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OREGON MILITIA GROWING.

Five New Companies to Be Recruited in the State Soon.

Portland, Ore., April 14.—(Special correspondence.)—With the passage by the senate a short time ago of the Army bill, the way is paved for the establishment in Oregon of a number of new military companies. In order to bring the Fourth Oregon regiment up to a regular army basis, as required by the war department, it will be necessary to recruit five new companies of infantry.

Applications from almost every thriving city in the state are being received at Portland by Adjutant General Finzer. The task of selecting the new stations is yet to be taken up by the Oregon military board.

The desirability and advantage of being a station of a military company of the National Guard service should appeal to every enterprising community. Remarkable changes have occurred in the past few years in the National Guard service, so that it is no longer a strike-breaking expediency, but a part of the first line of the nation's defense. Companies of the guard are already located at such points as Eugene, Roseburg, Ashland, Cottage Grove, McMinnville, Woodburn, Oregon City, The Dalles, Baker City and Pendleton, while strong applications for one of the new companies have been presented by such places as Astoria, Seaside, Rainier, Canby, Silverton, Medford, Grants Pass, Forest Grove, Newberg and Klamath Falls. Other applications are being received weekly. The purpose of the Oregon military board is to distribute these new companies to the best possible advantage among the better class of cities of the state.

The problem that is just now confronting the National Guardsmen, of whom there are some 1400, is that of suitable armories. The national government supplies arms and equipment, ammunition, shooting galleries and ranges, and the war department has suggested that the various states should at least provide suitable armories for housing the troops and storing equipments. Portland, of course, has an adequate armory, provided and paid for by Multnomah county. The last legislature appropriated \$10,000 to be paid out at the rate of \$25,000 a year for the construction of armories in the smaller communities of the state. This appropriation is to be voted upon under the initiative and referendum at the coming June election. From a military standpoint the armories are indispensable; from an economic point of view they are a good investment. At present the state is paying out \$5000 a year in rentals for inadequate rookeries. Thus it will be seen that in comparatively a few years the new armories would pay for themselves in the saving to the state of rentals. The success of the measure is already practically assured, the only obstacle being a possible lack of understanding and appreciation of the measure by the voters of the smaller communities who, by the way, are the ones most interested.

PROGRAM FOR MEETING.

Interesting Line of Papers for Teachers' Meeting Here.

County Superintendent E. E. Bragg has announced his program for the county teachers' meeting, which will convene in this city on April 25. On

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- * Afrald of the Microbes.
- * Song—
- * "Good-bye, Dixie Dear."
- * For Hate of the Miller.
- * Neapolitan's Revenge.
- * Song—
- * "Tell Me That Beautiful Story."
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the same day the Cove high school baseball team will be in La Grande and the game between it and La Grande's high will be called as soon as the pedagogues complete their session. Following is the program for the meeting:

- 10 A. M.—
- "The Natural Geography," E. M. Snider.
- "Music in Primary Grades," Nellie G. Nell.
- "Fifth Grade Reading," Ruth Bush.
- "The Teacher's Aid in the Pupils' Preparation," E. W. Allen.
- 1:30 P. M.—
- "English Literature," Mrs. A. E. Ivanhoe.
- "Our Educational Inheritance," Omen Bishop.
- "Field Meets," Roy Conklin.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Isolated Tract—Public Land Sale. Department of the Interior, United States Land Office, La Grande, Ore., April 9, 1908. Notice is hereby given, that as directed by the commissioner of the general land office, under the provisions of the act of congress approved June 27, 1906 (34 Stats. 517), we will offer at public sale to the highest bidder, at 10 o'clock a. m., on the 18th day of May next, at this office, the following tract of land: NW 1/4 SE 1/4, Sec. 24, T. 5 S., R. 35, E. W. M.

Any persons claiming adversely the above described lands are advised to file their claims or objections on or before the time designated for sale. **F. C. BRAMWELL, Register.** **A. A. ROBERTS, Receiver.** 04-11-5-14

Treasurer's Call for City Warrants.

Notice is hereby given that there are now funds on hand to pay all outstanding warrants issued on general fund of La Grande city, up to and including No. 6644, endorsed January 7, 1907. Interest on all warrants on general fund from No. 6571 to No. 6644, inclusive, ceases from this date. There are also funds in the treasury to pay all warrants issued against water fund of La Grande city, up to and including No. 7397, endorsed January 10, 1908. Interest on all warrants on water fund from No. 7334 to No. 7397, inclusive, ceases from date of this call. La Grande, Oregon, April 10, 1908. **J. K. WRIGHT, City Treasurer.**

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Notice to Contractors.

Separate sealed proposals will be received at the First National Bank, Joseph, Oregon, up to 6 p. m., April 11, 1908, for the erection and completion of a brick or stone building for both the First National bank and also drug store for Dr. Barnard. Plans and specifications can be had from the First National bank. The owners reserve the right to reject any or all bids. Respectfully yours, **F. F. SCRIBNER, Cashier.**

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FOR RENT—The skating rink hall. Largest hall in La Grande; hardwood floor. Mrs. Zuber.

FOR RENT—Suite of three rooms, furnished complete. Inquire of Mrs. G. D. Simmons.

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms, close in. Inquire at 1417 Washington avenue. Next door to rink

FOR RENT—Large store building, with shelving and counters. Inquire at 1417 Washington avenue.

FOR RENT—One furnished room; modern. 'Phone Red 1712.

FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—Team of heavy work horses, 1400 and 1500 pounds; 6 and 7 years; also team driving mares. Inquire 1417 Washington Ave. 3-141f

FOR SALE—Five-room house with bath and pantry. Terms to right person. Must be sold at once. Phone Black 1032. Call 1503 M street.

FOR SALE—Bike; new coaster; new rims; tires are nearly new. Price very low is taken at once. Call at Blue Mountain hotel.

FOR SALE—Good Jersey cow; fresh five weeks. 'Phone Black 1372.

FOR SALE—Brick store building; good location. 'Phone Red 461.

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WANTED—A position as stationary engineer. Practical experience. Can give reference if required. Address Box 758, La Grande.

WANTED—An experienced girl, for general house work. Apply of Mrs. Geo. L. Claever.

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