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Election Simplified When Alexander and Russell Decide to Withdraw

WRIGHTMAN GETS POST
Several Thousand Persons See Races at Fair Grounds in Afternoon

Dr. J. H. Rosenberg, of Prineville, was elected president of the State Elks' association in the closing session of the convention yesterday. Other officers elected were: George T. Collins, Medford, first vice president; Tom Harvey, Marshfield, second vice president; Frank T. Wrightman, Salem, third vice president; Gordon Baker, McMinnville, secretary; C. Austin Hayden, Klamath Falls, treasurer.

Dr. E. B. Stewart of Roseburg; J. E. Turnbull of Eugene and Claude H.

Scranton of LaGrande, were elected trustees.

Gearhardt Is Rival
Dr. Rosenberg was elected over Judge E. G. Gearhardt, of Astoria, whose name had not been mentioned as a candidate until it was presented to the convention yesterday morning by Charles W. Robinson of Astoria. Monroe Goldstein of Portland seconded his nomination.

When the balloting began, however, Judge Gearhardt received only 16 votes and the election of Dr. Rosenberg was made unanimous. The new president delivered a speech which was hailed with enthusiasm. The campaign was simplified when Raphael Alexander, of Pendleton, and Tom Russell of Eugene, prospective candidates, who requested the men who were to place their names before the convention not to do so.

Leader is Veteran
Francis V. Galloway, of The Dalles, nominated Dr. Rosenberg and Frank J. Loneragan, who was to have nominated Russell, seconded the nomination.

Dr. Rosenberg is a member of the Bend lodge of Elks, although his home is in Prineville. He is an old Multnomah club halfback and runner. During the war he saw service as a captain.

Of the new officers Tom Harvey, second vice president, and C. Austin Hayden, treasurer, were re-elected. Gordon Baker won a fight for the secretaryship over James D. Olson, of Portland, present secretary.

Judge Gearhardt was hailed by his supporters as the only judge who has ever fined George F. Vanderveer, chief counsel for the I. W. W. in the northwest.

Pendleton Makes Bid
A complimentary vote for Pendleton as the 1922 meeting place of the convention was cast, and immediately afterward the Astoria delegation announced that its city wanted the convention in 1923.

Senator George E. Chamberlain and Congressman C. N. McArthur spoke.

Dance Closes Festivities
About 3000 persons attended a program of races at the state fair grounds yesterday afternoon, and some of them added to the enjoyment of the occasion by lunching picnic style at the grounds.

The state convention was scheduled to have its finish at 12 o'clock last night. Only the dance at the armory occupied attention until that time. The streets were quiet most of the night, speaking comparatively and there was only a small amount of street dancing.

ARMY BILL IN
EFFECT JULY 1

America's Military Establishment Practically Revolutionized

WASHINGTON, July 24.—America's military establishment is being practically revolutionized under the terms of the new army reorganization bill which became effective on July 1. Army officers say the work will not be completed for some time because of the broad scope of the measure passed at the last session of congress to place the land forces on a permanent peace basis.

While the regular army will contain only 295,000 officers and men scattered over the country and the insular possessions, it will be so arranged in conjunction with the national guard and the reserve that rapid expansion of the nation's fighting forces in time of emergency will be possible.

The national guard will have about 440,000 officers and men, but the strength of the reserve has not yet been worked out and will depend largely on the enlistment of eligibles. The regular army reserve, as it formerly existed, composed of former enlisted men furloughed to the reserve to complete their enlistment period, ceased to exist as such on July 1. In its place there is established the enlisted reserve corps and the officers' reserve corps. The members of the former, except veterans of the world war, are required to enlist for three years. Veterans of the world war may enlist for only one year.

The officers reserve corps is composed of officers who held temporary or reserve commissions during the war emergency and graduates of the student officers training school.

To accomplish the reorganization of the national guard and the initial organization of the reserve, the army bill provides for a general committee to be composed of regular army general staff officers and an equal number of reserve or national guard officers. In addition, 52 other committees, representing each state and territory will arrange the national guard organization in each state and territory. Some of these committees have not been appointed by the governors and consequently this work has not yet been put under way.

While no full plan of organization has been made public, a tentative plan to be placed before the committees would divide the country into nine districts with an army corps in each. This corps would consist of one regular, one guard and two reserve divisions, so organized that in an emergency the two reserve divisions, which theoretically would be the only ones much below war strength, could be filled up with selective service men. A full quota of officers drawn from the officers' reserve corps would be available for these divisions at all times.

The new regular army strength provides for approximately 17,000 commissioned officers. To provide this number about 7000 reserve and temporary officers have been kept on duty and it is the plan to reach the full officer strength by commissioning about 7000 such officers and enlisted men in the permanent army. Officers and men to be so commissioned will be selected by a board known as the Pershing board, and headed by General Pershing, including six other officers.

The bill broadens the scope of the reserve officers training corps at the various educational institutions

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