

21 COLONELS OF COMMUNITY CHEST DRIVE AT RALLY

First Big Meeting in Campaign Finds Workers Enthusiastic; Many More to Enlist in Ranks.

What was in effect a call for the colonels came with the rally of 21 colonels to the Community Chest campaign at luncheon Friday noon at the Portland hotel. The colonels mobilized in response to the call of brigadier generals of two divisions and preliminary plans were outlined for the Chest drive the last of this month.

This was the first gathering of major importance of the Chest leaders so far. Organization of the two remaining divisions of the Chest forces is under way and will be completed as to the staff of colonels this week.

One could almost hear the rattling of swords at Friday's luncheon, for it was the gathering again of men prominent in many a war drive and of some active in the war itself. They have had a rest from campaigns here at home until they have grown restive with ease and they showed considerable eagerness at the luncheon to plunge again into the midst of another drive worth while.

SUCCESS IS FORESEEN
The colonels were told they would have all the real fighting in this campaign they desire, but this did not dampen their enthusiasm a bit, and if training of the last few years tells as it should, it is declared the impending drive will be a decisive victory.

Complete organization will prevail in Chest drive, the colonels being told that preparation will be more thorough than any similar campaign heretofore ever saw. Business methods that admit of no oversight to obtain the maximum of results and approved methods of doing things that were found most efficient in other years are the weapons to be adopted for the campaign.

General Robert E. Smith, commanding the campaign, adopts the attitude that business methods have been introduced into Portland's charitable enterprises through the establishment and successful operation of the Community Chest and that careless and haphazard charity has been done away with. Now it is determined that the same high efficiency shall be practiced in the campaign to collect the Chest funds and lost motion and waste discovered in other community efforts and campaigns will be avoided.

MANY WORKERS TO ENLIST
The forthcoming campaign will, for one thing, enlist the greatest number of workers of all ranks that Portland ever saw in any drive. There will be more than 1000 working units functioning under the direction of General Smith, his colonels, captains and lieutenants. This figure does not include 2500 women who will carry on the work of solicitation throughout the residence districts.

Because of the increased personnel over other drives Portland has known in the past and the closer organization and prior to the campaign opening, the filling of the Chest this year is expected by the leaders to be the swiftest and most successful of all drives that have gone before.

At Friday's luncheon, Brigadier General G. C. Colt and Sam L. Eddy gathered their staffs of colonels about them, gave a few general instructions and expressed all sorts of confidence in the successful outcome of the campaign.

STAFF OF DIVISION 1
General Colt, who commands Division 1, has the following on his staff: Colonels E. C. Sammons, adjutant; Walter A. Goss, Phillip Fry, E. N. Strong, Brockwell Statter, J. F. Clarkson, Wells Gilbert, J. H. Rankin and H. E. Witham.

The whole city has been divided into four districts and General Colt's division is bounded by the Willamette river, Washington street, Sixth street and the southern limits of the city. He will be absolute in his command there during the campaign.

General Eddy commands Division 2, which includes that region lying west of Sixth street within the city limits. It is a large and rich area and splendid results therein are anticipated. General Eddy has the following on his staff: Colonels J. W. Parker, adjutant; Fletcher Linn, Stanley Jewett, Dom J. Zan, C. H. Willison, George F. Johnson, Leslie Cranbourne, Charles Hatfield, Joe Mauck, C. C. Pier, C. J. Mathias, J. O. Elrod, Fred H. Strong, Harold Jungck and W. A. Healy.

From now until the opening of the drive, all those included in the campaign will be busy with completing the work of organization. General Smith has directed that everything be so systematized that the least friction and the maximum of results may be expected and the chief objective now is efficiency so that when the wheels begin to turn they will attain the highest speed and accomplish the task in the shortest possible time.

Aberdeen Man Has Check Sent Watterson By Operatic Star

Aberdeen, Wash., Jan. 6.—In the home of a member of an Aberdeen newspaper man is a framed canceled check for \$1000, sent to the late Henry Watterson by Emma Abbott, in her day an operatic artist of national reputation. The money to be used for the relief of sufferers from a flood which devastated a large part of Louisville many years ago.

Mr. Watterson was chairman of the relief committee. The cancelled piece of paper was found after the death of

COLONELS RALLY FOR COMMUNITY CHEST



Top, (division 2)—Sam L. Eddy, brigadier general, commanding. From left, front row—Colonels C. J. Mathis, S. C. Pier, Joe Mauck, Charles Hatfield, Leslie Cranbourne, General Sam L. Eddy. Rear row, from left—Colonels George F. Johnson, C. H. Willison, Dom J. Zan, Stanley Jewett, Fletcher Linn and J. W. Parker, adjutant. Below (division 1)—C. C. Colt, brigadier general, commanding. From left, front row—Colonels H. E. Witham, J. H. Rankin, Wells Gilbert, J. F. Clarkson, General C. C. Colt. Rear row—Colonels E. C. Sammons, adjutant; Brockwell Statter, Walter A. Goss, Phillip Fry and E. N. Strong.

