

# NEW COMMANDER ARRIVES AT POST

## General Maus Takes Charge of District and Meets His Old Regiment.

### WAS SUBALTERN IN FIRST

Distinguished Head of Department Has Seen Wide Service and Bears Two Medals From Congress For Gallantry in Action.

When Marlon P. Maus, Brigadier-General, United States Army, reported for duty at Vancouver Barracks yesterday forenoon, as the new commanding officer of the Department of the Columbia, it was to find himself again with the 1st United States Infantry, with which he entered the service 35 years ago as a humble second lieutenant. Not a day of the entire career of the regiment was left, and only one of the officers, Major Robert Noble, remained.

The 35 years that have elapsed since General Maus entered the First Infantry have been ones of hard service to him, and while merit and distinguished service have taken him up to the command of a brigade, he admits that the days when he was a long service in the Indian wars, in which he was an important factor; participated in the Cuban, Porto Rican and later Philippine campaigns, when he represented the Government at several European wars in the capacity of military observer.

### Notable Career in Army.

There are very few generals in the United States who have had such varied and distinguished service as has General Maus. The General himself is not inclined to talk about his record. But the records bearing on the subject speak voluminously. He saw long service in the Indian wars, in which he was an important factor; participated in the Cuban, Porto Rican and later Philippine campaigns, when he represented the Government at several European wars in the capacity of military observer.

Traveling in all parts of the world he has seen the great armies of the world on dress parade and in the field. After which he has arrived at the conclusion that the United States Army is superior to any other force of troops of equal size in the world, both as to its officers and its enlisted men. But of these things, too, the General is not inclined to be communicative. As a fighting man and officer, his associates in the Army say his merits are few, but talking of himself in a habit he does not seem to have developed.

Twice he has been decorated for gallantry in action. After the first he tells you that, but the records show for themselves. The first time was for "fearlessly exposing himself in the line of duty" to save the lives of his men in the language of the official reports. The second time was for effective and gallant operations against the Nez Percés.

### Granted Medal of Honor.

His first medal of honor was won in the campaign against the Apaches in 1886. He was campaigning against the renegades not far from the mouth of the Lieutenants Jerome, Second Cavalry, was captured by the Apaches. He was being held when General Miles, then a Lieutenant in command of troops, effected a coup whereby the wily Apache chieftain was captured. General Maus rode to the Indian camp, disarming a load of rifles, and effected an exchange of prisoners.

In the Nez Percé campaign he was in command of the troops. After the capture of Chief Joseph, the young officer took up the pursuit of a band of fugitive warriors and pursued them from Montana to the Canadian frontier, where he broke up the band. On this march, by the way, 600 miles were covered in a period of 14 days, which is held as the record of such accomplishments.

He served through the Sioux and Cheyenne campaigns, winning his double bars during the tribal disturbances. During the Cuban war he was in command of the 35th Infantry, then a Lieutenant General Miles and was Inspector-General during the trouble in Porto Rico. Just previous to these campaigns he went as military observer to the Turkish war, and at its conclusion attended the military maneuvers of the French, German and Russian armies. He was also present by the War Department to attend the Queen's Jubilee.

### Captured Moro Forts.

In 1902 he was ordered to the Philippines for service. He commanded a provisional brigade during the Moro outbreak, effecting the capture of 25 Moro forts. He made a second trip to the Philippines in 1905 and went through Japan and China, observing the military forces of those countries.

It is said of General Maus that he more than earned every promotion he has received. He graduated from West Point in 1874, being a classmate, by the way, of C. E. S. Wood, of Portland. He was assigned to the First Infantry. He won his single bar in '78, double bars in '90, oak leaves in '93, when he was assigned to the Second Infantry; became Lieutenant-Colonel of the Twenty-second Infantry in '92, Colonel of the Twenty-first Infantry in '94, and brigade commander June 10, 1909. He comes to this district from the Freese at Monterey.

In the face of his long and arduous service, General Maus is in excellent physical condition, and considers it no trick at all to make a long ride. He is a typical American officer, exacting, thorough, and tireless in his energies, although there is nothing suggestive of the martinet about him. Every command given to him has been taken up to a high state of efficiency, and those familiar with his military career expect to see him go even higher in the service.

### REDUCED FARE

Between Clatsop Beach and North Beach.

Arrangements have been made by the A. C. R. R. and L. R. & N. for a low round-trip fare between Clatsop Beach and North Beach. Tickets are on sale at agency stations on Clatsop Beach at \$1.75 for the round trip, with return limit of 30 days, good for stop-over at all points within limit on return trip.

Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is sold on a guarantee that if you are not satisfied after using two-thirds of a bottle according to directions, your money will be refunded. It is up to you to try.

# NEW COMMANDING OFFICER OF DEPARTMENT OF THE COLUMBIA



MARLON P. MAUS, BRIGADIER-GENERAL.

