

KAISER'S HEAD

German Ruler Field Marshal of Austrian Forces.

FRANCIS JOSEPH HALE YET

Reservist Feels That With Wilhelm and Generals von Moltke and Hotzendorf in Charge Nothing Need Be Feared.

BY J. VON MAKDYCH. First Lieutenant of the Austrian Army

When in 1855 the Archduke Albrecht died unexpectedly at Arco, the military position of Field Marshal of Austria remained vacant for many years until finally, after a long time, the ruler of the double monarchy transferred this dignity upon Wilhelm II, Emperor of Germany...

BELGIAN RAMPARTS ARE THOUGHT IMPREGNABLE

Veterans Say German Rifles Are Too Heavy, Its Army Too Small, Its Supplies Not Sufficient to Make Victory Possible.

GERMANY must have a force of infantry and artillery at the ratio of 5 to 1 of French and Belgian soldiers if the Prussian army is to cross in France, declared Medard Rotsaert, a former Belgian soldier, last night...

Belgium Arms Thought Better. "There has been so much talk about the German army's advantage in guns and rifles that I would like to refute this report," said Mr. Dewar last night...

ITALY CALLS MEN

Two Classes of Army Reserves Are Ordered Home.

MARINES ALSO ARE NEEDED

Belgians and French Are Warned by Consuls to Await Further Information Before Attempting to Return to Service.

Italy, the third and neutral power in the Triple Alliance, has sent out a call for her reservists to return to service.

The call reaches the consuls of Belgium and France, who are to advise the local Italian consular agent, Dr. Carlo Visetti, through Conley & De Neffe, attorneys for the call.

Italians, Notice—All men of the class of 1889-1890 are recalled to the flag, also all men of the class of 1891 who did service either in the cavalry or in the mounted artillery...

Belgian and French reservists are warned by their consuls to wait until further information is received before attempting to return to the service unless they have sufficient money to pay their passage.

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WATER SYSTEM IN FILM

PORTLAND'S SUPPLY TO BE PICTURED FROM SOURCE TO USER.

Commissioner Daily Arranges With Government Photographer for Series in Bull Run Reserve.

Commissioner Will H. Daly made arrangements yesterday afternoon to have motion pictures taken of the Bull Run water system from the source to the consumer.

W. S. Cline, photographer of the United States Department of Agriculture, will make the films to be used as a part of the Government's exhibit at the San Francisco Exposition next year.

The pictures will form part of a series showing the influence of forests on stream flow and Portland has been selected, according to the Government authorities, as the city whose watershed is the best example of one protected from pollution and maintained in even flow by a dense forest cover.

The Commissioner is at present working with the project to its fullest extent because, as he expresses it, the pictures ought to furnish an excellent means of publicity for the city.

erals were armed with Krupp guns, but more bullets 'went home' from Villa's marksmanship than from the German guns. "To cross Belgium into France, Germany must move very quickly, quickly enough to prevent the French and Belgians from flanking them, as the Germans must follow only one path—around the forts of Belgium and out of easy firing distance.

"The German infantry cannot do this," he continued, "for the soldiers are so laden down by the heavy rifles and ammunition that they cannot possibly march to the front in the manner of a soldier carries 84 pounds, while the French fighter only carries 50 pounds and is capable of traveling 20 miles a day and 30 miles on forced marches. This 50-pound pack includes 360 rounds of ammunition.

"The French border has three avenues that Germany can reach with her forces, the Swiss border, the Alsace-Lorraine boundary and the Belgian frontier," Mr. Dewar said, "The French government realized that it is nearly impossible to direct an invasion through Switzerland, and, knowing that Belgium was friendly, and the people speak French, it did not attempt to fortify the Belgian frontier, but devoted its efforts to the Alsace-Lorraine boundary.

Millions Spent on Border. "France has spent, within the past few years, about \$700,000,000 to fortify her border on Alsace-Lorraine. Three continuous lines of defense were constructed, so strong that it is almost impossible for any army to invade her at that point. This is demonstrated by the terrible defeat of the Germans in their attack upon the French forts shortly after war was declared. The Germans then for the first time realized the impossibility of reaching France beyond the fort line and they advanced on Belgium instead.

"The French border on Alsace-Lorraine is only 60 miles long, and I agree with Mr. Rotsaert that Germany plans to pass through Belgium and attack the French fortifications on the Alsace-Lorraine border from the rear," declared Mr. Dewar.

Both Mr. Rotsaert and Mr. Dewar are employed in the mechanical department of The Oregonian. Mr. Rotsaert left Belgium seven years ago and has since resided in this city. Mr. Dewar left last night to join his aged father, who was a regimental commander in the French army in the war of 1870. The elder Dewar resides in Olympia, Wash. Albert N. Dewar was a member of Villa's army during the first attack upon Juarez and the second engagement at Monterrey.

with a close-up view of one of the drinking fountains at a prominent corner in the city.

