

OREGON GUARD CHANGES MADE

Colonel White Receives Organization Order From War Department

SALEM HAS NEW LETTER

Famous Old Company M Hereafter Will be Designated Company F

Adjutant General George A. White yesterday received orders from the war department for a complete reorganization of the Oregon national guard. The reorganization will meet the new war department tables of organization based on experience of American units in the world war.

Under this arrangement there will be in every infantry battalion one machine gun company and three rifle companies. The arrangement heretofore has been four rifle companies in each infantry battalion.

Changes ordered in the reorganization of the Fifth Oregon infantry the following changes are made:

Company D of Medford, and F of Portland, are transferred to be

separate companies; company L at Medford becomes separate company A; old company M at Salem becomes company F. Fifth infantry and the letter M goes to Corvallis.

This is necessary because the war department makes all letters M, H and D machine gun companies. The only alternative would be to break the Salem company up into a machine gun outfit.

Company D, Medford's old letter, goes to the new machine gun company at Roseburg, which now becomes a part of the fifth infantry. Company H, of Portland, becomes the regimental howitzer company, a new type of unit, and the letter H goes to the old regimental machine gun company at Portland. The regimental supply company, a new type of unit and into which the regimental band at Portland is transferred.

Get Headquarters Eugene, Woodburn and Portland get battalion headquarters, with two officers and 41 men in each unit. Changes in artillery units are minor and effect only the number of specialists and non-commissioned officers in each grade. The change is effective April 1, by which time the reorganization must be completed.

\$25,000,000 is Due New York Central

WASHINGTON, March 26.—The interstate commerce commission today certified to the secretary of the treasury that \$25,000,000 was due the New York Central railroad as partial payment of the government guaranty for the six months period after the release of the roads from federal control.

U. S. C. MAN SETS RECORD

Paddock, Crack Sprinter, Makes 220-Yard Run in 20 4-5 Seconds

CALIFORNIA WINS MEET

Slight Breeze During Contest May Cause Results to Be Contested

BERKELEY, Cal., March 26.—Better time than the world record of 21 1-5 seconds in the 220-yard run was made by Charles W. Paddock, University of South California's crack sprinter, running against the University of California here today. The five judges credited him with the time of 20 4-5 seconds, three watches having caught him at that mark while two others shaded toward 20 3-5.

Paddock who won the 100-meter run at the Olympic games last year, held the 1920 Amateur Athletic union championship in the 220-yard event for 1920, having won the title at the Harvard stadium July 17, 1920 in 21 2-5.

In addition to bettering the world 220-yard mark, Paddock today also tied the world record of 9 3-5 seconds in the 100-yard run. Although the southern champion was in excellent form, California won, 105 points to 26.

Because there was a slight breeze blowing during the meet, track officials doubted if Paddock's record would be allowed by the amateur athletic union. Every effort will be made, however, to have it allowed. Starters said they held the 220-yard run until there was a lull in the wind and the judges said they believed Paddock was not helped by the wind.

LUNATICS MAY HOLD REINS OF GOVERNMENT

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looked. It is a well established fact that a large majority of our larger families occur among those that are sub-normal, and the surveys show that in most families of six children or more one or both of the parents can be classed as feeble minded. And it is these children that are filling our penal and eleemosynary institutions.

"The families of our higher grade of people are becoming smaller and smaller and it is only a question of a very few years until our government will be in the hands of those unfit to administer it."

Unborn Have Rights. "The aim of senate bill No. 174 is to limit the families of those unfit to meet the complex

conditions of our civilization in a way that would work the least hardship on them to enjoy all the privileges and pleasures of life, while preventing them from bringing into the world children that would only be a burden and expense to the country.

"Every child is entitled to be well born and have an equal chance and opportunity to make the best of life. It should be better to generate instead of 'more children' the aim we should seek."

"Dr. Kellogg of the Battle Creek, Mich., sanitarium, said in an address at San Francisco in 1915:

Lunatic Rule Feared. "We are actually building up an aristocracy of lunatics, idiots, paupers and criminals. These unfit persons have reached the proportions of a vast multitude—100,000 lunatics; 80,000 criminals; 100,000 paupers; 90,000 idiots; 90,000 epileptics, and we are supporting these defectives in idleness like real aristocrats at an expense of \$100,000,000 a year. This mighty host of moral and mental cripples is increasing, due to unrestricted marriages and other rapid rate than the sounder parts of the population, so that they are bound, in time, to constitute the majority unless some check is put upon the increase."

Lieutenant Coney is Well Known in Oregon

Lieutenant W. D. Coney, army aviator, who was perhaps fatally injured in a fall near Crowville, La., Friday, while on a proposed transcontinental flight from Jacksonville, Fla., to San Diego, Cal., was well known in Oregon.

