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YOUNG MEN NOW 21 MUST REGISTER

Every young man who has reached the age of 21 years since last June 5 will be required to register for military service on a day soon to be set by proclamation of President Wilson, who is only awaiting necessary legislation now pending in congress before issuing the same.

The registration will be carried out by the local registration board and, as was the case last June 5, the work will be finished in one day.

It is estimated that the registration at this time will amount to about one-tenth of the number registered last year.

Regulations will soon be issued providing for the registration of men who are unable by reason of illness to present themselves for registration in person, and for the registration of absentees.

Every young man eligible for registration at this time should keep well posted as to the day fixed by the President for registration, for ignorance of the date will not be accepted as an excuse for failure to register.

Boyer-Capon

Mr. Dempsey Boyer and Miss Nora Capon, well-known young people of Monument, were quietly married at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George McDuffee in this city last Sunday and left Monday morning for a trip to Portland and other western points. Mr. Boyer is well known here as is his charming bride, who is a sister to Mrs. George McDuffee of this city and Mrs. George Bleakman of Hardman. Rev. Noyes of the Federated church performed the ceremony.

The best wishes of a host of friends will follow the happy couple. They will reside at Monument.

Future Looks Dark to Joe

Joe Wilkins was standing in the doorway of the Palace lobby the other day watching the steam roller put the finishing touches on the new paving and looking the picture of gloom. "Smatter Joe?" asked an inquisitive citizen who happened along. "Aw, what's the use?" wailed Joe. "After hollerin' my head off for ten years for paved streets, good roads, etc., it begins to look like I'm goin' to lose my job. I say that street begins to look it won't be long until I won't have a goldarned thing to kick about."

Heppner Boy at Atlanta, Ga.

Jake Osten, well-known Heppner boy and the first Morrow county "rookie" to win a commission in the National army, has been transferred from Leon Springs, Texas, to Camp Gordon, Atlanta, Ga. His mother, Mrs. C. J. Osten, of Hardman, recently received an interesting letter from her son from which the Herald is permitted to make the following excerpts:

"Well, here I am at last in Atlanta, Ga., and fairly well settled for another three months, but of course I am not sure how long I will be here.

"This is quite a large camp; I can't say how big, but I know it is big.

"There are about 30 of us attached to each company, and we have the rawest of recruits to drill. We each take a squad and give them a sort of personal going over. I have a Pole in my squad who cannot understand a word of English, but I found an interpreter today, so get along very well.

"We had a very interesting trip here. I have traveled through several states, about 5000 miles in my three months since enlisting. My next move I hope will be a big one. The Mississippi river was a failure, as a river, to what I expected to see—very muddy and no larger than the Columbia at Heppner Junction. I expected to see a river.

"We have it pretty nice here. Of course there is lots to do but we are used to it, so it does'nt hurt."

His address is, Chas. J. Osten, Sergt. 9th Co. 3d Batl. 1st Infantry Repl. Group, Camp Gordon, Georgia.

Miss Gilman Gives More Flowers

Miss C. A. Gilman, who donated the \$500 geranium to the Red Cross some time ago, is still keeping up the good work. Last Sunday morning she took a beautiful pansy in full bloom to the Federated church and placed it on the stand in front of the pulpit, and after the services remarked that she did not care to carry it home if some one would buy it for the benefit of the Red Cross. Mrs. Kelly at once offered \$2 for the plant, A. M. Phelps raised her bid to \$2.50 and Mrs. W. P. Mahoney captured the prize and walked off with it, declaring that as she just had to have it she would pay more than anyone else would bid.

Miss Gilman also has another fine geranium in the Phelps' Grocery Co.'s window which is for sale for the Red Cross.

CIRCUIT COURT TERM CONSUMES BUT 2 DAYS

The regular term of circuit court, which convened here Monday morning was quickly ended, two days being all the time required to attend to the civil and criminal matters which had been accumulating in Morrow county for the past six months.

Judge Phelps has a decidedly business-like way of attending to court business and perhaps holds the record for short terms, at least so far as Morrow county is concerned.

A grand jury consisting of O. M. Scott, Fred Lucas, A. B. Chapman, Geo. E. Sperry, W. F. Barnett, L. D. Neill and B. F. Sorenson was drawn Monday morning, but there being no criminal matters to engage their attention they looked over the county offices, jail, etc., and rendered a report approving of the manner in which all county affairs are being conducted.

An important case from Grant county which had been transferred to this county for trial was continued until the November term, principally for the reason that it was deemed unwise to call so many men away from their work on farm and range at this season of the year as the necessary jurors, witnesses and litigants would involve. It was therefor agreed between counsel for both parties to allow the case to go over.

The only criminal matters coming to trial were the liquor cases coming up from the justice court on appeal.

The case of George Swaggart, charged with having liquor in his possession unlawfully last August was heard, and after an hour's deliberation the jury returned a verdict of guilty.