## BIG DIVIDEND READY

Depositors of Defunct Bank to Receive \$274,661.

WILL BE PAID NEXT WEEK

Obligations of Title, Guarantee & Trust Company Will Be Cut Down to \$1,000,000, According to Receiver's Report.

Receiver Howard has been directed by United States Judge Wolverton to distribute a 20 per cent dividend aggregating \$274,661, among the depositors and other creditors of the Title, Guarantee & Trust Company.

The disbursement of this money probably will begin next Monday or as soon thereafter as it will be possible for Receiver Howard and his clerical force to prepare the dividend vouchers. Over 1000 persons will participate in the distribution of the money which will be felt in local trade circles.

This is the second dividend to be declared under the receivership of this bank which suspended during the financial disturbance in the Fall of 1907. Depositors received a first dividend of 10 per cent 11 months ago when, on August 1, 1908, the sum of \$100,000 was distributed under Receiver Howard's administration of the property.

The first annual interest dividend was paid on January 8 last. This payment amounted to \$70,000. By these three disbursements the obligations of the bank to depositors will be reduced to about \$1,000,000 and there is a possibility that the creditors eventually will receive dollar for dollar on their claims.

## LODGE DIRECTORS CONVENE

Plan for Investment of Degree of Honor Funds.

The National board of directors of the superior lodge of the Degree of Honor, convening this week at the Portland Hotel, held important business sessions yesterday from 10 A. M. to 5 P. M.

Following are the members of the superior board: Duell Olson, of St. Paul, superior chief of honor; Mrs. Frank Kemper, of Spokane, superior lady of honor; Mrs. Elizabeth Alburt, of Sioux City, Iowa, superior recorder; Mrs. Mamie W. Briggs, of Portland, past superior chief of honor; Miss Margaret Baker, of Albany, Or., chairman of the superior lodge finance committee.

## BAND LIKE BIG ORCHESTRA

Only Highest Class of Music Played by Innes Organization.

Frederick Innes, whose splendid company of musicians will give two festival programmes at Multnomah Field on July 13 and 14, is one of the foremost figures in the musical life of America. It is frequently said of him that the best schooling a musician can have is a season with the Innes Orchestral Band.

## DEFENSE SEES PLAINT

J. W. Applegate Says Petitioners Seek His Property.

## REALTY AGENT ATTACKED

Photographer Asserts He Can Care for Own Affairs and Mistrusts Motives of Suit Filed by Barry and Henneman.

Alleging that W. A. Henneman and Frank T. Barry have conspired together to "do" him out of the rent and profits of his property, worth about \$15,000, J. W. Applegate, a photographer of North Street, yesterday filed a petition in the County Court yesterday which charges that he is incompetent and unable to attend to his own business affairs.

Barry is a real estate dealer, having an office at 4 Sixth street, North, adjoining Applegate's property. He lives at 73 Seventh street. Applegate's answer, filed by his attorney, William Reid, bristles with startling statements which show that he does not appreciate Henneman's and Barry's "friendly" feeling. In the first place he says that he is not addicted to the excessive drinking to which the man charged, that he does not expose himself to want from this cause, and he is not about to become a county charge. Barry, says Applegate, has been acting as his agent in collecting a monthly rental from his property. Barry is a real estate dealer, having an office at 4 Sixth street, North, adjoining Applegate's property. He lives at 73 Seventh street.

## OREGON ROADS Praised

AUTOIST HAS NEW ACCOUNT OF STATE HIGHWAYS.

H. C. Merritt, Pasadena Capitalist, Reaches Portland After Long Trip in Touring Car.

Multi-millionaire, former railroad president, controller of numerous street railways, and other public-service corporations, Hulet Clinton Merritt, of Pasadena, Cal., Duluth, Minn., spent yesterday in Portland. With his family he has just made an automobile trip from Pasadena to Portland, and will continue tomorrow to Seattle.

## REPLY FILED BY PITTENGER

Declares He Has Properly Handled Affairs of Mrs. Dixon Estate.

John M. Pittenger, a real estate and insurance agent with an office at 119 Killingsworth street, yesterday filed a reply to charges of Mrs. M. G. Dunham that he has handled the estate of Mrs. William Dixon as though it were his own personal property. He says he has cared for it as a careful administrator should. His answer was filed in the County Court yesterday afternoon. Mrs. Dunham recently petitioned for his removal.

## SUTTON STALWART YOUTH

Oregon Cadet Able to Give Hazers Hard Struggle.

The friends of John Redondo Sutton, the young Portland boy at West Point Military Academy, who is in the hospital for ten days as a result of an attack made by "hazers," in reality hazers, engaged in lively speculation as to what happened to the "other fellows."

