

VOCATIONAL GUIDANCE FOR THE 145TH

The Utah Agricultural College announces that Friday evening, January 17, is to be devoted to vocational guidance for the members of the 145th. The college, cooperating with the United States Bureau of Labor, and with the State Council of Defense is making a tremendous effort to help these boys who expect to enter into some occupation after demobilization. The Logan Commercial club is back of the movement heart and soul.

All soldiers of the 145th who are interested in Agriculture or other vocational work are to be given short courses while at Logan. The end aimed at is not a few cut and dried doctrines nor a whole bale of mere facts. The aim is to reach basic problems, and the idea is unique in that the work is to be handled in a new and interesting manner.

Several sections are provided into which the men enter by choice. The sections are definite and clear cut; each division is in charge of one or two of expert training and experience. The sections with their instructors are as follows:

General Farming, George R. Hill and George Stewart.
Animal Husbandry, John T. Caine III and George B. Caine.
Drainage, O. W. Israelson.
Horticulture, M. C. Merrill.
Education, Henry Peterson.
Forestry and Grazing, E. C. Shepherd and R. J. Becraft.
Automobile Industry, L. R. Humphreys.
Banking, H. E. Hatch.
Insurance, George C. Jensen.
Electrical Industries, F. L. West and E. R. Owen.
Retail Merchandising, P. E. Peterson.

Most of the instructors are from the College and are well known in their respective fields of work. Those not connected with the College, but who have volunteered their services, are E. C. Shepard, forest ranger; George C. Jensen, division chief for the Mutual Life Insurance company of New York; H. E. Hatch, president of the Thatcher Brothers Banking Company; E. R. Owen, manager of the Logan branch of the Utah Power & Light Company; and Henry Peterson, Supervisor of the Logan public schools and one of the most popular educators in the state.

Arrangements for the vocational work are under the supervision of Mr. E. J. Kirkham, conjoint labor specialist for the College and the U. S. Bureau of Labor. Captain Stephen Abbot is helping things along both by arrangement and suggestions.

NAVY RECRUIT- ING OFFICER IN TOWN

Chief Quartermaster J. E. Nordsrom is in Logan looking for young men for the navy. He will remain here until the 145th have been demobilized. Through the courtesy of Captain Abbot, room 224 in the Executive building at the College have been assigned as a recruiting office.

Mr. Nordsrom is staying at the Eccles hotel and will be pleased to meet young men wishing information regarding appointments in the navy and those who wish to be examined for enlistment.

SENATOR BORAH IN OPPOSITION TO WORLD LEAGUE

WASHINGTON, Jan. 14.—Less than a dozen senators were in their seats today for another session of the senate given over largely to a discussion of questions to come before the peace conference.

Senators Borah of Idaho, Republican, and Shafroth, Democrat, of Colorado, spoke on the proposed league of nations, and Senator Thomas of Colorado, Democrat, discussed military intervention in Russia. During the debate Senator France of Maryland, Republican, introduced a resolution proposing early withdrawal of American troops from Europe and postponement of the formation of a league of nations until after the peace treaty is concluded.

In opposing a league of nations, Senator Borah especially attacked the proposed use of military forces by an international league and also criticized the administration program for a large expansion of the American navy.

Senator Shafroth declared that a league of nations should be formed at once and vigorously opposed the resolution of Senator Knox of Pennsylvania, Republican, proposing postponement of consideration of this question by the peace conference.

WOULD RETAIN TROOPS

Retention of American troops in Russia, was advocated by Senator Thomas who said this was necessary to protect military stores and to aid the Czechoslovak forces. He denied that war is being waged against the Bolsheviks, but said some policy to combat Bolshevism should be adopted.

Senator Shafroth particularly attacked the resolution of Senator Knox of Pennsylvania, Republican, now before the foreign relations committee, which proposed that action by the peace congress be deferred.

"President Wilson is now in Europe endeavoring to negotiate a peace treaty that not only will settle the disputes as to the nations in this war but that will at least have a tendency to prevent wars in the future," said Senator Shafroth. "He knows the situation and views of the nations, and as to whether we can get a treaty that will insure the peace to the world better than we who have no communication with the representatives of other nations. It may be that he will not accomplish the thing which we all desire, namely, making the world safe from war, but we impair his influence if we pass resolutions that he should not endeavor to accomplish the aim for which we entered this war, the peace of the world."

