

MARRIED MEN NOT WANTED IN NATIONAL GUARD

WASHINGTON, April 12.—All married men serving in the National guard having families dependent upon them will be discharged whether they wish to serve or not, according to an order issued by the war department.

The order reads: "Secretary of war authorizes the discharge of all enlisted men in the National Guard who have families dependent upon them, members of which, while soldiers in the federal service, would be entitled to the benefits of the comforts provided by the act of congress approved August 26, 1916, whether they desire to be discharged or not."

The word "dependent," the order declared means only wife, children or dependent mother, and careful investigation before discharge will take place.

The war department order was issued to relieve the government from responsibility of caring for dependents—a tremendous figure at the time the militia went to the Mexican border.

The militia units will now be filled up with volunteers until such time as the president deems it necessary to draft.

No new militia units will be formed beyond those now called until after congress acts upon the army bill.

In T. 36, R 2 W 10 Charles S. Johnson, et ux, to Citizens Bank of Ashland, W. D. to lot 6, blk. C, Boulevard Park Add. Ashland Callege Hill Addition to A. Paulson, W. D. to lots in blk. 6, College Hill Add. 250 Henry Schewepe, et ux, to Security State Bank of St. James, W. D. to land in T. 40, R 2 W 3,500 F. F. Johnson, et ux, to V. A. Crum, W. D. to lots in Narengan's Add. in Anderson Toft Add. Medford, and in T. 38, R. 2 W 10 Jas. J. Burrows, et ux, to Julius Leitz, W. D. to land in T. 34, R 1 W 10 R. L. Ewing, et ux, to Jackson County Bldg. & Loan Assn. deed to lot 9, blk. 7, Imperial Add. Medford 1

RIVERDALE

W. W. Willits of Persist hauled a load of Potatoes to Medford Tuesday.

Norman Gage made a trip to Medford and Ashland this week.

E. Peile was in the valley on business Monday and Tuesday.

Rev. E. McDonald motored to Medford Monday.

George Weeks of Elk hauled grain from the valley last week.

Misses Helen Moore and Margaret Hodgson spent the week end in Ashland.

Mrs. C. Skyrman of Upper Trail spent a few days in Central Point last week.

Misses Mima Hanna has gone to Medford to stay for an indefinite time.

W. Houston and son drove to the valley Tuesday.

Miss Alice and her uncle Jacob Klippel were taken to Medford by W. Coffee in his auto Sunday.

Dave Rummel of Eagle Point is working for W. Cottrell.

Omar Milligan of Central Point was visiting the Maxfield family last Sunday.

TALENT TALK

Miss Vandersluis is among the students who are spending their vacation with their parents.

J. H. Fuller was in from Wagner creek on Saturday.

John Wolganoff was in town from Wagner creek Saturday afternoon transacting business.

Miss John Robinson was a Medford caller Friday.

When the fire alarm sounded Saturday evening it was very gratifying to see with what prompt action the Talent people responded. Before the bell had stopped ringing, the fire hose was at the scene of the fire, although only a brush fire, it showed the people of Talent that no more property need be lost by this source.

The Ladies' Aid of the M. E. church will meet at the home of Mrs. W. Vogler this week.

Earl Beeson was a Monday morning caller from Wagner creek.

Edgar Adams was in from Wagner creek Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Wells of Talent, E. Conger, daughter, and Mrs. Robinson, of Jacksonville, were the guests of Jess Adams on Wagner creek Sunday.

Frank Centers was in from Anderson creek attending to business matters Monday.

Frank Elliott of Wagner creek was a business caller on Monday.

Mrs. Boyd Robinson of Wagner creek was shopping in town Monday morning.

Mrs. C. A. Brown one of Talent's most esteemed residents died at Sacred Heart hospital Sunday morning at 4 o'clock. Funeral services were held Tuesday afternoon at 4 p. m. at the M. E. church, interment at Portland. All Talent mourn the death of a friend and Mr. Brown has the sympathy of every person in and around Talent in his sad bereavement.

Allen Abbott of Wagner creek was a business caller in town Monday.

Mrs. Nellie Beeson was shopping in town from Wagner creek Monday morning.

Mrs. F. C. Reimer of North Talent was a Medford visitor Monday afternoon.

Fred Rapp of South Talent was transacting business in Medford Monday afternoon.

Miss Minnie Gouley of Cottage Grove attended the funeral of her sister, Mrs. C. A. Brown at Talent Tuesday afternoon.

