

6000 SOLDIERS ARE LANDED IN NEW YORK

Seven Transports Arrive With Troops From France.

SEATTLE "ACE" AMONG LOT

Amorance Revealed on Arrival of One Big Troopship—Boston Expects Five Carriers Shortly.

NEW YORK, June 6.—More than 6000 returning soldiers arrived here today on the transports Santa Ana, Pannonia, Pretoria and Britannia.

The largest unit to land was the 144th infantry. This regiment, belonging to the 36th division, arrived on the Pretoria, which also brought the 72d infantry brigade headquarters of the same division.

On board the Santa Ana was the 803d engineers, headquarters detachment, medical detachment.

The 144th infantry, which fought in the Champagne and Argonne, suffered 500 casualties. One hundred members of the regiment received decorations, but most of the men so honored refrained from wearing the insignia when they disembarked today, in accordance with a decision determined upon prior to their departure from France because of their belief that all men of the regiment were equally valorous and therefore entitled to similar decorations.

Ambulance Service Has Record.
The Pannonia carried two transportation companies and the 317th field signal battalion.

The Britannia brought the 54th engineers' service battalion.

The transport Von Steuben also arrived with the 54th engineers' service battalion, 144th infantry (26th division), machine gun company, and the 232d engineers.

Among the casualties was Colonel Percy L. Jones, commander of the American ambulance service with the French army. Colonel Jones commanded 6000 men operating 3500 ambulances. The sections are credited with handling 2,000,000 cases of wounded, gassed and sick from the front lines to field hospitals.

Seattle "Ace" Among Arrivals.
The Madawaska followed the Von Steuben, bringing 2300 officers and men. The principal unit on board was the 313th engineers, field and staff, train, medical and ordnance detachments and headquarters company. This regiment belongs to the 33rd division.

Another unit on board was the 343d machine-gun battalion, headquarters detachment, medical, ordnance and dental detachments, 9th division. Among the officers was Brigadier-General Henry W. Butler.

Among the casual wounded was Lieutenant Arthur Esterbrook of Seattle, an aviation pilot and "ace." Lieutenant Esterbrook shot down six German planes, was twice wounded and received the distinguished service cross twice and the croix de guerre.

Romance Is Revealed.
The Madawaska's voyage had an additional touch of romance when it was discovered that Miss Gertrude White of Cleveland, a Y. M. C. A. worker, was in reality Mrs. Buckner, wife of Sergeant J. J. Buckner, who was also a passenger. The couple had been married in France, but wished to keep their marriage a secret until they reached home.

The transport Eurama arrived from Bordeaux with 35 officers and 1701 men, including medical detachment, 2d battalion, headquarters company, supply company, companies D, E, H, L and M of the 224th infantry; 82d (All American) division and 57 casualties. They are assigned to scattered camps. The 302d engineers were among the arrivals.

Boston, June 6.—Five transports bringing nearly 8000 troops are expected to reach this port within the next few days. The battleship New Jersey, with 134 officers and men, will arrive early tomorrow.

"Shock" Troop Chief Coming.
The Mongolia is expected a few hours later and the Edgar Luckenbach Sunday. The President Grant is due Monday and the Winifredian Tuesday night.

The New Jersey has on board the 212th and 214th machine, and special casual company 872.

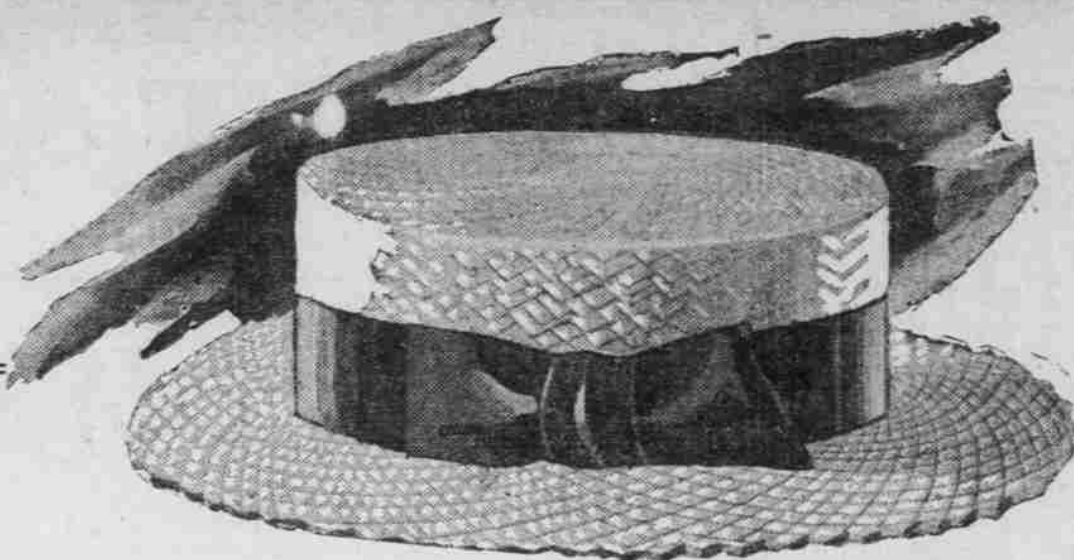
Brigadier-General Ulysses G. McAlester, who commanded "shock troops" of the 90th division, is returning on the Mongolia to return for duty at Camp Funston. Another officer returning is Brigadier-General Joseph P. O'Neill, to take command at Fort D. A. Russell, Wyoming.

