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THOUSANDS MEN ARE THROWN OUT OF EMPLOYMENT

GOVERNMENT STOPS ALL AIRPLANE WORK

Spruce Camps in Northwest Ordered to Cease Work in Forests.

CUT-UP PLANTS CLOSE

Order Affects Large Number of Men—Probably the First Act Involving Large Forces of Laborers War Closed.

(By Associated Press.)
PORTLAND, Nov. 13.—Spruce production for airplanes has been stopped by order of the government, and instructions to this end reached all camps in the northwest today. This order closed down all the camps where men are engaged in felling the spruce trees and also those engaged in construction work in airplane plants. Shipments from the cut-up plant at Vancouver, Washington, where the raw material is reduced to suitable dimensions for airplanes, is also at an end under the order issued today. This is the first order it is thought that the government has issued since actual fighting has ceased overseas which throws any considerable number of men out of employment. In the various camps in the Northwest where the spruce industry has been carried on, thousands of men have been at work getting out the material for airplane construction, and with the end of the war coming as it did the first of the week, the government begins curtailment of expenses by shutting down all of these plants.

JAMES MARSTERS GETS HOME FROM TRAINING

James Marsters, who has been connected with a detachment of infantry at Camp Fremont, Cal., arrived in Roseburg last night, having been discharged from the service on the day on which peace was declared, Nov. 11. At the same time Mr. Marsters was dismissed from Camp Fremont 30 other men were released and sent home. Most of these men had minor physical ailments, which prohibited them from excessive and intensive training. Mr. Marsters who has a slight gaiter was among the first to be returned home. He returned from Roseburg about two months ago, being a member of the last division of selected men sent out from this city and county. After passing a brief time at Camp Lewis he was sent to Camp Fremont where he remained until the date of his discharge.

INSTRUCTIONS FOR MAILING XMAS GIFTS

Instruction have been received from the postoffice department by postmaster Reitzenstein that Christmas parcels for men in the overseas service will be accepted for mailing up to and including November 20. Eleven pounds is the limit that will be allowed to each package, and the rate is 12 cents per pound. The order also includes packages that may be sent to any of the auxiliary organizations.

"FLU" BAN PROBABLY LIFTED ON SATURDAY

Tomorrow, according to Dr. B. R. Shoemaker, will determine whether the ban which has been placed upon the city for five weeks, will be lifted. There has been a decided decrease in the appearance of the "flu" during the past week and but one case was reported yesterday. Tomorrow will show whether there has been additional infection because of the peace celebration on Monday, since it takes from 24 to 72 hours for the disease to appear after infection has taken place. With such favorable reports as that of yesterday continuing through today and tomorrow, the tentative order of the Mayor that the

city be opened up on Saturday evening at 6 o'clock, will become effective. At that time all theatres and public meetings of all kinds, which have been affected by the ban, will be resumed and the town will again take on a normal aspect.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 12.—The state department announced late today that Gen. Foch has amended the original armistice plans so as to provide for delivering to the United States and the allies all of Germany's submarines, instead of 160, as originally specified. Foch has also made other minor changes in the armistice.

Postmaster Reitzenstein has just received orders that packages may be sent to any soldier in France without the Christmas label. Those packages may only weigh eleven pounds and the rate is 12 cents a pound. The last date on which packages may be mailed is November 20.

SUBSCRIPTIONS ARE TOO SMALL

Those Giving to the Present Drive Fail to Realize Their Responsibility,

TWO GENEROUS SUMS

Are Donated Today By Those Liberally Inclined, But Great Majority Fail to Appreciate Work To Be Done.