Coney was a member of the forest air patrol working out of Medford last season. He narrowly escaped death in an accident when Barbour aviation field at Medford was dedicated last September.

In making a parachute drop for the entertainment of the spectators he fell about half way to the ground before his parachute opened.

North Howell Girls Lead All Oregon Cooking Clubs

Out of 125 Girls' Cooking clubs in the schools throughout the state, the North Howell club heads the list in being first to complete the year's work, and does so 100 per cent strong.

Friday of last week, the girls of the club completed their work by giving an exhibition of their cooking and serving refreshments to a large company gathered at the school.

The exhibit and the program rendered brought many expressions of appreciation.

Garageman Wakes up Locked in Box Car

LEHI, Utah, March 26.—William H. Cutler, owner of a garage here, woke up at Grand Junction, Colo., yesterday locked in a box car. Cutler disappeared Wednesday after he is known to have made several collections.

Mrs. Cutler received a letter from her husband today dated Grand Junction. He said he could not account for his trip. All that he knew was that when he woke up he found himself locked in the car, his money gone and that his head hurt him. A brother left here tonight to bring him home.

TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY

FOR RENT—FURNISHED HOUSE, keeping apartment. Two rooms and a pantry. Light, water and bath. 555 Marion. Phone 1524.

WANTED—ON GOOD 102 ACRE WELL improved ranch, a \$7,000 loan at 7 percent, from 1919 to 1920. Seeley, 241 State. Phone 970.

GOAT SHEARER WANTED—LARGE flock. Phone 1141J.

WHOLE MILK AND PRODUCE WANTED

Marion Creamery & Produce Co. Salem, Oregon Phone 2488

SALEM MARKETS

BUYING PRICE	
Eggs and Poultry	
Eggs, 16-18c.	
Hens, heavy, 28c.	
Hens, medium, 25c.	
Hens, light, 20c.	
Old roosters, 8-10c.	
Stags, 15-18c.	
Pork, Mutton and Beef	
Top hogs, \$12.00.	
Lamb, 3c to 5c.	
Milk Lamb, 9c.	
Live veal, 12c.	
Pork, 14 1/2c.	
Beef steers, 7 1/2c.	
Cows, 5c to 6c.	
Bulls, 4c to 5c.	
Top veal, 10c.	
Hay	
Clover hay, \$17 to \$20.	
Oat and Vetch hay, \$20 to \$22.	
Chest hay, \$20 to \$21.	
Wheat, \$1.20 to \$1.35.	
Oats, 45c.	
Mill Feeds, Wholesale	
Mill run, \$37 ton.	
Wholesale to Dealers	
Creamery Butter, 47-48c.	
Butterfat, 42c.	
Fruit	
Oranges, \$3.50 to \$5.50.	
Bananas, 11 1/2c.	
Lemons, \$3.50 to \$4.50.	
Grape fruit, Cal. \$4; Ariz. \$6.50.	
Florida \$8.50.	
Vegetables	
California cabbage, 3 1/2c.	
Oregon cabbage, 2 1/2c.	
Onions, Oregon, \$1.25.	
Onions, California, \$1.75.	
Turkeys, \$2.	
Carrots, \$1.25 sack.	
Green peppers, 20c.	
Cauliflowers, \$1.50 dozen.	
Lettuce, \$1.25 dozen.	
Potatoes, \$1 cut.	
Sweet potatoes, \$3.75 bushel.	
Radishes, 4c doz. bunches.	
Comb honey, case, \$8.25.	
Celery, \$1.25 dozen bunches.	
Asparagus, 20c.	
Rhubarb, 12c.	
Parsley, 50c dozen bunches.	
Beans, 7c doz. bunches.	
Tomatoes \$6 crate.	
Honey, extracted, 20c lb.	
Creamery butter, 51-52c.	
Eggs, 20c to 25c.	
Flour, hard, \$2.65 to \$2.95.	
Flour, valley, \$2.10 to \$2.25.	
Sugar, \$8.95 to \$9.25.	

FRUIT MEN IN UNITED MOVE

Preliminary Plans to Advance Canning Industry Are Formulated

CORPORATION IN SIGHT

W. S. Walton of Salem is Among Leaders Participating in Meetings

PORTLAND, March 26.—Oregon capitalists, land owners, berry growers and cannery operators are co-operating with representatives of similar lines in Washington in preliminary plans to advance the canning industry of the two states.

While no definite action has been taken, two sessions have been held within the last 10 days and those close to the conferees predict out of these meetings will grow a corporation financed and managed to meet the growth of the small fruit industry of the two states and to handle the production of the Pacific northwest to the greatest advantage.

