LOCAL EXEMPTION BOARDS IN NEED OF TELEPHONE GIRLS

Induction of Ordnance Students and Returned Questionnaires Trouble.

MANY MEN FOUND MISSING

Members of Religious Orders Opposed to Warfare Asked to Secure Their Cards.

Troubles at the headquarters of the local exemption boards in the courthouse today dealt with the induction of students in the ordnance department, the return of certain copies of the questionnaire, the absence of telephone girls to answer calls, and the failure of some members of religious orders to receive their non-combatant cards.

Concerning the members of religious organizations who are averse to warfare, it is announced that they will be classed the same as other men, but that they will be mailed "non-combatant cards," which exempt them from the fighting forces and allow them to be placed in non-combatant service. Men not receiving their cards are asked to apply immediately.

The absence of the telephone girls at the local board headquarters is causing serious trouble, and a plea is sent out for volunteers.

Questionnaires sent to the following addresses have been returned undelivered and it is requested that persons knowing anything about these men notify the board of division 9 at the courthouse:

George W. Warmoth, 1188 Missouri avenue; Wallace Aldrich, 552 North Twenty-fourth street; Arthur Gordon Ramsey, 1141 East Fifteenth street north; Charles Gustaf Pearson, 255 Columbia boulevard; William Canfield, general delivery; Walter Metzler, 29 North Fourth street; Walter H. Elliott, General delivery; Winfred L. Walker, 1448 Garfield street; Andrew Kenton, Oregon City; Arthur Craig, 1180 Williams avenue; Chester Merle Harrison, 1135½ Albina avenue; Roy Clarke, 505 East Thirty-ninth street; William B. Yoeman, Palace hotel; Jack Marchioli, Oswego; Harry Bailey, general delivery; Vincento Arroyo, 390 Davis street; Sydney Gardner Bell, 512 Hancock street; Aage Peterson, Sailors' union; Trifko Inich, Couch hotel; George Loran Johnson, Auditorium hotel; Louis Smith, general delivery; Paul Mather, general delivery; James Cyrus Aldrich, 522 North Twenty-fourth street; John Struchen, Thirty-sixth and Columbia streets; Jesse C. Wiles, 227 Market street.

Order numbers of those receiving questionnaires mailed today are:

District 1—2467 to 2603.
District 2—2611 to 2755.
District 3—1674 to 1765.
District 4—1766 to 1862.
District 5—1727 to 1822.
District 6—1873 to 1976.
District 7—1459 to 1539.
District 8—1417 to 1496.
District 9—633 to 667.
District 10—1876 to 1975.
District 11—1009 to 1064.

No Conductorettes For Seattle's Cars

Seattle, Jan. 8.—(U. P.)—Women may vote in Washington but grabbing nickels on the back platform of a streetcar—no.

The state public service commission so ruled last night. The commission believed that it would endanger the health of the weaker sex to be exposed to the weather eight hours a day.

The commission indicated that a petition for a 6-cent fare would be acceptable if the traction company could show the need of a raise in the price of transportation.

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PRESIDENT GIVES AMERICA'S PEACE TERMS

CHEERS GREET HIS PLEA FOR BELGIUM

Frank Announcement America Has No Grudge Against Germans Heartily Approved.

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son who read the message in advance was Colonel E. M. House, chief of the recent American mission to Europe.

And as late as 11 o'clock this morning nine-tenths of the senate and house membership was in ignorance of the fact that the president was to talk.

Spends Morning on Golf Links

The president and Mrs. Wilson spent the morning on the muddy golf links, returning to the White House at 10 o'clock. Within five minutes after he returned to the White House the president had the senate and house leaders notified that conditions had arisen which made it necessary that a special joint session be arranged as soon as possible. He was told that 12:30 would satisfy the members and the call for a joint gathering at that hour was immediately sent out.

The White House announcement had the effect of a thunderbolt on congress, for, so far as could be learned, no one from Vice President Marshall down had been informed of the president's intention.

Hurry Calls Sent for Taxicabs

There was the usual wild speculation. Every sort of answer was on tap as to what it all meant. Staid senators, who usually are placid no matter what develops, admitted that they were puzzled over the precipitate action of the executive.

