

CLARENCE L. REAMES LEAVES WAR WORK

Government Job Resigned to Return to Private Practice.

SIX-YEAR SERVICE CLOSED

Summary of Volume of Work in Office of Special Assistant to Attorney-General Made Public.

SEATTLE, Wash., May 14.—(Special.)—Clarence L. Reames, special assistant to the United States attorney-general, who has been in charge of the department of justice of enforcement of war statutes in the western district of Washington, with offices in Seattle, since February, 1918, will sever his connection with the department tomorrow, he announced today, to engage in the private practice of law in this city.

Mr. Reames will turn over to all unfinished business in his hands to United States District Attorney Robert C. Sanders, and thus formally bring his tenure of office to a close. Mr. Reames' offices have been in the Central building. He will leave them for a suit in the Borge building, there to practice by himself.

A summary of the volume of work in the office of the special assistant to the attorney-general during the stress of war days reveals for the first time to what extent the machinery of the government in this city and section of the state was set in motion to thwart the work of enemy agents and spies; safeguard the plant industrial plants engaged in war work, such as the shipyards, and prevent any interference with the training of troops and sailors at Camp Lewis, Bremerton, the naval training station on the University of Washington campus, Fort Lawton and the forts on Puget sound.

Nineteen Hundred Cases Investigated. During the approximately 15 months that Mr. Reames has been in office some 1900 cases of charges requiring investigation against alien enemies have been handled.

As a result there were 329 arrests of alien enemies for violation of the proclamation of the president, which prohibited their presence in certain areas. Of this number, 93 persons were released on parole and bond and required to report regularly to the United States marshal at Seattle and Tacoma.

Evidence of the assistance given the officers by citizens is furnished in the statement that more than 100 complaints, charging violation of the espionage act, were presented and investigated. In 50 cases persons were indicted by the federal grand jury and brought to trial.

Important Cases Tried. The cases tried by Mr. Reames that attracted the most attention were those of the government against H. M. Wells, Sam Sadler, Morris Pass and Joe Pass; against J. F. Meade, F. K. Schaffer, Emil Hermann and W. H. Kaufman.

In all of these cases, with the exception of that against Kaufman, which is pending, convictions and sentences in the district court here have been confirmed by the United States circuit court of appeals at San Francisco.

It shall not be necessary to mention the commission from the government, said Mr. Reames today. "I have now been in the service for six years and am glad of the opportunity to engage in private practice."

"During the war this district was one of the most important in the United States because of the great amount of war materials produced here. The proximity of Camp Lewis and Bremerton, with the many new problems arising there; the large number of alien enemies in the district and the especially large radical foreign population all combined to make the work very interesting and at times almost strenuous."

Patriotic Service Rendered. "Throughout it all I have had the loyal support and co-operation of all state, federal and city officers. The splendid patriotic volunteer service rendered by the state council of defense, the several county councils and the minute men combined to make it possible to enforce the law in further trying and unusual times."

All other war officers of the department of justice in the United States also will demobilize during this month and the unfinished work of these officers will be turned over to the United States attorney of the respective districts.

Mr. Reames, a native son of the west, having been born in Oregon, entered the government service by accepting a commission as United States District attorney for Oregon in June, 1913. At the expiration of this four-year term he was reappointed for an additional four years in June, 1917.

In February, 1918, at the request of United States Attorney General Gregory, he accepted a commission as special assistant to the attorney-general to have charge during the war of the enforcement of all war statutes, including alien enemy laws and regulations, the espionage act, the sabotage act, the selective service act and the law of sedition and treason. His main work in Seattle was to bring about cooperation between federal state and city officers in a co-operation looking toward better law enforcement.

PLANES POISED FOR FLIGHT (Continued From First Page.) bay, N. F., the starting point of the proposed flight, intimated that the "hop off" would be made within 24 hours, as favorable weather along the route to the Azores was indicated.

"It had been intended," said Lieutenant-Commander Read, "to make only a brief stop at Halifax and continue our flight, reaching Trepassey this evening, by taking advantage of the moonlight night. This would have been quite possible if we had been able to make an early start from Chatham as we had hoped. However, minor engine trouble cropped out at the last moment and our departure was delayed by the necessity of some slight repairs."

Lieutenant-Commander Read said the flight had been executed by expectations. This was due in great part to the "tail wind" which helped the NC-4 to make the quickest speed with the least consumption of fuel.

The navy dirigible C-5 may also attempt the long cross-ocean trip early tomorrow or next day. Rising from Montauk Point, Long Island, early today, the big airship had passed Halifax before sunset and is expected to reach St. Johns, N. F., before daylight tomorrow. A decision as to the trans-Atlantic attempt will be made immediately on the receipt of her commander's report of his arrival.