Miss Abbott among her effects by a former understudy, to whom she left valuable papers, her wardrobe and \$5000 in cash. The check was transferred as a souvenir from one person to another and finally into the hands of the newspaper man.

Man Once Farmer For Government Passes at Dayton

David Robinson died at his home at Dayton, O., December 28. He was born at Bennington, Vt., January 7,

1848, where he resided until 1881, when he became government farmer of the Earth Indian reservation in Minnesota. He was a grand nephew of General David Robinson of revolutionary days. In 1894 the family moved to Woodland, Wash., and in 1904 to their present home, where he engaged in farming.

He is survived by his wife and eight children. Mrs. Bessie W. Hurt, Mrs. Alice Naevie, Portland; Mrs. Daisy Johnson, Eugene; Roy S. Arthur, Fay D. and George Robinson and Mrs. Grover Johnson, Dayton.

POST TO SEEK MEMBERS
Aberdeen, Wash., Jan. 7.—Officers for 1932 were installed, a membership campaign launched and preliminary plans made for a carnival by Aberdeen post, American Legion. Dewey Lyden was installed as commander. The post presented the retiring commander, Patrick McNamara, with a diamond ring.

ELMA WITHOUT BOND DEBT
Chehalis, Wash., Jan. 7.—The annual report of the town treasurer of Elma showed the town has no bonded indebtedness but that warrant indebtedness is about \$5000. Water collections during the year were \$5400.

KELSO LIBRARY GROWS
Kelso, Wash., Jan. 7.—The Kelso public library loaned 18,679 books during 1931, according to the report of Mrs. Edith Elwell, librarian, an increase of 5504 books over 1930. Patrons numbered 1290.

School Boy Killed In Fight; Officials Start Investigation

New York, Jan. 7.—(L. N. S.)—A school boy fight, which resulted fatally for Harold Cisney, a 14-year-old student at Erasmus high school, Brooklyn, is under investigation by authorities here today.

Young Cisney is said to have received his fatal injuries while fighting to uphold the honor of his chum, Seymour Link, who had been vanquished in an encounter with another boy.

The parents of the dead boy exonerate 14-year-old Theodore Friedman, who struck the blow responsible for young Cisney's death. Friedman and other witnesses will be questioned by Assistant Attorney Nicholas Salvaggi today.

The fatal fight began with a quarrel between Cisney's chum, Link, and another boy, after one grabbed the other's hat. Friedman is said to have taunted Cisney over Link's beating at the hands of his opponent.

Only a few blows were exchanged between Friedman and Cisney, according to witnesses.

Friedman landed a heavy smash on Cisney and the latter fell to the floor. The fight took place in the basement of the high school. The floor is concrete.

Young Cisney fractured his skull when he fell.

Success Is Coming To Democrats, Is Wilson Prediction

Washington, Jan. 7.—(U. P.)—"Triumphant success" for the Democratic party this year and "the years immediately to follow," is predicted by Woodrow Wilson in a message to Edward F. Coltra, Democratic national committee man from Missouri, made public by the Democratic national committee here today.