PROPOSALS ARE CRITICIZED

"Now, is the psychological moment to produce such an agreement, and if there is anyone in the United States who could produce such a happy result it is the president, who is held not only in the highest regard, but in the greatest affection by the peoples of the entente powers."

Senator Thomas criticized the reported proposals of the allies to withdraw their troops from Russia and leave the Czechoslovaks to their fate.

"If you carry out this policy you will leave a stain on the name of the allies that will be inextinguishable," said Senator Thomas. "We owe it to decency and gratitude to rescue the Czechoslovaks out of the hell of Bolshevism and I am amazed that the task being half done, we should leave these 'immortals' to the most terrible fate that can befall them."

PLANS NOW MADE FOR BIG HOMECOMING CELEBRATION IN LOGAN

All plans for the home coming reception and welcoming for the members of the 145th field artillery regiment in Ogden have been called off but this is not the case at Logan.

The boys will be officially received here as was originally announced, and the parade and all the plans carried out in every detail. It appears that the reception was called off at Ogden because the soldier boys would come in quarantine and could not mingle with the people. The local committees have known from the beginning that the boys would come in such condition and they have therefore arranged the parade and reception in such a way that the orders of the military department can be obeyed.

Logan is not quarantined and the "flu" condition is much improved with the public wearing the masks, there need be no fear.

All the committees are working harder than ever to make the reception and welcome at Logan the largest event that has taken place here and every detail will be carried out.

Mr. McNeil of the O. S. L. Department at Salt Lake City has advised that the soldiers will arrive in Ogden sometime Friday forenoon and they will at once proceed to Logan where they will arrive not later than 2 p. m. and perhaps earlier.

The plans for the big reception at Logan and the military review at the College and a parade through the city on Saturday are completed. Housing accommodations have been provided and the committees feel that they are prepared to handle any number that may come.

Captain Abbot met Tuesday evening with a good representation of the Logan returned soldiers and gave them their instructions as to their duties for the reception on Friday. These men will act as sentinels at the station and keep the crowd in position. A special car has been chartered and after the parade leaves the depot, the local soldiers will be taken immediately to the College where they will continue to act as sentinels until the 145th are stationed in their barracks. This splendid service from the local soldiers will be much appreciated. A full representation at

He protested against the withdrawal of American troops from either Archangel or the Murmansk coast until every dollar of American supplies has been salvaged and returned.

While granting that grave dangers face the troops, with possible annihilation, the Colorado senator declared that instead of withdrawing them, reinforcements should be sent.

DENOUNCES BOLSHIEVISM

Senator Thomas denounced the Bolsheviks, who, he said, declared war long ago on this country, and insisted the United States should determine some policy to combat Bolshevism.

"If we are to enthrone Bolshevism in the place of kaiserism," he added, "we had better let kaiserism remain."

"Practically all the leaders of Bolshevism except Lenin graduated from the I. W. W. in the industrial centers of this country," said Senator Thomas.

"Direct action, which means kill, burn, destroy, assassinate, is the watchword of the I. W. W. which is identical with Russian Bolshevism. The depredations of unscrupulous

JAMES BOWDEN BURIED AT LEWISTON

LEWISTON, Jan. 13.—Funeral services over the remains of James Bowden of Fort Hall, Idaho, were held at Lewiston Monday, at the home of his father, Mr. Wm. Bowden. Mr. Bowden died from influenza. He leaves a wife and six small children to mourn his loss. Many friends and relatives mourn the loss of this young man. Internment was made in the Lewiston cemetery.

Mr. Rufus Pond of Gentile valley was in Lewiston on business last Saturday.

Mrs. Mary Fife and children spent Sunday at Lewiston as the guests of Mrs. Sarah Stocks.

Bishop G. A. Hogan was appointed president of the County Board of Education Saturday at a board meeting at Logan.

Miss Ila Fife was the guest of Miss Cassie Telford last week.

Supt. R. V. Larsen and Miss Clara Kremer visited at the Lewiston schools Tuesday.

So far no ill effects have been noticed in Lewiston by schools starting. No new cases of flu have been reported in the last two weeks, and the homes which are under quarantine are clearing up rapidly.

Messrs Irvin and James Self came in from Butte, Mont., where they have been working during the summer.

Mr. Dow Lewis of Logan spent Monday at Lewiston.

