

# BULL RUN BATTLE TO BE FOUGHT AGAIN

Washington, D. C., Aug. 1.—Bull Run where twice union arms met defeat during the civil war, will be a battlefield again next September. State troops by the thousands from the north, south, east and west and from the regular army will war over the historic fields, pretty much as did the men in blue and gray of years ago. There will be strategy, flags, banners, noise and everything that goes to the making of a first-class battle—except the bullets. The cartridges will be blank.

Bull Run battlefield has been selected by the war department as the scene of the annual maneuvers participated in by the regular army and national guardsmen.

The maneuvers will be on the largest scale ever attempted in this country and will approach in magnitude the grand maneuvers for which Germany is noted, and which has done so much to make the Germans service a nearly perfect machine.

It is estimated that the regular army will be represented by about 5000 men and the various states by about 15,000 men. The troops will observe modern conditions and will behave as if war actually existed. Every man of the service will be represented by picked men.

Major General H. C. Corbin will be in command. The national guardsmen will be chosen as follows:

Maine, two regiments; Vermont, one regiment; Connecticut, one brigade made up of infantry, cavalry, field artillery, machine guns, signal and hospital corps; New York, one regiment of infantry from each brigade and two troops of cavalry, 3500 in all; Georgia, Texas, New Jersey, Delaware, Maryland, South Carolina, Tennessee, Florida and Alabama will send from 500 to 2000 men each.

The force will be divided into two armies of equal size. The armies will be encamped about 12 miles apart and will represent hostile forces in contact, each camp being required to protect itself and its communications.

One camp will be named Camp Thoroughfare and the other Camp Manassas. The corps commander will have his headquarters midway between the camps. Flags are now being prepared so that the entire organization will have the same appearance as if in actual warfare.

Military attaches from all the foreign legations will attend to get a line on the American soldier in mimic battle. Particular attention will be given by these experts to the second line of defense, as the national guardsmen are called. They know that the regulars are capable of, but the guardsmen is something of an enigma to them.

The regular troops participating in the maneuvers will be drawn from Washington barracks, D. C.; Fort Myers, Va.; Fort Ethan Allen, Vt.;

Fort Porter, Plattsburg barracks, Fort Jay, Fort Niagara, Fort Slocum, Madison barracks and the Allegheny arsenal.

The expense of transporting the national guardsmen to and from their homes, as well as sustaining them while in camp, will be borne by the government.

The scene of action will be about 15 by 6 miles and will include part of the old battlefield and the surrounding country. There has been practically no change in the landmarks since the days of the civil war. In fact, maps made by the engineer of both armies would serve for use in the coming maneuvers.

Pastures, roads, houses and streams are practically the same as they were at the time of the first battle. A detachment of engineers is now at work making surveys and maps of the ground to be covered during the maneuvers, however.

### Standard Oil Interested.

Boston, Aug. 1.—It was learned definitely last night that the Standard Oil interests are back of the fight being conducted by E. H. Harriman against J. J. Hill and the Great Northern for control of the Northern Pacific. The Standard Oil people have a gigantic scheme under way to corral the traffic of the State of Washington and the Puget Sound traffic with the oil fields of Alaska, which hold out vast promise; the oil fields of Wyoming with the coal, lumber, oil and other resources of the entire Northwest, stretching over the Dakotas into Wyoming, Montana, Washington and Oregon.

The Union Pacific is effectually shut out from Puget Sound, and so long as Hill holds the Northern Pacific, so long will he control the commerce of the Sound and the traffic through the Northwest, with the unrivaled lumber business in Washington. The Rockefeller-Gould roads and the Standard Oil companies now pay tribute to the Hill roads, and the combination is therefore determined to wrest the control of the Northern Pacific from him. That is the real aim of the suit to prevent the distribution of Northern Securities along Hill plans.

### Massachusetts Old Home Week.

Boston, Mass., Aug. 1.—In accordance with a law enacted by the state legislature several years ago and in pursuance of a custom that has become well established during the last decade, the week beginning today will be observed throughout Massachusetts as Old Home Week. The week is set apart as a season during which cities and towns may conduct appropriate celebrations in honor of returning sons and daughters of the commonwealth and other invited guests, and may hold exercises of historical interest. Last year some 75

towns and cities celebrated and this year the observance is expected to be even more general. The celebrations bring thousands of residents of Ohio, Illinois, Michigan, Iowa and other states of the middle and far west back to their old homes to visit relatives and renew acquaintances with childhood friends.

### Squirrel Tails for Money.

Mariposa, Cal., Aug. 1.—An odd kind of currency is in circulation here, notwithstanding the fact that it does not bear the stamp of Uncle Sam's mint.

The currency consists of dangling squirrel tails strung together after the manner used by fishermen in stringing trout. Each tail, by reason of the county bounty, is worth 2 cents, and a string of 50 tails is worth \$1. The most popular lengths of string carry 25 to 50 tails, respectively, with short strings of five tails to make up change.

The 2-cent bounty on squirrel tails was first offered here about five years ago, when the troublesome little animals scurried over the wheat fields and pastures by the thousands, destroying the crops and devastating the grazing lands. The bounty offered such inducements to small boys and their dogs all over the county that the number of squirrels lessened perceptibly, and after about two years the bounty was taken off. Recently, however, the squirrels again began to overrun the country and the 2-cent per tail bounty was again offered by the county commissioners.

The renewal of the bounty was marked by great activity among small boys and dogs all over Mariposa county again and squirrel hunting is once more a profitable pursuit.