MANY CONTINGENTS DUE SOON
Organizations Assigned for Early Return Announced.

WASHINGTON, June 6.—The following organizations have been assigned to early return from France:

Motor transport companies 478, 414, 424; motor squads 10, 12, 14 and 6; disinfecting squad 12, 14; aero squadrons; military police companies 284, 208, 280, 250 and 251; 24 company, 20th engineers; companies A, C, D and headquarters medical detachment, 246 engineers' service battalion; Company D and sanitary detachments headquarters, 224 engineers' service battalion; service battalion 318, less Company B; 71 and 8 service companies, 43 company, 10th engineers; Company D, 216 engineers' service battalion; 15 balloon company, 41 aero squadron; supply company 222; balloon company 16; field remount squadron 235; mobile hospital 7; evacuation hospitals 9 and 22 camp hospital 111; Companies A, B, C, D and headquarters, medical and dental detachment, 229 service battalion, sanitary squads 96, 22, 23 and 27 Company D, 213 service battalion; Companies B and D 28th engineers, field and staff, headquarters and headquarters company, 24 regiment air service mechanics; field remount squadron 208; 42 company, headquarters company, 9 battalion 20 engineers; Company C 109 engineers; Company D, 320th engineer service battalion; Company C service battalion 313; motor truck company No. 414; base hospital 53 and 59; salvage squadron No. 24, 493 telegraphic battalion; 115th field battalion, signal corps; Companies A and L 816th pioneer infantry; 17 and 22 depot service companies; bakery company No. 311; mobile laundry companies 207 and 208; camp hospital 107; troops 1 and L 5d cavalry; 402 telegraphic battalion, signal corps; 73 and 74 companies transportation corps; headquarters detachment 15 grand division transportation headquarters, 8th battalion and 28 company 30th engineers; Veterinary hospital No. 9; Company D 54th engineers; 47 and 152 aero squadrons; hospital train No. 40.

U. S. Attorney at Astoria.
Assistant United States Attorney Veatch has gone to Astoria to be present at the hearing of Ben Jerrell charged with conspiring who is to be examined before the United States commissioner at that point.



Cool Summer Hats for Men and Young Men

Straws \$3 to \$6

Panamas \$5 to \$10

Young Men's Toyos with Fancy Bands \$2.85

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BOYS' CHORUS OPENS HERE

THREE TRAINS TO CARRY 1000 MEMBERS OF PARTY.

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By unanimous vote the H. E. K. Whitney boys' chorus of 1000 boys, ranging in age from 8 to 25 years, organized in Washington state, has selected Portland as the city in which to make its first appearance of the transcontinental tour, which will be started as soon as school closes and the boys are prepared for the trip.

Walter Lowe and Bernard LeMohn are in Portland this week making arrangements for the appearance of the chorus, and owing to the size of the organization it is likely an open-air concert will be given.

Sacramento and San Francisco were in competition with Portland in the voting, and the boys decided in favor of the Rose City. They will travel in three trains on their trip across the country, with each car patrolled by an attendant, day and night, and with the boys in groups of 36 under the watchful eye of a guardian. They will have with them the only Indian boys' band in the country, this representing 30 northwestern tribes, with the only Indian band leader in America in charge.

There are 45 boys in the organization. The chorus will bring also a high school symphony orchestra.

The chorus will be looked after by its own corps of physicians, nurses and dentists; all of the boys are protected by insurance, and the commissary will be in charge of one of the most renowned railroad chefs in the west.

It is expected the date of the Portland concert, as well as the place for giving the entertainment will be announced within the next few days.

SUPPLIES GO TO WORKERS
Nation Plans to Sell Material Bought for War Purposes.

WASHINGTON, June 6.—Large quantities of clothing, cloth and food products will be sold to navy-yard workmen, civilian personnel, employed at yards and naval stations and the families of naval men, under a plan announced by Secretary Daniels today to be put in effect at once.

The material comprises the bulk of large surplus left with the navy after the armistice and subsequent reduction in navy personnel.

POWER GIVEN EMPLOYEES
Standard Oil Company Adopts Industrial Relations Plan.

CHICAGO, June 6.—Adoption of an industrial relations plan, carrying with it provisions for annuities for employees and giving them a voice in matters pertaining to relations with employers, was announced today by the Standard Oil company of Indiana.

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Also some especially attractive
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Also there is a beautiful
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Is the boy ready? If he's not, bring him here. Here are clothes good for graduation—good for the long vacation time, when they'll be called on to prove their good qualities.

Suits of tweed, cheviot, cassimere, novelty mixtures; many of them with two pairs of "knicks"; suits that will make your boy's eyes glow with pleasure. Suits built to serve! Come tomorrow and choose.

Boys' Belted Suits \$10.00 to \$27.50

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