feet wide which it is proposed to build. The hole in the rock wall made in blasting out the rock here for road material in the past helps some, but there still remains nearly a quarter of a million cubic feet of rock to get out of the road.

The last big change to be made is at the railroad crossing just where the road now runs at the base of a steep hill with occasional slides, and then turns across the low land and crosses the north fork near its union with the south fork. Here the grade crossing will be eliminated and this road will cross the railroad on a concrete viaduct which will cost about \$8,000. The approach to this from the north will begin 500 or 600 feet west of the present crossing and with a much wider roadway gradually climb the hillside to the left of the present road, with an upgrade where it is now a descending one. After the railroad is thus left beneath, the descent on the further side will be on an easy grade for the 800 feet to the North Fork bridge.

The viaduct here and one to be built this summer to carry the Coquille-Marshfield road over the railroad at Coaledo will render it possible to travel by auto or wagon from Marshfield to Myrtle Point without stopping to see whether the cars are coming, or bumping on the rails.

In addition to the Coquille-Myrtle Point road project the County court is this week advertising for bids for the construction of a river bridge and overhead railroad crossing at Myrtle Point, for a bridge at Gravel Ford and for others across North Slough, Haynes Slough and Larson Slough on the new road leading north from Coos Bay.

### May Get School Land Funds.

While the people who applied for money from the state farm loan department are waiting for the bonds to be readvertised and sold for par or above, it may be worth while to remember that the State School loan fund has \$100,000 in hand for just such uses, though the interest is six per cent instead of five and the plan for payments is not quite so up-to-date as in the other case. While the Farm Loan board advertised a \$250,000 issue at first, the next offer will be half a million.

### Paul R. Wilson Honored.

From a Palo Alto, California, press dispatch we learn that Paul R. Wilson, son of Virgil R. Wilson of this city, has been appointed graduate manager of athletics at Leland Stanford university for the next two years by the student executive committee, succeeding E. C. Behrens, who has been manager for the past three years. Mr. Wilson has been four times the winner of the annual mile foot races between the University of California and Leland Stanford University.

Wednesday, Guy Kelley, son of N. C. Kelley, enlisted in the U. S. navy as either machinist or electrical engineer. He will go out on Monday to report at Portland.

### SEED FOR SALE BY GROWERS.

#### Farmers and Gardeners May Save Time by Ordering Direct from Producers.

#### Corn

Gold Nugget—Gill Bros. Seed Co., Portland, R. 1—25 to 100 pounds at .07 per pound. 100 pounds or more at .06 per pound.

Minnesota No. 23—Mrs. W. S. Campbell, Gold Hill, Oregon—small amount.

Minnesota No. 23—Mr. H. B. Berntzen, Eugene—200 pounds at .06 per pound.

Minnesota No. 23—Mr. J. H. Aldrich, Box 205, Camby, Oregon—four or five bushels at .07 per pound.

Minnesota No. 23—Mr. Chas. H. Hoyt, Jefferson, Oregon—twelve bushels at .07 per pound.

Minnesota No. 23—Stout Bros. Sheridan, Oregon—twelve bushels at .10 per pound.

Minnesota No. 23—H. L. Herse, Corvallis, R. 4—500 pounds.

Oregon Yellow Dent—Albert Stone, Woodburn, Oregon—eight pounds.

#### Kale

Mr. W. H. Savage, Corvallis, Oregon—two bushels.

Has Jensen, R. 7, Salem, Oregon—100 pounds of kale, 84% germination—25 per pound postpaid.

#### Potatoes

Mr. Frank L. Smith, Seapooose, Oregon—large quantity.

Gill Bros. Seed Co., Portland, R. 1—40 sacks Burbanks at .04.

Corvallis Flouring Mills Co., Corvallis, Ore.—several varieties.

James M. Herron, Monroe, Oregon—Burbanks, 400 pounds at .04 per pound.

E. E. Morrisson, Springfield—large quantity Burbanks at 3/2 and .04.

Fred Dose, Woodburn, Oregon—various small lots.

Gill Bros. Seed Co.—choice varieties in small lots.

#### Beans

Oregon Fruit Co., Portland, Oregon. Red Mexican and Royal White Kidney—E. L. Davis, Williams, Josephine County, Oregon, 3000 pounds Red Mexican at .11 f. o. b. Grants Pass and 400 pounds Royal White Kidney at .15. Excellent quality.

Red Valentine—M. Rodney Savage, Halsey, Oregon, one sack of Red Valentine, (a speckled bean of fair quality) at .10 per pound.

Lady Washington—Gill Bros. Seed Co., Portland, R. 1, 1300 pounds at .20 per pound.

