

SECRETARY BAKER
REVIEW DIVISIONS

Yankee Veterans of Trenches
March By in Full Equipment
Despite Sticky Mud.

OFFICIAL SEEMS PLEASED

Secretary of War Sends for Private Soldier, Son of Friend, and Two Have Photograph Taken Together; Day Is Busy One.

WITH THE AMERICAN ARMY IN FRANCE, MARCH 21.—(By the Associated Press.)—Secretary of War Baker today concluded his visit of inspection to the American military zone in France with a trip which took him from the Verdun sector to great headquarters and included a review of one brigade of the First Division, which he addressed as representative of the whole Army. The Secretary also visited the birthplace of Jeanne d'Arc and made an incidental inspection of the troops here and thence over the route which he traversed. Tonight the Secretary departed to fulfill other aspects of his visit to France.

The brigade of the First Division was reviewed from a stage on a high plateau commanding a wide panorama of one of the most scenically beautiful parts of France. It is a steeply winding road from the valley below. A 20-hour rain had made it inaccessible by motor, so the Secretary and his party made the ascent on foot.

Generals Are Present. Just as they arrived at the stand, General Pershing and his personal staff came across the field in a motor car. The entire party then joined the waiting Division and Brigade Generals and their staffs.

A cold March wind and occasional squalls of rain made the scene more impressive as the brigade, in full marching equipment, swept by at company front, each unit playing music which swelled and softened in the gusty wind. Secretary Baker lifted his hat to each regimental band as it passed and occasionally spoke to General Pershing beside him.

Troops Parade Through Mud.

This brigade from the first division to get foot in France today. The men were in training under summer and winter skies and turned to mud and cold under all conditions of campaigning. They were the first in the trenches and the first to suffer casualties. Under the weight of full field equipment, from trench tools to traps, they waded through sticky mud that was almost too much for the mules which drew the one-pounders and the wheeled trench mortar.

It was the first time that an entire brigade which had been in action had been reviewed. Secretary Baker, accompanied by General Pershing, the Colonel of the various units. When the review was concluded the brigade and commanding officers were presented in a body to the Secretary by General Pershing.

Secretary Baker's day was a full one, as he covered several hundred kilometers in his automobile. Early in the morning he drove to the Verdun region to a spot from which Fort Douaumont was visible. He saw the activities behind the French lines and a long artillery wagon train and marching troops. On Tuesday, following his review in the vicinity of a certain unit, the Secretary sent for a fellow Ohioan, Carlisle Babcock, of Cleveland, a private in the Marine Corps, and a son of a personal friend. After a brief talk, the two were photographed together.

The visit to Douaumont, the home of Jeanne d'Arc, was the concluding incident of the day. Secretary Baker and General Pershing driving to the little village. They inspected the church where the French heroine was baptized and the humble cottage where she was born.

DAY-SAVING PLAN BACKED

Governor to Ask Oregonians to Set Clocks Ahead March 31.

SALISBURY, Or., March 21.—(Special.)—Governor Withycombe said today that the daylight saving plan will be put into effect in Oregon on March 31, in line with the wishes of the President, and that he probably will issue a proclamation asking the people of the state to adjust their clocks to meet with the Federal enactment.

"This is in the nature of a war measure," said the Governor, "and in backing up the President will be given every possible assistance from this office."

AVIATION CADET DIES

Internal Injuries Received. Two Weeks Ago Result Fatally.

WICHITA FALLS, Tex., March 21.—(Special.)—Mrs. M. S. Center, widow of an aviation cadet who was injured internally two weeks ago when his airplane fell several hundred feet at Call Field here, died at the camp hospital today. He was 24 years old.

FORGER TAKES POISON

Mrs. M. S. Center Attempts Suicide After Arrest at Seattle.

TACOMA, Wash., March 21.—(Special.)—Mrs. M. S. Center swallowed a quantity of cyanide today after being arrested at Seattle for forging the name of her husband, an aviation cadet, on a check for \$100.00. She was arrested at Seattle on March 19, and was held in the city jail for two days. She was released on \$100.00 bail and returned to Tacoma today. She was arrested at Seattle on March 19, and was held in the city jail for two days. She was released on \$100.00 bail and returned to Tacoma today.

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NEW CABINET TO FORM

King Alfonso Asks Ex-Premier to Act Once More in Crisis.

MADRID, March 21.—Antonio Maura, ex-Premier and Conservative leader, has been instructed by King Alfonso to form a cabinet. The resignation of the cabinet of the Marquis de Alcazar was presented on March 9. Yielding to the King, the cabinet agreed to continue in office. A dispatch from Bilbao Tuesday said that the Marquis de Alcazar cabinet again had resigned.

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Wife Sues Man Who Fails to Become Domesticated.

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Judge Graham said he did not believe that a 35-year-old bachelor could not become a good husband, but a decree was granted after Mrs. Abrahamson said that John McCormack, raising for the American Red Cross Society, when the tenor gave his concert before an audience of 12,000 people. This was said to be the largest number that had attended a similar entertainment in this country and the Civic Auditorium was taxed to its capacity.

