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FIRST STEP TAKEN FOR NATION'S ARMY DRAFT

Uncle Sam's Big Lottery Was Pulled Off Last Friday—Over 50 Leavenworth People Drawn

There was plenty of excitement in Leavenworth last Friday when the reports of Uncle Sam's big lottery for the draft army commenced coming in. All the "eligibles" were anxious to learn if their number had been drawn.

The names of over 50 local people appear on the list, but it is believed that fully half of these will be exempted or rejected. Following is the list of Leavenworth and lower valley residents who were selected.

J. M. Inamura, Oscar Johnson, John McKinnon, C. E. Stevenson, H. F. Ring, C. W. Shadler, Jerry Young, Joseph Marth, T. C. McKenzie, Bert Gardner, Teddy Berg, Elia Evanoff, Kenneth A. McRae, Earl Harris, Glen Marble, Ralph Harris, Carl Dostron, Frank Potter, Unekiehi Tsukanoto, Roy Albright, Louis Dahl, Bernard Ron, Shigezo Shingai, Lee McMinds, L. C. Brender, Gus Bergman, Earnest C. Moeck, Fred Getchman, Carrel R. Bridge, Duncan Tegmeier, Mathey Markoff, Martin H. Cahill, Ande Thompson, Hugo Poepmuller, Joseph F. Smith, Carl Freytag, H. C. Blankenship, J. P. Wilt, Shirley Coleman, Thomas Ness, Albert Brockman, Howard Behymer, Charles Vocum, Alfred Tyler, Howard Johnston, Moritaro Yamamoto, William H. Berger, Jacob Garretson, Edwin S. Gero, Joe Miller, Morizo Suguchi, Harvey Robertson, Ansel Walton, Claude Murcar, Fred Cahill, Herman Slater, Andrew H. McIntosh, Blewett & Peshastin.

Miles Ludwig, Carl Jones, Harry Staples, Jahan H. Wallin, August Harding, James R. Shell, Geo. L. Smith, Horance H. Harvey, James Merrill, Herbert Bakke, Harry Beam, Walter Wood, William Doty, Otto Brender, Willie E. Smith, Leonard Harvey, C. J. Lunsden, Forrest R. Leedy, Luther Lewis, Clifton Swarner.

Game Warden Warns Hunters.

Editor Echo:—Howard Payne of Chiwawa recently told and had published in the Daily World and Spokesman-Review a thrilling experience with a black bear, how he shot her and was pursued by her until she dropped dead at his feet; was arrested and plead guilty and was fined \$50 and costs.

It is a well known fact that the species of bear in this district will not attack a person unless they are cornered or wounded and the game warden, R. C. Watson, wishes it understood that violators of the bear law will receive no immunity by telling hair raising tales in regard to killing bear for the protection of their own life. This is the fourth violation and conviction of the bear law this month. They are protected between May 1st and September 1st, while the pelts are worthless.

R. C. Watson,
Game Warden.

More Trout Being Planted.

Game Warden Watson this week planted trout in Chiwaukum Lake and Josephine Lakes which are located near the head of Chiwaukum creek. Within the next week or ten days he expects to go to Eight Mile Lake on the Icicle and release a 100,000 young trout. These trout are of the Mackinaw species. The eggs were brought here from Minnesota and hatched in the local hatchery under the supervision of Superintendent Prouty. The eastern fish are said to be of a fine variety and will afford much sport for the angler about 1920.

Seattle—Only 15 out of 700 lumber and shingle mills suffered from 8 hour strike ordered. Of 40,000 employees only 3500 went out.

Tacoma—Work started at American Lake on 12 barracks for 1st infantry.

Patterson Goes to Cashmere.

N. Patterson this week accepted a position with the Dooley Hardware Co., of Cashmere and will in the near future move to that town to make his future home. Mr. Patterson has made his home in Leavenworth for the past fifteen years and has taken an active part in the growth and upbuilding of this city. For the past six years he has been a member of the school board and he is responsible to a large degree for the high standard of our public schools. He has been in the hardware game for a good many years and is bound to prove a valuable addition to the Cashmere firm. "Pat" as he was known to his more intimate friends, leaves many friends in this city and will be missed by all.

HOME CANNED FRUITS AND VEGETABLES ARE SUPERIOR

Says a Peshastin Reader—Cost Less—Suggests Domestic Science High School Class Assist.

