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# HOW RAILROADS WILL MOVE ARMIES

## Instructions Sent All Systems by Railway Association.

### TROOPS WILL HAVE CONTROL

All Equipment Will Be Carefully Inspected and All Train Movements Reported at Once—Fairfax Harrison of the Southern Tells What is Being Done.

Detailed instructions to railroads for the transport of troops and munitions have been issued by the American Railway association. Copies of routing plans were sent to each of the 250 railroad systems of the country.

Fairfax Harrison, president of the Southern railway and general chairman of the special committee on national defense, said that the instructions had been drawn up jointly by the government authorities and the railroad officials covering military operations. These are the instructions in part:

"The routing of troops from home stations to mobilization camps will be in the hands of the quartermaster general of the army. Routing schedules will be furnished promptly by or through the department of quartermaster to the camp quartermaster, showing the route to be used by each organization from the mobilization camp to concentration point or other destinations. Where movements are entirely within the territory of the department routing will be in the hands of the department quartermaster. Owing to the limited amount of tourist equipment the assignment and distribution of tourist equipment will be in the hands of the office of the quartermaster general.

"Camp quartermasters will make direct requests on the quartermaster general for equipment as far in advance as possible when it is definitely known troops are ready to move, giving name of organization, number of officers and men to move, route and approximate time of departure. The American Railway association representatives at each camp will telegraph daily to the American Railway association committee central bureau at Washington departures for the preceding twenty-four hours, organizations (with strength) to move in next twenty-four hours and strength still in camp, with such other information as may be necessary for their records. The camp quartermaster will assist the American Railway association representative in securing this information.

"As soon as the railway equipment is received the American Railway association representative, or some competent person designated by him, will make a preliminary inspection of the same with a view to ascertaining immediately and correcting any defect. If necessary he will at once reject any unsuitable equipment and secure other equipment in its place. Before the troops are entrained a joint inspection of the equipment should be made by the American Railway association representative and the train commander or his representative.

"The camp quartermaster, after consultation with the train commander, should advise the American Railway association representative as to the exact makeup of each train, showing the order in which the cars should be placed in the train. Trains should go through to destination intact unless there is some exceptionally good reason to the contrary. Under no circumstances will troops be separated from their rations and messing facilities or animals from their forage.

"Particular attention should be paid to the supply of water for drinking purposes. The facilities that are sufficient for normal travel are usually inadequate for troop movements over long distances, and a supplementary supply will be provided by placing a barrel filled with water on the platform of every coach or every second Pullman or tourist car."

### CHINESE TO FORM REGIMENT.

Citizens' Alliance Here Pledges All Resources to United States.

Not to be outdone by their Japanese cousins or even by native Americans themselves the 600 members of the Chinese-American Citizens' alliance, incorporated, have made plans to raise a Chinese regiment and offer it to the government for service. The alliance is made up largely of educated and wealthy Chinese, many of whom are graduates from American universities, and is the leading Chinese organization in New York.

A patriotic resolution drawn up by the president, Lee Tuck, was adopted and forwarded to the White House. It pledged "unconditional and loyal support to the government of the United States" and offered every resource of the members to the country.

**Defiant Pennsylvanians.**  
When the thousand residents of a Pennsylvania town were ordered to leave homes so coal under them could be mined they hoisted American flags and defied the world.

**Saved All His Children.**  
Using arms as life saving nets, Phillipsburg (N. J.) man had his eight children jump from second story of burning house, and not one was hurt.

### Tobacco Company Helps.

New York, May 1.—(Special)—By combining appeals for enlistment in the U. S. Marine Corps with their commercial advertising, the American Tobacco company, through the Hawley Advertising company, of this city, is the pioneer in devoting part of its contract advertising space to patriotic appeals, as advocated at a recent luncheon of the Bureau of Advertising of the American Newspaper Publishers' association at the Waldorf Astoria.

In a huge advertising campaign just launched for "U. S. Marine" tobacco, three-quarters of the contract space is devoted to an appeal for men to join the Marine Corps and be "First to Fight."

