

NAVAL MILITIAMEN SALVING BRINY DEEP

Oregon Citizen-Sailors Jump at Duties of Jackies With Vim of Old Salts.

PORTLAND PLEASES TARS

Striking Pleasantries and Exchange of Marine Courtesies Mark Departure of Cruiser St. Louis. Submarine to Be Joined.

ON BOARD U. S. S. ST. LOUIS, June 15.—(Special.)—Filled with expectations of what the morrow may bring forth in the way of new experiences on a man-o'-war, 140 officers and men of the Oregon Naval Militia passed out of the Columbia into the broad, expansive Pacific tonight, less than 12 hours after the cruiser St. Louis had hauled its anchor aboard at Portland. The course tonight is toward the north, as the ship is to pick up the submarine P-4 tomorrow for the trip to San Francisco.

The meeting place is not known definitely, but it is supposed that the P-4 will be waiting in the vicinity of Tacoma, in which event the militiamen will not get much of a view of Puget Sound.

The stay of the St. Louis at Portland has served to impress another delegation of navy officers with the importance of the city and as a unit they are expressing the opinion that the Columbia River will become one of the most popular calling places on the Pacific Coast for ships of the service.

Officers and Crew Made Happy.

Every detail for the mooring of the cruiser and reception of her crew was executed with such pleasant results that the navy men had little to do save be happy. One of the crew's most helpful things tendered was the delivery of 14,000 gallons of Bull Run water into the tanks of the St. Louis, which, through an arrangement between Harbor-master Speier and the Fire Department, was poured into the big receptacles without the ship's crew being called on to labor.

The departure this morning was attended by several striking pleasantries, and one of them that impressed the officers came from Captain Mason, of the steamer Beaver. As the St. Louis began to swing, to head down stream, the Beaver's trumpet played "Aloha," the Hawaiian melody, and the two ships exchanged courtesies.

Through the courtesy of the Oregon Naval Militia band played and the demonstration of whistle farewells grew until the city limits were reached. On the lower river, much attention was given the cruiser.

No sooner did reveille sound this morning than the Militiamen were astir with the idea of the preparations for embarking were they represented. It was militiamen who hauled in the gangways, helped with the lines to stern anchor and were conspicuous on the forecastle head when the forward tides were raised and they "turned to" with a vim to help clean ship. Below decks, in the engine room, where Chief Engineer J. A. Ward was sweating with the job, Oregon men also were on the job.

Rescue Not to Get Cruiser.

It has been learned officially that the St. Louis will not be available for the rescue of the vessel, as the Navy Department had previously promised the vessel would be at Tacoma. It probably will be possible for Astoria to have the St. Louis a day or two immediately following the present cruise, which ends June 25.

In summing up the number of visitors received at Portland last week it is estimated that 30,000 persons were aboard during the Rose Festival. Besides officers of the Naval Militia on the cruise Assistant-General W. E. Finzer, of the Oregon National Guard, is represented in the person of Major Knapp, quartermaster of the state forces, who accompanied the militiamen to keep tab on their work. The coming of the militia to the ship was filled with every accommodation. With the men their stations are so well known that they feel like old sailors already.

YOUNG TRUSTIES MISSING

Disappearance of Two Prisoners Discovered Soon and Search Starts.

SALEM, Or., June 15.—(Special.)—Thomas L. Monk, 17, trustee at the Samuel Winstead, 18, trustee at the penitentiary, ran away from the institution early tonight. Monk worked in the office and Winstead drove a wagon on the farm. They were seen together in the brickyard just before 7 o'clock, the time for them to go to their cells, and were missed a few minutes later. An alarm was sounded and several guards went in search of the men, but without success. These, with the city police, are scouring the town tonight for the convicts.

Monk has served eight months of an indeterminate sentence of from one to seven years for house-breaking in Jackson County. He would have been eligible for parole in two months. Winstead had served only a few months of an indeterminate sentence of from one to 10 years. The crime was committed in Hood River. Monk weighs 136 pounds and is five feet six inches tall. Winstead weighs 165 pounds, and is five feet five inches tall.

3 MOTORCYCLISTS KILLED

Young Woman and Two Young Men Die on "Death Curve."

OAKLAND, Cal., June 15.—One young woman and two young men were killed shortly before noon today in a head-on collision between two motor cycles at "Death Curve" on the Foothill boulevard near Hayward.

The two machines in taking "Death Curve" crashed together and the riders were thrown with such force that they met instant death. The body of the young woman was found 30 feet from the accident on the other side of a fence.

BOURNE HAS ROAD PLAN

Federal Aid is Suggested to Provide \$3,000,000,000.

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The campus has been fenced and the senior class of the university will present its class play in the grove this week. Although the Chautauqua will be the initial one for Salem, the best talent has been obtained and no other Chautauqua association in the state will furnish a better entertainment this year.

Morton Man Out on Bail.

MORTON, Wash., June 15.—(Special.)—Ex-Marshall Fred Boyle, who was in the county jail at Chehalis for killing Hade Roacks here three weeks ago, is home again, having been released under \$500 bail.

High pressure gas lights have been found to be just as effective as the flaming arc Manchester, but the latter are more economical.

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CHERRY WILL RULE

Salem Preparing for Elaborate Carnival July 3-5.