Mr. Cline accompanied Bristow Adams, forest examiner, on his inspection of the Apino forest. Mr. Adams left last night for Missoula, Mont. Mr. Cline will spend the next few days in and near Portland and on the Columbia National forest.

T. L. Combs, president of the National Retail Jewelers' Association, and Colonel John L. Shepherd, of the Keystone Watch Company, of New York, N. Y., and E. J. Jaeger, of Jaeger Bros., Portland, who has recently returned from the Orient.

The programs for today will be: 10 A. M.—Greeting of convention guests. 11 A. M.—Executive committee meeting. 1:30 P. M.—Convention called to order. 2 P. M.—Address of welcome by George H. Hines, secretary of the Oregon Historical Society. 2:30 P. M.—President's annual report. 2:45 P. M.—Secretary-treasurer's annual report. 3 P. M.—President's address. 3 P. M.—Discussion of trade questions. 8:30 P. M.—Banquet. President I. E. Staples, toastmaster; address by T. L. Combs, National president American National Retail Jewelers' Association; Colonel John L. Shepherd, of New York, N. Y., and E. J. Jaeger, of Jaeger Bros., Portland, who has recently returned from the Orient.

SONGS ARE ANNOUNCED Patriotic Aids on Programme for Community Sing.

American patriotic aids are to be among those on the programme Tuesday evening, August 18, at the community sing at Multnomah Field. W. H. Boyer, of the Apino forest, who will lead the singing for the evening, had announced some of the songs. They are: "America," "Battle Hymn of the Republic," "Columbia the Gem of the Ocean," "The Red, White and Blue," "Star-Spangled Banner" and the old favorite heart songs, "Smile, Little Lady," "Kilbuck," "My Kentucky Home," "Old Folks at Home," "Soldier's Farewell," "There's Music in the Air," "All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name," "Onward, Christian Soldiers," "Holy, Holy, Holy" and "Auld Lang Syne."

A band concert will be given in connection with the sing, by Campbell's American band, directed by Percy A. Campbell. This band was the official serenading band during the Rose Festival. Its services have been donated by the Musicians' Mutual Association, Local No. 89, American Federation of Musicians.

Among the prominent patrons of the musical sing are: Mr. Thomas G. Rick Burke, Mayor Albee, Mrs. Albee, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Brewster, Mrs. S. M. Blumauer, Mr. and Mrs. Edgar B. Piper, Dr. Clement D. Shaw, Mrs. Isaac Sweet, president of the Council of Jewish Women; Miss Carrie A. Holt, president of the Y. W. C. A.; Mr. and Mrs. F. S. Myers, Mrs. Lesley Cohen, Mrs. Frederick Eggert, Mrs. Allen Todd, Mrs. E. P. Preble, president of the Shakespeare Club; Charles F. Berg, president of the Ad Club; Horace D. Ramsdell, president of the Commercial Club; Franklin T. Griffith and many more.

LAND SWINDLE SUSPECTED George Scott Arrested in Connection With Homestead Advertisement.

Charged with attempting to operate a land swindle by representing himself as an employe of the British government, George Scott was arrested by Detectives Tichenor and John Moloney yesterday. The prisoner denies the guilt but he will be held until the au-

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Introductory Sale of Capes At Lowered Prices

Department, Second Floor—Capes are strongly featured in the early Autumn styles, not only in the separate garment, but also in cape-coat and cape-suit effects. We show an extensive line of latest novelty Capes in all the wanted styles and materials. Models suitable for sports, street and dress wear in leading colors. Special reduced prices during the Anniversary Sale.

Table with 2 columns: Original Price, Special Price. Items include \$9.50 Capes, \$13.50 Capes, \$16.00 Capes, \$19.50 Capes, \$25.00 Capes.

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Hat Shapes 69c

Millinery Department Second Floor Final Clearance of Untrimmed Hats at a fraction of their real values. The latest midsummer shapes of fine quality hemp and Milan straws. Shown in black and all the seasonal colors. Shapes worth up to \$5 69c—Your choice at only

Our Entire Line of Fancy \$12.50 Corsets at \$3.98

Dept., Second Floor

Discontinued models in Lily of France, Bien Jolie and Gossard Front-Lace Corsets to be closed out at once. Good range of sizes, but not all sizes in each style. Corsets worth up to \$12.50 in \$3.98 this assortment. Priced at \$3.98

\$5 to \$8.50 Rubber Corsets On Sale at \$2.98

Department, Second Floor—For Thursday's selling we offer our entire line of women's Rubber Corsets, Hip Confiners and Rubber Slip-Ons—models selling heretofore in regular stock at \$5.00, \$6.50 and \$8.50 at low price of choice, \$2.98 We Give S. & H. Trading Stamps—Ask for Them.

Anniversary Sale of Sample Linens

Department, Main Floor—Beautiful Irish and Austrian Linens—entire sample lines from 2 of the largest linen mills in the world, comprising hundreds of pieces—Linen Sets, Pattern Cloths, Napkins, Lunch Cloths, Doilies, Tray Cloths, Center Pieces, Linen Sheets and Pillow Cases, Towels, etc. Worth-while savings you cannot afford to overlook.