### RUMOR MAKES THIS STRIKE DAY IN GERMANY

London, May 1.—(United Press)—Today is the day set by unconfirmed rumors from several neutral sources, for a general strike throughout Germany. Sporadic strikes in many localities, which started with a 25 per cent cut in bread allowances, have hindered munitions works for several weeks.

### Darland Apartments Sold.

Thos. Swan of Vancouver, closed the \$30,000 deal last night in which W. D. Lynch of this city sold his property, the Darland Apartments to Mr. Sturdivant, formerly of Lebanon, Oregon. Mr. Sturdivant has taken possession of his new home. Mr. Lynch will join his wife in Washougal, Wash. where they will make their future home.

Several young men in the city between the ages of 18 and 25 are just now doing considerable figuring. The big question is whether to enlist in the regular army and be given the opportunity of choosing the line of service, or to wait and take a chance on conscription. Never since the years of the Civil War have the young men been compelled to face such a serious question.

## Picked Up By The Stroller

I don't care if spring never comes. It can stay away. I never did like it very well anyway.

Rex Lampman, formerly of The Oregonian and Journal staffs has jumped to the Pittsburgh Leader. Wherever he goes Rex will make good and be a ray of sunshine.

The burning issue in the city of Portland campaign is: "Did Will Daly ride in the baseball parade?" Either way will lose him votes. It's almost a sin not to attend the opening game.

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### S. P. Orders Locomotives.

Anticipating the heavy demand that the National crisis will make upon the resources of the railroads, the Southern Pacific company has placed an order for eleven additional locomotives for delivery this year in time to assist in the heavy crop movement.

### Students Hold Election.

Tuesday, April 24th, student body elections occurred when officers for the coming year were elected. Typewritten ballots modeled after the regular election ballots were used which worked out most satisfactorily. George McDonald was chosen president, Leal Russell, vice president; Imogen Orton, secretary and treasurer; and Lynn Wright, business manager.

babies' needs for sanitation, their safety and safety of the mother. The public as a whole are cordially invited to attend the meeting Friday at the Neighborhood club room.

## Union Track Meet To Be Held Friday

Union, April 30.—Owing to the Interstate meet which is to be held at Baker on May 12th, the Union county meet will be held on Friday, May 4th.

Owing to several difficulties the discussion throwing has been eliminated. Otherwise the schedule will be the same.

There was a very enjoyable party at the K. of P. hall last Friday night given by the members of the Epworth league for the purpose of raising money.

There is to be a town-wide meeting at the Methodist church this evening for the purpose of organizing a Red Cross society. Much interest has already been demonstrated and a large crowd is expected.

The re-opening of the Sentennial hotel under the new name of Union hotel took place last evening. There was a sumptuous banquet served to a large crowd who listened to the delightful strains of the orchestra. The hotel is remodeled and re-papered and promises to bring much patronage.

The Cove high school operetta, "Perseverance" will be staged here on next Friday evening at the cozy theatre under the auspices of the Union high school. The music has been composed by P. Burton Arant, formerly of Pacific University at Forest Grove, but now of the faculty of Cove high school, and the lyrics by Miss Nellie Bradley of La Grande. This production is of county wide interest.

R. A. Painter, formerly of the La Grande fire department, has returned to Baker.

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### Want the Motor Car.

Lets get busy and get that gasoline car that is running from La Grande to Elgin to come on up the line to Joseph. We need extra service and if we would get busy and get a petition to working, no doubt we could get this service.—Joseph Herald.

## Better Baby Week National Movement

Better Baby Week which is a National movement for better babies is to be observed this week in La Grande. This campaign has aroused a great deal of interest throughout the entire country. The Neighborhood club of this city has secured the valued services of Miss Ava Milan of the Oregon Agricultural College to be present at the meeting to be held at the Neighborhood club room Friday, May 4th at 2 p. m. Miss Milan has charge of the baby campaigns and work in Oregon and will give a very interesting talk upon the phases of this work.

Members of the local club consider themselves favored to have secured the valuable services of Miss Milan. The local stores will observe Baby Week by decorating their windows for the event. The local churches will observe Sunday May 6 as Baby Sunday. The occasion of this week will be to bring to the public interest

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