The third seaplane of the trans-Atlantic division, the NC-4, held up by engine trouble on the first leg of its journey, caught up much of her lost distance today and was moored tonight beside the minelayer Baltimore at Halifax.

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OREGON CITY, Or., May 14.—(Special.)—A moonshine still was discovered Tuesday on the Tualatin river, about one mile from the main highway, where the still was found. The still was in a shack made of heavy pulp felt and completely covered with brush.

Two complete stills were found, both in operation. The operators made their escape. The stills consisted of copper boilers, oil stoves and coils. There were several barrels of mash in the place.

The officers found about 25 or 30 gallons of whisky. The mash was defecated enough for evidence, and destroyed the rest. The still was located about four miles from Oregon City and not far from the famous "A. J. House." Bell spent three nights near the place in his search for evidence. The officers estimated that the still had only been on this place for about a month, but the apparatus had been used for some time.

ADVANCE ON MOSCOW PLAN

DESTRUCTION OF SOVIET ARMY BELIEVED POSSIBLE. West Ukraine Government Sends Commission to Italy to Ask Release of Prisoners.

PARIS, May 13.—(French Wireless Service.)—Plans are being made by the All-Russian government at Omak to begin an advance on Moscow, Admiral Kolchak, head of the government, declared in an interview with the correspondent of the Petit Parisien. In discussing the military situation in Eastern Russia the admiral said: "Owing to the thaw and the difficulty of moving the artillery forward a lull prevails. But the operations will be resumed as soon as we will try to establish and guarantee communication with Archangel and also with General Denikin's army to combat the advance of the Petit Parisien. The advance in the direction of Moscow will then begin. The capture of Moscow is the supreme end, the political aim, to which our will must bend. But we must first reach the purely strategic aim which is the destruction of the soviet army. This is the end to which I will devote my attention."

After the final victory, the admiral continued, a national assembly will be called.

UNIVERSITY VOTE LIGHT

STANFORD ANDERSON OF PORTLAND HEADS STUDENT BODY. But 727 Out of 1200 Students at Eugene Cast Ballots for Organization Officers.

SALEM MAN ASKS \$5000

JAMES SYKES ASKS AS RESULT OF ATTACK BY FIVE PEACE CELEBRANTS.

O. A. C. WOMEN RANK HIGH

Scholarship Percentage Is 88.5, While Men Get But 84.2.

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Soldiers of the 41st Division Due Today and Tomorrow.

ROYAL WELCOME AWAITING

Members of Second Battalion, 162d Infantry, and of 117th Sanitary Train Scheduled to Arrive.

Members of the 42d division will be guests of Portland today and tomorrow, it is announced by the official reception committee, when there will be the thrill of welcoming back more Oregon boys of the first in particular, members of the second battalion, 162d infantry, or the old 5d Oregon.

Eighty-eight members of the 117th sanitary train are announced to roll in at about 12:30 o'clock today. They are scheduled to arrive on O.-W. R. & N. train No. 5 at that hour and to remain in Portland until 4 o'clock.

The number of Oregon men in the contingent is said to be small, but the returning veterans will be given a royal welcome just the same. They will be taken to the Benson hotel to enjoy luncheon with the Progressive Business Men's club and other entertainment will be provided during their stay.

Reception to Be Warm One. In welcoming 132 men of the 2d battalion, companies E, F and G, 162d infantry, tomorrow the reception bodies and citizens in general promise to "go the limit," as expressed by Frank H. Hillon of the city reception committee.

The near approach of these units, composed very largely of Oregon boys, is a pleasant surprise for relatives and friends. Returned members of the regiment and battalion are requested to appear at the station to participate in the big welcome.

There will be a parade, dinner and other festivities, the hours of which will be arranged today. They are scheduled to arrive at 12:30, on the regular train of the O.-W. R. & N. is planned to hold them until 11 o'clock at night—longer, if possible. Colonel L. P. Campbell expects to leave this morning to meet the incoming soldiers up-state and escort them to Portland. He is expected to arrive in the city at 10 o'clock and will also be met by city officials and reception committee representatives.

Oregon Men Among Casuals. There are doubtless several Oregon men in a group of 56 overseas casuals from the city of Eugene, who are scheduled to arrive at 3:30 o'clock tomorrow afternoon and to leave for Camp Lewis at 4 o'clock.

The 197 men from Petersburg, Va., who were to be entertained in Portland this morning will not enter the city, it was announced yesterday. An explanation was given that there are no Oregon men in the contingent and the train was rerouted to route them direct to Vancouver and northward.

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ago, when she was called here on account of the serious illness of her mother.

The case against the Eugene citizen will probably not be pushed, says District Attorney L. L. Ray, since the girl is now married.

Porto Rico Subscribes \$3,000,000. SAN JUAN, P. R., May 14.—With return incomplete, the insular treasury today announced that more than \$3,000,000 has been subscribed in Porto Rico for the victory loan.

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