Hurry calls were immediately sent broadcast for the members to hurry to the building. The result was that practically every taxicab in town was commandeered by members who wanted to know what it all was about.

President Wilson's address placed the peace cards of Germany's enemies on the table, face up. This action is intended to have a three-fold effect:

First, there was the overpowering desire of the United States that Russia get a square deal and that the Russian people understand in terms that cannot be mistaken, just what the United States stands for in the present war and that it hopes to be the real and substantial friend of the newest of republics.

Crisis in Germany Is Heeded

Second, there was the desire to take advantage at once of the spreading discontent among the German liberals over the way the pan-Germanists and imperialists tried to take advantage of the Russo-central powers' peace negotiations to make Russia a German vassal nation.

Third, the necessity of indorsing the Lloyd George speech to the British liberals seems to make it clear everywhere that there was no division of mind among the enemies of Germany.

Incident to this also there was the desire again to show, through conclusive citation, that it is the German military caste which is prolonging the war.

The president made this very clear. He took up the parleys which have ended at Brest-Litovsk. The Russian delegates, he said, were frank and open from the start. The German general program, he pointed out, seemed susceptible of liberal interpretation until the specific terms were made public. Then it was seen that Germany planned to keep all occupied territory.

Hand of Military Is Seen

"It is a reasonable conjecture," the president told the congress, "that the general principles of settlement which they at first suggested, originated with the more liberal statesmen of Germany and Austria, the men who have begun to feel the force of their own peoples' thought and purpose, while the concrete terms of actual settlement came from the military leaders who have no thought but to keep what they have got. The Russian representatives were sincere and in earnest. They cannot entertain such proposals of conquest and domination."

President Wilson made it plain that the compelling reasons for the present restating of the war aims of the allies is Russia. The Russian people, he declared, "are prostrate and all but helpless before the grim power of Germany. But their soul is not subservient." They will not yield what is right, he said.

"Whether their present leaders believe it or not," the president said, "it is our heartfelt desire and hope that some way may be opened whereby we may be privileged to assist the people of Russia to attain their utmost hope of liberty and well-ordered peace."

Members Eager to Hear

As the president approached his specific recital of the peace terms which Germany must accept, either voluntarily or by force of arms, the interest in the house grew. The members leaned far forward, listening intently and the crowd in the gallery sat in tense and attentive silence.

His declaration that "open covenants of peace, openly arrived at," was the only way to secure peace brought the first scattering of handclapping. It was renewed from time to time as he progressed. It was not, however, until he reached the Belgian situation that the audience really warmed up. As the president declared that "Belgium, the whole world agrees, must be evacuated and restored without any attempt to limit the sovereignty which she enjoys in common with all other free nations," the entire chamber rose up en masse and the applause and cheering equalled any which has marked his previous utterances from the house platform.

Reference to France Is Cheered

Likewise, the applause was tumultuous when the president, indorsing the Lloyd George views on France, stated that "the wrong done France by Prussia in 1871 in the matter of Alsace-Lorraine which has undermined the peace of the world for near 50 years, should be righted."

This sentiment met with almost unanimous cheering and handclapping in which both the floor and the galleries joined.

Toward the end of his address the president became visibly nervous. Coughing from the galleries seemed somewhat to disconcert him, while his voice became a trifle husky. His main points, however, were sharply emphasized, although sometimes with plainly visible effort. The frank announcement that America had no jealousy toward German greatness, grudged her no achievement or distinction of learning or of pacific enterprise, pleased his hearers. So did the declaration that there was no desire to suggest any alteration or modification of her institutions.

But the strongest utterances of approval marked his declaration that "it is necessary, we must frankly say, and necessary as a preliminary to any intelligent dealings with her on our part, that we should know whom her spokesmen speak for when they speak to us, whether for the reichstag majority or for the military party and the men whose creed is imperial domination."

Colonel E. M. House sat with Mrs. Wilson in the presidential gallery and followed the speech with deep interest. The diplomatic gallery held only one state department attache, word of the speech having failed to reach the diplomatic corps in time for them to attend.

As the president concluded his address the warm applause was renewed and almost before he had disappeared through the door at the rear of the speaker's gallery, members had separated into groups and were discussing the situation. It was plain that the president had placed the issue squarely up to Germany. The peace terms of the allies and the United States are at last so clear, so unmistakable, that a little child can understand them. The non-military element in Germany has been appealed to in terms that the Pan-Germanists cannot distort.