"THE CHERRIANS" FORMED

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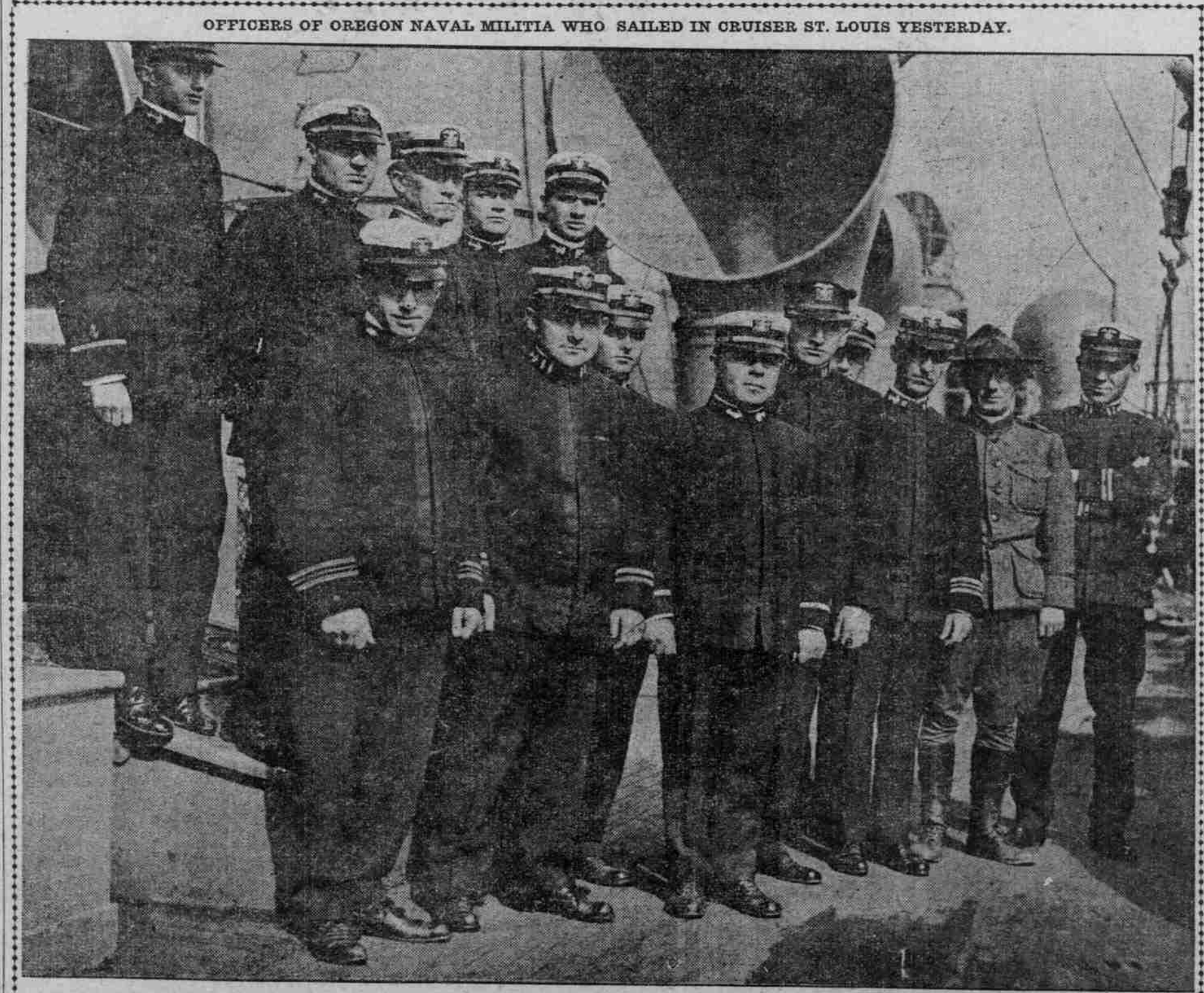
Mosquitoes on Hayden Island Promise to Be Worse This Year.

VANCOUVER, Wash., June 15.—(Special.)—The cold weather has at last, apparently, had its effect on the Columbia River, which has dropped about two inches, leaving it at about 24.1 feet. This drop is not rapid, but it is preferable to a rise, as great damage has been done to the lowlands in this county below Vancouver. Crops on many farms have been destroyed, dairy cattle have been driven to higher ground and people have been compelled to find new homes.

The mosquitoes on Hayden Island this year promise to be larger and in greater number than ever before, as the whole island is under water practically, and when this goes down the best mosquito-breeding ground in the Pacific Northwest will be turning the insects out by the millions.

Rubton Not Scalded.

HOOD RIVER, Or., June 15.—(Special.)—John Huskey, the small son of Mr. and Mrs. John Huskey, of Rubton, near here, had a narrow escape from death by scalding yesterday when he pulled a teakettle of boiling water from a range, a portion of it pouring over his body. The screams of the little fellow brought the mother, who found the boy fearfully burned.



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Something New

The well-known table beverage, POSTUM now comes in

New Form

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Instant Postum

A delicious drink—absolutely free from the coffee drug, caffeine.

A level teaspoonful of Instant Postum in an ordinary cup of hot water dissolves instantly and makes it right for most persons.

A big cup requires more and some people who like strong things put in a heaping spoonful and temper it with a large supply of cream.

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