J. B. Coleman and Professor Ager of Jacksonville were Talent visitors Tuesday afternoon.

Lennie Hanson was over from Jacksonville to attend the funeral of the late Mrs. Brown.

Marion Tryer and family spent Wednesday visiting on Wagner creek.

A head-on collision by two automobiles on the Pacific highway at Talent Sunday morning resulted in disabling the new car owned by Harry Gimes, the other driver by L. L. Neil of Ashland being somewhat smashed up but not disabled. It ap-

pears as though Neil lost his head, for Gimes had turned short from Main on to the west side of the highway when Neil suddenly darted across the road. Gimes turned into the ditch but not quite far enough to miss Neil's car, which took off a front wheel and caused other minor injuries to Gimes car.

The Easter services at the M. E. church Sunday morning were very inspiring. The music rendered by the choir was of the best. The church was prettily decorated with Easter lilies and potted plants in commemoration of the season.

The Grange will hold its regular meeting on April 14th.

The McClenden land is being leveled and plowed with a big tractor and it is reported that a part of the acreage will be planted to sugar beets and the other part to alfalfa. All will be irrigated.

J. S. Miner will leave for New West Minister, B. C., where he will operate a cannery.

FOOTS CREEK ITEMS

An Easter picnic was held Saturday at the home of Mrs. Wm. Carle. The picnic was for the Sunday school children and their mothers. The weather was bad but almost the entire school turned out and enjoyed a fine picnic. The young folks played many rousing games, which nearly succeeded in bringing down the roof with merriment. Mr. Short was guest of honor. At noon a dinner was served which reflected much credit to the cooks. The piano and a swing were much enjoyed. The Sunday school held an Easter service in the school house which was fine. A striking feature in the decorations was a cross made of daffodils.

J. B. Hair was a caller in Grants Pass Monday.

John Short took a fine bull to the Pass Monday for beef.

A company of home guards has been organized in Rogue River. The members number 25. The roster of officers is: Ben Harrison, captain; Will Weatherall, first lieutenant; Don Wilson, second lieutenant; Geo. Loud, orderly sergeant.

Ed Koester was a Medford caller Monday.

Jesse Honk and Bill Hayes of Gold Hill were callers on Foots Creek Monday looking at mineral prospects.

Don Wilson and wife of Rogue River were Easter guests of Mr. and Mrs. Paul McQuat.

Miss Lucy Carle celebrated her 17th birthday anniversary April 7.

Mr. and Mrs. Taylor of Medford are working at the Champlain ranch. Mrs. Taylor is an old friend of Grand-ma Whitney.

Miss Maude Carr celebrated her 14th birthday anniversary April 6th.

Mr. and Mrs. McKinnay spent Easter in Ashland.

Mrs. Louise Owens of Rogue River expects to leave Tuesday for an extended visit.

Mrs. James Martin returned Tuesday evening from an extended visit in California.

Joe Keister and W. W. Birdseye were business callers in Rogue River Wednesday.

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Mr. Hurd and Mr. McAllister gave a very interesting lecture on co-operatives. It would have been more encouraging to the speakers had more of the people in the community been present.

J. W. Elden is confined to his bed with erysipelas and is in the care of Dr. Dow and a trained nurse.

Miss Augusta Thomas of Milwaukee, Wis., is with her niece, Mrs. J. W. Birkholz. Miss Thomas spent the winter in southern California and will visit here for some weeks before continuing her journey homeward.

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FLOUNCE ROCK FRILLS

Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Grieve and son started to the valley Tuesday. The first two miles were hard traveling because of deep snow. They were glad to see bare ground and green stuff once more.

Messrs. Pat Walker and Bert Nason hauled hay from Derby last week, taking three days for the trip.

J. F. Dittworth and son Gus and James Peyton returned from the valley Wednesday, the former went back with loads of potatoes Thursday. Gus has about ten loads yet to haul.

Mr. Kelley started to Medford Wednesday and returned Sunday.

Ed Hollenbeak was in this vicinity Tuesday looking for hay he could buy, but finding none.

Mrs. Willits went home with Miss Belva Walker for Saturday and Sunday.

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for a short visit with his brother who is principal in the high school, left for Roseburg Saturday morning. Mr. Smith is a musician of much ability and gave a number of pleasing selections at the entertainment given in the opera house Friday evening by the high school glee club.

A. E. LePonte left for Glendale Friday morning. Mr. LePonte is en route for Portland, making intermediate stops along the line.