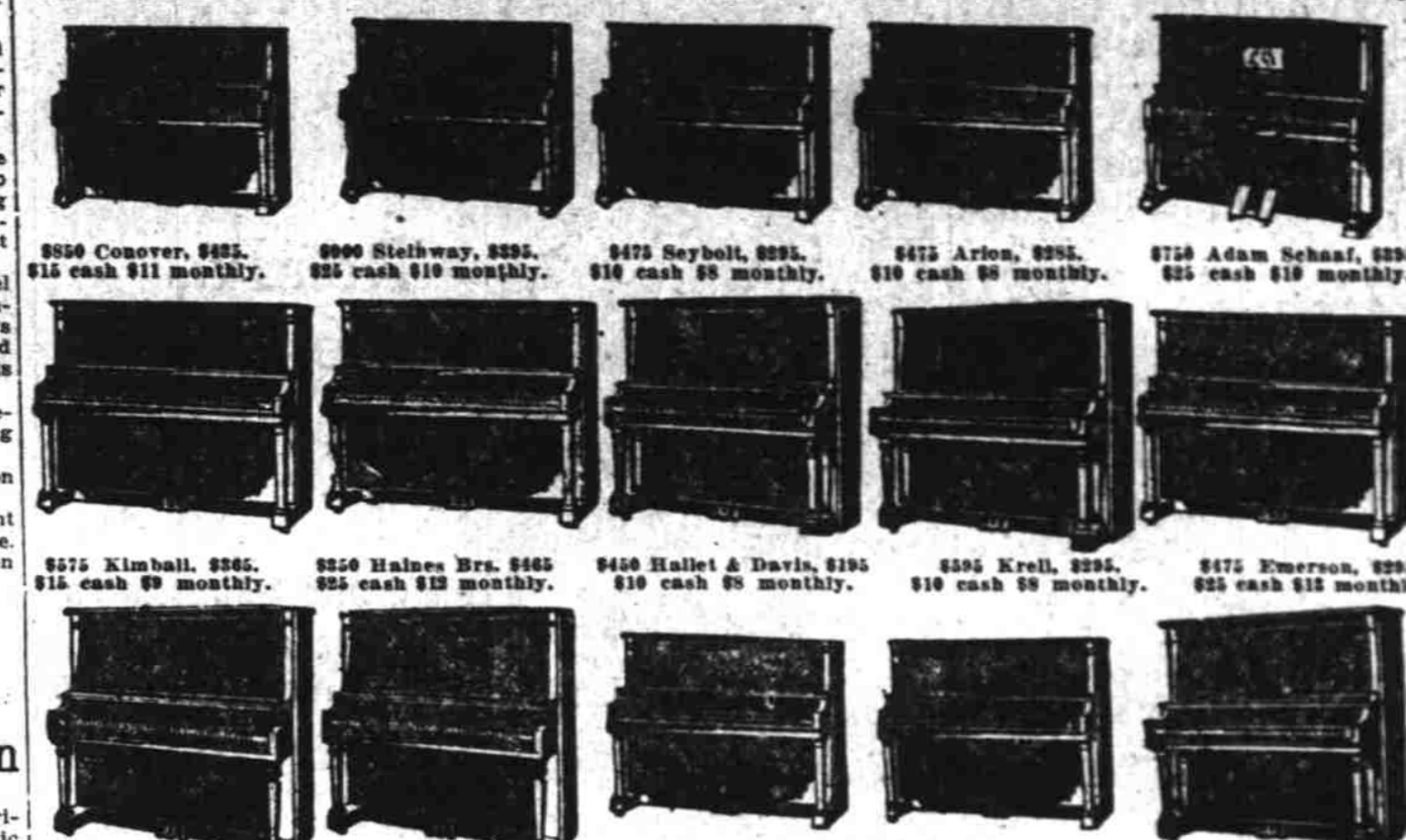
Wilson's message, in reply to a greeting from Coltra, which was addressed to "The man unto whom humanity is most indebted for a code of action which will ultimately lead to peace on earth and good will among nations," follows:

"Mrs. Wilson and I warmly appreciate the message you were kind enough to send, and I take the liberty of sending through you to the Democrats of Missouri my most cordial greetings and

my confident prediction of a triumphant success of the party in the new year and the years immediately to follow."

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Journal Thrift Campaign Wins Readers With Coupons Throng Bank

One of the most successful campaigns in the interests of thrift that The Journal has ever conducted closed yesterday when the thrift saving campaign of January came to an end.

Many readers took the opportunity offered by The Journal to open savings accounts at the Lumbermens Trust company, using the thrift savings coupons as half of the initial deposit of \$1. The percentage of people to open savings accounts from outside of the city of Portland was much greater this month than in December. Journal thrift coupons came from the remotest parts of the state. Many came from points in Washington.

Journal readers of all ages joined the big family of savers that this paper has started on the road to independence. Gray-headed men rubbed shoulders with newbies at the savings window at the bank. Mothers brought their babies and opened accounts for themselves as well as the children. "It was the biggest demonstration of thrift that I have seen for many a day," said Carl Detering, cashier of the Lumbermens Trust company bank, when speaking of the rush during the closing hours of the bank Saturday evening.

One 4-year-old youngster brought in a Journal thrift coupon and a whole quart jar full of pennies and opened an account. She is Annette C. Tillman, 2150 East Morrison street. She was afraid the jar might become broken, and now she is keeping her pennies in a

bright Nest Egg savings bank. She expects to have it full of pennies at least once each month.

LA CENTER OFFICIALS MEET
Ridgefield, Wash., Jan. 7.—Officials of La Center, seven miles northeast of here, who met for the first time in 1932 Tuesday night, are: S. Fanning, mayor; Fred L. Bacon, T. W. Finnegan, E. J. Hawkins, C. E. Rhodes and I. H. Shaner, councilmen; C. A. Burton, treasurer; Charles Knapp, marshal; H. E. Bassberg, police judge, and Thomas Headley Jr., town clerk.

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20c-25c D'ble Roll Choice of big range of designs and colorings, formerly selling up to 75c to close at 20c and 25c bolt.	Ceilings 30c vals. at 20c Dbl. Roll 40c vals. at 25c Dbl. Roll 50c vals. at 35c Dbl. Roll 75c vals. at 55c Dbl. Roll \$1 vals. at 75c Dbl. Roll	30-Inch Tapestry Wonderful assortment, including new shipment of Spring patterns, at 1/2 to 1/3 regular price. \$1.25 Wide Papers 65c \$1.50 Wide Papers 75c \$1.75 Wide Papers 85c \$2.00 Wide Papers \$1.25
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