

VETERAN OFFICERS IN CHARGE OF CAMP

Training Corps Work at Presidio Well Organized.

461 STUDENTS ENROLLED

Colonel Pierce A. Murphy of Cavalry, in Command, Assisted by Field Aides of High Rank.

PRESIDIO, San Francisco, June 28.—(Special.)—Seven colonels, five lieutenant-colonels, 12 majors, 14 captains, 11 first lieutenants and one second lieutenant form the instructional staff of the reserve officers' training corps camp which commenced work here this week. These officers have the duty of carrying on the schedule of instruction in the six weeks in which 461 students from high schools and colleges of the western district are receiving intensive training intended to qualify them for later being commissioned in the officers' reserve corps.

Colonel Pierce A. Murphy, cavalry, is commanding officer of the camp, and is assisted by field officers and others of high rank. Probably no other similar group of cadets in the history of modern military training has been instructed by so many veteran officers.

Officer Instructors Named. The officers who are detailed as instructors in this summer camp are: Colonels—Louis M. Kohler, U. S. A., retired, inspection department; Frank N. Baker, medical corps, surgeon; John T. Nance, U. S. A., retired, senior instructor; Moor N. Falk, infantry, morale officer; Charles H. Boies, cavalry, camp inspector; John P. Ryan, U. S. A., retired, minor tactics.

Lieutenant-colonels—John C. Waterman, infantry, inspection-instructor; Raymond C. Baird, infantry, inspection-instructor; Walter Moore, infantry, inspection-instructor; Allan C. Gilliam Jr., infantry, executive officer; Walter F. L. Hartigan, infantry, inspection-instructor. Major—Charles B. Vogdes, U. S. A., retired; Warren S. Barlow, U. S. A., retired, adjutant; William J. McCaughey, infantry, range practice; Lewis K. Underhill, infantry, personnel adjutant; Abraham V. Rinehart, infantry; Douglas J. Page, infantry, instructor; Albert H. Allen, infantry; Duncan G. Richart, infantry, commanding 3d battalion; Clarence L. Tinker, infantry; Alpha T. Easton, U. S. A., retired, Frederick McCabe, infantry; John J. Boniface, cavalry, commanding 1st battalion.

Fourteen Captains Assigned. Six captains are assigned to headquarters and instruction work, while eight are in command of the eight companies. Those in the first six doing instruction duty are: Captains Winfield S. Overton, U. S. A., retired, physical director, inspection and instruction; Marion P. Vestal, infantry, supply officer; Charles O. Heath, Philippine service, retired, rifle practice; Carlisle A. Brown, infantry, physical director; Charles E. Purviance, infantry, and Charles N. Clark.

The eight captains commanding companies with their first lieutenant assistants are: Company A, Captain Arthur O. Walsh, field artillery, and Lieutenant Ronald H. Everly, infantry; Company B, Captain Luther Felker, infantry, and Lieutenant Edward L. Symonds, infantry; Company C, Captain Martin C. Martin, infantry, and Lieutenant Austin H. Elmer, field artillery; Company D, Captain Chris Jensen, infantry, and Lieutenant Earl L. Cook, infantry; Company E, Captain Walter C. Prater, infantry, and Lieutenant Donald S. Grimm, infantry; Company F, Captain Van Rensselaer Vestal, field artillery, and Lieutenant Maylon B. Scott, field artillery; Company G, Captain Harry K. Adams, infantry, and Lieutenant Clarence W. Thomas and Company H, Captain Evan K. Meredith, infantry, assisted by Lieutenant Harry K. Kingsbury and Walter T. Scott.

CLARKE WOMAN, 98, DIES

Mrs. Lusenda Buttram Widow of Pioneer Minister.

VANCOUVER, Wash., June 28.—(Special.)—Mrs. Lusenda Buttram died yesterday at the home of her daughter, Mrs. W. W. Benjamin, of Battle Ground. Mrs. Buttram was 98 years of age and had been a resident of Battle Ground for the last four years, coming to that place from Sunnyside, Wash. She was a native of Missouri. Her husband, Josiah Buttram, who died 20 years ago, was one of the pioneer Methodist ministers known as a "circuit rider."

The couple celebrated their golden wedding anniversary. Mrs. Buttram is survived by the following children: Mrs. W. W. Benjamin of Battle Ground, Mrs. S. A. Brooks of Portland, Mrs. Sussie Dearduff of Oakland, Wash.; Mrs. L. B. Courtney of Pullman, Wash.; and Rev. E. A. Buttram of Florida. The funeral services will be held at Battle Ground tomorrow. The body will be sent to Pomeroy, Wash., for interment.

SIGNING TO BE CELEBRATED

Returned Soldiers to Give Programme at Vancouver Church.

VANCOUVER, Wash., June 28.—(Special.)—In celebration of the signing of the treaty of peace Sunday evening at the First Presbyterian church will be devoted to a programme given by returned soldiers. The meeting will begin at 8 o'clock and will be presided over by Dale McMillin, former lieutenant and now president of the Vancouver chapter of the American Legion. Two men who have been decorated for special services in action—Charles Glenn and Earl Smiley—will speak. Mr. Glenn wears the American decoration for valor and Mr. Smiley the French croix de Guerre. There will be other patriotic numbers. All soldiers and the public are welcome.