A Peshastin reader of the Echo who shuns publicity and requests that her name be not mentioned in this connection, writes that she read in last week's Echo the story in which we urged the good housewives to save the vegetables and fruits by canning and drying them. The suggestion that the Domestic Science class in our High School might aid materially in this worthy conservation movement is worth considering, and we pass it up to the proper authorities. The class would gain practical experience and at the same time have the satisfaction of helping the movement to save the food stuff. This is being done in other places. Our Peshastin reader says from experience she has learned that peas should be picked in the early morning, while it is cool, and shelled and canned at once, or kept on ice, as they ferment rapidly, and adds, "Home canned fruits and vegetables, when properly prepared and canned, are superior to those from the store."

The following from the Everett Tribune is worth reading: Some one has cleverly adapted that first line of the "Star Spangled Banner," which reads "Oh, Say, Can You See?" to "Oh, Say, Can You Can?" and in this frantic food preservation campaign which our country is waging it is a most significant slogan.

A number of wealthy Eastern women recently toured a section of their state in a "Canning Special," lecturing and distributing literature on the art of canning and plastered over the cars were these labels: "Preserve or Perish," "Can or Collapse," "Work or Want." These women were sharing with their rural sisters all the information they themselves had gleaned from experts on the noble art of canning.

Everett's thrifty housewives realize that food preservation is the first law of war, and busy fingers shell peas and stone cherries in sociable little groups on porches or shady back lawns these summer days, and then fill the big market baskets, load up with jars and away to the big convenient canning kitchen in the basement of the Central school. Here the work is superintended by experts and all varieties of fruits, vegetables and meats are being put up.

The kitchens are fitted with all the modern improvements for canning. One may even purchase there the bright, new tin cans, which sell most reasonably, and when filled and boiled and sealed, make one feel justly proud of a hard morning's work. Figuring all the expense connected with it, with prices as they are at present, one saves about half. Through the generosity of the school board and one of the citizens of the city, the use of the kitchens and the time of the experts superintending the work, is given gratis, and since June 11, when the work first began, Everett women have canned on an average of 260 pints of foodstuffs daily, which will tend to reduce living expenses of many a household during the winter months.

Read The Echo if you want the news

LEAVENWORTH MILL IS DESTROYED BY FIRE

Planer and Box Factory of Leavenworth Lumber Co. Burns—Loss \$40,000—Insurance \$10,000

The box factory and planer of the Leavenworth Lumber Co., was completely destroyed by fire last Friday afternoon. The fire broke out about 4 o'clock in the afternoon and by the time the alarm was sent in the whole mill was a mass of flames. The fire department was on the scene a few minutes after the call was given, and succeeded in saving the lumber piled in the yards.

The exact cause of the fire is unknown but it is believed to have started in the engine room. The plant was totally destroyed, involving a loss of approximately \$40,000. Only \$10,000 insurance was carried.

The Leavenworth Lumber Co., was organized four years ago by F. S. Jacobsen, but was taken over this year by a new corporation headed by J. C. Biles of the Peshastin Lumber Co.

The company was swamped with orders for fruit boxes and was looking forward to a busy season, which would probably have meant the operation of the plant night and day. It is understood that the planer and box factory will be rebuilt.

WENATCHEE VALLEY GROWERS OFFER ORCHARD WAGE SCALE

Will Adopt Uniform Scale of Wages for All Kinds of Orchard Work—Pay is Good

A uniform wage scale was recommended by a special committee of the Wenatchee Harvesters' league.

For all orchard work except box making, sorting and packing a maximum rate of 30 cents per hour.

For sorting at a grader and sizing machine a maximum rate of 30 cents per hour.

For hand sorting 35 cents per hour. For box making a maximum rate of 1 cent per box for apple and pear boxes and 3/4 cents per box for peach boxes and apricot crates.

For apple packing the following maximum rates are recommended: Where machine sorted, graded and sized, 4 cents per box.

Where sorted as to grade, but not sized, 5 1/2 cents per box. Unsized apples, 7 cents.

Packed orchard run, 6 cents. For all boxes 200 and smaller 1 cent per box additional.

Packing pears, 6 cents per box. Packing peaches, 3 cents.

Saturday night's meeting at Wenatchee was participated in by a large number of growers. Spirited discussions of problems connected with harvest work marked the meeting.

I. W. W.'s Now Confined in Stockade

The Stockade ordered built by the county commissioners was completed Tuesday and the prisoners to the number of over fifty were transferred to the stockade in the afternoon. It is 150x200 feet and located almost a mile from the center of the city. There is a watch tower at each of the four corners for a sentry. Barbed wire is strung on the inside and outside and at the top of the fence, which is six feet high. The place is provided with running water, toilets and a bunk house of ample dimensions. The World says it is a great improvement on the place where the men have been kept.

Attorney For I. W. W. Departed

Klamath Falls, July 19.—Dan Powers, a Portland attorney who went to Klamath Falls, Oregon to assist the I. W. W., was taken by citizens last Thursday night to the large and threatened with a ducking. He begged to be released and was given his choice of being thrown in jail or leaving the country. He chose to leave and was taken to Ashland by citizens.

