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THE USEFULNESS OF YOUR JOB.

You men of draft age who are not in the army because you have a wife and children or a father or mother dependent upon you, ought to size up your job to see whether or not Marshal Crowder's new regulation will touch you.

The new regulation took effect July 1. It says that no matter whether a man is married and has dependants or not, he must go into the service if he is either a loafer or is doing work which is not useful in winning the war, and this order names certain jobs as being non-useful, such as running passenger elevators,

sales clerks in stores, men doing housework, and some jobs which are regarded as hurtful, such as working around gambling houses, pool rooms, bucket shops, race tracks, etc.

It is easy enough to look at your job and say, "My job is not in the list," but General Crowder says it is expected that the list of non-useful jobs will be extended from time to time. Suppose that another list is gotten out as soon as they take care of the men in the non-useful jobs which are already named? Will your job be in the next list?

It is not a very long step from running a passenger elevator to being a street car conductor.

If selling dry goods or groceries in a store is a non-useful job, how could they classify a deputy clerk of a court, or a bookkeeper?

If you are a bond salesman or an insurance solicitor and have received deferred classification in the draft, what are the chances that your occupation will be named in the next list?

If you are a chauffeur for a private family, what are the chances that the next list will put your job down as non-useful just as this list names the doorman and butler.

And you lawyers—are you so necessary?

In sizing up your job, you had better think also about whether or not a woman with sufficient training could do your work, not as well perhaps as you, at

first, but could she learn to do your work?

When you are thinking about whether or not your job will be in the list of non-useful jobs, put yourself in the place of Provost Marshal Crowder, who must not only get men into the army, but must see that all the man-power of the country is working in things which are useful in helping to win the war, and then you can figure out just what kind of a job you hold.

The first list went into effect July 1. There will probably be a large number of men hunting for useful jobs. There will be more of them as other lists are made up.

Maybe you just happened to get into the job you hold now and have stayed in it just because you didn't happen to get out. Maybe you have always wanted to work in a machine shop or on a farm but nothing came along to make you do it, especially after you got married. No one can tell you what you had better do right now, but one thing is sure and that is that you had better think about your job.

RESULTS FIRST YEAR OF FOOD ADMINISTRATION

Preliminary Work Began May 19, 1917.

Food Control Act passed August 10, 1917.

WHEAT EXPORTS (since July 1):

Estimated surplus for export, 20,000,000 bushels.
Actual shipments to June, 120,000,000 bushels.

BEEF EXPORTS:

Ordinary rate one to two million pounds monthly.
Largest single month this year, 87,000,000 lbs.

PORK EXPORTS:

Ordinary rate, 50,000,000 lbs. monthly.
Largest month this year, 308,000,000 lbs.

PRICE OF FLOUR (Minneapolis):

One year ago, \$16.75 a barrel wholesale.

Present price, \$9.80 per barrel.

PRICE MARGIN (between farmer's wheat and flour made from it):

One year ago the difference was \$5.68.

Present date the difference is 64 cents.

IN GENERAL: To the farmer going to market, 27 per cent more than last summer; to the housewife buying in market, 13 per cent less than last summer.

And the Allies have been sustained.

Anonymity in Literature.

A writer in the Boston Transcript, speaking of a man who had written much for publication but always anonymously, says: "I doubt the wisdom of this on practical grounds; for the public likes to know whose work it is reading; a pseudonym is far better than nothing, and if persisted in is as good in the long run as the right name; but a book by an abstraction, by nobody, generally fails to win the reader's interest, unless a rumor is put about that there is a mystery concerning the authorship, and that the author is a famous man trying a new experiment." He might have added that anonymity is not profitable to the writer, especially if he is capable of good work. He gets no credit with the public for what he does; whereas his name if it accompanied his published writing should become a distinct asset, editors, especially of magazines, being governed to some extent in their acceptances by the value of a name, and persistent use of a name even when attached to matter of trivial quality has become a source of liberal income to many a writer."

To Warm Room Evenly.

The temperature of a heated room is several degrees warmer at the ceiling than at the floor. To equalize the temperature, it is necessary for the air to be in circulation. This may be accomplished with an electric fan, but to prevent any unnecessary draughts, the blast from the fan should be confined. As the air must be driven from the floor to the ceiling, place the fan in one corner of the room in such a position that it will drive the air upwards. To keep the air confined make a cardboard tube about six inches in diameter to carry the air up and across the ceiling to the opposite corner of the room. This will take the cold air from the floor and force it out at the ceiling level. Naturally the air currents are forced from a lower to a higher level, thus equalizing the temperature.—Popular Science Monthly.

War is OUR BUSINESS; we can't win by carrying it as a side line.

WE HAVE WHAT YOU WANT IN DAIRY RANCHES

Prices Range up to \$30,000

Below is a partial list of our many bargains

Don't write us about these ranches. Come to Cloverdale and see us. We can show you just what you are looking for.

\$2,100, half cash, balance two years or longer if desired for a close in 14½ acres ranch, two buildings and a large barn on this place.

\$4,200, half cash, balance to suit, 49 acres with good barn and and shack.

\$3,500 buys 40 acre ranch on main county road. Fair house and old barn.

\$22,000 buys the best ranch of its size in Tillamook County. Reasonable terms.

\$6,000 for an 80 acre ranch on the main county road between Cloverdale and Hebo.

\$6,200 buys an 80 acre ranch with stock and farm tools near Meda.

