

RECRUITING PLAN TO BE CARRIED OUT ON A STATE-WIDE SCALE

Campaign to Be Waged From Now Till End of Present Month for Recruits.

DATES HAVE BEEN CHOSEN

Itinerary Arranged by Acting Adjutant General Walter Wilson Yesterday; Guard Officers.

Recruiting of soldiers to be sent to the Mexican border is to be pursued in a state-wide campaign that will last from now until the end of the month. Acting Adjutant-General Walter W. Wilson yesterday arranged an itinerary for four guard officers who were mustered in yesterday morning as recruiting officers for the Oregon militia.

Four recruiting parties are to be sent out covering every county in Oregon, as follows:

Party No. 1, in charge of Captain Curtis B. Winquist, quartermaster's department, Oregon militia. Columbia county—Kamier, July 20; Clatskanie, July 21.

In Astoria July 22. Washington county—Forest Grove, July 24 and 25. Tillamook county—Tillamook, July 26 and 27.

Lincoln county—Yachina, July 28 and 29. Lane county—Eugene, July 30 and 31 and August 1.

Cosco county—Marshfield, August 2 and 3. Jackson county—Medford, August 4 and 5.

Party No. 2, in charge of Major Hiram U. Welch, ordnance department, Oregon militia. Hood River county—Hood River, July 29 and 30.

Wasco county—The Dalles, July 22, 23 and 24. In Central Oregon July 25.

Crook county—Bend, July 25, 26 and 27. Sherman county—Moro, July 28 and 29.

Clallam county—Condon, July 30, 31 and August 1. Morrow county—Heppner, August 2 and 3.

Party No. 3, in charge of Captain Lee M. Clark, artillery, Oregon militia. Umatilla county—Pendleton, July 21 and 22.

Union county—La Grande, July 23, 24 and 25. Walla Walla county—Joseph, July 26 and 27.

Baker county—Baker City, July 28, 29 and 30. Grant county—Prairie City, July 31 and August 1.

Malheur county—Ontario, August 2, 3 and 4. Party No. 4, in charge of Captain John B. Hibbard, infantry, Oregon militia.

July 20-21 for Estacada. Clackamas county—Estacada, July 20 and 21.

Yamhill county—McMinnville, July 22 and 23. Polk county—Dallas, July 24 and 25.

Benton county—Corvallis, July 26 and 27. Marion county—Detroit, July 28 and 29.

Stilwell, July 30 and 31. This party will have charge also of recruiting in Portland, and will return here to continue the enlistment after its tour is completed, remaining for an indefinite period.

Ten new recruits were added to the forces at Clackamas Monday, and Major Wilson expects that another detachment of soldiers will be sent to the border within 10 days. As rapidly as groups of 200 are recruited and equipped, they will be forwarded to the border.

A new company of Coast Artillery will be mustered into the Oregon National Guard on July 29. Major Wilson announced, with 100 men in the company. Lieutenant Shippin, U. S. A., is training the men as instructor-instructor.

GERMANS TAKE LONGUEVAL AND DELVILLE WOOD

(Continued From Page One.) Delville wood is just east of Longueval.

The Germans began their fierce counter attacks against General Haig's line early yesterday in a storm of gas shells and followed this up with infantry attacks.

The text of the war office statement follows: "The enemy attack last night (the beginning of which was reported in

the midnight communique) was directed against our new positions east of the village of Bazentin. The largest available supply of German reinforcements had been collected. The attack was launched after an intense artillery fire.

"Struggle Still Violent. "The first assault began at 5:30 o'clock. The fighting continued all night and was particularly violent in the Delville wood.

"After suffering heavy losses, the enemy succeeded in recapturing a portion of Delville wood, and gained a foothold on the northern outskirts of Longueval. The struggle is still very violent.

"Elsewhere attacks, including three separate assaults at Waterlot farm, broke down completely. "On the rest of the front, there is no news of importance."

The first German attack was launched just as night was falling, after a day of wind and rain. The weather had interfered seriously with the British artillery, and had cloaked the German preparations.

Gas Aids German Attack. Later in the afternoon the heavy guns posted on the German third line opened a long and lighted attack on the British lines. High explosive shells rained down on the trenches, while tear-producing shells blinded the men who held them.

In addition, the wind carrying toward the British trenches, the Germans loosed great clouds of noxious gas, and then, under cover of the clouds, advanced to the attack.

The British, who had developed early all along the front of attack, and is still being waged with great fury, according to a report sent to the war office last night by General Sir Douglas Haig.

