

ARMY RECRUITING CAMPAIGN OPENS IN MEDFORD AREA

Local Recruiter Has Openings in Many Branches of Service in Regular Army

First effect of the country's new defense program was felt here today when announcement was received that the ranks of the regular army had been thrown wide open for enlistment of eligible young men. The announcement of the war department's order came from Lieut.-Col. H. D. Bagnall at Portland office in charge of the Portland recruiting district. Up to now, enlistments had been restricted. The new order calls on the Portland recruiting district to enlist 267 men by July 1 for station at almost every army post and camp in the west. Colonel Bagnall's mailed statement said:

Desirable Billets
Staff Sgt. Willis S. Estep, in charge of the recruiting sub-station in Medford city hall, said he had received orders to start immediate recruiting against the district requisition. He stated he now had original openings for the field artillery, medical department, signal corps, ordnance department, engineers, finance department and quartermaster corps. He emphasized that his quota included many openings for recruits that heretofore had been reserved for experienced soldiers who obtained them by transfer. Sgt. Estep said he had received no indication that qualifications for the regular army would be lowered. Single citizens, between 18 and 35, physically fit, of good character and

Meteorological Report

Medford and vicinity: Fair tonight and Friday, little change in temperature. Oregon: Generally fair tonight and Friday with occasional fog on coast; little change in temperature; gentle northerly wind off coast.

Local Data
Temperature 24 years ago today: highest 69, lowest 45.
Total monthly precipitation, 49 inches; deficiency for the month, 39 inches.
Total precipitation since September 1, 1939, 22.25 inches; excess for the season, 8.20 inches.
Relative humidity at 5 p. m. yesterday 24 percent; 4 a. m. today 62 percent.
Tomorrow: sunrise 4:42 a. m., sunset 7:33 p. m.

Observations Taken at 4:30 a. m., 129 Meridian Time.

CITY	Temp.	Wind	Clouds	Weather
Boston	86	42	00	Clear
Chicago	58	47	30	Rain
Denver	67	50	00	P. Cloudy
Detroit	60	42	00	P. Cloudy
Eureka	58	52	00	Cloudy
Evansville	63	46	00	P. Cloudy
Los Angeles	74	55	00	Cloudy
Madison	61	57	00	Clear
Medford	69	56	32	Cloudy
Memphis	64	48	00	Clear
Phoenix	88	62	00	T. P. Cloudy
Portland	65	52	00	P. Cloudy
Reno	89	47	00	Clear
Roseburg	87	54	00	Clear
Salt Lake	80	45	00	Clear
San Francisco	67	46	00	Cloudy
Seattle	79	52	00	Clear
Spokane	68	51	00	Clear
Wash., D. C.	80	66	00	Cloudy
Wenatchee	88	60	00	Clear

with no dependants will be accepted, he explained. All applicants must have a high school diploma or pass the prescribed army intelligence test.

Opportunity Offered
"The regular army today is the largest peace-time force the United States has ever had and the opportunities for soldiers to advance themselves and attend army schools has never before been so good," Sgt. Estep said.

As soon as funds become available for the re-opening of the Klamath Falls sub-station as a full-time station, Sgt. Estep said he would discontinue his weekly trips to Klamath Falls and spend all his working time in Medford. This change will probably be made before July 1, he added.

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LEGION URGED TO COUNSEL CALM IN ATTITUDE ON WAR

District Commander Allen Tells Post Meeting Clear Thinking, Arming Is Need

The United States is facing a world crisis of changed ideals and has been impregnated by subversive forces, Niel R. Allen, Grants Pass attorney and commander of the Oregon state department of the American Legion, told the annual "Past Commanders' meeting of Medford post in the armory last night. Mr. Allen called for a patriotic effort in regeneration. The state commander saw no justification for the entry of this country into the European war short of self-preservation. Nevertheless he expressed the personal belief the United States would go into the war if a knock-out blow by the Germans seemed imminent.

"Mass psychology of the American people will demand it," Allen asserted.

Calm Is Urged
The American Legion, with a million members who know from actual experience what a world war is, should at this time of hysteria, counsel calmness and clear thinking as the most valuable aid to the government, Allen declared. Loose talk, he said, should be curbed.

Meantime this country should prepare to defend herself, for while Americans are against war, they want freedom and democratic government more than peace, Allen said. He pointed out the American Legion has always stood for adequate preparedness and for 20 years has been fighting for universal conscription in case of war, the kind of policy England has now adopted. Under the Legion's plan, he emphasized, capital and industry as well as men would be conscripted and there would be no financial profit for anyone.

Post Complimented
Allen complimented the Medford post on its patriotic activities, especially its youth program.

"The thought of the old world is being dictated; our way, the American way of freedom, must be stressed in the right training for our young," the state commander stated. "The American Legion youth program is therefore of the utmost importance."

