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DRAFT INFORMATION

Except to fill vacancies in calls already made, no more men will be drafted from Oregon or other states before February 15. As all questionnaires will be completed before that date, this will give men taken hereafter, except such few as may be needed prior to February 15 to fill vacancies, the advantage of the new classification system.

Very few men would have been taken from Oregon in any event prior to the next draft, which it is now announced will be not earlier than February 15. This is one of only 10 states that have already filled their quotas in the first draft, barring a few vacancies caused by rejections at the training camps.

Future draft quotas are to be filled first from Class 1, comprising men without dependents. They will be drafted from deferred classifications only when Class 1 is exhausted, thus making it necessary to go to the next class for enough men to fill up the quota.

An exception to this will be made in the case of experts and men highly skilled in agriculture or industries. It is announced that the Government soon will call for a large number of men of this special class. They will be taken as needed for such special work from whatever classification they may have been granted.

A limited number of officers not now in active service, and retired officers of the Oregon National Guard, who are physically fit and between the ages of 23 and 47, are eligible for enlistment as privates first class for attendance at the next Officers' Training Camp, which begin January 15. Official word to this effect has just been received by John M. Williams, Acting Adjutant General, from the chief of the Bureau of Militia Affairs at Washington, with the request that it be given publicity.

Applications for the camps by such officers must be approved by the Bureau. Those qualifying at the camp, which will be held in Southern California and the Southern States, will receive commissions.

WAR SAVINGS

"War Savings Stamps mark an epoch in our national life."—Secretary of the Treasury McAdoo.
 Many a successful business

man has said that the saving of his first dollar was the most important act of his life; that it marked the beginning of a habit and a course of conduct to which he attributed his success.

Something very analogous to this it is believed, is going to be the effect on the American Nation of the War Savings campaign. Not only are millions of individual citizens going to begin to save, but this habit of economy and saving is going to be a collective movement, a movement not of individuals alone but of the Nation.

The habit of saving former now has a deeper incentive than ordinary. We are saving now not alone for selfish reasons. We are saving now from patriotism, saving not alone for ourselves but for our country. The combination of patriotism and thrift is, indeed, going to make the War Savings campaign an epoch in our national life. It is not only going to be a thing of tremendous benefit to millions of citizens, it is going to be a thing of tremendous advantage to the Nation as a whole, and affect our whole national life. It marks the beginning of a new era in American life, an era of economy, good sense, and patriotism.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS
 Notice is hereby given that by an order of the County Court of Lane County, Oregon, duly made and entered of record on the 2d day of December, 1917, in the matter of the estate of Ole Holmerson, deceased, the undersigned was duly appointed administratrix of said estate.

All persons having claims against said estate are hereby required to present the same, duly verified, to the undersigned at the law office of Potter & Immel, in Eugene, Lane County, Oregon, on or before six months from the date hereof.

Dated this 6th day of December, 1917.
HANNAH E. HOLMERTSON,
 Administratrix of the estate of Ole Holmerson, deceased.
 Potter & Immel, Att'ys for estate.
 Dec. 6, 1917, Jan. 3.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS
 Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been appointed executor of the estate of Nancy Bahr, deceased, by the Judge of the County Court for Lane County, Oregon.

All persons having claims against said estate are hereby notified to present the same, properly verified and with the proper vouchers to the executor at the office of Young & Ray, in the county Court House, within six months from the date of the first publication of this notice.

Date of the first publication of this notice is December 27, 1917.
H. H. RITTER,
 Executor of the estate of Nancy Bahr, deceased.
 Young & Ray, attorneys for estate.
 Dec. 27, Jan. 3, 1918.

Classified Ads

For Sale, Rent, Wanted, Etc.

LOST—Gold necklace with cameo. Finder please return to News office.

LOST—Green silk umbrella with green marble handle at Cliff's Restaurant. Doris Lybarger.

WANTED—A competent girl or woman for housework. Apply to 675 West Ninth St. Eugene, Oregon or telephone 510-R.

FOUND—Fur coat belt near Methodist church. Owner may have same by calling at News office and paying for this ad.

WANTED—Maple and ash pin butts, cut 50 inches long and from 10 to 20 inches thick. Over 20 inches split in half. Must be clear, sound and straight grain. See the SPRINGFIELD PLANING MILL COMPANY.

FOR SALE—My place in West Springfield of 1 1/4 acres, with six room house. Will sell at bargain, small payment, with terms to suit. C. E. Neet, Wanna, Oregon.

FOUND—At Seventh and Main a ladies tan glove for the left hand. Owner may have the glove by calling at the News office and paying for this ad.

WANTED—A young man 15 to 18 years to learn the optical business. Enquire through W. Moody, Eugene.

PATRIOTISM OF THE STOMACH

Neither Fried Chicken Nor Biscuits Found by Hungry Hunters on Farmer's Table.

There are all kinds and varieties of patriotism—almost as many as there are pickles of a certain variety. There is the patriotism of speech, the patriotism of arms, or money, or service and so on. But of them all the hardest for the average individual is the patriotism of the stomach. So thought a bunch of Indianapolis men who invaded Brown county for a day of hunting, says the Indianapolis News.

After a day of hiking and tramping over the hills, in which a nice string of rabbits was the prize, these "tired business men" adjourned to the farmer's house where they had planned on a big "feed." You can imagine their surprise and disgruntled feelings when on seating themselves at the table they found neither meat nor bread. The expected fried chicken and hot biscuits were missing. Of course, no one said anything, but a good many thoughts made the air quiet.