Some of our good people do not understand the present United War drive and don't stop to figure that seven distinct societies are represented, and for this reason the subscriptions being made are far too small to raise the quota for this county. For instance, if this call had been made at seven different times as it was first planned, we know certain people in this city who would have given not less than \$5 to each society, yet when the committee called on them for the combined drive, they have only pledged \$5 or \$10, not counting in the final count. The committee had counted on several subscriptions for \$150 one for \$200, but at this writing only one subscription for \$100, one for \$75 and 3 for \$50 have been reported. The laboring people, as usual, have done their full share, and more. At noon today, with the greater portion of the city canvassed, we are short fully 50 per cent of our quota which will compel the several teams to re-canvass their territory, and many will be asked to double their pledges. Doctor Lehrbach heads the list of generous subscribers to the United War Work drive, giving as his offering to "the boys over there" his check for an even \$100. The Golden Rule Store came next with a check for \$75.00.

UNITED WAR WORK CAMPAIGN.

By J. E. McCLINTOCK, Publicity Chairman.

ADDRESS DELINQUENT REGISTRANTS WANTED

The Local Board for Douglas County here will publish the following list of names; they being names of registrants who have failed to have filed their questionnaires or lost in the mails: Isuroo Gulters, Reedsport, Oregon; Dave Olgina, Reedsport, Oregon; Donato Donato Flores, Dothan, Oregon; Edgar John Barnett, Cleveland, Oregon; James Bryan Topp, Ten Mile, Oregon; John Jacob Smith, Elkton, Oregon; William Smith, Roseburg, Oregon.

The following list of names are registrants, who have been called for physical examination, but through error or illness have not appeared or been properly recorded: John A. Hopkins, Canyonville, Ore.; Ernest Robert Josephson, Reedsport, Ore.; John Andrew Long, Oaklawn, Ore.; Leland Oren Langdon, Riddle, Ore.; Ernest Joe Morrison, Roseburg, Oregon; Jos. Albert Pellana, Sutherlin, Oregon; Jesse Thos. Stevens, Yoncalla, Oregon; Charles Lester Simmons, Riddle, Oregon.

The Local Board will appreciate it if addresses can be given to aid us in correcting this list.

Mr. and Mrs. S. N. Griffith and daughter, who have been in Roseburg for the past week with their son, Griffith, returned to their home in Eugene this afternoon.

WILSON PROMISES AID HUNGRY HUNS

President Sends Word That Food Supplies Will Be Provided Sufferers.

REPORTS UNCONFIRMED

Washington Has No Knowledge of Alleged Death of Former Crown Prince—Berlin Is the Scene of Much Rioting.

(By Associated Press.)
WASHINGTON, Nov. 13.—President Wilson, in response to an appeal from Chancellor Ebert asking for aid in order to save the German people from famine, immediately sent a reassuring message to the people of Germany, promising assistance in the matter of food supplies and in relieving the almost universal want and distress prevalent in that country. The president in his message to Ebert stated that steps would immediately be taken in the United States to organize for relief work among the Germans in same systematic manner in which efforts have heretofore been carried on in Belgium, but that the president desires to be assured that public order will be maintained in Germany, so that an equitable distribution of the food will be clearly guaranteed.

PRINCE IN HOLLAND.

THE HAGUE, Nov. 13.—The former crown prince of Germany arrived in Maagrecht yesterday, it is reported here today.

DEATH IS UNCONFIRMED.

LONDON, Nov. 13.—Amsterdam dispatches say that the crown prince was killed, Monday, by German soldiers when he attempted to cross the Dutch frontier.

ARRIVES IN SWITZERLAND.

BASEL, Nov. 13.—Former Emperor Charles and family, of Austria, are reported having arrived at Eckart-sau, Switzerland.

FIGHTING IN BERLIN.

COPENHAGEN, Nov. 13.—Renewed fighting broke out in Berlin Monday, according to reports. Loyal officers opened fire on the Reds from their positions in the royal stables, attacking the revolutionists with machine guns. Several were killed in the battle in the street fighting.

WANTED TO HELP GERMANY.

LONDON, Nov. 13.—An Amsterdam dispatch states that former Emperor William, in a statement issued, wishes to make it plain to the world that his reason for leaving Germany was mainly because he was actuated by a desire to facilitate the work of the new German government. He hopes the journey to Holland will not be considered a flight.

FOR GERMAN REPUBLIC.

