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COMMITTEE MAY PUBLISH NAMES

Number Who Have Not Paid Assessments

Lane County and some of the other counties of the state are publishing the names of those who failed or refused to contribute to the Second Red Cross War Fund. The committee in charge in Gilliam county are going to defer publishing the names of the delinquents in this county until all have been given enough time to respond to the notices mailed them. There are approximately one hundred and fifty in the Condon District who have failed to pay the amounts assessed against them, but subscriptions are still coming in, and the committee is confident that there will be few, if any who will fail or refuse to contribute their proportionate share to this fund.

The amount so far subscribed in this county amounts to a little over \$8500 for both funds and the total quota is \$11,900.

LONDON ADMITS ALLIES ANXIOUS

London, June 1.—It is admitted here this morning that there is no disguising the fact that the military situation is very serious. There are two reasons for this outlook. First, because the Germans have advanced twenty-eight miles in five days and, second, because the Germans still have a large number of fresh reserves ready for battle at any moment. The situation will remain anxious until the Allies know where these reserves are to be used.

At the same time it is pointed out that the troop transports for the British and French reserves is working smoothly now and there are plenty of reserves to check the Germans advance with every hope of holding the enemy to little more progress.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Pryor and son, Asa, are in town for the races.

TO TRAIN GRAMMAR SCHOOL GRADUATES

Washington, June 1.—As another step in policy of militarist training for American youths the War Department has issued a call for 24,674 able grammar school graduates to qualify for general military service. These will enter various colleges on June 15 for special military training. Voluntary recruits accepted until June 7. Oregon's quota will be 309 and the state will be divided into two school districts, Portland comprising one.

OREGON WORKS FOR NO WHEAT

Portland, Or., June 1.—That Oregon believes what is worth doing at all is worth doing well and without loss of time, is shown by the reports that are pouring into the State Food Administration headquarters here from every section of the state.

"Every county" said Assistant Federal Food Administrator W. K. Newell today, "seems to be enthusiastically in the race for first honors in getting on an absolutely wheatless basis. Dealers and consumers in every section are eager to assist in every way they can to save every possible pound of wheat and to help gather in the turned-back flour for export overseas to the Allied armies."

GILLIAM DOES SHARE

By J. C. Sturgill
County Food Administrator
Gilliam is working right along with the other counties of the state in getting Oregon on a wheatless basis. All the dealers have taken the matter up and will carry out their part in good shape. We are required to go on this wheatless basis until after harvest. Under the working plan the people will turn back their flour to their dealer and receive cash or credit at retail rates. In turn the dealers will turn back the flour thus gathered and it will be assembled at one point and shipped overseas.

GILLIAM WILL SEND NINETEEN JUNE 24

Portland, June 1.—The number of men to be sent from Gilliam county under the new draft of June 24 will be nineteen. This call is not affected by the Grammar Graduate draft.

BRITISH FRONT QUIET

London, June 1.—Haig's report this morning contained the information that local fighting on the Picardy front yesterday resulted in all cases to the advantage of the British forces. The only action here is artillerying and raiding.

LATEST DISPATCH IS FRENCH HOLD

French Front, June 1.—The French are still solidly holding every bridgehead and passage across the Marne. The result is that the Germans have apparently abandoned the edge of the river and are concentrating on the plateau above the valley where they are now seeking to advance westward.

RED CROSS TO AUCTION

The Red Cross will sell at auction tonight on Main street in front of Back's meat market and Farr's store a saddle pony which was given to the Red Cross by J. E. Downer.

Will Cooney's house on Trail Fork was totally destroyed by fire yesterday evening about five o'clock. Most of the furnishings downstairs were taken out but everything on the upper floor was burned. The fire started from a defective flue.

Mrs. M. J. Lynch of Gwendolen bought a Mitchell Six club roadster from Hollen & Sons this week. This is a very fine car and will give Mrs. Lynch good service.

See Hollen & Sons for Republic and Silvertown cord tires. d6

GERMANS OCCUPY SOUTH OF MARNE

Fail to Cross in Face of the French Forces

Paris, June 1.—The Germans have advanced the main thrust of their present offensive to the extent that they now occupy a front of thirteen miles on the north bank of the Marne river between Chateau Thierry and Vernuel. At various points they have made repeated attempts to force a crossing of the river but each attack crumpled before fierce French resistance, according to the French Communiqué this morning. The Franco-British forces still hold Rheims in the face of determined efforts to drive them from their positions there. Violent fighting continued yesterday evening and all last night on the left flank. South of Soissons the French counter-attacked and hurled the Germans back on the Oise river, gaining ground everywhere, recapturing Chandeau and Viezy and taking several hundred prisoners. Chandeau and Viexy changed hands several times in the fiercest of fighting but the French hold both places. Sharp fighting is continuing along the road from Dormans to Rheims. The situation is unchanged north and northwest of Rheims. In the Nevelly region a fierce battle is under way but at all points here the French have broken up the German attacks and maintained their lines.

Every man in Gilliam county, whether a citizen or not, who has reached the age of 21 years since Registration Day on June 5 a year ago must register at Sheriff Lillie's offices next Wednesday or pay the penalty—one year in jail. Every man will be given a registration certificate and should have it with him at all times ready to show on demand. Sickness or absence is no excuse for not registering. Registration hours are from 7 A. M. to 9 P. M.

Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Hartman were over from Fossil yesterday.