That evening as they were leaving for the train the old farmer friend pointed to a small placard in the window, and said: "Well, boys, the next time you come down we'll have that fried chicken and biscuits. Mary said we was a member of the United States food administration now, and what was the use of havin' a pledge card if you didn't keep the pledge." They had chosen the wrong day. Besides bringing home a lesson to some of the party it served to call their attention to the fact that almost every home down there, no matter how humble and how far back in the hill, had a food administration pledge card in the window.

BANANA FLOUR AND BREAD

Green Fruit, Full Grown, Is Peeled, Sliced and Dried, Then Ground in Ordinary Corn Mill.

At a meeting of the Horticultural club of Trinidad, samples of banana flour and bread were exhibited and the method of preparation described. It was explained that the bananas from which the flour and bread were made had been taken from trees only five days previously, the 'silk fig' small variety of bananas producing the best results, reports Henry D. Baker, American consul at Trinidad.

The process was described as follows: "Full-grown green bananas should be selected. Peel, slice and dry quickly, preferably on a galvanized sheet, then grind in ordinary corn mill. From 30 pounds of green bananas 16 1/2 pounds of flour had been obtained in the specimens shown. The bread, which was very palatable, had been made from two parts of banana flour and one part of wheat flour. The banana flour could also be used as a substitute for oatmeal porridge and also for making puddings."

Army Medical Department.
 There are now more than 18,000 officers engaged in the work of the medical department of the army, including regular army officers and the four officers' reserve corps—medical, dental, veterinary and sanitary—connected with the work under Surgeon General Gorgas, says the Medical Journal. It is estimated that at least 24,000 physicians will be included in the personnel of the department when full strength is reached. Every step in caring for the physical welfare of the soldiers from the time they are sworn into service until they are discharged comes under the medical department. In this work is included inspection of foods to be served soldiers, sanitation, care of the sick and wounded, the operation of field base and convalescent hospitals, "re-education" of the permanently crippled, handling the supplies for all this work, etc. The total number of hospital beds will be on a basis of 25 per cent of the strength of the army.

Don't Flatter Yourself.
 "Somehow I was always different from other people," is a common saying among men, even among those who lay no claim to any special virtue, observes Los Angeles Times. Indeed, the statement is often made by those who pretend to be ashamed of their vices, but who are really almost proud of them. To feel like that and to admit it is only a confession of the egotism common to humanity. Whoever you are, you are only different from others in personality. You belong to the race and probably are neither better nor worse than any one of the vast majority. Everybody thinks that he is different from all the rest. He ain't!

To Save Tin Now Wasted.
 A small electric furnace has been installed and operation begun on the volatilization of tin from scrap at the Northwest experiment station of the United States bureau of mines at Seattle, Wash., says the Engineering and Mining Journal. An extensive series of experiments will be carried out there with the idea of saving the tin now wasted in discarded containers and other forms of scraps.

Starting It.
 "Darling," she said, "you know we really ought not to fuss with each other. Now, I want to make an agreement with you that we will never say a harsh word or have a stage dispute."
 "All right, I'm with you," he agreed, "but before we begin, I'd like to know where in thunder you put those nasty-blank clean socks you said you had."

NOTICE OF FILING OF FINAL ACCOUNT

Notice is hereby given that C. M. Dorrity, Administrator, of the estate of Charles Jenkins, Deceased, has filed his final account in said estate with the County Clerk of Lane County, Oregon, and pursuant to order of the County Court dated December 31, 1917, Saturday the second day of February, 1918, at the hour of 10 o'clock A. M. at the County Court room in the Court House, Lane County, Oregon, has been fixed as the time and place for final hearing, and at which time the Court will pass upon any and all objections that may be filed thereto.

All persons are hereby notified to file their objections if any they have with the County Clerk, of said County, on or before the hour of 10 o'clock A. M. of said Second day of February, 1918.

Dated this 31st day of December, 1917.
C. M. DORRITY,
 Administrator.

EIGHTH GRADE EXAMINATIONS

Notice is hereby given that final eighth grade examinations will be given on Thursday and Friday, January 17 and 18, 1918, according to the schedule given on the back of the envelopes in which the questions are sent. Teachers in districts where there are pupils who can meet the conditions required by law, should send in their blanks certifying to the standing of the pupils, at once.
E. J. MOORE, County Superintendent.
 Jan. 3, 1918.

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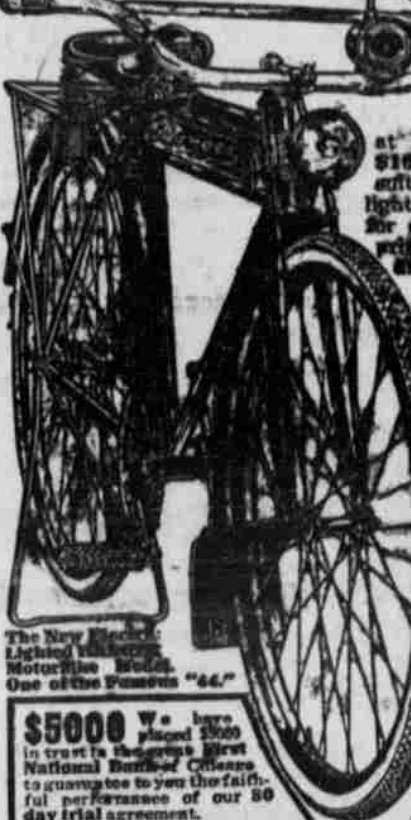


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