Germany is expected to fight on so long as the military are in control. The effect of today's utterances on the new political crisis that is convulsing all Germany cannot be forecast at the present time. The Wilson speech and declaration of war aims may force an immediate military dictator. Or it may result in a sweeping change in present German control. But which will be first no one here ventures a guess this afternoon.

Socialist Member Approves

Washington, Jan. 8.—(U. P.)—President Wilson's address was termed a "counter peace offensive" by the Socialist member of the house, Meyer London of New York.

"It will have a more powerful effect upon the course of the war and upon its conclusion than all the military offenses," London said.

He asserted there is nothing in the president's program that the central powers can object to.

Orders to Intern Zukom Are Received

Frank Zukom, the first Austrian arrested by federal authorities as an alien enemy, will be interned at Vancouver barracks on orders of United States Attorney Gregory.

Instructions for his internment were received today by Assistant United States Attorney Goldstein.

Zukom was arrested December 14 on charges of making seditious utterances. He was charged with urging men not to accept jobs in logging camps and at other industrial plants and with advocating I. W. W. propaganda. He was a frequenter of employment offices.

Whether Zukom will be interned at Vancouver until the end of the war or taken to some internment camp was not included in the orders from Washington.

Commission Works On Bulk Grain Site

The public dock commission was called into special session this morning to consider steps necessary to continue with the excavation of the site for the 1,000,000 bushel grain elevator west of St. Johns on the Willamette.

C. J. Cook, to whom was awarded the contract, has served notice that he cannot complete it, announced G. B. Hegardt, engineer of the commission. With the contract legally awarded to the C. J. Cook company, the commission took the view that securing his successor in performing the excavation was a legal question that the city attorney should answer.

Put Drug Into Eye; Will Serve Sentence

Louisville, Ky., Jan. 8.—(I. N. S.)—Private Ernest Springgate, at Camp Zachary Taylor, has been sentenced to three years in the Leavenworth penitentiary for putting a drug into his eye that would unfit him for military service.

TEXT OF WILSON'S TALK TO CONGRESS

President Outlines Basis for Just Peace With the German Peoples.

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Their power, apparently, is shattered. And yet their soul is not subservient. They will not yield either in principle or in action. Their conception of what is right, of what it is humane and honorable for them to accept, has been stated with a frankness, a largeness of view, a generosity of spirit and a universal human sympathy which must challenge the admiration of every friend of mankind; and they have refused to compound their ideals or desert others that they themselves may be safe.

"They call to us to say what it is that we desire, in what, if in anything, our purpose and our spirit differ from theirs; and I believe that the people of the United States would wish me to respond, with utter simplicity and frankness. Whether their present leaders believe it or not, it is our heartfelt desire and hope that some way may be opened whereby we may be priviliged to assist the people of Russia to attain their utmost hope of liberty and ordered peace.

Open Peace Demanded

"It will be our wish and purpose that the processes of peace, when they are begun, shall be absolutely open, and that they shall involve and permit henceforth no secret understandings of any kind. The day of conquest and aggrandizement is gone by; so is aslo the day of secret covenants entered into in the interest of particular governments and likely some unlooked for moment to upset the peace of the world. It is this happy fact, now clear to the view of every public man whose thoughts do not still linger in an age that is dead and gone, which makes it possible for every nation whose purposes are consistent with justice and the peace of the world to avow now or at any other time the objects it has in view.

"We entered this war because violations of right had occurred which touched us to the quick and made the life of our own people impossible unless they were corrected and the world secured once for all against their recurrence. What we demand in this war, therefore, is nothing peculiar to ourselves. It is that the world be made fit and safe to live in; and particularly that it be made safe for every peace loving nation, which, like our own, wishes to live its own life, determine its own institutions, be assured of justice and fair dealing by the other peoples of the world as against force and selfish aggression. All the peoples of the world are in effect partners in this interest, and for our own part we see very clearly that unless justice be done to others it will not be done to us.

