

RETURNING SOLDIERS MUST HAVE OLD JOBS

Stars on Service Flags Must Be Accounted For.

EMPLOYERS ARE NOTIFIED

Movement Started to Make Sure That Boys Leaving U. S. Service Get Square Deal.

Every star on the service flags of Portland firms must finally be accounted for to the soldiers, sailors and marines' reconstruction committee to insure that the firms have satisfactorily completed their obligations to the men who left their service for that of their country. This was clearly stated at the meeting of the reconstruction committee at the Chamber of Commerce yesterday.

It was reported to the committee by a representative of the Government Employment Agency here that many employers have not seriously considered the re-employment of their men returning from the service and that many are being refused jobs by their former employers or offered others at lower wages. From 46 to 102 men per day have appeared at the Government Employment Office seeking jobs so far, but it is expected that this number will increase to 200 or 400 daily within a few weeks.

Most Applicants Placed. Ninety-four of the men who have so far applied have been placed, but it is said to be much more difficult to place the tenth man than the other nine together. A great many have been given jobs in the shipyards, but this is considered only a temporary solution of the problem, as many leave these jobs as soon as they find one of that kind of work is required of them.

"When every firm has accounted for every star on its service flag," said William F. Woodard, "then the returned soldier problem will have been solved. But there will then be left a great army of men who will have been thrown out of work in order that the returning soldier may be placed, and our task then will be to solve this problem. The heroes come first."

Money Allowance Sought. A complete letter will be sent today by telegraph to Senator Chamberlain, signed by individual members of the reconstruction committee, requesting that he introduce and exercise his greatest influence to secure the passage of a bill whereby discharged fighters will be given sufficient funds to enable them to secure food and lodging and to get to their homes when discharged. The soldiers of all the other allied countries, it was said, are receiving enough extra money to support them for five months after discharge. Many men already in Portland have been forced to apply to the Red Cross for loans or gifts of money or meal tickets until they can find employment. An endeavor will be made by the committee to open the remainder of the Oregon Boys' Emergency Fund, about \$5000, for just such emergency loans or gifts as may be necessary to the men who have returned to the city.

Committees Are Appointed. William F. Woodard, chairman of the organization committee, announced the chairman of the following sub-committees as follows: Reception at the depot, George A. Brown; registration at Liberty Temple, Mrs. G. L. Williams; accommodations, Thomas J. Swivel; employment, W. F. Woodard; co-operation, A. F. Fies; transportation, Ellsworth E. Benham; decoration, Julius L. Meier; automobiles, W. J. Hooper; demobilization, Everett Lund; public relations, Mrs. A. M. D. Katz; finance, Ira F. Powers.

Every organization in the city will be assigned a part to play in the reception of the returning soldiers, sailors and marines. A strong endeavor is being made to have the boys return in units and success in this matter seems likely.

WOMEN'S PATRIOTIC SERVICE

Woman's Club will meet this morning at 10 o'clock in Multnomah Hotel, gray parlors.

Council of Jewish Women Auxiliary will meet today from 10 to 4 o'clock in the Neighborhood House.

Auxiliary to Company D, 1624 Infantry, will meet in the East Side Library at 10 o'clock.

The Richmond Red Cross Society will meet today in the school from 10 until 6 o'clock to sew on hospital garments.

Pasco Priest Transferred. PASCO, Wash., Jan. 11.—(Special.)—Father Benz, who has been in charge of the local Catholic Church for several years, is expected to leave Pasco next week for Harrington, where he will become pastor of the Catholic Church. Father P. J. Killen, who comes from Duluth, Minn., has been sent here to become pastor of the Pasco church.

Dry slawwood and blocks, S. & H. Green stamps for cash. Holman Fuel Co. Main 212, A 2123.—Adv.

Devotees of ice sports will rejoice in the announcement made by Homer A. Rogers, who has decided to open Mt. Hood ski season on the mountain on January 23 to March 4. Snowshoeing, skiing and sleighing are especially fine at present and Mr. Rogers will entertain parties of 10 to 20 one time.

Captain William Warren Henry, Jr., who had orders to go to Washington and Chicago as a member of the War Relocation Authority, has received later orders which will keep him in Vancouver Barracks for some time. He plans to go East shortly, however.

The sudden death of Mrs. Lenihan, wife of Major Lenihan, of the Spruce Production Division, who made her home in this city, has caused deep sorrow to her many friends. Mrs. Lenihan was one of the most popular young matrons in the Army set. Her death occurred Sunday in San Francisco, where she went shortly before the first of the year.