Prominent Men Unite. Co-operating in the movement are the following prominent men of Oregon:

Vice presidents C. F. Adams and C. C. Colt, of the First National bank of Portland; J. C. Almsworth, president of the Portland States National bank of Portland; S. L. Eddy, vice president of the Ladd & Tilton bank of Portland; F. P. Kendall, northwestern manager of the American Can company; Frank E. Spencer of Allen & Lewis, Portland; Turman Butler, of the Butler Banking company of Hood River; Alfred C. Schmidt, president of the First National bank of Albany, and W. S. Walton, cashier of Ladd & Bush bank, Salem.

The Washington men in the meeting are: Henry Rhodes, W. R. Rust, Chester Thorne, G. H. Raleigh, H. V. Alward, all of Tacoma; W. H. Paulhamus of Puyallup; H. C. Henry, J. W. Spangler, P. B. Truax, Reginald H. Parsons, W. L. Rhodes, H. F. Osterlander and Gordon C. Corbaley, all of Seattle.

Information Gathered. Committees of these men are now gathering further information for use at future conferences for an agreement upon which the centralization of the fruit and canning interests of Oregon and Washington may be accomplished.

These conferences are the outcome of it is understood, of investigations made by Will L. Finck of New York, who has been in the northwest since the beginning of the year surveying and analyzing the conditions in the two states as related to the fruit growing, canning and marketing conditions.

Methods Lag Behind. Members of the conferences have taken the position that the business of preserving and marketing the fruit of the western valleys

of the two states has not kept pace with the growth of the fruit growing industry, and that one of the biggest opportunities in some such move as is now under consideration for the consolidation of those interests in the two states on a plane rivaling the California Packing corporation.

The rapid growth of the canning industry of the two states which eight years ago used only 3,000,000 fruit cans and last year required 50,000,000 cans, is pointed out by members of these conferences as an important reason for early work on such an organization as is proposed.

MANY KILLED IN TORNADO FURY

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day rain, swept west and northwest of here between 6:30 and 7 p. m. today killing Dave Anderson, his son and another person at Reading, eight miles northwest of the Rock Island road, and practically leveling Rushmore, Minn., eight miles west on the Omaha road, according to meagre details received here. All wires are down.

SIOUX FALLS, S. D., March 26.—Three persons are reported to have been killed in a tornado which struck Rushmore, Minn., west of here, according to reports received here late tonight. Doctors and nurses are asked for.

Following a call for immediate aid, a special train with five doctors and two nurses aboard left here shortly after 10 o'clock tonight for Rushmore, Minn., scene of a tornado, which according to reports, caused considerable damage there.

STASTINGS, Neb., March 26.—A wind storm that is reported to have reached the severity of a tornado struck a short distance southeast of the village of Hansen this afternoon. A number of barns and other outbuildings were blown from their foundations. There were no reports of loss of life or serious injuries.

ST. PAUL, Minn., March 26.—Blizzards and heavy wind and rain storms, accompanied by thunder and lightning with dropping temperatures late today and tonight gave the middle north-west a variety of weather for Easter Sunday.

In South Dakota and North Dakota and western Minnesota blizzards were reported. Grand Forks, N. D., was in the grip of a blizzard which began at noon. A 30-mile wind prevailed and the temperature dropped from 30 to 14 this afternoon.

Orionville, Minn., tonight reported the worst blizzard of the year.

The eastern section of the state was visited by a down pour of rain, some hail and lightning and thunder.

FONDA, Ia., March 26.—Six persons were injured and considerable property damage done here by a tornado which swept over Pocahontas county at 8 o'clock tonight. All buildings of the county fairgrounds with the exception of the grandstand were destroyed.

DR. SIMONS RECOVERING

BERNE, Switzerland, March 26.—Dr. Walter Simons, German foreign minister, who is suffering from an attack of grippe, arrived here today on the way to Lugano for ten days rest.

UNITARIANS MAY HAVE MINISTER

National Organization Hopes To Put Salem Church on Solid Footing

Dr. Earl M. Wilbur, president of the Unitarian Divinity school at Berkeley, Cal., and Rev. Frank F. Eddy of Eugene were in town yesterday in the interest of the Unitarian church here. The church has had no settled minister and has held no services for the past three years, but Dr. Wilbur brought the announcement that the national organization of the denomination is now prepared to place the local church on a sound and permanent footing and again settle a regular minister.

Dr. Wilbur will preach this morning and future plans for developing the church will be outlined and discussed afterward.

Next Sunday services will be conducted by Carl Witherill of Boston, of the Unitarian Laymen's league, and it is expected that thereafter Mr. Eddy will hold regular afternoon services until a settled minister is secured.

DATE IS FIXED FOR CONTESTS

Schools of County Compete in Track Events and Baseball May 7

The Marion County Athletic committee held a meeting yesterday afternoon and adopted a schedule for the track and baseball tournament to be held in Salem on Willamette university field, Saturday, May 7.