World Peace Our Program

"The program of the world's peace, therefore our program, and that program the only possible program as we see it, is this:

"1—Open covenants of peace, openly arrived at, after which there shall be no private international understandings of any kind but diplomacy shall proceed always frankly in the public view.

"2—Absolute freedom of navigation upon the seas outside territorial waters, alike in peace and in war, except as the seas may be closed in whole or in part by international action for the enforcement of international covenants.

"3—The removal so far as possible of all economic barriers and the establishment of an equality of trade conditions among all the nations consenting to the peace and associating themselves for its maintenance.

"4—Adequate guarantees given and taken that national armaments will be reduced to the lowest point consistent with domestic safety.

"5—A free, open minded and absolutely impartial adjustment of all colonial claims, based upon a strict observance of the principle that in determining all such questions of sovereignty the interests of the populations concerned must have equal weight with the equitable claims of the government whose title is to be determined.

Belgium Must Be Freed

"6—The evacuation of all Russian territory and such a settlement of all questions affecting Russia as will secure the best and freest cooperation of the other nations of the world in obtaining for her an unhampered and unembarrassed opportunity for the independent determination of her own political development and national policy and assure her of a sincere welcome into the society of free nations under institutions of her own choosing; and, more than a welcome, assistance also of every kind that she may need and may herself desire. The treatment accorded Russia by her sister nations in the months to come will be the acid test of their good will, of their comprehension of her needs as distinguished from their own interests, and of their intelligent and unselfish sympathy.

"7—Belgium, the whole world will agree, must be evacuated and restored without any attempt to limit the sovereignty which she enjoys in common with all other free nations. No other single act will serve as this will serve to restore confidence among the nations in the laws which they have themselves set and determined for the government of their relations with one another. Without this healing act the whole structure and validity of international law is forever impaired.

"8—All French territory should be freed and the invaded portions restored and the wrong done France by Prussia in 1871 in the matter of Alsace-Lorraine which has unsettled the peace of the world for nearly 50 years, should be righted, in order that peace may once more be made secure in the interest of all.

"9—A readjustment of the frontiers of Italy should be effected along clearly recognizable lines of nationality.

Independent Poland Demanded

"10—The peoples of Austria-Hungary, whose place among the nations we wish to see safeguarded and assured, should be accorded the freest opportunity of autonomous development.

"11—Roumania, Serbia and Montenegro should be evacuated; occupied territories restored; Serbia accorded free and secure access to the sea, and the relations of the several Balkan states to one another determined by friendly counsel along historically-established lines of allegiance and nationality; and international guarantees of the political and economic independence and territorial integrity of the several Balkan states should be entered into.

"12—The Turkish portions of the present Ottoman empire should be assured a secure sovereignty, but the other nationalities which are now under Turkish rule should be assured an undoubted security of life and an absolutely unmolested opportunity of autonomous development, and the Dardanelles should be permanently opened as a free passage to the ships and commerce of all nations under international guarantees.

"13—An independent Polish state should be erected which should include the territories inhabited by indisputably Polish populations, which should be assured a free and secure access to the sea, and whose political and economic independence and territorial integrity should be guaranteed by international covenant.

14—A general association of nations must be formed under specific covenants for the purpose of affording mutual guarantees of political independence and territorial integrity to great and small states alike.

"In regard to these essential rectifications of wrong and assertions of right we feel ourselves to be intimate partners of all the governments and peoples associated together against the imperialists. We cannot be separated in interest or divided in purpose. We stand together until the end.

Will Keep Up Fight for Justice

"For such arrangements and covenants we are willing to fight and to continue to fight until they are achieved; but only because we wish the right to prevail and desire a just and stable peace such as can be secured only by removing the chief provocations to war, which this program does remove. We have no jealousy of German greatness, and there is nothing in this program that impairs it. We grudge her no achievement or distinction of learning or of pacific enterprise such as have made her record very bright and very enviable. We do not wish to injure her or to block in any way her legitimate influence or power. We do not wish to fight her either with arms or with hostile arrangements of trade if she is willing to associate herself with us and the other peace loving nations of the world in covenants of justice and law and fair dealing. We wish her only to accept a place of equality among the peoples of the world—the new world in which we now live—instead of a place of mastery.