Mexican Tree and Lady Washington mixed—R. R. Hughes, Corvallis, R. 2.

White Navy—F. N. Whitney, Monroe, Oregon, 100 lbs.

White Navy—J. M. Herron, Monroe, Oregon, 100 pounds.

Mexican Tree Beans—(choice), Gill Bros. Seed Co., Portland, R. 1.

#### Sweet Corn

Golden Bantam Sweet Corn—Mr. E. L. Davis, Williams, Josephine County, Oregon, 100 pounds at .08 per pound.

#### Peas

Early Morn, Telephone, American Wonder, Little Marvel—Gill Bros. Seed Co., Portland, R. 1.

Field Peas (Brown)—Bert Mason, Lone, Oregon, 3000 lbs. at 5/2 cents.

As information comes in, this list will be superceded. If you know of other good lots of seed, kindly let me know as promptly as possible. If you get seed, let me know.

#### 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.

### Bancroft Items.

Geo. Rice and Dave Carey set out for Roseburg Thursday morning to visit the family of B. R. Banning.

The frequent showers are now looked upon as a hindrance to planting crops but later may be looked back to as helps in the harvest.

J. C. Shields lost his hay and barn, also a light back, by fire on Wednesday morning. The men from a nearby tie camp came to help save things but the fire was too far advanced to save the building. The fire started from a lighted match thrown down by a small boy, a grandson of Mr. Shields.

### Died

On Sunday, May 6, Eugene Shields, son of J. C. and Lavina Shields, who took his own life while under a spell of melancholy, which evidently unbalanced his mind. He was in the prime of life and his untimely passing away cast a gloom over the entire community. He was buried at the Bancroft cemetery on Tuesday at 2 o'clock, Rev. C. D. Price conducting the funeral service. The deceased leaves a widow and four children, besides his parents, six sisters and four brothers. The family have the sympathy of many friends.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Shields and family wish to express their thanks to all friends who tendered sympathy and assistance in their recent bereavement and trouble.

E. P. Schow, formerly connected with the timber interests of this county and who several years ago spent much time here, came in from Portland Sunday as an employee of the government internal revenue service and is attending to business connected with that department this week. He will visit every town in the county before leaving for Portland.

### NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been duly appointed Administrator of the estate of John Waltermier, deceased, and that all persons having claims against said estate are required to present the same, duly verified and with the proper vouchers therefor, to the undersigned at the law office of C. R. Barrow, in Coquille, Coos County, Oregon, within six months from the date of this notice. Dated this 8th day of May, 1917. 5-8-5p James Waltermier, Administrator of the estate of John Waltermier, deceased.

### SUMMONS

In the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon for the County of Coos. Frank A. Gardner, Plaintiff,

vs. Eunice Gardner, Defendant.

Suit in Equity for Divorce.

To Eunice Gardner, the above named defendant:

You are hereby notified that you are required to appear and answer the complaint filed against you in the above entitled suit within six weeks from the date of the first publication of this summons to-wit: within six weeks from the 8th day of May, 1917, the same being the date of the first publication of this summons. And if you fail to appear and answer on or before the 19th day of June, 1917, the same being the last day of the time prescribed in the order of publication, the plaintiff will apply to the Court for the relief demanded in his complaint, a succinct statement of which is as follows:— That the marriage contract heretofore and now existing between the plaintiff and the defendant herein be annulled, set aside and held for naught, and for such other and further relief as to the Court may seem just and equitable.

Service of this summons is made by publication in pursuance of an order made by the Hon. John S. Coke, Judge of the Circuit Court within and for the County of Coos and State of Oregon, dated May 4th, 1917, directing that service thereof be made by publication of said summons in the Coquille Herald, a newspaper published at the City of Coquille, in said Coos County, Oregon, once a week for a period of six weeks.

C. R. Barrow, 5-8-7t Attorney for plaintiff.

### Road to Happiness.

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### IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE STATE OF OREGON, FOR COOS COUNTY.

A. T. Lewis, Plaintiff,

vs. Robert Wyatt, Smith Powers Logging Company, a corporation, D. Howard Savage and C. A. Langworthy, Defendants.

Notice is hereby given that pursuant to a writ of execution issued out of the above entitled court, I will, on

the 30th day of May, 1917, at the hour of ten o'clock of said day, at the front door of the court house, in the City of Coquille, County of Coos, State of Oregon, at public auction, in satisfaction of said execution, sell the following described real property, to-wit: Lot Sixteen and the South half of Lot Fifteen, Townsite of Powers, according to the plat thereof on file and of record in the office of the County Clerk of said Coos County.

Witness my hand and seal this 30th day of April, 1917.

W. W. GAGE, Sheriff of Coos County, Oregon.

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