Gilbert Stuart, World War veteran and president and secretary pro tem of the 130,000-000 Citizens club unit No. 1, introduced a plan for the American Legion to act as a defense organization against fifth column activities, to guard key po-

British Women Yell For Death Of Nazi Pilots

London, May 23.—(AP)—A crowd of angry British women screamed "kill the murdering swine" as 22 captured German fliers were landed in England today from two Belgian ships.

Military police held the women back. The prisoners captured 20 miles from Dieppe, France, were led off to internment camps.

A Briton, who traveled in the same ship, said Dieppe had been heavily bombed, and that hospital ships and other vessels in port were unable to leave because of mines laid outside.

NO MORE BEDS AT PARK UNTIL INN OPEN FOR SEASON

The overnight accommodations which have been available in the winter months at headquarters in Crater Lake national park will not be available during the remainder of the spring season, it was announced today by Superintendent E. P. Leavitt's office. The quarters are now to be used by employees engaged in opening park facilities for the summer season.

Meals and emergency auto supplies will remain available at park headquarters until June 8 when the Crater Lake National Park company will open its park facilities.

Lake weather conditions the past week have been favorable for rapid melting of snow, Mr. Leavitt said. Depth at headquarters building today was four feet, the snow being deeper at higher elevations in the rim area.

The north and east entrance roads, including the drive around the lake rim, will be open for travel the latter part of June or first of July, Mr. Leavitt said.

Births

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Norman Rosenberger of 111 North Central avenue at 12:35 this morning, May 23, a girl weighing six pounds, eleven ounces.

New Black Eye Story
Norman, Okla., May 23.—(AP)—Coach Tom Stidham of the University of Oklahoma has a black eye. His story: He was struck by a huge hail stone while playing golf.

Use Mail Tribune want ads.

WILLIAM CHEADLE, VETERAN OF WAR, PASSES, AGED 51

Joint Graduation of County 8th Graders at Ashland Friday

William Cheadle, 51, passed away at the Veterans Hospital in Medford at 2:30 p. m. Wednesday, after five weeks illness. He had been in the hospital for the past two weeks.

Mr. Cheadle was born in Centralia, Wash., Dec. 9, 1888, and had lived in Medford for the past 23 years. He was well known here, and a member of the Eagles, and the Disabled Veterans of the World War. He served eighteen months with the United States army in France, was wounded in action and was in two engagements with the A. E. F. from Dec. 12, 1917 until March 24, 1919. The battles were at Soissons on July 18, 1918 and St. Mihiel on Sept. 12, 1918. He received the Purple Heart, also the Silver Star emblems, for

REBECCA ANN SMITH DIES, JACKSONVILLE

Mrs. Rebecca Ann Smith passed away in Jacksonville Wednesday afternoon at the age of 83. The funeral notice will be published later by the Conger Funeral Parlor.

Buckled and torn steel from the Exeter, British warship in the River Plate battle, was the first relic of World War II to be interred in London's imperial war museum.

Shelter belts, totaling about 2,500 miles in length, now exist on approximately 4,000 Kansas farms.

FARMERS WARNED OF WAR EFFECTS

Rebecca Ann Smith Dies, Jacksonville

Salem, May 23.—(AP)—State Director of Agriculture J. D. Mickle warned today that farmers will suffer from the effects of the European war.

Asserting "the war has spread its bad effects upon American farmers to a serious degree," Mickle said:

"We find our fruits, vegetables, canned goods, grain and many other products shut out

JOINT GRADUATION OF COUNTY 8TH GRADERS AT ASHLAND FRIDAY

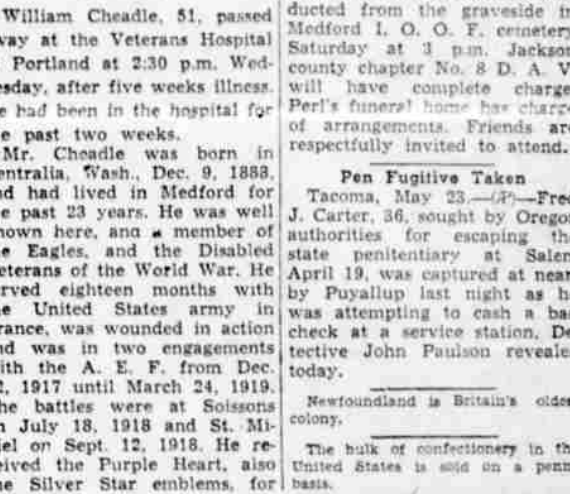
The nineteenth annual graduation exercises for eighth graders of Jackson county will be held Friday at 10 a. m. in the junior high school gymnasium at Ashland. About 300 will receive diplomas.

Dr. O. R. Chambers, Oregon State college psychologist, will deliver the address. Diplomas will be presented by County Superintendent C. R. Bowman.

Music will be under direction of Harry L. Meyers, the orchestra includes grade and high school pupils from Talent, Central Point and Phoenix schools. A mixed chorus will be present from Phoenix high school.

The balcony and some sections of the main floor, not needed to seat the eighth grade classes, will be available for parents and friends wishing to attend.

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