\$10,000 buys a fully stocked and going ranch and only \$4,000 to put you in possession of the place. Long time for balance.

Dairy lands in the Nestucca Valley bring you a monthly pay check. Why not take advantage of one of the many bargains we can offer you at the present time.

Trades

We have a few trades if your holdings will suit.

To Owners of Nestucca Valley Lands

I have received a letter recently from a Salem party, stating that he has a 7 room bungalow to exchange for land that would make a sheep ranch. Another party has written me from Portland wishing to exchange income bearing Portland property for a well equipped dairy ranch. Has cash and equities. Still another party has two lots near St. Johns car line, Portland, at \$1800 and he wants to trade for land. If you have anything to trade and these appeal to you see me at Cloverdale.

Taylor Real Estate Agency, Cloverdale

APART FROM REST OF WORLD

People Dwelling in High Valley of the Indus Are Isolated, but Completely Satisfied.

In the high valley of the Indus, guarding the entrance to mysterious Tibet, lies Leh, the capital of an Indian province, writes Niksah in Chicago Daily News. Leh is not a haven for tourists. Occasionally a few travelers with a passion for adventure and a lack of consideration for the comforts of home, work their way through mountain passes and over rivers, on caravan ponies and primitive rafts, and at last reach Leh.

Usually the journey is taken for the pleasure of unconventional travel and not for the purpose of visiting Leh, for merely to view the town is hardly worth the hardships of the trip. If you are an astronomer, however, you look at the matter differently. The meteorological observatory of Leh is the most elevated in Asia; and your true lover of the stars will not balk at the blinding snow and scorching sun which follow one another in such maddening succession in the Himalayas.

Devout Buddhists find congenial surroundings in Leh, for the neighborhood is filled with lamasseries, as the monasteries of Tibetan Buddhists are called. Over half the men are priests, or "red coats," and spend their days in the worship of Buddha. Nowhere else are there so many prayer wheels endlessly revolving. On these wheels are manuscripts bearing the inscription, "Jewel in the lotus, Amen," written many times. As the wheel turns, the paper unwinds and the prayer is considered said.

The people of this section know little of outside affairs. They live at an altitude of from 11,000 to 16,000 feet above sea level, in the highest populated altitude in the world. If they descend as low as 5,000 feet, the unaccustomed atmosphere causes illness. But they are happy in their isolation, and view complacently the monotonous grandeur of the mountains, which cut them off so effectually from the rest of the world.

"We stand behind our boys in France and we will not call it a sacrifice but a privilege to do our bit toward feeding them Over There."—Emma V. Milliken.

Conserve, reserve and preserve all of these fine fruits and vegetables that are now within your reach; you will need them the coming winter.

Notice of Sale Under Foreclosure.

Notice is hereby given, that by virtue of a judgment, decree and an order of sale made and entered on the 6th day of June, 1908, and by virtue of an execution issued under said judgment and decree dated the 24th day of June, 1918, in a certain cause pending in the Circuit Court for Tillamook County, Oregon, wherein Mary E. Landingham is plaintiff and Ernest Edmunds and Kathryn E. Edmunds are defendants, which judgment, decree and execution commanded me to sell the premises hereinafter described, to satisfy said judgment and decree, I, W. L. Campbell, sheriff of Tillamook County, Oregon, on Saturday, the 27th day of July, 1918, at 10 o'clock a. m., before the Court House door, in said County, will sell for cash to the highest bidder, all the right, title and interest of said defendants in and to the said land and premises, more particularly described as follows, to wit:

Commencing at the Southwest corner of the Northeast one quarter of Section Twenty-five, Township Five South, of Range Eleven West, of the Willamette Meridian; thence North along the line of said one-quarter a distance of Forty rods; thence East Forty-eight Rods; thence South Forty Rods to the South line of said one quarter; thence West Forty-eight Rods along said line to the place of beginning (except two acres, more or less, sold under contract to one George Cozel) containing Ten (10) acres, more or less.

Also, commencing at the Southwest corner of the Northwest one quarter of the Southeast one quarter of Section Twenty-five (25) Township Five (5) South, of Range Eleven (11) West, of the Willamette Meridian; thence North Forty-six (46) Rods, along quarter line; thence East Fourteen (14) Rods; thence South Forty-six (46) Rods to South line of said quarter; thence West Fourteen (14) Rods along said South line to place of beginning, containing Four (4) acres, more or less. All in Tillamook County, Oregon.

W. L. Campbell,
Sheriff of Tillamook County, Oregon.
Dated June 24th, 1918.

OLD MAN HARRIS

Editor of the Oil and Mineral Journal of Billings, Mont., will give you straight "tips" about oil and mining companies free, and send you sample copy of his 16-page illustrated paper for the asking. Scores of his subscribers have made \$400 on a \$100 investment and upwards, by following his advice. Don't buy in any company until you write him about it—he knows who is reliable and those who are not. Write Dun's or Bradstreet's as to what they think of Old Man Harris and his reliable information to investors.—Adv.

Dr. E. L. Glaisyer VETERINARIAN

County Dairy Inspector

Telephone Main 3—and Mutual.

Tillamook, Oregon

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In ever line of Merchandise, but none more especially than in

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Builders' Hardware, Tools

Shelf and Heavy Hardware

Stoves, Ranges, Farm and Garden Tools

And everything usually kept in a first-class hardware store, and all goods are of the best quality.

Alex McNair & Co., Tillamook, Ore.