Mrs. Alvin Williams left for Rogue River Friday morning for a visit with relatives and friends in that vicinity.

Mrs. D. Alexander and child left Friday evening for Fallon, Nev.

Mrs. F. A. Hawk was a recent visitor at Ashland.

A. E. LePonte, W. E. Alexander, D. C. Grim and Clarence Pankey, members of the local M. W. A. Camp No. 9459, went to Ashland last week to elect a delegate to the grand lodge convention.

Walter Grim, one of Central Point's most popular young men, left Sunday morning for Mt. Hebron, Cal., where he has accepted a position. Mr. Grim will be greatly missed, as he was always a leader among the boys. We all hope him much success in his new position.

Harry Young made a business trip to Hornbrook Sunday morning.

E. P. Anthony of the Albany Tanning Co. was a business visitor here recently.

John May, who has been employed in northern California, arrived home Saturday morning for a visit with his family.

Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Marsh returned Sunday afternoon from a visit at Rogue River and Gold Hill.

R. H. Paxson was appointed city treasurer to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of J. O. Isaacson, at a meeting of the city council Monday night.

Earn Ingram, who spent the last several months with his father in this city, left for Klamath Tuesday morning.

Mrs. John Hanna and children left for their home in Gaston, Oregon, Monday morning. Mrs. Hannah has spent the last few months here at the bedside of her mother, the late Mrs. Nancy Pankey.

The Red Cross has secured the Odd Fellows building for headquarters in this city, situated at the corner of Pacific Highway and Pine street.

Sunday evening Easter was observed at the M. E. church. The church was beautifully decorated with Easter flowers, and Rev. Reed preached a very interesting sermon to the large congregation present. The daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Oaks Ames of Medford, and the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Faber were baptized by Rev. Reed Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Marsh were shopping in this city Monday. They live at Tolo, having moved there several months ago.

Mrs. David Grisham, who has been visiting her daughters, Mrs. Roy Nichols and Mrs. Earl Heff, returned to her home in Halsey, Oregon, Monday morning.

Mrs. Young, who spent the winter with her husband in Washington, has returned to her ranch across Bear creek, where she will spend the summer.

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FOR EXCHANGE—1916 Ford touring car body with top, to trade for Ford runabout body with top. McCurdy Insurance Agency. Telephone 123. 19\*

RANCHES FOR SALE. FOR SALE OR RENT—Five acres, close in, well improved. Phone 623-R. 19

FOR SALE—Farming land, fruit land, stock ranches, timber land, from \$10 per acre up, on long time, easy payments. Address R. care Tribune. 20

FOR SALE POULTRY. FOR SALE—Fancy white Leghorn eggs, 4c each. Phone 386-M. 22

FOR SALE—S. C. Rhode Island Red eggs for setting. Phone 247. Eldest Webb, Central Point. 40

FOR SALE—LIVESTOCK. FOR SALE—Team cheap or trade. Tel. 403-R-2. 19\*

FOR SALE—Two thoroughbred Jersey heifers. Phone C. Carey, 16-F-11. Address Talent. \*

FOR SALE—Sows and pigs 3 to 6 weeks old, at Westerlund orchards. J. E. Clemens, mgr., Phone 8-F-2.\*

FOR SALE—Four-year-old grade Belgian stallion. W. S. Standiford, Phoenix. 28

FOR SALE—MISCELLANEOUS. FOR SALE—Casing 30x3 and three good inner tubes; all for \$8.00. H. U. Scholz. 19

FOR SALE—At once, buildings on Reddy property, east of Reddy ave. One two room plastered house, 12x20 feet, with small covered porch, price \$30. Apply 211 Garnett-Corey Building or phone 176. 20\*

FOR SALE—Light wagon with springs, good as new, at bargain; also family buggy. Phone J. W. Wakefield. 21\*

FOR SALE—Furniture of a 5-room home, complete, in Al condition at a bargain. Call from 1 to 4 p. m. 319 West Knight St. 21

FOR SALE—Soudan grass seed for sale at Lee Watkins' feed store. 20\*

FOR SALE—Smudge oil, 1 galvanized wagon tank, 150 gallons, 1 garden cultivator. E. L. Lane, R. F. D. No. 2, Central Point. 20

FOR SALE OR TRADE—Potato planter. M. A. P., care Mail Tribune or phone 422-W. 21

FOR SALE—Extra fancy Newtown apple, \$1.00 jumble pack; \$1.25 wrapped. Ernest Webb, Central Point. 40