Dr. and Mrs. Parkinson spent the forepart of the week at Ogden.

Miss Zoie Telford is visiting at Ashton, Idaho.

Miss Fern Merrill of Richmond spent last Sunday at Lewiston.

Mrs. Cora Pond and children will spend the winter with her mother, Mrs. Sarah Stocks. Mr. Pond has sold his interests in Gentile valley and will make his home in Fairfield, Idaho. Mrs. Pond and children will join him in the spring.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Merrill and children of Richmond were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Stocks Sunday.

Mr. Elbert Van Orden spent Monday at Logan.

Mr. William H. Stocks was at Logan on business Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. William Telford announce the marriage of their daughter Zoie to Mr. Charles Denning of Idaho Falls, which took place last Wednesday. Mr. and Mrs. Denning will visit at Lewiston for a short time, after which they will make their home at Idaho Falls. Mrs. Denning has taken a prominent part at Lewiston and will be greatly missed by numerous friends.

Mr. Claude McGee returned home Wednesday after service of a year in the U. S. army. He received his discharge. Mr. McGee presented her husband with a fine son last Monday.

Miss Clara Kramer, the primary supervisor and Miss Thomas, the music supervisor, visited the Lewiston school Tuesday.

A large number of children are taking advantage of the flu situation and are playing truant. They are sent to school by the parents and spend their time with traps at the river and various other things. The Juvenile Court officer will make a round up of such students, and just punishment meted out to them.

The Logan Wholesale Grocery Co. is remodeling the building formerly occupied by the Johnson Grocery Co. and as soon as it can be fixed up satisfactorily the Logan Wholesale Grocery Co. will move into it.

FREE CANTEEN SERVICE FOR THE 145TH

Cache county means to show the boys belonging to the 145th Regiment of Artillery a good time during their week of demobilization and has therefore planned to gladden their hearts with a canteen at which apples, pie, cookies, candies and other delicacies are to be had for the asking.

Boys are proverbially fond of sweet things. From the barefoot boy when the boys beg for the privilege of scraping the batter pan clean till old and feeble manhood, the "shortest way to a man's heart is through his stomach." With soldiers this is a tremendously great truth and not merely a joke. To be hungry, consumingly so, is no triviality. It gets to be like the one Service describes "Not hunger of the belly kind that's staid with bacon and beans," but a growing, gnawing hunger for the sweets enjoyed only at home while they are fresh. Add to this intense home sickness and dreary monotony, and you have an idea of what pastries will mean to the men from overseas. Each bite will sweeten Logan, Cache valley and the Agricultural College in their memories.

The college has promised 2,000 pies, 1200 cookies and 4,000 doughnuts. This is about all that the kitchen facilities can take care of and still have them fresh. Double this number besides apples, cookies and candies are needed. In order to get the amount required the people of Logan and Cache valley are invited to donate what they can conveniently. The boys have given a year of their time, crossed the water, and hunted the enemy. They are now hungry for sweets and friends. As soon as they arrive they are to be put in quarantine until demobilization is over. This will not heighten their jubilation; but pastries will, by the indirect route mentioned.

The Logan City Entertainment Committee headed by Luther Howell has joined with the U. A. C. Committee headed by Prof P. E. Peterson. They are now soliciting aid of the American Red Cross, the Knights of Columbus, the War Mothers, the Y. M. C. A. and the Y. W. C. A. and other similar organizations. It is thought that some of these organizations will volunteer to serve in the canteen.

Any candies, apples, pies, etc., sent to Professor P. E. Peterson, Agricultural College will be properly cared for.

With the extra flags received from Salt Lake City and Provo the Decoration committee will be able to have a flag on every pole from the depot to Main, three blocks on Main and two blocks on First North. This committee with Mr. L. M. Jensen as chairman and some of the returned soldiers who have assisted are to be congratulated for their splendid scheme of decorations and for the amount of work they have done. Dr. E. S. Smith a member of the Soldiers' Welfare who was placed in charge of the decorations, and Prof. Powell of the U. A. C. have done excellent work in providing sufficient flags for the committee. Mr. H. C. Maughan with his force and the force from the Utah Power and Light company have provided the best lighting scheme we have ever seen in Logan on Main. The large welcome sign designed by Mr. Maughan and hung across Center on Main is artistic and can be used for many occasions in the future.