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REGISTRATION GROWS IN MARION COUNTY

Nearly Seventeen Thousand Are Entitled to Vote In Coming Primaries

According to the complete registration of Marion county, records of which were received today at the office of U. G. Boyer, county clerk, at the coming primary election May 17, voters to the number of 16,741 are entitled to cast a ballot for county and state officials. For the special election called June 4, 1917, the total registration was 16,002.

For the entire county 7011 republican men have registered and 4751 republican women. Compared to the June 4, 1917, registration, this shows a gain of 278 men and 251 women.

Democrats who have registered in the county number 2133 men and 1520 women. Compared to the registration of about a year ago, this is an increase of 49 men and of 70 women.

The progressive party isn't doing a very extensive business just at present in Marion county, for the county and state election, 19 men and 16 women registered. This is rather a falling off compared to one year ago as for the June 4, 1917, election 22 men and 16 women registered as progressive. The women progressives stood pat.

Although the prohibition question is pretty thoroughly settled in the state, there are several who still cling to the old ship. This year 196 men and 350 women registered as belonging to the prohibition party. Last spring 197 men claimed to belong to the prohibition party and 358 women. During the year, the men lost one and the women gained two for the party.

Women are not so strong as socialists, as 213 men registered with this party and only 85 women. This means that two men have been converted to socialism during the year while four women have left the party since last June.

There are a few men and women in the county who haven't the nerve to line up with any party and in their registration refuse to give their party affiliations. In the county are 250 such men and 185 women. One year ago the number was 263 men and 178 women. The figures show that just seven men and seven women who registered with a party one year ago do not know where they stand this year and refused to register any party affiliations.

DR DONEY WRITES OF FRENCH SOLDIERS

Works Hard All Day But Enjoys Himself at Y. M. C. A. at Night

Dr. Carl Gregg Doney, president of Willamette university, who is in France in the employ of the international Y. M. C. A. for special war work, seems to have fallen in love with the French soldier known as "pollux." He tells of his experiences with the French army in the following letter to Dean Alden, received yesterday.

Dr. Doney was granted a leave of absence for six months for this war work at a meeting of the trustees of Willamette university held last January in Portland.

The letter received by Dean Alden is as follows:

Dear Dr. Alden: Letters have just come telling of the fine service rendered by Dr. Martin. I am profoundly glad and do trust that the influence of the meetings will result in many consecrated lives. All the world I have from the school is such as to give me much comfort and I thank you, the faculty and the students for their royal endeavors. When one is so far removed in point of time as well as distance, he becomes appreciative of what he has left. "Old Willamette" is to me "the apple of my eye" and certainly the best institution of learning between the poles.

Today I had dinner with a West Point major whose business takes him about France a great deal. When he learned that I was from Oregon he said something about our regiment. I asked him if he knew it and he replied, "Oh yes, rather famous over here for the quality and record of the men." I then told him that my college boys were in it and he agreed that a little right kind of heaven could leave a big lump. Of course I swelled up, then went to my room to look at the little Willamette banner which was given me. I showed that banner to one of our boys and he said, "well, well, well," and checked with emotion. It is a good banner; Joan of Arc had no better.

I am with the French army now and assigned to their Poyet work. I live in a deserted mansion, having the dining room for my quarters. The owners left hurriedly and their effects remain. Above my cot are the heads of a deer, a wild boar and a lynx. Eight fine hunting guns hang from the opposite wall and upon the beautiful buffet are some school books. The dust of more than three years has gathered upon the furniture, but it is a good place to stay and when I leave nothing will go with me which belongs to those unknown and departed friends. I am lured to sleep by the boom of distant guns, a sound rather terrifying at first; but when I learned that it did not hurt I made it serve as an evening lullaby.

In the headquarters town there is no woman, little child or old man. The Y. M. C. A. and the French Poyets are the only places where I can spend a son, and I do not want what they have to sell; it is a cheap plate to live. I mess with the French officers and pay three and a half francs a day for the food, which is all it is worth; but I am glad to get it. I have had no white bread, pie, cake, or milk and the Spa has always failed to deliver the ice cream. The coffee is sweetened with saccharine before being served and I have been forced to discover that the only way to take saccharine out of coffee is to make your own coffee, which I do every morning on a stove which is seven feet high. Luckily for me, the stove is a jointed affair which has a hot spot accessible to my mess pot. However, I have plenty to eat such as this is and it is good enough what there is of it.

I have fallen quite in love with my pollux for I am in charge of a Poyet which serves about eight hundred men. The only thing we eat here is hot tea and they drink quantities of it, though I am sure they would prefer the vim rouge. They are supplied with writing material, games, music and various entertainments without charge. The pollux is abundant in the labor of letter writing; from this Poyet alone we send out daily from fifteen hundred to two thousand of his epistles. He works hard and gets muddy, but at night he crowds the ball and enjoys himself. He simply goes like an innocent child; he laughs and sings and chuckles as into raptures over the phonograph and is a little put out when the noise of a distant gun throws in a discord. He is a fine fellow and we are good friends. But before you receive this, I shall be back with the Americans and I hope to be with our boys.

