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MEN FOR THE ARMY

The draft problem now before congress is simple. More men are needed for the army. When the present selective service law was enacted it was thought that 2,000,000 or 3,000,000 would suffice for our share of the allied military burden.

We already have nearly 3,000,000 men under arms, at home and abroad, but that is not enough. Our government is now planning, quite properly, for an army of 5,000,000 men.

It may prove necessary to raise more than that. We cannot get any such number from Class One of the selective service lists as constituted at present, covering ages from 21 to 31. It is evident that, unless we are to take men from the other classes, we must extend the service age limits.

To draft men from any but the first and most eligible class of recruits would mean to take the heads of families, fathers and brothers and sons of persons dependent on them for support or personal care. It would mean also the taking of skilled men employed in essential industries, and of men below the desired standard of physique or mentality.

The age limits recommended by the war department, 18 to 45, may appear extreme. At their extremities they are little more than nominal. It is not likely that we shall send our 18-year-olds to the firing line, although England, harder pressed, has used boys of 18 1/2 to repel this year's German offensive. As for boys of 19 and 20, military experts are practically unanimous in regarding them as the very best of army material.

A considerable number of eligibles could be obtained in the older classes up to 35. The war department in practice will hardly want to go beyond that limit for army material, except in special cases. It will be valuable, however, to give the government military authority over all our men of middle life up to 45, because it will facilitate our economic war organization.

CASUALTY COMPARISONS

When contemplating our casualty lists, just remember that British casualties for the month of July, when there was not supposed to be much fighting on the British front, amounted to 87,291. The month before they were 141,147.

At the height of our military activity so far, we have not begun to approximate the normal British and French losses.

Every casualty case is a matter for sympathy and serious appreciation on the part of the people at home; but any excessive concern over the lists now coming in would seem a shameful thing, when we consider what our allies have suffered so long and are still suffering.

Let us not cry before we are hit. And let us not cry then, either.

- HAY, GRAIN, FEED Stock and Poultry Supplies Gasoline and Oils U. G. HAYNE, East Third and Main Streets

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Rev. O. B. Pershing Preached in Corvallis Rev. O. B. Pershing preached at the morning service in the First Presbyterian church, Corvallis, and moderated the congregational meeting at which a call was extended to Rev. J. E. Snyder of Pendleton, Ore., to become pastor.

JEFFERSON NEWS NOTES Mrs. Nora Holt and son were at Albany Tuesday. A serious fire was narrowly averted on the farm of B. S. Thurston Tuesday.

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FOR SALE—Canadian lands, easy terms. Full information, see Geo. Taylor at corner of 24 and Broadway. 10j1ff

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12 WORK HORSES FOR SALE—Easy terms. H. Bryant, da5fw

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Help Wanted—Female

WANTED—A girl to assist with general housework, 1032 Washington St. Bell phone 588J or Home phone 1262. 12a13

For Rent

FOR RENT—A partially furnished house. Inquire at 333 S. Jefferson. Home phone 4128. 10a13*

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FOR RENT—New, strictly modern 6-room bungalow, close in and very best location. Rent reasonable. Enquire Western Union Telegraph Office. j29f

Miscellaneous

HOPPICKERS WANTED—Commence picking Aug. 19. Good boys, good camping grounds. Free wood. Hopyard 3 miles south of Harrisburg. All those wishing to pick notify Robert Stroda, Harrisburg. 9a16*

WANTED—Work by man. Call Bell phone 593L. A. E. Cox, 908 E. 8th St. 12a14*

WANTED—50 hoppickers from Albany at Gentry Hopyard, J. A. Sonvey, proprietor. Home phone 885L, Corvallis. Free transportation from Corvallis to yard. Free wood. Picking to begin about Sept. 1. a8tf

WANTED—Berrypickers, evergreen blackberries, 11-2 cents a pound. Good camping, water and wood. F. M. St. John, Albany, R. 2. Home phone Corvallis 7553. j31a14*

STATE FAIR, SALEM, OREGON—September 23, 28. Splendid exhibits. Excellent music, high class entertainments and a superb racing card. For particulars write A. H. Lea, Salem, Oregon. a8a1

WANTED—2 or 3 furnished rooms for light housekeeping or small furnished house. Notify Democrat Office. j27ff

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HEMSTITCHING—10c yard. 452-R. Sue Breckenridge, 333 W. Second.

ELMER C. GIPE Chiropractor Rooms 5, 7, 9, 10, Cusick Bank Bldg. Nature cannot cure a disease unless the cause is removed. Chiropractic adjustments remove the cause.

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