The Illinois State Society will meet Tuesday evening, January 14, in the assembly room of the Portland Hotel. An interesting programme, to be followed by cards and music, has been arranged by the entertainment committee. A cordial invitation is extended to all former residents of Illinois, their friends and to the men in uniform.

Mrs. Abigail Shaughnessy, of Portland, is registered at the Hotel Clark, Los Angeles, where she will spend the winter months.

The Ladies' Auxiliary to the Ancient Order of Hibernians will entertain with cards on Monday evening, January 20, in their hall, 249 Russell street. Progressive "five hundred" and whist will be played. Excellent prizes have been secured and will be awarded to the

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SOCIETY NEWS

WEDDINGS, and their attendant festivities continue to claim the attention of the younger folk. Last night Miss Marguerite Palitzsch, who will become the bride of Lieutenant Siglin tomorrow night, entertained the members of the bride party at her home with an informal dance and supper. This followed a rehearsal of the wedding at the Benson Hotel. The marriage will be a notable event at the Benson Hotel tomorrow night, and it will be attended by hundreds of Portland and Vancouver Barracks folk.

Madame Huard, author and lecturer, who will speak tonight at the Masonic Temple, will be considerably entertained during her stay here. She arrived Sunday night and yesterday she was the guest of honor for a trip on the Columbia Highway and at a large dinner party, for which the Professional Woman's League was hostess last night in the University Club.

Prior to her talk this evening members of the Drama League will entertain for Baroness Huard at luncheon and dinner, as well as another motor trip around the city.

On Sunday afternoon, under the direction of Mrs. Rose Bunn, the Lonesome Club organization was perfected at the home studio of Roy Harlow Wheeler in the Goodnough building. Officers were elected as follows: Mrs. Rose A. Bunn, president; Roy Marion Wheeler, vice-president; Clara Olds Wright, secretary; W. W. MacCleary, treasurer; sergeants-at-arms, William Harvey, O. T. Stone and Emma S. Fox.

The object of the meetings to be held by the organization is to supply free entertainment, or at a nominal fee, club privileges to any and all strangers within the city who care to take advantage of such an organization. The next open meeting will be held on Wednesday night, January 23. There is no charge and the public is invited.

"Sweet Hells of Peace," the latest after-the-war song, will be sung by the audience at the Tuesday night library sing, to be held on next Tuesday night in room A, Central Library, at 8 o'clock. All persons interested are invited to join in the singing or to listen at these "sings," which have started the innovation of singing at least one of the late standard popular songs at each meeting.

Owing to the illness of Mrs. C. D. Lamont, of Seattle, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Della Hahn Gearin, the trip planned by them to New York has been postponed for a short time. Mrs. Gearin's children also are ill with influenza, which also has delayed their trip.

Mrs. Jervis Webb, of New York, and her small son, Jervis, Jr., are in Portland spending a couple of months with the former's mother, Mrs. G. L. Campbell. Mrs. Webb is one of Portland's most popular young matrons, socially and in the musical field, and her presence in the city will be the inspiration for a great deal of entertaining.

Chairman George F. Koch, of the entertainment committee, announces that the next dancing party of the O. W. B. & N. Employees' Club will be held at Cottillon Hall Friday evening. Club members and their friends are looking forward to this party with pleasure, it being the initial dance of the new season. The committee includes Edith Woodard, Mrs. Irene Christensen, C. Dupue, Audrey Gentry, Edna Hoop, Frances Howard, Mrs. N. W. Kinard, Amy Klum, Bertha L. Morris, Mrs. R. L. Neal, Mrs. Grace Stanton, Marie Tydemar, Myrtle Holton, Catherine Muschalk, George Crombie, B. B. Curran, Mrs. L. Davis, Charles Hofeldt, George L. Jones, E. Knight, Antoinette W. Hill, Frank Laukat, John W. Mager, E. F. Smith, Jr., Roy S. Swint and Earl Walker.

Captain (Dr.) and Mrs. Marshall K. Hall and two daughters, who have been in San Francisco for some time while Captain Hall was stationed in the Leterman Hall, have come to Portland, the chief surgeon, have come to Portland and it is possible they will make their home here. Dr. and Mrs. Marshall are temporarily domiciled at the Villa St. Clair.

The month of January always lures a throng of Portland persons to Southern California resorts and this year the number is unusually large, due undoubtedly to the strain of war relief and patriotic work, the cessation of which is bringing about a much needed rest for men and women.

Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Rich, Chester R. Rich, Mrs. C. B. Woodruff and Caroline H. Heptman registered at the Arlington Hotel, Santa Barbara, last week.

At the Hotel Del Monte, Del Monte, are Mr. and Mrs. P. P. Kendall, Mrs. A. K. Cobb, Miss Florence Kendall, F. N. Kendall and R. L. Manning.