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SUBSCRIPTIONS TOTAL \$289,000 FIRST DAY

O. P. Coshov, district chairman for the United War Work campaign, received today a telegram from Orlando Davidson, state chairman for the United War Work, that the subscription for the state at the end of the first day of the campaign totalled \$289,000, which is considered an excellent showing for the initial day of canvassing. The complete quota for the state is slightly over one million dollars. Mr. Davidson added in his message that four counties, Wasco, Hood River, Union and Deschutes, reported that their entire allotments were complete last evening.

Mr. Coshov has received one complete report, that the Peel district which went over the top with 100 per cent subscription yesterday. Mrs. M. Bills, who has in charge of the drive in that district, reported that there were but 10 people in the district, including men, women and babies.

Four members of the college faculty expect to take part in the deliberations of the Horticultural Society at Roseburg, December 5. C. I. Lewis, chief of the division of horticulture, will discuss horticultural problems; A. C. Bouquet, professor of vegetable gardening, problems relating to truck gardening; H. P. Barrs, professor of plant pathology, crop disease; and A. L. Lovett, professor of entomology, crop insect pests.—Corvallis Gazette.

NO MODIFICATION ARMISTICE TERMS

Foch Impresses Germans With Fact That Leniency Is Unthinkable.

HUNS LEAVE BRUSSELS

After Four Years Belgian King Will Reestablish Government at Old Capital—Bill Has Taken Title of Count.

(By Associated Press.)
LONDON, Nov. 13.—There can be no change or modification in the terms of the armistice, the allied high command has informed the Germans, who appear to have been under the impression that leniency might be extended to them in the settlement of questions concerning surrender. All terms of the armistice including annexes, will be enforced. An additional 24 hours has been allowed the enemy, however, for evacuation of Belgium, Luxembourg and Alsace-Lorraine, and to permit the text of the armistice ultimatum to reach German headquarters.

BILL IS NOW A COUNT.

LONDON, Nov. 13.—Holland will permit William Hohenzollern to remain in the country on exactly the same terms of internment as other high officers. The ex-emperor has taken the title of Count William Hohenzollern, and it is stated that he expected to buy an estate and make Holland the base of his adoption. Everything that he had but his personal property was confiscated by the Dutch government.

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INSTRUCTIONS FOR SENDING PACKAGES

Further instructions relative to the sending of Christmas packages to the soldiers have just been received by Roseco Green, local Red Cross secretary. With regard to packages to be sent to nurses serving in France it is stated that all nurses whose address is "American Expeditionary Forces" will send Xmas parcel labels under those labels; other nurses who are abroad in the Red Cross service will receive parcels only if nearest relatives make application. There will be no war tax on the Christmas packages therefore it is not necessary that they carry the additional two cent stamp for revenue tax. For the benefit of those who have received mimeographed labels instead of the usual printed labels, it may be said that this type of labels are genuine and to be honored. Evidently because of the shortage of the printed labels abroad the others have been substituted.

Mrs. Lenora Ragsdale and son, of Sutherlin, who have been visiting with Mrs. Buchanan for the past ten days, returned home this afternoon. Mrs. Ragsdale is a teacher in the Sutherlin schools, which have been closed because of the "flu" epidemic.

RAILWAY EMPLOYEES URGED TO RESPOND

Remarkable Communication Issued to All Railroad Men of America.

SUPPORT PRESENT DRIVE

W. G. McAdoo, Director General, Asks For a Liberal Response to the United War Work Campaign Now in Progress.

General Chairman, O. P. Coshov, received the following telegram last night and this morning from State Director Davidson of the United War Work Campaign.

Railroad Administration of United States has issued remarkable communication to railroad men of America, reading as follows: Washington, D. C., November 9, 1918.