"Neither do we presume to suggest to her any alteration or modification of her institutions. But it is necessary, we must frankly say, and necessary as a preliminary to any intelligent dealings with her on our part, that we should know whom her spokesmen speak for when they speak to us, whether for the reichstag majority or for the military party and the men whose creed is imperial domination.

Principles of Justice Paramount

"We have spoken now, surely, in terms too concrete to admit of any further doubt or question. An evident principle runs through the whole program I have outlined. It is the principle of justice to all peoples and nationalities, and their right to live on equal terms of liberty and safety with one another, whether they be strong or weak. Unless this principle be made its foundation no part of the structure of international justice can stand. The people of the United States could act upon no other principle; and to the vindication of this principle they are ready to devote their lives, their honor and everything that they possess. The moral climax of this, the culminating and final war for human liberty, has come, and they are ready to put their own strength, their own highest purpose, their own integrity and devotion to the test."

Flannel Dress Set Afire; Woman Dies

Seattle, Jan. 8.—(U. P.)—Mrs. Elizabeth McPherran, 63, was burned to death in the basement of her home here when her flannel night dress caught fire from a match early this morning. Attempts by her daughter and neighbors to extinguish the flames were unavailing.

An Englishman is the inventor of a pitcher for wines with an ice compartment to cool its contents.

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REBELLION STILL SIMMERS IN SPAIN

Premier Says Constitutional Guarantees May Be Suspended; Army Officers Sponsors.

Paris, Jan. 8.—(I. N. S.)—Revolutionary sentiment is still simmering in Spain and the government is taking steps to meet an outbreak, according to a special dispatch to the Matin today.

Premier Alhucemas announced at Madrid that the government may suspend the constitutional guarantees which is equivalent to a national declaration of martial law.

Documents found at Madrid, Barcelona and elsewhere show that the revolutionary plot was sponsored by army officers, most of them being members of the infantry defense committee, and that radical Socialists had no hand in it although they were in some instances in it.

LEADERS COMMENT ON WILSON SPEECH

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ticularly Russia, which is wrestling with German intrigue."

Senator Hardwick of Georgia said he believed the president's message may lead at once to the opening of peace negotiations.

"If Germany does not plan world conquest, then it ought to be possible to agree on the terms that will save both the civilization and the Christianity of the world," said Senator Hardwick.

Senator Chamberlain: "It states in the concrete all we are fighting for, and states it so clearly that he who runs may read. It is the greatest of the president's state speeches."

Meets Every Point in Situation

Senator Martin: "It is one of the ablest speeches the president ever made, and it met every point in the situation."

Senator Overman: "It is a very valuable message in that it follows the message of Lloyd George. Russia and the whole world now knows where we stand. No man can fail to understand it."

Senator Smoot: "I heartily agree with the president in most of his program, but I can't agree to free trading with the world."

Senator Ashurst: "It is timely, luminous, specific and clear. There is now no further trouble in understanding America's war aims."

Representative Moore, Pennsylvania, insisted the president meant free trade "by the removal of economic barriers" and said he could not approve that section.

Joe Cannon Can't See Peace Nearer

"I am sure we must protect our American industries after the war, or ruin many of them by forcing competition with other countries that have a decided advantage because of cheap labor."

"Uncle Joe" Cannon approved the message, but said he didn't think it brought peace nearer.

"We must fight our way out of this war, I still believe," he said.

Bend Slacker Heeds Persuasion of Judge

Bend, Or., Jan. 8.—William Ross, who was arrested here Saturday afternoon on a charge of violating a city ordinance, has decided to enlist in the army. This decision came after Ross was put between the fire of his own testimony and that of his father. Ross maintained Saturday that he was 22 years old, but was minus a registration card. Monday morning his father appeared and said the young man was only 19 years old. After a short discussion of the affair with Judge Ellis, Ross decided that he would go to Portland to enlist.

Lad Seeks Damages

The trial of the $20,000 damage suit of Edward Sowinski against the Portland Railway, Light & Power company began Monday before a jury in Circuit Judge Gatens' court. The plaintiff is 13 years of age. He alleges he was knocked off a St. Johns car by the conductor September 29. He was riding on the "blind" side of the car, he says, for the reason that the car started before he could get aboard. He asserts his skull was badly fractured and he suffered other serious injuries.

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