

# MILITARY POLICE IS COSTING STATE \$21,000 MONTHLY

### Deficiency Appropriation of \$250,000 Made Until Voters Can Authorize More Money.

## REDUCTIONS NOW PROPOSED

### With Passing of I. W. W. Menace and Fire Dangers Need for Organization is Lessened.

The state military police is costing the taxpayers of the state \$21,000 per month for salaries alone. This is for the organization of approximately 211 men and does not include the cost of equipment, office expense and general overhead charges.

To meet this charge the emergency board has voted a deficiency appropriation of \$250,000 which is expected to carry the organization until such time as the people in November or the legislature vote more money.

To reimburse the holders of the interest bearing certificates of indebtedness now being issued to cover the \$250,000 expenditure the emergency board in November will be asked to vote a special appropriation of \$250,000, while at the same time they will be also asked to vote a special appropriation of \$250,000 to pay the cost of the state police for the coming two years, making the total cost of the organization for the three years \$632,944.

Requested by Defense Council  
The state military police was organized four months ago at the request of the State Council of Defense and upon the urgent recommendation of the governor, primarily for the purpose of aiding the federal and local police authorities in guarding against forest and industrial plant fires then being threatened from I. W. W. sources.

An organized force consists of 20 companies of 10 men each. It is officered by one major who draws an annual salary of \$1000; one adjutant, ranking as captain at \$2400; four captains at \$1800; one sergeant major at \$1200; four first sergeants at \$1200; 18 sergeants at \$1200; 20 corporals at \$1100. The enlisted men draw \$90 per month. Privates in the national army are paid \$30 per month. One company of the guard has been stationed in Eastern Oregon, having been sent up there at about the beginning of the harvest season to guard the fields against incendiary fires. Now that the harvest time is nearing its end the men of this company are being sent to guard the warehouses of the wheat belt.

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The three remaining companies have been stationed in Portland, scattered generally along the waterfront on guard duty at the various shipbuilding and other industrial plants.

In addition to this guard duty, which falls within the line authorized by the emergency board, special details of men have been assigned to investigating. Two men were stationed at Newport, two at La Grande, two at Burns, two at Albany, two at Corvallis, one at Brownsville, three at Tillamook, three at Grants Pass, three at Klamath Falls. These details were made at the request of the mayors or district attorneys who were seemingly unable to enforce the prohibition laws with the assistance of the local police forces.

With the passing of the I. W. W. menace, through the efficient organization of the federal military police and the well trained force of some 500 private watchmen at the industrial plants, it has begun to be apparent to the governor that the need for the state military police has passed and he has made the announcement that he is ready to reduce its numbers.

It is not known whether the contemplated request for a special appropriation of \$252,944 will be eliminated or reduced in the measure to be submitted to the people in November.

## Aunt Wires Prayer To Injured Youth

Pittsburg, Pa., Aug. 31.—(I. N. S.)—A prayer was telegraphed from Dallas, Texas, to the bedside of William Bryan Blythe, a 14-year-old runaway, who was lying dangerously ill of pneumonia. The prayer was from the boys' aunt and was intended to cheer the lad until his father could arrive. The prayer was for the early recovery of the boy and expressed the hope that his indiscreet act would be a lesson to him and that in the future he would be a good boy.

An inventor has patented a danger signal for street intersections which carries an arrow that can be moved to point in the direction from which harm may come.

## FAMOUS GLOWN HAS RETURNED



Marceline, who is back clowning with Barnum & Bailey's circus, which will be here Monday. Elizabeth Hanneford, noted as one of the foremost equestriennes of the day.

Marceline, who clowned all his life, nearly, until three years ago, when he quit the sawdust ring to satisfy his ambition of getting enough to eat and to be a cook, has returned to the Barnum & Bailey circus. Advance dope on Marceline is that he will appear Monday with all the merry capers that children have been laughing at for 35 years. Close to Marceline in the sympathy of consistent circus "fans" is Elizabeth Hanneford, reckoned one of the premier equestriennes of the day.

Marceline says he stayed out of the circus life long enough to find out that serving in a kitchen was not the tang of the nomad's life. He stayed for awhile, got all he wanted of his favorite Spanish dish—which he has never been able to get "on the road" because he couldn't stop long enough in a place to teach the local cooks how to make it—and then he grew homesick for the sawdust and the laughter of children.

Although no circus parade will be held because of Labor day, the circus will give two performances Monday at Twenty-fifth and Raleigh streets. The entrances will be open at 1:30 in the afternoon and early in the evening. Advance notices tell of the menagerie and the horseback riding and aerial performers and the tightrope walkers, besides many things that are new and astounding. The circus will be here for one day only.