C. G. Anderson, Mrs. A. Antaan, C. C. Maple, Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Perno, F. C. Squire, Frank W. Willey, Mrs. William Hanley, Miss E. E. Jacobs, Mrs. W. A. Felton, W. B. Froude and Mrs. Froude and Dr. E. F. Tucker are at the Chiff Hotel.

Miss Helen B. Brooks, Miss Elizabeth Briza, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Braly, Mr. and Mrs. W. Miller and Mr. and Mrs. W. A. T. Bushong are at the Hotel Lankerzhim.

Among Portlanders who recently visited in Santa Barbara at different hotels are: T. E. Tabber, Hotel Barbara; Mrs. L. Jones, Hotel Virginia; Mrs. Maud Shaver, A. D. Kernan, A. S. Sonnen, Hotel Barbara; T. F. Holy, Hotel Neal.

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winners. There will also be a door prize. A cordial invitation is extended to all and a pleasant evening is assured.

WOMEN'S CLUBS

PORTLAND clubwomen have a busy week ahead of them, the presence in the city of two prominent clubwomen, who are presidents of state organizations—Mrs. Charles H. Caster, of Hood River, and Mrs. Fred G. Schilke, of La Grande—insuring a well-filled calendar for all organizations in the city. One of the largest and most important of the conferences of the Oregon Congress of Mothers and Parent Teacher Association will be held tomorrow at the Girls' Polytechnic School. It will be an all-day session, and many important matters will come before the meeting. The girls of the school will serve luncheon.

Another event in which all the women's organizations of Portland are interested is the lecture to be given at Masonic Temple this evening by Baroness Huard under the auspices of the Drama League. The talk by Madame Huard is to be illustrated by pictures taken while she was occupying her residence in the war zone during the invasion. Her subject for the lecture is "Mad Houda in the Land of Honor," and as many Portlanders are already familiar with Baroness Huard's book of that title, the talk will be all the more interesting.

The luncheon and programme of the current literature department of the Portland Wooded Club is scheduled for Thursday afternoon, at the residence of Mrs. E. R. Pitelkau, 614 Hawthorne avenue, has been postponed on account of the epidemic until further notice. Mrs. Albert M. Brown is chairman of the department.

Woodmere Parent Teacher Association will meet this afternoon at 2:30 o'clock in the schoolhouse.

The Social Workers' Club will meet this evening at 7:30 o'clock in the Court House, in room 418. This meeting has been called to read a report from the committee on domestic relations, and also from the legislative committee, on the child welfare bill proposed by the child welfare committee.

The annual banquet of the Methodist Deaconess Association has been postponed indefinitely on account of the influenza epidemic.

The annual meeting of the Deaconess auxiliary of the Oregon conference will be held this afternoon at 4 o'clock in the Multnomah Hotel, gray parlors, following the monthly meeting of the board of the W. F. M. P. of which Mrs. Matt S. Hughes, wife of Bishop Hughes, will preside and make a short talk.

The French department of the Woman's Club will meet at 10 o'clock Wednesday morning at the Multnomah Hotel.

Woodlawn P. T. Association will meet today at 3:15 o'clock in the school assembly room. Miss Lettie Holbrook will preside and she will speak to the graduating class and their mothers on "Vocational Guidance." Music will be a feature of the programme.

The executive board of the Portland Industrial Center will meet this afternoon for luncheon at 299 Caruthers street. Following the luncheon will be the annual meeting of the center, a representative from each church in the city will be present and addresses will be made by Bishop Matt S. Hughes and Rev. W. W. Toungson. Luncheon will be served at noon.

The Woman's Missionary Society of the First Presbyterian Church will hold its regular monthly meeting this afternoon at 2:30 in the chapel. An interesting programme has been arranged for the meeting, including a talk by Mrs. Charles H. Green, of Saginaw, Mich., on devotional service, and a talk on "The Indians of Our Country," illustrated with lantern slides, to be given by Mrs. Allen Townsend. During the display of pictures, which will feature the Presbyterian Church among the Navajos, Mrs. C. M. Barbee will sing Indian melodies.

The Tuesday Afternoon Club will meet today with Mrs. J. A. Bailey, 1516 Hawthorne avenue.

KLAMATH ISSUE UP SOON

New Courthouse Near Completion and Ready for Occupancy.

KLAMATH FALLS, Or., Jan. 13.—(Special.)—With the plastering completed and the marble nearly installed, much of the woodwork, plumbing and other finishing features completed, the Klamath County Main-street Courthouse soon will be ready to turn over to the contractor. The contractor, who has been busy on its construction since early last summer, it is expected it will be ready for occupancy in about a week.