Strings of squirrel tails are frequently proffered and accepted in payment for shoes, hats and other merchandise at the stores of Mariposa, and many an industrious lad has a snug fund laid by as the fruit of his efforts. One boy bought himself a bicycle with the profits of the hunt recently, and another, with a fine pack of dogs, has purchased a splendid saddle with flapping "tapaderos."

### Of Interest to Sick People.

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### Diaz's Projected Visit.

Washington, D. C., Aug. 1.—If President Diaz of Mexico carries out his reported intention to visit this country next winter it will be the first time a Mexican President ever visited the United States. Washington officials recall that General Diaz was here on a honeymoon trip with his second wife, but he was not President of Mexico then. As the same traditions in connection with traveling in other countries prevail with regard to the Mexican Presidency as are held in the United States, some doubt is expressed as to whether President Diaz will establish a precedent at this late date by leaving his native country's borders.

### Transportation Day at Fair.

St. Louis, Aug. 1.—Saturday was transportation day on the world's fair calendar and it proved one of the most interesting and novel of the special day celebrations yet held at the exposition. The program was in charge of the officials and exhibitors of the transportation building. During the day there were two parades, one on land and one on water, designed to show the evolution of transportation methods from the water rafts of primitive times and the carts and pack-animals of early days to the palace steamship and Pullman flyers in which the luxury-loving public of today travels.

### Teamsters in Convention.

Cincinnati, O., Aug. 1.—The International Brotherhood of Teamsters began a convention in Cincinnati today to consider numerous questions of importance to the organization and its members. As it is the first convention since the two former international bodies amalgamated, it is regarded as the most important gathering in the history of the teamsters. Delegates are present from many parts of the United States and Canada.

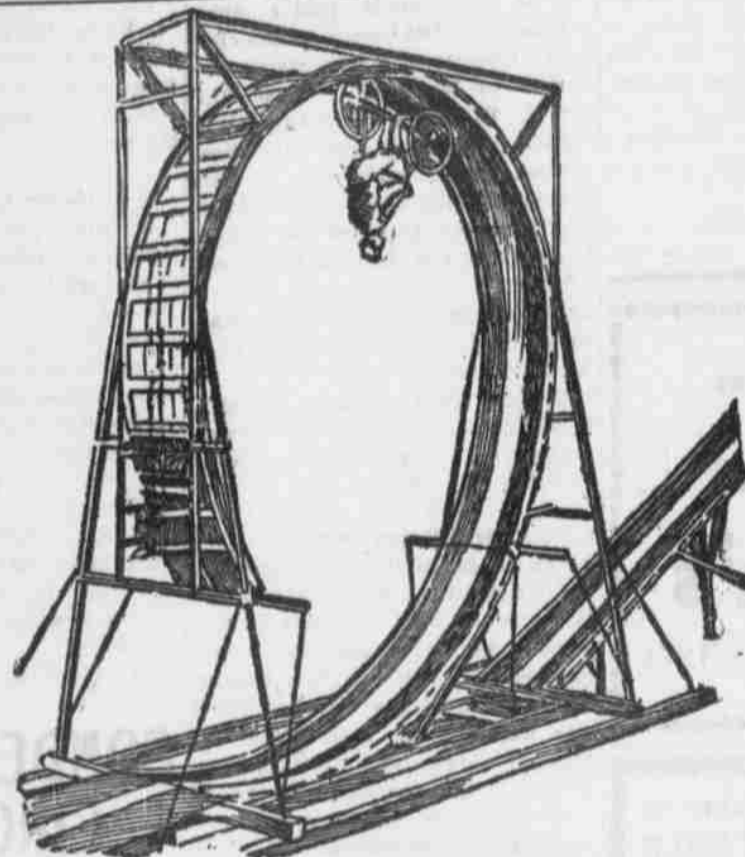
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## QUEER MARRIAGE RELATION

Elizabethtown, N. J., Aug. 1.—A complicated condition of relations arises in the case of Jerome Gennusa, of 222 Second street, of this city, who, although living with his common-law wife in town, has married his wife's daughter. By his first wife Gennusa has several step-children. Now when he married his wife's daughter that made his first wife his mother-in-law, and his step-daughter his own wife, thus occupying the double paternal office of husband and step-father at the same time. The other children by his first wife then become his brothers and sisters-in-law, although perhaps 30 years his junior, and he becomes his own father-in-law and brother-in-law at the same time. Gennusa is also his own wife's step-father.

Should his second wife bear him children they will also be his step-grandchildren, while his first wife will be their grandmother. The daughter would be the sister-in-law of her own mother. The children of her own mother would be her step-children, as well as being her own half-brothers and sisters. The children of the second wife would be nephews and nieces of the children of the first wife, besides being half-brothers and sisters.

A similar case occurred in this city not long ago, where a man married a widow who had a daughter. His father visited the house and married the first man's step-daughter. The first man's father then became his son-in-law and his step-daughter his mother, because she was his father's wife. The step-daughter of the first man was the mother of a son, and he naturally became the brother of the first man, and at the same time his grandchild, for he was the son of his daughter. The wife of the first man was then his

grandmother, for the simple reason that she was the first man's mother's mother. The first man then became his first wife's husband and grandchild at the same time, and as the husband of a person's grandmother is his grandfather, the first man became his own grandfather. The worst part of the case of Gennusa is that not only must he have a mother-in-law, but his mother-in-law will be his own wife, and what is still more remarkable, the mother-in-law, the two wives and the step-children, nieces, uncles, step-brothers, step-sisters and so forth ad libitum, all live down-town in one little house where harmony seems to prevail.

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