

SIMPSON COHORTS PAID \$15,942 IN THE PRIMARY CONTEST

Reports Are Filed by Candidates for Nomination for Various Offices, Stating Expenses.

NO STANFIELD FIGURES YET

Governor Withycombe's Friends Spent About \$2000; Johns Got Off for \$114.

Salem, May 31.—In addition to the \$700 spent by J. L. Simpson, personally on his campaign for Republican nomination...

Of the \$15,942.53 expended by Letter, \$13,490 was contributed by the following persons, according to statement: W. V. Douglas, \$1000; I. E. Tower, \$500; J. H. Shepard, \$250; C. H. Calendar, \$200; G. Stendern, \$250; C. E. Bradford, \$100; P. M. Pike, \$250; North Bend Mill & Lumber company, \$100; J. F. Soule, \$500; George E. Dix, \$200; Charles Hall, \$1000; E. A. Adelberger, \$1000; F. A. Laize, \$1000; A. E. Adelberger, \$100; E. L. Robinson, \$10; Claud Nashburg, \$100; C. F. McCollum, \$100; Fuchner Lumber company, \$100 and H. J. McKown, \$200.

Ben W. Olcott spent \$746.25 on his candidacy for governor, while George E. Waters expended \$1053.59 in Olcott's behalf.

On Governor Withycombe's campaign, Conrad P. Olson, treasurer of select Withycombe committee, spent \$2061.42. This sum was contributed by the following persons: Chester Moores \$377.50, E. Lazarus \$20, J. B. Herr \$50, C. Huntley \$50, H. Schuiderman Sr. \$100, David M. Dunne \$1000, "Soldiers in France" \$100, W. Carleton Smith \$25, George W. Stapleton \$25, "Friend" \$15, Carl Shoemaker \$300.

J. E. Anderson spent \$721.97 on his campaign for governor, and Mrs. Clyde Bonney, secretary-treasurer of the Anderson-for-Governor club, spent \$618.07. This sum was contributed by the following persons: A. S. Roberts \$400, F. J. Stedman \$100, J. J. Harris \$4, Mrs. C. T. Bonney \$250, C. W. Moore \$11.57.

Senator Charles L. McNary's campaign for nomination cost him \$272.25, according to his statement. Statement has not been filed as yet of sum spent in his behalf.

Statement of expenditures by Robert N. Stanfield, candidate against McNary, has not been filed yet. Tomorrow is the last day allowed under law for filing statements.

In his campaign for state treasurer Thomas F. Ryan spent \$672.77. Charles A. Johns made his campaign for the Republican nomination for supreme court justice on an expenditure of \$114.

William Daisiel, candidate for the Republican nomination for labor commissioner, spent \$286.47, while John H. Holston, also candidate for the same nomination, spent \$58.06.

Fred A. Williams won the Republican nomination for public service commis-

sioner on an expenditure of \$254.05, his statement shows. Will H. Hornbrook spent \$244.59 on his campaign for Democratic national committeeman.

General Crozier Is Back From France

Washington, May 31.—(I. N. S.)—Major General William Crozier, chief of ordnance, returned to Washington today after a two months' tour of inspection in France.

300,000 TO BE CALLED BY DRAFT OF JUNE 24

(Continued From Page One) gross quota, subject to as many separate calls as are necessary, 6458 men of draft age, physically and mentally fit for military service. These men are in addition to the 717 supplied to the ranks of the national army by the first draft call in this state, and in addition to the 2861 who have been inducted since the first call.

1881 From City and County Portland and Multnomah county, with 11 separate exemption boards, is to furnish a total of 1391 men under the second gross quota. Aside from Multnomah county, Lane county is called upon for the greatest number of men, a total of 287. Clatsop county is asked for 258, and Clackamas 228. It is understood that the establishment of the gross current quota will deprive just 6458 men from seeking induction into the service as volunteers, inasmuch as draft regulations say men within current quotas cannot volunteer.

In establishing the gross quota, Oregon was credited with 1644 men called and inducted, 632 men taken in voluntary calls for small groups of specialists, and with 273 available class 1 men under date of May 29. This gave the state a total of 11,640 men, and from that number a deduction of 4861 men was made to cover the number the state has furnished under previous general calls, which left a total of 7779. Then 80 per cent of that number was taken as the current gross quota, thus making a quota of 6243 men.

Class 1 to Be Enlarged Deducting the 80 per cent quota from the total number of class 1 men available in the state, Oregon will have, when the last call under the second quota is made, 230 men in class 1. To this number many hundreds will be added on June 5, when the registration of all who have reached 21 years of age since June 5, 1917, are required to register. Further additions of an important nature are contemplated by the provost marshal general, who has transmitted to Captain Cullison, through the governor, the following statement:

"This office contemplates the enlargement of class 1 by additions and corrections. It is proposed to institute a nationwide campaign to bring those boards which have reported an abnormally low and unexplained percentage strength of class 1 up to the national average. The steps to produce such a result are as follows:

All Cases to Be Settled "The settlement of all cases pending before local, district and medical advisory boards.

"The registration June 5 and classification of all such registrants.