The track events to be run are 50-yard dash; 100-yard dash; 220-yard dash; 440-yard dash; 880-yard dash; mile run; relay one-half mile, four men, each man to run 220 yards; shot, (12 pounds); discus; broad jump, running; pole vault, standing. According to the ruling each school may enter two men for any event. No event will be held unless there is competition. Track events will be governed by the A. A. A. rules and individual winners will be awarded suitable prizes.

A prize will be offered to the school winning the greatest number of points. The foregoing schedule is to hold for both the high school and the grades. Grade students may play on high school teams, but no one who has been graduated from the eighth grade may represent the grades.

Baseball rules to govern are as follows: The county will be divided into a northern and southern section. Games played outside of your own section do not count on eliminations.

The champion high school and the champion grade school of each section will compete for

county honors on the day of the local meet.

All elimination games must be played before the final meet.

No student who has been graduated from the eighth grade can play on a grade school team.

Grade students may play on a high school team.

One school having an enrollment of 25 pupils or less may combine with another school of like qualifications in forming a baseball team.

Each team entered in the contest must play every other team enlisted from his section or be eliminated.

It is necessary that all teachers who wish to enter contestants in any event to confer with L. O. Hepp of Woodburn. Those wishing to enter the baseball league must register with Mr. Hepp before April 2, in order that a schedule can be arranged. There will be no entrance fee charged.

Members of the athletic committee are L. O. Hepp, W. H. Baillie, John E. Coleman and Robert T. Kusey.

RELIEF IS NOT YET IN SIGHT

Oregon and California Product Fails to Sell When Offered at Auction

With the prune market in New York completely demoralized and in worse condition than at any time since 1909, R. C. Paulus, sales manager of the Oregon Growers' Co-operative association, can see no immediate prospect of a change for the good, due to the lack of control, caused by insufficient co-operation among producers.

According to the New York Journal of Commerce, the leading authority in the east on fruit, buyers are not interested in prunes. At an auction sale about one week ago held in New York City, 600 boxes of Oregon prunes were offered. These were of the 40-50 size and out of the 600 boxes offered, only 25 boxes of samples were sold, and these were knocked down at 9 1-8 cents a pound.

Out of 400 boxes of Silver prunes offered at auction, only 25 boxes were sold with 7 1-3 cents a pound as the high bid.

Although it was advertised that 2450 boxes of Oregon and California prunes were to be auctioned off, the attendance of buyers was small, and California prunes fared no better than the Oregon.

According to the New York Journal of Commerce, 600 boxes of California prunes were offered. The auctioneer tried to get a bid as a starter at 6 1-2 cents a pound but the best offer at first was only 4 1-2 cents a pound and this was finally raised to 4 7-8 cents and only 25 boxes sold.

From these prices must be deducted about 4 1-2 cents a pound to cover freight, insurance, selling costs, packing and cash discounts.

Harding Will Attend Calvary Baptist Church

WASHINGTON, March 26.—President and Mrs. Harding will attend Easter services tomorrow at the Calvary Baptist church.

Grocery News

We told you in yesterday's paper that we expected to sell over a half-million dollar's worth of groceries in 1921.

Here are some of the reasons why we believe we will:

First---

In 1919 we sold over.....\$285,000.00
In 1920 we sold over..... 350,000.00

Second---

For 1921 our buying power is greater than in 1920, enabling us to sell the very highest class of groceries for less than we could in 1919 or 1920. Watch our ads for prices.

Third---

We specialize in groceries, give all our time to the one line, always in a position to buy in quantities to save money for those we serve.

Fourth---

We have added one more store, located at Woodburn, where the same prices will prevail as at Salem and Albany.

Fifth---

We sell the very best goods that the market affords, and are factory distributors for many items such as VIM flour, M. J. B. and American Club Coffee, Royal White and White Wonder soaps. Many other items we buy in carloads. We have a car of Crisco, to arrive here about April 10.

Watch our ads for Prices

BUSICK'S

TODAY CONTINUOUSLY
2-4-5-6-7-30 and 9:15 p. m.

TOMORROW—TUESDAY—WEDNESDAY
2-7 and 9 P. M.

Adults 35c. Children 20c. Afternoon or Evening

CECIL B. DE MILLE'S

"Forbidden Fruit"

With
Kathlyn Williams, Theodore Roberts, Agnes Ayres, Forrest Stanley, Clarence Burton, Theodore Kosloff

TO those aspects of modern life of which he is admittedly the greatest master, Cecil B. DeMille has again turned for material, and the result is a drama of love and marriage that excels, in strength of story, in acting, in wealth of production, and in living, breathing humanness, both "Male and Female" and "Why Change Your Wife?"

"KAZAN"

Wurlitzer
Concert
Thursday
Our Music Makes
Good Pictures
Better

NEXT SUNDAY