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Douglas County Town Has Heavy Fire Loss

Roseburg, Or., June 18.—Fire which broke out at Myrtle Creek early yesterday morning almost destroyed the business section of the town and wiped out one entire block.

about 1:30 a. m. the building was burning so fiercely that the flames were beyond control. In a few moments the fire had swept to an adjoining garage and blacksmith shop, where it ignited several barrels of gasoline, causing explosions, and swept all of the buildings remaining in the block except the concrete building occupied by Rice Bros. & Adams.

Later reports brought here by Myrtle Creek people today are to the effect that the losses from fire will approximate \$10,000. The heaviest losers are N. Selig, \$2000; L. E. Russell, \$2000; Frank Percy, \$1500; Bert Willard, \$1500.

successful raid last night," the statement said. "In the Vioux-Berquin sector we attacked and recaptured a post which the enemy had taken the night of the 14th."

"An attempted enemy raid was repulsed in the Loire sector. "There was hostile artillery fire in the Anere valley, about Merri-court, and in the neighborhood of Merria."

TOO BIG TO FIGHT Salina, Kan., June 19.—V. C. Emick, aged 21, 300 pounder, learned today he is "too big to fight."

MRS. BUSCH DETAINED Washington, June 19.—Mrs. Adolphus Busch is being temporarily detained by federal authorities at Key West, Fla., pending an investigation of her activities of recent months.

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SOCIETY

By CAROL S. DIBBLE

Mrs. Amos G. Graber of Washington, D. C. was the guest of Mrs. Isaac Lee Patterson yesterday for a few hours, en route to San Francisco.

Mrs. Patterson will attend the meeting of the state board of the Daughters of the American Revolution, to be held in Portland Friday morning.

The friends of Mrs. Charles Gray are delighting in her return to Salem for the summer.

Mrs. E. Hofer and daughter, Mrs. Allan Bynon, returned this morning from a delightful two weeks' sojourn at San Francisco and Oakland.

A small party of Salem girls, including Miss Mabel Garrett, Miss Helen Goitra, Miss Genevieve Avison and Miss Ruth Spoor, left Monday for Seaside, where they will enjoy a ten days' outing.

The members of the Dutch Treat and Potlatch clubs joined in a merry picnic supper last night, held at the country home of Mr. and Mrs. P. A. Legg, situated about five miles south of Salem on the Jefferson way.

Of interest to his Salem friends will be the following from the Portland Oregonian, concerning the wedding of Dr. N. P. Bennett, a former Salem man:

"Miss Pearl M. Dalton became the bride of Dr. N. P. Bennett, of Salem, Saturday evening at 8:30 o'clock at the home of the bride's aunt, Mrs. C. E. Miller, 734 Talbot road. Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Bennett and son, Gordon, of Salem; Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Dalton and members of the dental corps at Vancouver attended the wedding."

"The wedding had a military air, the decorations consisting of red, white and blue flags and palms. Back of the bride couple a large flag hung from the ceiling, while overhead were strung the French, English and American flags. Several of the officers held the red, white and blue ribbon streamers to form the aisle for the bridal couple."

"The bride was gowned in a white khaki kuhl tulleur, trimmed with white georgette crepe. She also wore a corsage bouquet of orchids and Ophelia roses."

"A reception was held after the wedding. Lieutenant Bennett and bride will make their home in Vancouver for the present."

Mrs. W. S. Most arrived home last night from Ft. Stevens, Washington, where she has spent the past month as the guest of her son, Captain L. H. Most, who with the 69th regiment has been called to France, and expects to leave in a few weeks.

Miss Edith Campbell, who taught in the Washington school the past year, has resigned to accept a position as stenographer to the county fruit inspector at Baker. Miss Campbell made her home with her sister, Mrs. Jessie Cromwell, while in Salem. She left for Baker the latter part of last week.

Miss Margaret Garrison went to Portland yesterday, where she will spend several days visiting relatives and friends.

Miss A. E. Lyons, 420 Court street, left for Portland this morning, upon receiving word of the serious illness of her sister, Mrs. Josephine M. Lobb the wife of Dr. J. G. Lobb of Portland.