Weather Against British. This report, the second of the day, also tells of the unfavorable weather conditions under which the British are laboring. The commander-in-chief's earlier report announced a gain of considerable proportions was during an attack last night.

In this attack the British were able to advance on a front of two-thirds of a mile near of outposts, driving the Germans from several strongly defended points and capturing prisoners and machine guns.

The region immediately contiguous to outposts seen during the last few days some of the hardest fighting of the Picardy offensive.

Germans Claim Victories. It has resulted in the British gaining control of a long stretch of the Albert-Bapaume high road. The village of Ovillers itself was captured only after two pitched battles which lasted, in all, two weeks.

The second and decisive struggle began on July 7. The town was defended by two regiments of the crack Prussian guard. Only 124 men of the regiment were left, according to correspondents at the front, when the British finally won the town.

South of the Somme as well as against the British north of the river, the Germans are delivering determined counter attacks, in an effort to win back lost ground. The Berlin statement yesterday made the claim that the British, La Malmette, Soyecourt and Barleux are again in German hands.

French Deny Report. This is denied by the French war office at Paris. The French communication states that strong German night attacks on a front stretching from Blaches to La Malmette were repulsed and that the Germans were not able to gain possession of the former village, despite their utmost efforts. That the Germans did win a footing in Blaches is indicated by the midnight communique from Paris, which states that they have been dislodged from houses they had held in the outer sections of the village.

Progress at Verdun. Paris, July 19.—(U. P.)—French troops made further progress against the German line northeast of Verdun in grenade fighting last night, advancing in the direction of Sainte Pline Chapel, at the intersection of the Fleury and Vaux roads, it was officially announced today. The war office reported no important fighting on the Somme front.

There was considerable artillery activity last night on the east bank of the Meuse, particularly around Fleury.

Insurance Man Is Defendant. Charles Richard Thompson, Portland insurance man, is the defendant in a suit for divorce filed by Janet Brown Thompson, who asks for \$5000 gross alimony. Defection is charged. They were married at Des Moines, Iowa, May 18, 1908, and he deserted her, the complainant says, on January 19, 1914. They have no children. She says he is receiving from his insurance business more than \$300 a month, and has considerable property in Iowa.

Hamilton Creek Logger Dies. From injuries received in the works of the Jones & Kribbs Logging Co., near Hamilton Creek, Wash., on the Columbia river, late Monday, George Gamble, logging road brakeman, 29 years old, died at the Geo. Samaritan hospital at 12:30 last night. Gamble was struck across the abdomen by the brakebeam of a car, and received internal injuries.

Thousands of dollars' worth of new fall merchandise was endangered and some slightly damaged by water in the basements of the Oregon Salvage & Mercantile company's big store at 121-123 Fourth street, due to the flood conditions of the Willamette during the last week.

The managing heads of the big mercantile house were caught unawares by the high water. They believed they were the lucky possessors of waterproof basements.

While other merchants installed pumps and elevated stocks on barrels, shelves and boxes, the Salvage company continued to store away immense new stocks of men's and women's clothing, furnishings, hats, drygoods, novelties and about everything else which had just been bought for the fall season. They felt no cause for worry, thanks to the "waterproof" basement.

But the basement failed them. A few mornings ago, when the store was

opened, a clerk reported that water was pouring in the basement. A hurry call for every available hand was sent out to save the goods from further damage.

Extremely fast work was done, but still the water reached some of the goods before all merchandise was raised above water level.

The flood came at a most inopportune time because the company's buyers had completed an extensive trip and thousands of dollars' worth of fall goods had just been stored below stairs preparatory for fall business.

With loss facing them, the management has finally decided to cover it by throwing the entire stock on the market at prices far below anything the flood had done to the goods.

With this object in mind, a force of clerks is busy preparing for a startling sale. The sale will be announced in the papers just as soon as preparations for the event can be completed.

OLD GUARD SPIDER PALAVERS ENTICINGLY TO PROGRESSIVE FLY

All Members of Headless Party Invited to Vote for Hughes; Honors for Some.

TALK OF A THIRD TICKET

Penrose and Crane Among the Stand-patters Who Are Frequent Visitors to Candidate's Headquarters.

Washington, July 19.—(WASHINGTON BUREAU OF THE JOURNAL)—"Among the callers on Mr. Hughes today were Senator Penrose and former Senator W. Murray Crane," with variations, forms a frequent paragraph in dispatches from Mr. Hughes' summer headquarters in the Blue House.