Table with 2 columns: Item, Price. Items include Regular \$5.50 Linen Pattern Cloths, Regular \$10.00 Linen Pattern Cloths, Regular \$11.00 Linen Pattern Cloths, Regular \$2.00 Linen Tea Cloths, Regular \$2.25 Linen Tea Cloths, Regular \$2.50 Linen Tea Cloths, Regular \$3.75 Linen Tea Cloths, \$22.50 Embroidered Linen Sheets, Regular \$1.00 Linen Dresser Scarfs, Regular \$1.75 Linen Dresser Scarfs, Regular 45c Linen Towels, Regular 60c Linen Towels, Regular \$1.00 Linen Towels, Regular \$2.00 Linen Towels, Odd Lines Hemstitched Napkins at about 1/2 Price, Linen Remnants on sale at special reduced prices.

\$2.50 Moccasins \$1.29

Bargain Circle, First Floor—Men's, women's and children's Moccasins; all sizes; also women's \$1.50 Boudoir Slippers; black, blue, pink and lavender, all sizes—and women's \$1.75 one-strap House Slippers with opera toe and 1 1/2-inch Cuban or "common sense" low heels. All sizes. Your choice of these three special lines for \$1.29 Thursday, the pair



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Food cooked by steam under pressure is much more delicious and nourishing than by the old way. Makes everything appetizingly tender, flavory, flaky, delicious. The IDEAL Steam Cooker cooks the very toughest meat tender and succulent—every mouthful a delight. Inexpensive shoulder cuts taste like tenderloin. Meats and other food cooked in the old way shrink one-fifth in cooking; if cooked in the "IDEAL" there is absolutely no loss from shrinkage. That simply means saving you 20 per cent of your food. Priced \$5.50 to \$8.00. Special sale of White China for decorating—on the Third Floor. Special sale of Kitchen Utensils and Home Needs—on Third Floor. All Garden Hose, Lawn Mowers and Refrigerators are reduced.

Extra Special! Regular 40c OWK Coffee Placed on Sale Today at 29c a Pound Regular 50c OWK Uncolored Japan or Ceylon Tea 39c a Pound

EAST 8TH WORK STARTED

Improvement to Complete Hard-Surfacing of Entire District.

Improvement of East Eighth street, north, from Hawthorne avenue to East Morrison street, with hard-surface pavement was started yesterday.

The Portland Railway, Light & Power Company was granted permission to remove its tracks on East Eighth street from Hawthorne avenue to East Yamhill street, but was unable to obtain sufficient land at the corner of East Eighth street and Hawthorne avenue for the larger curve required for freight cars, which use that track exclusively. The company is seeking permission to obtain sufficient land at the corner of East Eighth street and Hawthorne avenue for the larger curve required for freight cars, which use that track exclusively.

BIGAMY CASE TERMINATED

Wife of Man Now in Federal Prison Gets Divorce Here.

The sensational Ellias bigamy case was terminated yesterday when Circuit Judge McGinn annulled the marriage of Richard Duffy, alias J. E. Ellias, to Anna Sarah Bond. Ellias is now serving two years at McNeil's Island for using the mails to defraud his second wife.

According to the story Mrs. Ellias told Deputy District Attorney Dempsey she and Duffy, alias Ellias, started correspondence through the mails before attempting to return to the service unless they have sufficient money to pay their passage.

Those who wish to pay their passage to New York, should report at that city as soon as possible.

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REFUND GRANTED POLICE

City Council Provides for Return of Relief Fund Excess.

A resolution prepared by Mayor Albee was introduced at yesterday's meeting of the City Council authorizing warrants on the police relief fund to provide for refund of deductions made in pursuance of an act passed by the last Legislature. Placed on an emergency order the resolution was adopted.

Before the Supreme Court held the City law unconstitutional, policemen had paid in more money than had been required. The resolution adopted yesterday will allow these policemen a return of all money paid in addition to the requirements of the old law.

SHAVE FIRST SINCE 1877

Vancouver Ferry Engineer Not Known by Crew Until He Speaks.

VANCOUVER, Wash., Aug. 12.—(Special.)—For the first time since 1877 D. B. Brumagin, veterans engineer on the Vancouver ferryboat, shaved yesterday.

When Mr. Brumagin went to work today the crew did not recognize him until he spoke. The beard which wrinkles away, not a line showing on Mr. Brumagin's face, although he is nearly 80 years old.

Business Men to Take Trip.

Two hundred members of the Progressive Business Men's Club expect their friends on board the Georgiana will go on an excursion over the bar to Fort Ranby, Wash., Sunday, Music, "stunts" and various other entertainment features will be provided. The boat will leave from the Washington-street dock at 7:30 A. M. Sunday. Members of the committee in charge of the event are: E. C. Jones, S. C. Rasmussen, P. H. Ineland, F. A. Ballin, H. R. Hayek.

LOW EXCURSIONS EAST

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