Whether the Courthouse officials will move their belongings into the new structure and then await final decision of the court, or whether they will remain where they are until it finally is disposed of, is a subject that is being discussed by many on the streets here.

YAKIMA GIRL IS AUDITOR

Father of Woman Incumbent Becomes County Sheriff.

YAKIMA, Wash., Jan. 13.—Miss Ruth Hutchinson today took office as County Auditor, and her father, Samuel R. Hutchinson, at the same time became Sheriff, the first time in the history of Yakima County that a woman has become auditor and the first time in the history of the state that a girl and daughter have been elected heads of two county offices.

Four years ago Miss Hutchinson entered the employ of Auditor C. E. Barrett as the most inexperienced worker in the office and now presides over the county department which has the largest patronage of bestowal. She is but 24, but managed her own political campaign and received the highest number of votes cast for any candidate who had opposition.

Bank Buys Dairy Cattle. WALLA WALLA, Wash., Jan. 13.—(Special.)—A carload of dairy cattle arrived in Walla Walla this morning consigned to the Farmers' Savings Bank. These cows are registered and are for distribution among the farmers. They were purchased in the Walla Walla Valley by C. L. Jamison, the bank's agriculturist.

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PORTLAND MAJOR HONORED

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Balkan Campaigns Prevent Walter De L. Giffard From Taking Bride in London.

Walter De L. Giffard, who left the staff of the Oregonian early in 1915 to enlist in the British army, is now a major with the British Mediterranean expeditionary forces and is stationed at Constantinople, Turkey, according to information received by Richard Wilder, Portland real estate dealer. Major Giffard was well known in Portland in 1914 and 1915, when he was automobile editor of the Oregonian. After leaving Portland Mr. Giffard went direct to London, England, where he entered an officers' training school at Cambridge, and was commissioned a First Lieutenant in the Eighth Oxford and Buckingham Pioneers, light infantry, 24th Division. He soon became attached to the Mediterranean expeditionary force and was the first allied officer to arrive in Saloniki, Greece, near which place he has remained ever since, taking part in all the battles on the Saloniki front. When Turkey surrendered Major Giffard raised the first British flag in Constantinople.

Before his enlistment in 1915 the automobile editor became engaged to Miss Iola Cammell, of London, and has tried three times to get a leave from action in Greece so that he might return to England to be married. Each time, although the leave was granted, he was prevented from making the trip by new campaigns in the Balkans. He is now making another effort to reach his bride.

Miss Cammell is a sister of Mrs. Frank Wilder, of London, whose husband is a brother of Richard Wilder. Both Mrs. Wilder and Miss Cammell are now working in a British army hospital in London.

At the Theaters.

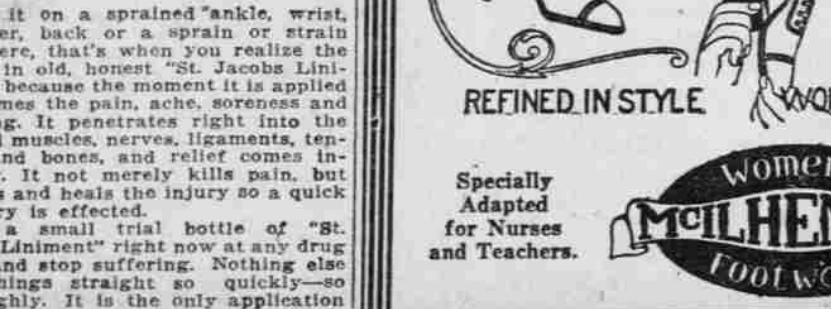
Pantages. A CANNIBAL king, who strikes terror to the heart of a dancing missionary and who is rounded up properly and made by the missionary's niece, occupies first space on the new bill at Pantages. The cannibal king, friskily played by Gus Elmore, is a rich brown color with rings on his fingers and bells on his toes, and he emits a choice collection of assorted noises, registering a gamut of emotions by sounds only. He carries a huge club and, after he frightens the little blonde daughter of the missionary, she proceeds to tame him and drag him around at the end of a rope as exhibit A. The niece is smartly presented by Roberta Lloyd and the dancing missionary is neatly done by Walter Terry, who is an excellent stepper. A group of busy cannibal maids

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Enemy Alien Is Released. ATLANTA, Ga., Jan. 13.—Charles F. Banning, wealthy Pittsburg manufacturer, interned at Fort Oglethorpe, as an enemy alien, today was ordered released by Federal Judge Newman.

Read The Oregonian classified ads.

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