Guy Boyer was also found guilty of having given away a drink of whisky in his own home last January. The men were fined \$250 each. Mr. Boyer was granted ten days in which to file a motion for a new trial.

Amy D. Sprouls was granted a divorce from John M. Sprouls and allowed to resume her former name of Amy D. Crawford. The divorce was granted on the grounds of desertion and failure to support.

Mary Cottrell was also granted a divorce from Geo. W. Cottrell on the ground of cruel and inhuman treatment. The plaintiff testified that defendant had struck her and knocked her down, and had habitually called her vile names and cursed and abused her.

Lexington Red Cross Items.

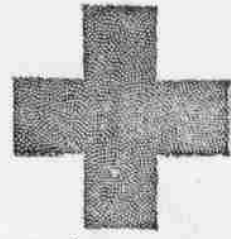
Thirty-three members reported for work at headquarters last Saturday.

A service flag for all the boys leaving the Lexington vicinity is to be unfurled at the school house May 24 at some period during the school exercises. Everybody welcome.

The Lexington Red Cross will serve lunch during the day Friday, May 17, so that all voters coming to primaries need not leave town hungry. The lunch will be served in the Red Cross work rooms.

Card of Thanks

We wish to extend to the kind friends our thanks and appreciation for the sympathy and kindness to us during our recent bereavement in the death of our sister, Cora Vincent Elliott. Also for the beautiful floral tribute. Waldo Vincent and Family.



"A great net of mercy drawn through
an ocean of unspeakable pain"

Facts About the American Red Cross

Did you know that—

It has established and is operating twenty dispensaries in the American Army Zone in France to care for the needy families there and to improve health conditions in that section ready for our troops?

It is housing and feeding thousands of children in the War Zone to keep them away from the danger of gas and shell fire?

It has divided the entire War Zone into six main districts, with Red Cross workers at each point to distribute cooking utensils, agricultural implements, beds, bedding, food and clothing?

It provides builders and ready-to-put-up buildings to house the homeless in the devastated regions, often before the walls of the destroyed homes have cooled?

It is bringing over two hundred tons of supplies every day into Paris, from which one hundred and twenty-five tons are reshipped to branch warehouses over France?

It is providing an artificial limb factory outside of Paris, in addition to special plants for the making of splints?

What will you give to keep this Hand of Mercy at its work?

Every cent of every dollar received for the Red Cross War Fund goes for War Relief.

The American Red Cross is the largest and most efficient organization for the relief of suffering that the world has ever seen.

It is made up almost entirely of volunteer workers, the higher executives being without exception men accustomed to large affairs, who are in almost all cases giving their services without pay.

It is supported entirely by its membership fees and by voluntary contributions.

It is today bringing relief to suffering humanity, both military and civil, in every War torn allied country.

It plans tomorrow to help in the work of restoration throughout the world.

It feeds and clothes entire populations in times of great calamity.

It is there to help your soldier boy in his time of need.

With its thousands of workers, its tremendous stores and smooth running transportation facilities, it is serving as America's advance guard—and thus helping to win the war.

Congress authorizes it.

President Wilson heads it.

The War Department audits its accounts.

Your Army, your Navy and your Allies enthusiastically endorse it.

Twenty-two million Americans have joined it.

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Cattle Market Dull

John Brosnan returned from Portland Wednesday morning, where he shipped several cars of beef cattle a few days ago. He reports the market rather dull, with heavy offerings.

Mr. Brosnan says some of the best beef steers were on the market this week he ever saw offered in Portland. They were from the Oregon experiment station and from the University of California. These two lots brought 15 cents a pound, while ordinary top steers brought about 11 cents. A heavy rain storm drenched Portland all day Tuesday, Mr. Brosnan says.

J. F. Kenny and Prewitt Cox returned from a trip to Portland Wednesday morning.

Recent Deaths

Mrs. Elizabeth J. Cave died at her home in this city Wednesday morning, May 15, at the age of 75 years. She was a native of Indiana and the wife of Enoch Cave.

Mrs. Johanna S. Bayless passed away at her home near Heppner Tuesday evening, May 14. She was a native of Germany, 53 years old and was the wife of F. M. Bayless.

Both funerals were held yesterday afternoon.

Strayed or Stolen

From range 12 miles north of Lexington, 8 work horses and mares all showing harness marks and one yearling colt. Various brands. For reward notify W. E. Dodge, Lexington, Ore.

Fine Rain Visits Morrow

The rather unusual drouth which has prevailed for several weeks was broken Tuesday afternoon, the downpour continuing all night. Almost an inch of water fell during the storm. While fall wheat was not suffering for moisture the spring sown grain was needing it badly, and the benefit to that portion of the crop will be very great. With by far the biggest acreage ever planted in this county the prospects now are most flattering for a record-breaking crop.

Mrs. Arthur Crawford and little daughter left Tuesday morning for Oakland, Cal., where they will spend the summer with her mother and other relatives.

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