## TWO ARE NAMED BY COURT

Overplus of Administrators for Mary E. Kephart Estate.

County Judge Webster has appointed two administrators for one estate. It is Mrs. Mary E. Kephart, who died in Pennsylvania, February 3, 1906. Her estate was admitted to probate in Blaine County, Pennsylvania, soon afterward, the property being left to her two sisters, Annie E. and Sarah M. Kephart, who are as the property in Oregon, value of which does not exceed \$500, could not be attached to the estate. The provisions of the will were somewhat conflicting, that the administration of the estate has been entrusted to the Kepharts, and he was entitled to the money in his semi-annual account to the court.

## KLICKITAT LANDS BOUGHT

Good Price Realized on Farm of 1000 Acres Near Wabkiakum.

LYLE, Wash., July 7.—(Special.)—Frank A. Doney, of Kathlamet, Idaho, has just bought from Jesse Hostettler, a banker of The Dalles, and his brother-in-law, George W. Ott, 1000 acres of land, and leases to 1000 acres more of school and Indian lands. The consideration is named as \$20,000.

## MRS. EGAN WILL TRY AGAIN

Brings Suit for Slice of Estate of Charles Peterson.

Falling in the County Court to secure a slice from Charles Peterson's estate, Mrs. Christina Egan has brought suit in the Circuit Court against Otto W. Nelson, the executor. She says she was legally married to Peterson in Tacoma, December 29, 1906, under the name Oscar Peterson, but secured a divorce in Pierce County, Wash., March 24, 1907. Her husband, Charles Peterson, died in March, 1892, she says, whom she met and married at Oregon.

## THROUGH SLEEPER

To Yellowstone Park.

It will be gratifying news to those who contemplate a visit to the Yellowstone National Park this season to know that the O. R. & N. and Short Lines have arranged a through car service from Portland and intermediate points direct to Yellowstone Station so that the through trip can be made without change or interruption. The through sleeper leaves Portland daily on O. R. & N., No. 6, at 6 P. M., and arrives at Yellowstone the second day about noon. Secure tickets and make reservations at city ticket office, Third and Washington streets.

## Sues for Fire Insurance.

Suit against the Westchester Fire Insurance Company, New York, No. 1590, on the ground that the company failed to pay this amount when the property in Mt. Rainier, which was burned last year, has been brought in the Circuit Court by Charles H. Gritzmacher, ex-Chief of Police. The stock of liquors and cigars is alleged to have been insured for \$2400. As they were worth but \$1800 only this amount is claimed. Gritzmacher says the company refused to pay on the ground

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## SINGERS TO GO NORTH

PORTLAND FESTIVAL CHORUS LEAVES THIS MORNING.

Will Participate in Oregon Day Programme at A.-Y.-P. Exposition Tomorrow—Roses to Be Used.

Members of the Portland Festival Chorus, numbering 350 persons, will leave for Seattle in a special train over the Northern Pacific at 7:30 o'clock this morning. This will be the advance guard of Oregonians to the Alaska-Yukon-Pacific Exposition to participate in the exercises incident to "Oregon Day," which will be observed tomorrow. Governor Benson and other state and city officials will go to Seattle either this afternoon or tonight so as to reach the exposition city in time for tomorrow's exercises.

## Carmen's Picnic at the Oaks.

The Brotherhood of Electrical Railway Employees will give its first annual picnic on July 21 at the Oaks. The proceeds of the occasion will be turned into the treasury for beneficial purposes. The organization is entirely a local one and not affiliated in any way with similar bodies. Since its organization two years ago \$40,000 has been paid to the beneficiaries. The Portland Railway, Light & Power Company has turned over the Oaks to its employees for this occasion.

## Railroad Personal.

John M. Scott, assistant general passenger agent for the Harriman lines in this territory, is expected to return from a trip to Seattle today. W. D. Scott, general superintendent of the Great Northern, with headquarters at St. Paul, was in Portland yesterday.

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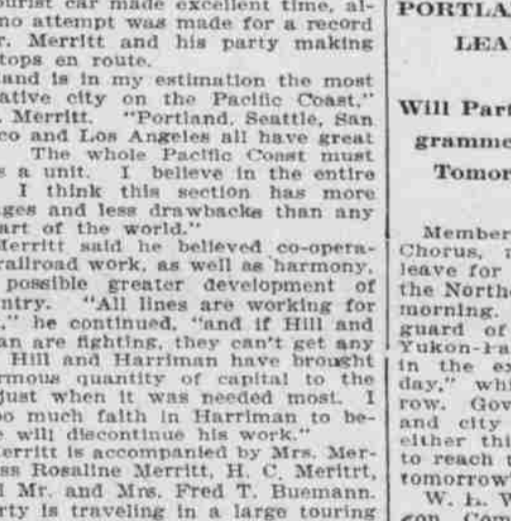
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