To the American Army of Railroad Men: A great united war work campaign will begin on Monday, November 11th, to obtain funds which are urgently needed to carry on the beneficent work which is being patriotically performed in behalf of our Army and Navy by the Young Men's Christian Association, Board, War Camp Community Service, American Library National Catholic War Council, Jewish Welfare Association and Salvation Army. The workers of these organizations have gone to the front and shared the dangers and hardships of our soldiers and sailors. Through their tireless energy, thoughtfulness and devotion they have carried cheer and comfort and assistance to our men fighting in the trenches and on the high seas as well as to those in training camps here and abroad. The splendid work of these organizations has been officially recognized by the American Government and they are worthy of the support of every loyal American. Every individual who can afford to do so ought to give aid by making the most liberal possible contribution.

The service that each of these great organizations renders is distinct in that it has reference to the peculiar needs of those who differ in their religious beliefs of preferences but this is a distinction with out a difference for all seven organizations are inspired by the same ideals of helpfulness and imbued by a common desire to save the Gospel of Faith, Hope and Love, a reality to the men who are fighting for humanity. This unity of purpose is expressed in the unity of the appeal that is now being made to the people of the United States and I urge that every railroad employee shall respond to it generously and even to the point of foregoing the things that he can do without that those who are away from home and suffering, may be cared for and comforted and feel that they are fighting or engaged in the work of reconstruction that must follow the war.

Director General of Railroads.
"O. P. Coshov, Roseburg, Ore. Sending you two thousand buttons Tuesday morning. Neither Postoffice nor Express Company will accept packages today. Hood River, Union and Deschutes Counties are Over Top. Deschutes has secured additional fifty per cent requested. Portland reports one hundred twenty-five thousand today. Every indication that States will give its quota plus fifty per cent and then some. People are giving as never before. Portland is crazy with joy."

ORLA NRO W. DAVIDSON, State Director.

SUPT. O. C. BROWN PREPARING PROGRAM

Superintendent O. C. Brown, who is president of the vocational department of the State Teachers' Association, is busy preparing programs for his section for the meeting which will take place in Portland December 26, 27 and 28, providing there is no stringent reason for making a change in the dates.

Superintendent Brown's departments include the section of manual training, home economics, commerce and agriculture. In addition to arranging the special programs from these branches, Mr. Brown has charge of a general program of the general meeting of the vocational

sections. Many teachers from this county have made it a yearly practice to be in attendance at the state association, which usually takes during the Christmas vacation and according to all indications this year will be no exception.

INCREASED FOOD OBLIGATIONS.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 12.—National Food Administrator Hoover today told the state food administrators that the government is under obligations to help provide for Europe's needs until next harvest, and that the situation demands further sacrifices on part of the American people. The use of substitute flours can probably be abandoned, and more sugar may be expected, but fats must be saved, and simple living is positively necessary.

LOCAL DRAFT BOARD GETS INSTRUCTIONS

Classification Work in Certain Age Limits Will be Discontinued.

MORE ORDERS COMING

Adjutant General Conveys His Appreciation to the Boards For Efficient Service in Hastening War Work Along.

The local board yesterday received the following telegram from Adjutant General Beebe conveying further information as to the classification and disposition of registrants and congratulating the members of the board upon their efficient service during the period of the war.

The local and district boards are hereby instructed to immediately discontinue all work connected with classification of men who on September 12 had attained their 37th birthday. The boards are further instructed to continue completion as expeditiously as possible, the classification of all registrants who on September 12 had attained their 19th birthday and who at that time, had not attained their 37th birthday. Finally, at the earliest appropriate moment, all local and district boards are directed to issue questionnaires to all registrants, who on September 12, 1918, had attained their 18th birthday and had not attained their 19th birthday, and to proceed with and complete as early as possible the classification of such registrants.

Two further orders will be issued later, covering the matter of sending questionnaires to and classifying 18-year-old registrants. In entering upon what seems in view of mighty events of the day to be the final work of this character to be done by the selective service system, I extend to the members of that system, my personal congratulations upon their truly great achievements of the past year and a half, achievements that have taxed to the utmost, the time, ability and endurance of all those engaged in the work and that have furnished the army, which, in a large measure, must be given the credit for saving to the world, both civilization and a government by the people, to you members of that system, must come a sense of duty well done, which only a loyalty, patriotism and devotion such as you can bring.