LABOR WOULD AID ENEMIES

Americans Ready if Germans Prove Worthy, Says Gompers.

PHILADELPHIA, June 28.—"The American Federation of Labor is ready to extend the helping hand to Germany if the Germans show themselves worthy," declared Samuel Gompers, president of the American Federation of Labor, in addressing today members of the organization at the launching of the cargo carrier Ael, at the Hug Island shipyard. Mr. Gompers uttered his significant words on the eve of his return to Europe to continue the work of building up the shattered forces of labor on the continent. "To me this is a speech-making event," said Mr. Gompers, "not only because of the purpose for which we

are assembled, but also because of the signing of the peace treaty. At last the dawn of a new era has come, that for which you men labored in this, the greatest of shipyards, and performed such marvelous tasks in helping your government and those of its allies. "We fought Germany, Austria, Bulgaria and Turkey, not from our desire to fight, but to rid their peoples of oppression from their masters and to give them an opportunity of self-expression. "If our former enemies will but show themselves worthy we will be glad to extend to them that hand of fraternity. "Remember that the ideals of the American Federation of Labor are synonymous with those of the government."

BOYS AND GIRLS GUESTS

Annual Banquet to School Club Prize-Winners Is Success.

OREGON AGRICULTURAL COLLEGE, Corvallis, June 28.—(Special.)—Made possible through the generosity of Portland men, the fourth annual banquet for the prize-winning boys and girls of the state in school club work was a week-end feature of the two weeks' short course in agriculture and home economics at the college. N. C. Maris, industrial field worker of the state department of education, was toastmaster. Speakers included President W. J. Kerr, E. F. Carleton, assistant state superintendent of public instruction, and H. C. Seymour, state leaders of boys' and girls' club work. Each boy and girl present responded to a toast. The young people are now planning to stay over to help Corvallis in its Fourth of July celebration by entering a float in the parade.

WYOMING TO BE VERY DRY

Liquor on Hand After Monday Will Be Seized.

CHEYENNE, Wyo., June 28.—All intoxicants left in the hands of Cheyenne liquor dealers at midnight Monday will be declared contraband and seized by the state, according to a statement today from Fred L. Crabbe, new commissioner of prohibition for Wyoming. Mr. Crabbe said he would instruct his deputies to enforce literally the state bone dry law from the moment it becomes effective at midnight Monday.

Hogs Attacked by Cholera.

WHEELER, Or., June 28.—(Special.)—Cholera attacked Rudolph Zerfel's herd of hogs at Mohler the first of the week, and to date he has lost 179 out of 382 head, with a money loss of \$4000. Dr. Grayfield of Tillamook has been there vaccinating the remaining hogs, and cleaning up their yards by burning the logs and stumps. After finishing this the yard will be thoroughly disinfected, and a new yard provided. The disease was brought in by a carload of unvaccinated hogs. Further spread of the disease is not feared.

Overhead Bridge Is Closed.

VANCOUVER, Wash., June 28.—(Special.)—Due to damage caused by heavy loads recently taken by contractor across the overhead bridge crossing the Spokane, Portland & Seattle railroad at Camas Camas on Main street, the bridge has been closed. Telegraphic notice was received this morning by J. L. Garrett, county auditor, from A. J. Davidson, federal manager of the railroad. The telegram stated that the damage was such as to render the bridge unsafe.

Work on New Bridge Begun.

DALLAS, Or., June 28.—(Special.)—E. C. Bushnell of Salem, who has the contract for construction of a new bridge, across the Yamhill river, near Willamina, has begun work on the structure and expects to have it completed within two months.

Officers Search for Hinds.

ALBANY, Or., June 28.—(Special.)—Relatives of Ralph H. Hinds of Fayetteville, who has been missing since Wednesday, are now hunting for him, and the sheriff's office here is co-operating in the search. Hinds went to Corvallis Wednesday morning and has not been seen since.

Monmouth to Celebrate.

OREGON NORMAL SCHOOL, Monmouth, Or., June 28.—(Special.)—The faculty and summer school are completing arrangements to celebrate the Fourth of July instead of having exercises on the campus. In the evening there will be a patriotic moving picture given in the chapel.

Monmouth Educator Returns.

OREGON NORMAL SCHOOL, Monmouth, June 28.—(Special.)—H. C. Osteln, former professor of mathematics in the school, and mayor of Monmouth, has returned from Y. M. C. A. service overseas and will resume his position as instructor.

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PRISONER MAKES ESCAPE

William Brotherton Tires of Mowing Lawn and Moves On.

ALBANY, Or., June 28.—(Special.)—William Brotherton of Eugene, one of two brothers confined in the county jail here awaiting the action of the grand jury on a charge of larceny, escaped last evening and has not been recaptured. Brotherton was assisting the courthouse janitor in mowing the lawn and while at work seized an opportunity to escape. He was recaptured this morning by J. L. Garrett, county auditor, from A. J. Davidson, federal manager of the railroad. The telegram stated that the damage was such as to render the bridge unsafe.

Albany Man Is Injured.

ALBANY, Or., June 28.—(Special.)—B. M. Estes of this city lost four fingers in an accident in the Veal chair factory here Thursday afternoon. His hand came in contact with a saw in the finishing room.

Lane's Farm Bill Supported.

WASHINGTON, June 28.—William Spry of Salt Lake City, Utah, urging

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