"A systematic and thorough drive to apprehend delinquents.

"The reexamination of all doubtful cases placed in limited service group C.

"The reexamination of all doubtful cases placed in other than class 1.

"A patriotic appeal to hospitals and the medical profession of the country to correct voluntarily the defects of class 1 men in remedial group B.

"A close scrutiny of the emergency fleet list."

YEOMANETTES WANT TO SEE SERVICE IN FRANCE NEAR FRONT

Girls With Recruiting Party Doing Good Work at Home but Want to Be Sent Abroad.

Among the recruiting party for the United States naval reserves which opened up a drive for naval enlistments today at Liberty temple are Miss A. G. Crossley and Miss Pauline Greaves, first class yeomen.

Miss Crossley is from Portland, her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Crossley, residing at 1053 Vaughn street. Prior to her enlistment in the navy she was for four years manager of the employment department of the Underwood Typewriter company.

Miss Greaves is a Medford girl, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Greaves. She enlisted just one week after war was declared last year, without knowing what she might receive or where she might be ordered for duty.

The women will attend to the office work incident to the enlisting of the men, and during their spare moments will help with the recruiting themselves. In fifty blue uniforms, the women attract considerable attention. They enjoy their work, but are eager to be the lucky ones in being transferred to overseas duty.

"Of course we are doing everything we can here at home," says Miss Greaves, "but it doesn't seem as though we are doing all we could. We want to get over closer to where they are fighting. We want to be as close to the front as they will let us."

Baldwin Is Believed To Be Near Lebanon

Linn County Deputy Sheriff Sees Man Answering Description of Escaped Convict; State Police Are Sent Out.

Salem, Or., May 31.—The Linn county deputy sheriff is confident he saw Jeff Baldwin, escaped convict, about 7:30 o'clock last night walking between Lebanon and Sweet Home, according to information received today by Warden Murphy from Sheriff Bodine of Linn county.

The deputy sheriff did not care to tackle the notorious convict single handed and went for help. When he returned, the man suspected of being Baldwin had disappeared.

A squad of state police has been sent out from Portland to search the vicinity. The deputy sheriff was driving in a machine from Lebanon to Sweet Home when he passed a pedestrian who tallied with the description of Baldwin. The deputy sheriff, after driving some distance past, returned to make certain of his suspicions and was convinced that the man was Baldwin. Then he went on into town for help.

Government Help Only Relief in Sight

Juneau, Alaska, May 31.—(I. N. S.)—Government operation of steamship lines in the Alaska service, or government subsidies, are the only means of lowering freight rates between Alaska ports and the United States, according to testimony given at hearings held by O. B. Kent, examiner from the United States shipping board at several Alaska towns.

Kent and his party are today en route for Seattle. No protests were made of the rates to westward Alaska ports. Steamship companies have testified that the rates now charged are the lowest that can be offered, while Alaska merchants declare they must have cheaper rates or go out of business.

HUN GAINS KEEP UP; FOCH STRIKING BACK (Continued From Page One)

rushed a German post during the night and took a few prisoners," said the statement.

"Northwest of Tynes there were patrol encounters in which we took a few prisoners and machine guns.

"Northwest of Tynes, we raided an enemy post. A few of our men are missing. In the vicinity of Villers-Bretonneux and Albert and also between Festubert and the Clarence river there was hostile artillery firing."

FOE DETERMINED ON CAPTURE OF RHEIMS

By Henry Wood With the French Armies in the Field, May 31.—(U. P.)—The Germans are determined to capture Rheims.

Held up by the British to the east, north and west of that city, the enemy plans a wide encircling movement to the southeast, hoping to surround it, military authorities believed today.

To accomplish this, the Germans are expected to increase their pressure between Brouillet and Janvry, with the intention of breaking through along the Ardre river and, following this valley southeastward, gradually turning to the east so as to approach Rheims from the south. This strategy would entail the capture of Ville-en-Tardenois, four miles to the west of the Ardre.

The Ardre rises in a small lake four miles north of the Marne at Epernay. It flows northeastward, converging with the Vaise at Fismes.

The German progress has been slower and more difficult for the past several hours owing to the steady arrival of French reserves. The enemy apparently has been entirely checked at most points on this front. His efforts now seem to be concentrated in driving toward Fere-en-Tardenois, as a part of the attempt to take Rheims.

Every German regiment engaged in the southern drive advances in successive "bounds," four companies are in the front rank each time. Each company has four portable machine guns, with one in reserve. The regiment, in addition, has three machine gun companies, possessing 12 machine guns apiece and three mounted trench mortar companies which have a new long range weapon.

As each wave of four companies leaps forward successively, it is able to precede itself with a machine gun barrage, while the portable trench mortars dis-

charge the allied machine guns and wipe out the centers of resistance.

Germans Claim 35,000 Prisoners

London, May 31.—(U. P.)—The German drive in the Aisne region is now centered in an effort to reach the Marne river, it is indicated in the night official statements.

Checked on the wings, the enemy is striving desperately to push the allies back to the center where strong French reserves are being concentrated.