Masons Met at Wenatchee

Friday last was Gala day for the Masons for North Central Washington, the occasion being the laying of the corner stone of the new postoffice at Wenatchee by the Masons, according to an ancient custom of that order. Every Masonic lodge in this section of the state except one was represented by its master and a considerable number of members. Grand Master Geo. Lawler and Grand Secretary Horace W. Tyler of Tacoma, represented the Grand Lodge of Washington, assisted by masters and past masters of lodges in this section. Dr. H. Van Patten of Garfield Wash. delivered the address of the day in the park, which was responded to by Mayor Gray of Wenatchee.

An afternoon session was held at which Leavenworth Lodge, conferred the third degree on a Wenatchee candidate. This was followed by a banquet and the usual number of short addresses full of spicy remarks.

At the evening session the official welcome was given the grand officers after which the Lodge at Cashmere conferred a third degree.

Grand Master Lawler spoke very enthusiastically of his drive over Blewett Pass, the prosperous appearance of the valley and the successful day he had spent, as well as complimented the various lodges for their prosperous conditions and the character of the work they had performed. About 25 members from Leavenworth were in attendance.

About Band Concerts

Mr. James McDaniel, organizer of our Kid Band, and its teacher for the past ten years, was in the Echo office one day this week. He says if the public wants band concerts in the park they will have to "come thru." It costs money to buy instruments and music, not to mention hard work and time in making the Kid Band the best in central Washington. The bandmaster says a few generous citizens have in the past helped the band but the great majority enjoy the music and always want more but never contribute a penny to its upkeep and expense.

Let One Postage Stamp do the Work

Postmaster Hamilton in line with other war economists, requests that the public use only one postage stamp whenever possible and thereby save the government the cost of printing other unnecessary stamps. In other words, the public is requested by the postoffice department to use a ten cent stamp on a package instead of plastering it over with ten one cent stamps or five two cent stamps. Use two cent stamps instead of two ones, etc.

23 Countries Against Germany.

An official statement from the foreign office recently informed the British public that 23 countries had severed diplomatic relations with Germany. "Of these," the statement added, "13 are at war with Germany and may be considered in alliance for that purpose." The list of the 23 is as follows: Russia, France, Belgium, Great Britain, Serbia, Montenegro, China, Brazil, Bolivia, Guatemala, Honduras, Nicaragua, Japan, Portugal, Italy, Roumania, United States, Cuba, Panama, Liberia, Hayti, San Domingo and Siani.

The hot weather which came to an end last Saturday, lasted almost two weeks and was one of the longest unbroken periods of very hot weather for a number of years. Here, where we depend on irrigation and have plenty of water, nothing in the nature of crops suffered. Our apple crop is fully up to the average. Hay of all kinds, potatoes and vegetables of all kinds, of which the planting is greater than ever before, promises an abundant yield.

North Yakima—80,000 acres previously withdrawn lands in Yakima, Kittitas and Palouse Valleys to be leased for dry farming.

MOST ATROCIOUS MURDER CASHMERE SUNDAY EVENING

First Shot and Then Beaten Over Head—Girl 5 Years Old Recovering From Broken Leg.

Gertrude Cloud, the five year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Cloud was most brutally murdered last Sunday evening between 8:30 and 9 o'clock, while the parents were at church. Little Gertrude recently had her leg broken by falling from a pile of lumber on which she had been playing and the cast had been taken off that day. Little Gertrude was lying on a porch bed beside an older brother who was asleep. Another brother had gone inside the house to arrange the music in a player piano for the entertainment of his sister. He heard the shot and ran to the porch in time to see a man in ragged clothes with a mask on his face run thru the orchard. Mason Hadley, a neighbor boy, attracted to the scene confirms the story about a man running around the house and thru the orchard. Altho a thoro investigation was made by the county authorities no clue that would lead to the identification of the murderer was found.

Beside being shot the head of the child was beaten with some blunt instrument and then hacked with something sharp.

The Cloud family removed from Everett, Wash., to Cashmere about a year ago. No motive for the dastardly deed is known. Alva Burgette who was married some years ago to an older daughter of the Clouds was divorced by his wife. They had one child and the family say he had made some threats that his wife should not have the little girl. He was put under a peace bond by the Everett authorities. The Cloud family says they have not seen Burgette for four years. An effort has been made to locate Burgette but so far has resulted in failure. The Burgette child and little Gertrude were about the same age and might easily have been mistaken while asleep for the Burgette child, if the object was to kill the Burgette child. The evidence has developed no other theory as to a motive for the deed.