Special club music will be led by Prof. Wm. H. Boyer, supervisor of music, Portland public schools. A special invitation is extended to the club president, club secretary, club leader (teacher) and parent adviser of each club. A cordial invitation is also extended to all club members, friends of club work and to anyone especially interested in the activities of boys and girls, to attend this meeting in Liberty hall, Central library, at 7:30 p. m.

Miss Alice Joyce Arranges for Program; Special Talks Will Be Delivered.  
A special program to be held next Friday for the officers of the Boys' and Girls' club work has been arranged by Miss Alice V. Joyce, assistant state club leader, who has charge of the Portland clubs (rabbit, poultry, canning and home vegetable garden), directed by the extension service, of the Oregon Agricultural college at Corvallis.

Mayor Geo. L. Baker will address this body of leaders in the interest of food production on the subject of "The Civic Value of Club Work." O. D. Center, director of extension service, O. A. C., will explain "How the College Assists Through Its Extension Service."

"The City Home Vegetable Garden" will be discussed by C. E. Carlton, one of Portland's best gardeners. "Our Canning Club" by Mrs. Geo. Root, part-adviser of Franklin high school canning team; "The Multnomah County Fair at Oresham" by Mrs. Ed. Palmer, chairman of special committee for exhibit, Portland Parent-Teacher council. "Putting Club Products into Salable Form" by Robert L. Ringer, investigator of market survey, bureau of agriculture, Washington, D. C., promises to be an interesting discussion for the junior agriculturists of Portland.

Demonstrations of rabbits will be given by the following club members:

## POLK COUNTY BOYS ARE IN AMERICAN HOSPITALS IN FRANCE

### Corporal Grover Hinkle of Monmouth and R. G. Williams of Dallas Wounded in Drive.

Dallas, Or., Aug. 31.—Word has been received that two more Polk county boys have been sent to hospitals in France as result of participation in the recent big drive against the Germans. Corporal Grover Hinkle of Monmouth, formerly of the 162d infantry, was wounded, and R. G. Williams, residing Joseph Glath, Dallas, a member of the 161st infantry, an eastern regiment, writes friends that he and a number of comrades were sitting supper one evening when a shell burst near them, killing several of the party and sending the others to the hospital from the effects of the gas the shell contained.

Want to Be Citizens  
Dallas, Or., Aug. 31.—The following persons of foreign birth have recently filed petitions for citizenship in the circuit court for Polk county: Gerhard Kluever, Rickford, natives of Russia; Joseph Glath, Dallas, native of Germany; Julius W. Willcock, Dallas, native of Germany; Peter F. Friesen, Dallas, native of Russia; Philip S. Thurston, Suver, native of Canada.

Last Fair Till War Ends  
Dallas, Or., Aug. 31.—While plans are being made to carry out the Polk county fair the same as usual this year, the dates being September 17, 18 and 19, it has been decided not to have a fair in this county next year nor again until after the war. This is in accordance with sentiment that is said to prevail in several other counties of the state.

Only Surviving Member  
Dallas, Or., Aug. 31.—Claude Crane has been appointed administrator of the estate of his father, William Crane, deceased. He is the only surviving member of the Crane family of McTimmonds valley which was nearly wiped out by the elder Crane August 5 when he shot and killed his son, James Crane, Mrs. Claude Crane and himself.

Died in Manila  
Dallas, Or., Aug. 31.—E. E. Hanson received word this week of the death of his brother, W. L. Hanson, from smallpox in a hospital in Manila, P. I. The body was cremated and funeral services held afterward. Young Hanson, who was 23 years of age, was employed as an electrician by a large electrical company in the Philippine capital. He formerly resided in this city and his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Hanson, live here.

"Bill" Snyder Commissioned  
Dallas, Or., Aug. 31.—County Treasurer A. V. R. Snyder has received word this week that his son, William Snyder, had successfully passed the examinations for the artillery officers training school at Camp Zachary Taylor, Ky., and had been commissioned a second lieutenant. Will Snyder, who was one of the crack players on the University of Oregon football team two years ago, enlisted in the hospital corps and was stationed at Camp Lewis until he was sent to the officers' training camp in the East.

Agent for Italy Named  
Rome, Aug. 31.—(U. P.)—Announcement of the appointment of Camille Cerruti, industrial expert, as Italian purchasing agent at Washington was made today.

## Master Plumbers Arrange Picnic At Crystal Lake

The Portland Master Plumbers' association has announced its annual picnic for Saturday, September 14, in Crystal Lake park. According to the measure voted on at the last regular meeting, the members decided to give a picnic "as free to everyone as possible."

