CHANGES IN ARMY **WILL OCCUR SOON**

General Maus Tells of Conference of High Officers With War Secretary.

GREATER EFFICIENCY AIM

States Will Be Divided Territorially Into Four Departments With Special Organization for Speedy Mobilization.

VANCOUVER BARRACKS, Wash., Jan. 20 .- (Special.)-Brigadier-General Marion P. Maus, who has been absent from this department since December 8, on a trip to New York and Washington, D. C., where he participated in the conference of the heads of the great departments of the United States Army, called by Secretary of War Stimson, and who returned late last night, today said that the conference, which was held January 8, was highly satisfactory. The questions for consideration related to tactical and territorial organization of the United States Army.

"It is obvious that when the troops are withdrawn for garrisons at Hawail, and the Panama Canal Zone, there must be a readjustment," said General Maus. "When it is considered that already the garrisons of the Philippine Islands have been located, there will be comparatively few troops of the mobile Army in the United States—in all, a little more than 30,000.

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When the trouble along the Mexican border occurred, it was strongly evident that there could not have been a proper organization, or troops ought to have been at their point of mobilization within six days, instead of double that time—and then on arrival without organization.
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"The idea of the present Secretary of War is to prevent such delays, and put the Army on a business basis, ready to move without a moment's hesitation, in proper organization, complete when necessity arises, and prevent the delays which may be fatal to the success of the object to be accomplished.

"A clear, tactical and territorial plan has been worked out under Secretary Stimson's direction, by the War College, covering every phase of a modern military organization.

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"This contemplates the division of the country territorially into four departments, with one additional for the Panama Canal Zone, Hawaii, and the Philippine Islands. Within the limits of each of these new departments the troops included therein will be organized into brigades and divisions, with the additional attached troops. Of course, all of this cannot be accompilished at this time, but the step taken by the Scoretary is in the direction of progressive military efficiency.

"In the same way as the regular Army, all of the National Guards inside of these departments are or-

CHICKEN INDUSTRY FILMED

Various Phases of Poultry-Raising Shown at Grants Pass.

GRANTS PASS, Or., Jan. 20.—(Special.)—Professor Dryden, of Oregon Agricultural College, showed films today in one of the local theaters dealing with the various phases of raising chickens and disposing of the products. The chicken industry is widely studied here. The Josephine County Poultry Association is active and the local fairs and exhibits have been good.

Many children who make extra money by selling eggs and chickens were in attendance. Prizes all over the county have been offered by local associations to stimulate the children to engage in the business, as a helpful economical course of training for better

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The pictures shown here are designed to have a tendency to exploit the educational advantages of a college.

Land Contract in Court.

VANCOUVER, Wash., Jan. 20 .- (Spe VANCOUVER, Wash, Jan, 26.—(Special)—John Grady is attempting to compel Peter Chandler to carry out a contract to sell 40 acres of land near Manor, having taken the case into the Superior Court. Both admit making a contract. Mr. Grady paid \$500 on a 40-acre tract, the full price to be \$4000. Mr. Chandler alleges that it was another 46 acres he sold, and will not give a deed to the property Grady alleges should be deeded to him in the contract. The other 40 acres is held by the owner to be worth \$2000. COMMANDER OF DEPARTMENT OF COLUMBIA, PHOTO-GRAPHED UPON HIS RETURN FROM WASHINGTON.



BRIGADIER-GENERAL MARION P. MAUS,

Unfair Treatment.

PORTSMOUTH MEN HEARD

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but none of the important ones, will be eliminated, in the general scheme.

Inadequacy of Army Seen.

'In our present position, it must be evident to the thoughtful citizen that the present Army is wholly inadequate especially on this leolated and distant to make its advent into Portrost, and it is believed the effort of severy citizen should be to aid in securing a reasonable increase, especially for the Pacific Coast, to take the place of those troops that must necessarily be kept in the Philippine Islands and the great Canal Zone.

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J. Gatzmyer, Charles A. Fry, Thomas Autzen and Sumner Newell.

Ferry Service Better.

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Business men volunteered to provide signboards directing the traveling public and strangers to the ferry landing.

The ferry service committee reported that 20-minute service had been inaugurated by the County Court, and the new arrangement was giving universal satisfaction.

Work has been started on a large addition to the Portland Woolen Mills Company plant, on Bradford street. The new addition will be 80x200 feet, two stories high. This will practically double the capacity of the plant, and furnish employment for 500 hands.

A petition to improve Fessenden street between Smith avenue and Oswego street was presented to the City Council this week. The improvement will be of concrete, and will provide for the last link of Fessenden street. It is 70 feet wide.

this return, relieving Colonel R. H. that rightfully belonged to the Pening January 1. With Major Fleming, Adjutant-General, General General Maus is attending to matters that have been held up pending his return.

The General's aide de camps have not yet been announced. Lieutenant Edward G. McCleave has been ordered to ite Twenty-Fifth, his old regiment at Schofield Barracks, and Lieutenant at Schofield Barracks, and Lieutenant Francia L. Whitley has rejoined the First Infantry, at the same post, leavening ing no aide de camp on duty here.

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ALBANY, Or., Jan. 30.—(Special.)—
By the arrival of Miss Della Asheroft in Albany today the family of R. H. Asheroft of this city, was reunited for her a few days ago.

NEW LINES ARE PROJECTED

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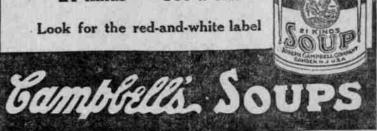
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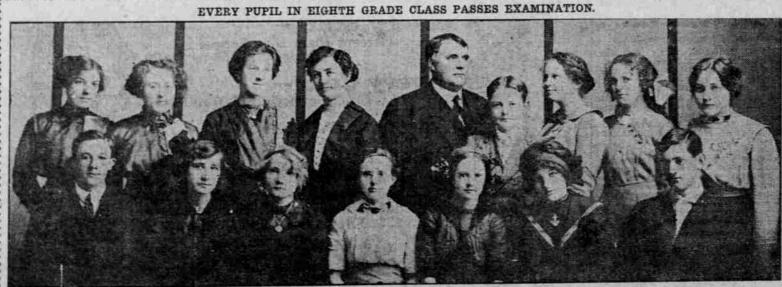
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EUGENE. Or., Jan. 10.—(Special.)—Every one of the 20 members of the eighth grade of Genry School. Eugene, was successful in passing the recent eighth-grade examinations, and practically all of them will enter the high school at the beginning of the second semester. February 2. Four specials and two of the regular pupils are not shown in the picture. Professor E. R. Parker, principal of the school, and Miss Mabel Fonds, special eighth-grade teacher, are in the center of the rear row.