N. O. Messenger, New York correspondent for the Washington Star, who claims to be closely in touch with the Republican candidate, and whose contributions bear a strong Hughes flavor, in a dispatch to his paper observes:

"It will be noted that Senator Penrose, W. Murray Crane and other stand-patters are frequent visitors to the campaign committee membership. The Progressives were much pleased at this. At that, however, I think that if one wanted to be close to the campaign he would do well to keep in touch with these gentlemen."

"They Are All Progressives Now." The same correspondent also coyly observes:

"There is the utmost good feeling between the progressives and regulars. In fact, there is no such distinction; they are all progressives now."

This seems the dominant idea of those in charge of the Republican campaign. The progressives have disappeared, everybody is a progressive, and chief among the progressives are Penrose and Crane, who, left off the campaign committee as a part of the campaign strategy, are retained as chief advisers in the kitchen cabinet.

Seen But Not Heard. This situation is well understood in the east. The progressive Republicans are all invited to vote for Hughes. A few of their leaders are to be given honorary positions in the campaign. They are nowhere to be perceived to have control of the organization, and if victory comes to the party, they are to be recognized in whatever degree the old guard may at that time feel disposed to give them.

Meantime demand for a third ticket seems to be growing among the Progressives. Opinion is divided as to the effect of such a move. Some believe the Democrats will profit more from the move than the Republicans. Others think that the majority of the voters who might follow a third ticket would prefer the Republican nominee if no third ticket is in the field.

Democrats contend that as the campaign wears on and the things Wilson has accomplished and advocates analyzed there will be a steady trend by progressive voters to the president, whatever action may be taken by the Progressive party organization. There is so much independent thinking and voting in these days that all rules by which the votes of various states were calculated in the past do not hold good.

Thanks Are Extended. Among the recommendations of the committee on resolutions were that votes of thanks should be extended by the convention to the women of Portland for flowers and courtesies extended wives and daughters of visiting members; Portland Chamber of Commerce for use of a convention hall and other courtesies; to those who gave their time in the preparation of interesting and instructive papers presented to the convention; to Portland newspapers, to the Portland Realty board for entertainment provided and for taking the initiative in organizing a new interstate Realty association; to William McMurray, general passenger agent of the O-W-R. & N. company for the gift of 400 copies of a new folder setting forth the beauties of the Columbia river highway; to J. F. Batchelder of Hood River for distribution of a box of apples.

The committee also recommended that every member of the association consider it his duty to give publicity to the fact that he has a membership in the Interstate Realty association of the Pacific northwest and that he indicate his membership on his letter-heads and in his advertisements.

Recommendation II Made. Recommendation II made that members of the association use every effort to obtain exclusive contracts and that due effort be made to educate property owners in all communities to the advantage of giving exclusive contracts to members of the association.

W. J. Beck offered a resolution, that the association adopt a uniform official blank for real estate listings. It was referred to the executive association for action.

With the sun shining brightly, the

REALTY ASSOCIATION HONORS LOCAL MAN

F. E. Taylor.

automobile trip over the Columbia highway, arranged for the delegates promised a brilliant close to the entertainment that had been offered the delegates during the three days of the convention.

The start was made from the Oregon building at 1 o'clock. More than 300 machines were in line. H. G. Terry officiated as starter, each machine being loaded at the door of the building.

The return is expected to be made about 7 o'clock tonight.

Two Postmasters Appointed. Washington, July 19.—Olive A. Peine has been appointed as postmaster at Boardman, Morrow county, Or., and Lloyd S. Bishop at Rugged, Lane county. Both of these are new offices.

F. E. TAYLOR ELECTED HEAD OF INTERSTATE REALTY ASSOCIATION

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vention held at Eugene. The subject of choosing the next meeting place was left to the executive committee.

Frederick S. Strong made an appeal to the convention on behalf of the work being done in Portland by the Daughters of the American Revolution for the wives and dependent relatives of the National Guard men who have gone to the Mexican border.

Following his speech the following resolution was adopted:

Whereas, the order directing the Oregon National Guard to the Mexican border has left many families who were dependent upon members of the militia, without adequate support and in many cases in urgent need of prompt assistance;

Whereas, the Daughters of the American Revolution have undertaken to care for such persons and have appealed to the public for contributions toward such relief;

Whereas, this movement is worthy of the hearty support of every patriotic American;

Be It Resolved, That we, the Interstate Realty convention, in conference assembled this 19th day of July, 1916, do hereby commend the Daughters of the American Revolution for the action they have taken, sincerely desire the work that is being done to relieve this most unfortunate necessity, pledge our influence and our assistance, in so far as is possible, towards the accomplishment of its purpose.

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