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(\$775 Awarded Plaintiff.)

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OBJECTOR GETS CHANGE

DRAFTED MEN AVERSE TO FIGHTING MAY SERVE ELSEWHERE.

WIDE RANGE OF ACTIVITIES OFFERED IN VARIOUS LINES IN ORDER ISSUED BY PRESIDENT WILSON.

WASHINGTON, March 21.—President Wilson today directed that conscientious objectors drafted into the National Army and who are unwilling to accept non-combatant service as provided in the draft law shall, in extreme cases, be confined in disciplinary barracks, but when they do not actually disobey a command shall be held by whatever disposition the Secretary of War may make of their cases.

Each such objector is to be given the benefit of a full explanation of the law by a "factful and considerate officer," and so far as possible will be given the choice of a wide range of activities, including almost everything except actual fighting.

Objectors who have no preference will be assigned to the medical corps, but they may serve in the quartermaster department, as carpenter or which are considered non-combatant in any engineer work in the United States or in the rear of the zone of operations.

Any man who is drafted, but who is not an objector, will be treated as a deserter.

COOS MAN MAY RUN

John S. Coke Possible Aspirant for Supreme Judge.

LONG SERVICE IS RECALLED

Prospective Candidate Is Entering Upon Tenth Year as Circuit Judge of Second Judicial District.

CLARENCE B. LAMONT DIES

Attack of Pneumonia Results Fatally in 48 Hours.

SEATTLE, Wash., March 21.—(Special.)—Clarence B. Lamont, 60 years old, America's best known engineers, inventor of many valuable devices for power transmission on ships, and an active figure in the establishment of Seattle as one of the Nation's foremost shipbuilding cities, died at the family residence, 1414 East Roy street, Thursday morning, 48 hours after he was taken down with an attack of pneumonia. He was 41 years of age.

Mr. Lamont was for some time assistant to the president of the Seattle Construction & Drydock Company.

CORNMEAL SUPPLY COMING

Washington Is Assured Shipment of 14 Carloads Weekly.

SPOKANE, Wash., March 21.—(Special.)—The shortage of wheat substitutes and incidentally the last excuse for non-observance of the 10-50 flour rationing, is being eliminated today by action of the Federal Food Administration.

A telegram to State Administrator Hubbard yesterday that 14 carloads of cornmeal would be shipped to the state, for the next four weeks. If the shortage is still acute at the end of a month, further arrangements will be made.

LINCOLN TO GIVE "TWELFTH NIGHT"

The Shakespearean play "Twelfth Night" is to be presented by the Lincoln High School in the school auditorium, this afternoon and tonight. It is an annual event. For the past six years Miss Christina MacConnell, of the faculty, has coached the students for these productions. Miss MacConnell has been a lifelong student of Shakespeare.

It is expected many parents and friends of Lincoln High will avail themselves of the opportunity to encourage the students in their endeavor to present annually one of Shakespeare's comedies.

GARFIELD'S WIDOW IS BURIED

CLEVELAND, March 21.—Funeral services for Mrs. Lucretia R. Garfield, widow of ex-President James A. Garfield, were held today.

New Arrivals in Spring
Millinery

—Have you seen the delightful new hats that have just come in? More and more of them every day, until now our assortment of charming and original models is the most complete in all Portland! Never has there been all in one place at the same time; we are sure of it. If you haven't as yet succeeded in finding THE HAT, come in today and see these new styles. It's a real treat to "try on," and you are cordially welcome.

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as now constituted the Oregon Supreme Court, consisting of seven judges, is composed of five men from the Willamette Valley, one from Northeastern Oregon and the other from Southeastern Oregon; that Southern Oregon and Southwestern Oregon do not and have not for 25 years had representation in the Supreme Court. They feel that their section of the state is entitled to one of the seven judgeships.

"If he decides to become a candidate for this office," said a prominent Southern Oregon man yesterday, "Judge Coke will have the united support of the people of the entire Southern Southwestern Oregon."

The Coos County Bar Association at its annual meeting a week ago strongly endorsed Judge Coke for Supreme Judge and urged him to become a candidate for the office by adopting a formal resolution.

"Throughout my district the people have strongly urged me to become a candidate for Supreme Judge," said Judge Coke at the Imperial Hotel yesterday, "but I have not reached a decision. I am considering the situation and consulting with friends, and shall reach a decision within a few days, when I shall announce my conclusions."

Only one member of the Supreme Court is to be elected this year. It will be a successor to Associate Justice Wallace McCamant, who was appointed by Governor Withycombe to succeed Judge Eakin, who died. Circuit Judge P. H. Kelly, of Albany, is the only avowed candidate for the office on the Republican ticket so far.

Bowers Manages Tacoma Hostelry.

TACOMA, Wash., March 21.—(Special.)—H. C. Bowers, for many years connected with the Portland and Multnomah hotels of Portland, has come to Tacoma to manage the Donnelly Hotel. Mr. Bowers was manager of the Tacoma hotel 20 years ago, going from this city to Portland. His employers plan to remodel and renovate the Donnelly. Mr. Bowers announced.

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