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Union Telegraphers Are Being Discharged

Seattle, Wash., May 2.—Suitcases filled with telegrams filed in Seattle and paid for by customers, are being taken to other cities and there sent over the wires after a delay of hours, union telegraphers declared today.

Workers are ready to make affidavit substantiating this charge, Vice President Charles F. Rice, of the local union, told the Central Labor Council last night.

"This is the situation despite the announcement by company officials that

they are able to handle the traffic as usual," he said. "We stand ready to return to our posts. We have not struck. We feel sure that the government will back us up in our effort to bargain collectively, which is the only point at issue."

"Unless the government becomes indifferent to our struggle, we will not strike. Otherwise we may have to exert our economic strength."

The Postal Telegraph company last night locked out all union employees on the night shift.

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Don't let your youth go! And above all, don't lose your youthful appearance through old fashioned prejudice. Women who a few years ago scorned the use of face powders or cosmetics, now depend on them to keep a youthful appearance. And this is equally true of the hair color restorer. Constantly, more and more women are using Q-ban Hair Color Restorer to keep their hair dark and glossy and free from gray.

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Dealers In Dried Fruits Cannot Contract Now

Portland, Or., May 3.—Under a new regulation just announced by Assistant Federal Food Administrator W. K. Newell, all dealers in dried fruits are prohibited from entering into any contract of sale or any commitment of new crop fruits until after June 1.

Dealers are also notified that they must not sell their products for more than a reasonable advance over the cost of same and that a full report of all sales made in calendar lots must be made to the dried fruit division of the U. S. food administration at Washington, D. C. Any dealer in dried fruits desiring details of the new regulations are referred by Mr. Newell to the county administrator for the county in which his business is being carried on.

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AMERICANS

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the war department everything it asks and it is probable the greatest appropriation measure in America's history will go before the house late next week.

Dismissing charges that the aircraft program had been an utter failure to date, Baker declared "there have been some mistakes and delays, but they are not nearly so bad as represented."

While Baker was before the house committee, Secretary Daniels discussed the \$1,300,000,000 naval appropriation bill with a sub-committee of the senate naval committee.

The committee plans also to give the war department unlimited authority in the raising of men. This will be written in the appropriation bill. While members of the committee believe the total number of men ordered into service will reach 4,000,000 before July 1, 1919, this number will be cut down several hundred thousand by losses because of America's growing importance as a fighter, so that the appropriation bill will be on the basis of about 3,500,000 men.

Senator Johnson's Former Private Secretary Killed

Fort Worth, Texas, May 2.—Lieutenant James Ed Ennis, New York and Cadet Paul Harriott, Oakland, Cal., were killed at Hicks field here today. Their machine fell when they were unable to right it after a nose dive.

San Francisco, May 2.—Paul Herriott was private secretary to United States Senator Hiram Johnson of California before he enlisted in the aviation section.

Under Johnson's administration as governor of California, Herriott was a member of the state board of control. He was a newspaperman and was widely known throughout the state.

Americans Are Cited For Heroic Conduct

Washington, May 2.—An American lieutenant and four ambulance drivers have been cited for distinguished service in the French general orders, the war department announced today. All are connected with the medical department.

First Lieutenant Otis P. Dobes was commended in the following mention: "Officer full of activity and energy. In the course of the affair February 23, gave continually to his men an example of duty and bravery in accompanying them to take (deleted) the most exposed post."

Dobes' home is not on record.

Among the ambulance drivers mentioned are:

John W. Wood, Conshohocken, Pa., who returned several days during a bomb bombardment.

Veterans of War In New York Parade

New York, May 2.—Five hundred Anzacs, veterans of numerous battles in the European war, marched up Broadway and straight into the hearts of thousands of New Yorkers here today.

Escorted by two battalions of the New York coast guard, the tall, broad-shouldered Antipodeans were taken to the city hall, where, in company with a contingent of France's Blue Devils, they were presented to Mayor Hylan. Then they went on up town, marching between crowds of cheering Americans. They are on their way back to France to help stop the Boche drive and stopped to help the loan drive.



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AMERICANS ARE FAT AND JOLLY

On active service with the American Expeditionary Force, American Y. M. C. A. is the letter head on which the Rev. James Elvin writes the following to William McElhenry, Sr. The letter is postmarked Paris, dated April 2:

"Well, here we are in the thick of things but there is a great calm in our hearts and we are sure we are going to win. The Germans have played their last card and their losses have been enormous. They seem to have men to burn. We are here until it is finished and finished right."

"I am enjoying the work immensely. There is something new coming to pass every day. I have seen often many of the Salem boys. If their mothers could see how fat and jolly they are and how much they are enjoying their military life, they would quit worrying over them. We are well taken care of over here. We had apple pie tonight as good as ever served in Salem."

"I am having a great time. The French are a wonderful people and never more so in their time of sorrow. No American except those over here can realize what the people have suffered and yet they smile patiently through it all and carry on. The bravery of these French and English sol-

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