The Germans are now within six miles of the famous river, perhaps nearer. The French communique stated that the loss of Fere-en-Tardenois and Vesilly. The former is eight miles from the river and the latter six.

Just how far south of Fere-en-Tardenois the enemy has progressed was revealed in neither the French nor German statements.

The Berlin communique claimed a total of 35,000 prisoners taken in the present phase of the offensive, together with a large amount of material, including ammunition, provisions, railway trains and an aerodrome full of airplanes.

On the right flank, the Germans now occupy La Neuville and Betheny, north of Rheims, and have thrown a semi-circle about that city, being within two miles on the east, north and west.

On the left wing the French still claimed to hold the western outskirts of Soissons, although, the Germans pushed forward about a mile and a half north of that city, straightening the line so it runs straight north and south between Coucy-le-Chateau and Soissons.

The Aisne battle front has apparently stretched from Coucy-le-Chateau southward through Juigny and Soissons to Hartennes, southeastward through Bougnies to Fere-en-Tardenois, eastward to Ythens, northward to Brouillet, eastward to Thillois, northward through Champigny to La Neuville and eastward to Betheny.

On the Plandres front the French improved their positions east of Dickenbusch Lake by a local operation last night. Elsewhere the British and French fronts were quiet.

Germans Make Westward Thrust

Paris, May 31.—(U. P.)—The Germans, by an attack in the Ailette river region, between Coucy-le-Chateau and the Oise river, have definitely consolidated the Aisne and Picardy battlefronts, according to the French war office announcement today.

(Seemingly this is an effort to drive toward the Oise, to the westward, in an effort to flank the allied forces below Noyon on the southern portion of the Picardy front.)

Before this attack the French have withdrawn from Bierancourt and Epagny, fighting stubbornly.

(Epagny is six miles northwest of Soissons. Bierancourt is five miles northwest of Epagny and about eight miles southeast of Noyon.)

In the center the Germans have advanced slightly toward the Marne. On the left the French are still holding the western outskirts of Soissons.

On the right a French counter attack captured Thillois, two miles and a half west of Rheims.

"The Germans prolonged their efforts toward the Oise by violent attacks in the Ailette region," the statement said. "The French withdrew, fighting, north of Bierancourt and Epagny."

"In the neighborhood of Soissons and farther south, German attacks were broken by the French resistance. The French maintained their positions in the western outskirts of the town and along the Chateau Thierry road.

"In the center the Germans made slight advance in the region north of the Marne."

"Further to the east—northwest and north of Rheims—all German efforts were in vain. An energetic French counter attack retook Thillois."

New Activity Shown

Berlin, via London, May 31.—(I. N. S.)—Fighting activity on the fronts held by the army groups of General von Gallwitz and Duke Albrecht of Wurttemberg

has revived temporarily, the war office announces.

The above statement may be of extreme significance. It is the first time in months that the army groups of the Duke of Wurttemberg and of Von Gallwitz have been mentioned in the German official reports—that is to say, in the cabled versions of the Berlin bulletins.

Gallwitz commands the army at Verdun. The Wurttemberg duke is in command of the armies west of Rheims. The German offensive in the direction of the Marne gravely threatens the communication to the French armies facing the German forces referred to in the above statement.

Worst Over, Paris Believes

Paris, May 31.—(U. P.)—The impression prevails in Paris that the worst is over, so far as the Aisne phase of the German offensive is concerned.

Announcement that allied reserves are hurrying forward adds to the confidence of the public. The capital's morale remains unshaken by air raids and long range bombardments. The streets are thronged every day with people in gay

summer attire, most of them wearing flowers.

Germans Airmen More Active

London, May 31.—(I. N. S.)—The Germans are shelling towns behind the British lines in Northern France more vigorously, Hamilton Fyfe declared today in the Daily Mail. Airfield was bombarded more heavily yesterday. The German airmen in that vicinity are growing more active also, he declares.

Crown Prince Seeks Popularity

Basle, Switzerland, May 31.—(I. N. S.)—The German crown prince is striving desperately to win back his popularity which he lost at Verdun. Advances received here today said that at every opportunity he shows himself to the troops. He also shows himself constantly with the generals at the Rheims-Soissons front.

Italians Upset Hun Plans

Rome, May 31.—(I. N. S.)—The predicted Austrian drive, timed to start simultaneously with the renewal of the

German offensive on the western front, was forestalled by the vigorous Italian recent pushes, the newspaper Giornale D'Italia said today.

"Great American rescue" looms daily larger," the newspaper continued, "and already has assumed enormous moral and material value."

1000 Children Leave Paris; Safety Is Aim

Paris, May 31.—One thousand children left here Thursday for a vacation colony in Central France. This is said to be the first step toward removing the children from Paris to protect them from the German long range guns.

Improvement for Plant Asked

Oakland, Cal., May 31.—Recommendation has been made to Charles M. Schwab, now in charge of America's shipbuilding, for 10 new ways at the Alameda plant of the Union Iron works,

according to a report Wednesday. Improvement would cost \$10,000,000.

J. H. Powell, vice president in operations, is said to have intended the work. Additional shop other buildings may also be constructed which would make the plant a \$100,000,000 concern.

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