The picnic will start at 10:30 o'clock Saturday morning with a baseball game. This is to be followed by the usual picnic games such as a tug of war, three-legged race, sack races, potato races, boys' and girls' races and women's races. The committee announced that the wholesale plumbing houses have all ready offered over \$200 in prizes to the winners in the different athletic contests.

No admission is to be charged to the grounds, the committee having invited "everyone" to come. A dance is to be held in the afternoon. F. F. Burditt was appointed chairman of the entertainment committee and C. S. Whitcomb was appointed treasurer. Other members are E. E. Zeigler, I. Block and A. A. Stolts. A special meeting has been called for Tuesday evening, when final arrangements are to be made. The program and lists of prizes will be arranged at this time.

## United Apparel Co. Has Grand Opening

The United Apparel company, at the northwest corner of Park and Morrison streets, held its formal grand opening Tuesday night from 8 to 10 o'clock. The store deals in all kinds of women's apparel, and five living models walked down the windows on Park street before the crowd assembled on the sidewalk. Flowers imported from New York, as well as from local stores, were used in the decorations. The store is finished throughout in Circassian wall paper, trimmed in gray, and has a sunshine lighting system installed.

One new farm tractor has wheels equipped with radiating legs, which enter the ground and grip it, while another literally walks on skids at the ends of four legs.

## WAHTUM LAKE CAMP TO BE BEST IN WEST, SAYS SCOUT CHIEF

### Average of 30 Boys Enjoy Camp Life This Summer; Greater Prospects Next Year.

Scout Executive James E. Brockway has returned to Portland after seven weeks spent in the new Boy Scout camp at Wahtum lake, which closed Tuesday. An average of 30 boys enjoyed the diversions of camp life throughout the season. The main building is still in the process of construction, and will not be completed for another month, but the boys lived in tents and were subject to a military program daily, commencing with reveille at 6 o'clock in the morning.

Hikes were made to Chindere mountain, Indian mountain, Benson plateau and other points; rafts were built, and considerable time was spent in picking huckleberries, of which there was an abundance. Mr. Brockway is well pleased with the summer camp during its opening season, and predicts a much more successful summer next year, when the main building will be completed. Water is being piped in from a mountain spring for camp use.

"When complete, I am safe in saying, the camp at Wahtum lake will be the finest Boy Scout camp west of Chicago," said the Scout executive Saturday. "I have never seen Crater lake, but persons who have, say it has no more wonderful glows and colors than Wahtum lake. It is also a crater lake, and has been plumbed for 200 feet without striking bottom. The boys made a number of trails and cleaned out the brush around the lake and camp."

Mr. Brockway was assisted at the camp by Frank G. Williston. Armour Plant Is Burned  
Keokuk, Iowa, Aug. 31.—(U. P.)—A manufacturing plant belonging to the Armour interests and engaged in important and very secretive war work, was completely destroyed by fire this

## AGED VETERAN HAD REMARKABLE MEMORY



Martin Cass Collier

afternoon on the Illinois side of the Mississippi river here. The fire started in an electric furnace and investigation of its origin is being made.

## Charles B. Ahlson Given Promotion

Charles B. Ahlson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Ahlson, of Shattuck road, south of Council Crest, was commissioned a 2d lieutenant of field artillery at Camp Zachary Taylor, Louisville, Ky., Saturday, according to word received by his parents. Mr. Ahlson was drafted while a junior student at Ore-

## G. A. R. ENCAMPMENT IS TOO MUCH EFFORT FOR AGED VETERAN

### Martin Cass Collier, Aged 86, Dies at Hillsboro as Result of Stroke Sustained Here.

Hillsboro, Or., Aug. 31.—Martin Cass Collier died in this city Friday, succumbing to a stroke sustained while he was visiting the G. A. R. national encampment in Portland last week. He was born in Mendon, Mass., September 24, 1831, and emigrated to Illinois when a young man. In 1851 he crossed the plains to California, and in 1854 went back to Illinois, where he was married to Sarah G. Park at Elm Grove, April 18, 1861. Four children were born to the union, all having passed except his son, John Herman Collier, with whom the father has resided since the death of his wife, in 1896.

He served three and a half years in the 103rd Illinois volunteer infantry, and at the close of the war was a first lieutenant. He was intensely loyal, and a year ago, at the age of 86 years, went to Portland and joined the Royal Legion. He was a member of General Ransom post, G. A. R., of Hillsboro, and a member of Tuality Lodge No. 6, A. F. & A. M., of this city, besides being a Royal Arch Mason.

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\$75 Arlington Axminster Rugs, 9x12. One pattern only to be sold. \$54.25  
\$68.75 Extra Wilton Rugs, 8.3x10.6. Three patterns only to be sold. \$53.50  
\$65.00 Bagdad Wilton Rugs, 8.3x10.6. Only three patterns to be sold. \$51.75  
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