A pleasing event of tomorrow evening will be the violin recital given by the pupils of Miss Elizabeth Levy at her studio at 503 Court street, at 8 o'clock. The assisting artists will be Miss Lena Belle Tartar, contralto, and Miss Genevieve Barbour, clever danseuse. Miss Levy's ensemble of twenty three violins will also be heard.

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Fred Lockley Meeting Many Oregonians in France

Writing to the Oregon Journal Fred Lockley says: Somewhere in France—I met recently a group of men whose faces looked very familiar, so we held an Oregon reunion. The first man I spoke to was William G. Bolton, who attended the Oregon Agricultural college from 1904 to 1907, and who lives at Beaverton.

"Each man about the table gives his name, and home address and what he does for a living at home. "My name is V. O. Fudge. I have lived in McMinnville for 19 years."

"J. H. Blampied is my name. I graduated from the Lincoln high school and was attending the Helms-Walker school when war was declared, so I enlisted when I was 19 years old."

"The Aid Society of the Woman's Relief Corps will meet tomorrow afternoon at the armory from two to five."

Miss Kelly Tells How Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound Restored Her Health.

Newark, N. J.—"For about three years I suffered from nervous breakdown and got so weak I could hardly stand, and had headaches every day. I tried everything I could think of and was under a physician's care for two years. A girl friend had used Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and she told me about it. From the first day I took it I began to feel better and now I am well and able to do most any kind of work. I have been recommending the Compound ever since and give you my permission to publish this letter."

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FEDERAL AUTHORITIES AFTER DRAFT SLACKERS

Many Granted Deferred Classification No Longer Entitled to Exemption

Portland, Or., June 19.—Federal authorities are getting ready to institute a merciless campaign to run down and punish a new form of draft slacker.

This new slacker is the draft registrant who was granted deferred classification at the time of his registration, but whose status since has so changed that he no longer is entitled to exemption, yet who remains silent about his change in the hope it will be overlooked.

There are estimated to be hundreds of such cases in Oregon, and thousands of them in the United States. Suspicion particularly has been directed against a great many of the deferred classifications granted for industrial reasons.

"C. H. Croner, Eugene, student, fisherman; work in the forestry department. "Lee M. Brown, My home is in Eugene. "L. A. Potter, I am an Eugene boy also. I was graduated from the U. of O. in 1917."

When we had called the roll we talked for an hour about Oregon. "Some of our bunch are not here. They were here, but left early. Who else were here?" I asked. "Well," answered one, "there were W. A. Boydston of Dallas, Roy Matson of Oregon City, Harry Sutton, H. J. Cole, O. E. Thompson, C. V. Stevens and H. E. Homme, all of Portland; E. W. Miller of Oregon City and E. M. Rowland of Salem. G. L. Osburn of Newberg is in the hospital, but is getting better and will soon be out."

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will not be tolerated. The draft regulations are very plain and blunt in prescribing the penalty for failure on the part of a man granted deferred classification to notify his local board at once if his status is changed.

"Every registrant shall, within five days after the happening thereof, report to his local board any fact which might change or affect his classification," says section 116 of the regulations.

"Failure to report change of status as herein required, or making a false report thereof, is a misdemeanor punishable by one year's imprisonment."

"The campaign to run down these draft slackers will be started very soon, and it will be a rigorous campaign. Men guilty of evading military service by failure to report when they should be re-classified, need look for no mercy."

"Every patriotic registrant who has been granted deferred classification, but whose status has changed so that he is no longer entitled to that classification, will report the change immediately to his local board," said Captain John E. Cullison, in charge of the execution of the draft law in the office of the adjutant general.

"Those who have not the patriotism to report voluntarily will gain nothing by it. They will be found out and not only re-classified, but will be subject to severe punishment."

HEADS AUTO SECTION Washington, June 19.—C. C. Hanch, secretary of the automobile chamber of commerce of the United States, has been appointed to head the automobile motive products section of the war industries board.

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Advertisement for Barnes Cash Store, The policy of this store forbids that goods once reduced be put back in stock at their former prices. Broken lines, odd lots and short lengths left over from Bargain Day must, therefore, be closed out at the reduced prices.