The country and the world knows that it owes to you a debt of thanks and gratitude which cannot be measured by words but only by affection, respect and the esteem, now yours, of those among whom you live and from whom you have taken that which was beyond price.

In undertaking the completion of the work under the orders above given, I speak of you the same interest and tireless energy which has characterized your work in the past.

The interpretation of the foregoing means that boards which have not already done so, shall not hereafter mail questionnaires to registrants who had attained their 37th birthday on September 12. Where such questionnaires have been mailed, registrants are required under law to execute and return the same within the prescribed limit.

The local boards are not required under the law to execute and return the same within the prescribed time limit. The local boards are not required, however, to proceed with the classification of these registrants. Pending the receipt of further instructions boards will not continue the mailing of questionnaires of 18 year old registrants.

ASK CO-OPERATION LOCAL TEACHERS

State Superintendent Confers By Letter With Superintendent Brown.

EDUCATE THE ALIENS

Bureau of Naturalization Carries on This Propaganda Exclusively Through Public Schools—Support Pleaded.

County school superintendent O. C. Brown today received a letter from state superintendent J. A. Churchill, in which it was urged that Mr. Brown enlist the cooperation of the teachers of Douglas county in the educational campaign among alien adults, which is being promoted by the United States Bureau of Naturalization.

The Bureau of Naturalization carries on this patriotic propaganda exclusively through the public schools and the motive for the work is to make every section of the Union all-American. The Bureau includes within the scope of its educational work the foreigner who lives in the big city close to the well-established evening schools, where he may study the language, government and ideals of America in a class with other foreigners, and the foreigner isolated on a ranch or in a logging camp or a mine. In this work the Bureau solicits the aid of the Courts, of the local Councils of Defense and other patriotic bodies, of commercial bodies and of the press. These institutions are auxiliary to the public schools for the purpose of raising the support of public opinion for Americanization through the public schools and for the purpose of increasing the attendance of the foreign born adult upon the citizenship class when once the opportunity for such a class has been given.

In furtherance of the movement the Bureau has compiled and issued a standard text book on citizenship from material furnished by the public schools of the United States for free distribution to candidates for citizenship, who are studying under the supervision of the public schools.

In those communities where an evening class for adult foreigners can be organized the Bureau will furnish direct to the superintendent or principal of the school, or teacher in charge, sufficient copies of the text book for each foreigner desiring to enroll in the class, and a sufficient number of manuals for the teachers. Those foreigners, who have never declared their intention of becoming citizens, will be expected to leave their books in the class room at the end of the session or until they file their declaration of intention to become citizens. Those who have filed their Declaration of Intention will be allowed to take their books home with them and upon their final admission to citizenship the books will become their personal property.

In those communities where there are not sufficient foreigners to form a class, the Bureau has authorized the naturalization examiners to secure the pledge of the county superintendents of schools on behalf of their teachers that they will give instruction free of charge to applicants for citizenship when asked to do so by the applicant.

During the coming year many, and perhaps all, of the courts of the state will be asked by the Portland office of the Bureau of Naturalization to enter orders directing that the attention of applicants for citizenship be drawn to the standing offer of the public schools, in the respective counties where such offer is made, to give them instruction in citizenship, and advising them to apply for aid.

Superintendent O. C. Brown has replied to Superintendent Churchill's letter pledging his support and that of his teachers to this cause which stands for the promulgation of better Americans.

FOR Y. M. C. A. FUND.

The beautiful sofa pillow made by Mrs. F. R. Steinhauer and presented to the Grange, was raffled off Saturday evening. The lucky number 99, held by A. S. Chappell, of Happy Valley, won. He requested that it be turned back and auctioned off to the highest bidder. Lester Thomas was the lucky one. The proceeds were for the Y. M. C. A. The sum of \$28.00 was realized.

G. E. Atkins, of Riddle, was in the city today on business before the grand jury.