Cashmere was tremendously worked up over the awful deed and men searched all Sunday night for the murderer, who if he had been apprehended would no doubt have been summarily dealt with.

A Congress of Youths

The last movement to promote patriotism is the Congress of Youth, to be held from August 1 to 7 for youths from 16 to 19, and from August 9 to 16 for youths from 12 to 15 years of age. Where the movement started or who is back of it, we are not advised. The place where the congress will be held has not been determined, but Bainbridge Island, just across an arm of the Sound from Seattle has been suggested. Every city and town of any consequence in the state is asked to name delegates to the congress. Leavenworth will have one representative and Wenatchee three. Four or more names have been sent to the committee from this place. From these one will be selected by lot.

The four purposes of the congress are stated as follows:

First, to present seriously to the boy his responsibility in the face of the present crisis.

Second, to arouse a renewed, pure patriotism and love for country.

Third, to set before the boy in a proper light some of social and political difficulties now facing us as a nation.

Fourth, to fix the high ideals of the youth for clean speech, clean thought clean act, through inspiration and leadership.

There will be nothing of the military training or anything which will hasten or encourage military participation on the part of the boys.

Vancouver—Alaska marble arriving from new postoffice.

Red Cross Committee Meets

The executive committee of the Red Cross met at the Scenic Theatre Monday evening. Twenty odd members of the committee were present. The names of thirty six citizens were presented to the committee which will constitute the committee for the year. The committee was authorized to fill any vacancies that may occur in the committee. Following are the names of those selected.

O. S. Sampson, L. J. Nelson, A. R. Brown, M. A. Marley, R. B. Field, Dr. Hoxsey, L. W. Woodrow, D. H. Mayar, L. F. Bullis, Mrs. Hoxsey, Mrs. J. R. Meath, Miss Bullis, Rev. Moore, Geo. Stirling, J. H. Osborn, C. G. Smyth, J. C. Biles, Mrs. J. E. Cullen Mrs. M. W. Stark, Mrs. G. W. Sampson, Mrs. Tucker, Mrs. Telfer, Mrs. D. C. Town, Mrs. Wm. Roach, Mrs. J. W. Elliott, G. L. Gardner, Father O'Rafferty, H. S. McNett, J. B. Adams R. L. Smith, Jno. McKinnon, Frank Wingate, Mrs. C. G. Smyth, WmMcIntosh, A. C. Barclay, T. C. Nolan.

COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS

Allowing a Lot of Bills Was the Principal Business Transacted Tuesday Night

Councilmen Daly, Miller, Pipkin, Warner, and Wunder answered present when the roll was called last Tuesday evening at the regular meeting of the city's law making body.

It was bill night and the clerk had quite a lot of them to submit to the auditing committee. Among them two for supplies furnished the Britton family, since June 2nd, presented by Health Officer McKeown. One for \$42.75 and one for \$47.45. They were allowed but the future allowance fixed at \$15 per month.

T. G. Jarvis was allowed to tap the city water mains and allowed 50 feet of pipe to make his connection.

The reports of Magistrate Reynolds and city Treasurer Woodrow for the quarter ending June 30 were presented and OK'd.

The family of a man by the name of Hayes was allowed \$5 for household supplies. Hayes it appears was one of the men arrested in connection with I. W. W. raid two weeks ago and has since been held at Wenatchee.

A Round Robin was presented to Mayor Hale signed by Councilmen Wunder, Daly, Eresch, Pipkin, and Warner, asking the mayor to nominate some one for Street and Water Commissioner to succeed C. E. Tolbert, who has held the position for over five years. The mayor has promised to take the matter under consideration. Councilman Miller was opposed to the movement.

Bills aggregating \$1,252.34 were allowed. On water system improvement \$527.87. Miscellaneous, \$188.12, and July salary list \$465.

Viaduct Needs Replanking.

A number of complaints as to the condition of the viaduct over the Great Northern tracks has reached the Echo office the past week. It is about time the council took steps to make the needed repairs. The planking is about worn out leaving the spikes sticking up an inch or more in many places. The chances for auto owners to get punctures on the viaduct are very good. A little work on some of the roads and streets within the city limits would be appreciated by all.

Wenatchee Guards Get Carbines

Wenatchee has been advised that the government has issued carbines for use by the home guards. The guns are expected to arrive in a short time and thereafter the boys will look like sure enough soldiers. The guns help to make an impression on law violators as nothing else will.

Barney Segru the Cashmere fruit grower, and C. A. Warman from Peshastin, drove here last Sunday to catch No. 1 for Seattle. Mr. Segru said his fruit drying plant for Wenatchee would be a reality by the time the fruit growers of the valley would need it.