

HOPE VANISHES FOR ARMY OF 250,000

Advocates of Quarter Million Force Defeated by Constructors of House.

VOLUNTEER FORCE IS LOST

Conferees Expect to Reach Agreement in Few Days, but Federal Pay Measure Is Still Being Advocated in Committee.

WASHINGTON, May 10.—Conferees on the Army reorganization bill in an all-day session failed to reach a final agreement on disputed phases of the measure, but both Senate and House members said tonight there was a general feeling they would get together after several more days of discussion.

All were agreed that it was useless to talk further for the standing Army of 250,000 men or to plead any longer for the Senate's proposed Federal volunteer reserve army. Much of the day was spent in discussing the probable agreement of the regular Army and the general understanding seemed to be that the peace strength would be fixed at approximately 150,000 men.

Champions of the volunteer reserve, who are reluctantly yielding to its rejection by the House, are urging perfection of the training camp provision of the House bill and hope it may be amended along the lines proposed in an amendment offered in the Senate by Senator Lodge.

With such a provision, it is argued, young men who could not otherwise afford to devote a month or more each year would have an opportunity to attend the instruction camps.

TILT ENLIVEN'S SESSION Judge McGinn and ex-Senator Fulton Exchange Remarks.

When Circuit Judge Henry E. McGinn halted a case before him yesterday morning after one witness had testified for the plaintiff and the defense had not been put on, with the declaration that the plaintiff should have judgment, he precipitated a bitter personal attack from ex-Senator Charles W. Fulton.

There was a general exchange of remarks of an uncompromising nature, and the case finally was taken up again and went to the jury, which returned a verdict for the man Judge McGinn had said was deserving of the judgment.

The case was that of J. T. Beach against the Oregon Sea Food Company for \$150 salary due. The jury returned a verdict in favor of Beach.

LIGHTS CUT; VOTE BALKED Pendleton Road Bond Meeting Draws Large Crowd.

PENDLETON, Or., May 10.—(Special.)—A large crowd attended a joint discussion of the bonding proposition for good roads in Umatilla County, participated in by Eugene E. Smith, president of the Portland Central Labor Council, and J. T. Hinkle, of Hermon. At the conclusion of the debate, a request was made for a straw vote on the issue.

A demand for a standing vote was frustrated, as the crowd, speaking for the bonds, had protested on the ground it would not be fair test because the meeting was called by the opponents of the measure, and some one turned off the lights, preventing a count.

O. C. LEITER HEADS CLUB City Editor of Journal Becomes President of Press Club.

At a meeting of the board of managers of the Portland Press Club yesterday afternoon, O. C. Leiter, city editor of the Journal, first vice-president of the club, succeeded to the presidency because of the resignation of Leslie M. Scott. Mr. Scott is in California. Robert L. Whitrow, of the Telegram, became first vice-president.

Plans for the "Hikes" breakfast, to be held at the Oregon grill Sunday noon, were discussed.

Not a Bite of Breakfast Until You Drink Water

Says a glass of hot water and phosphate prevents illness and keeps you fit.

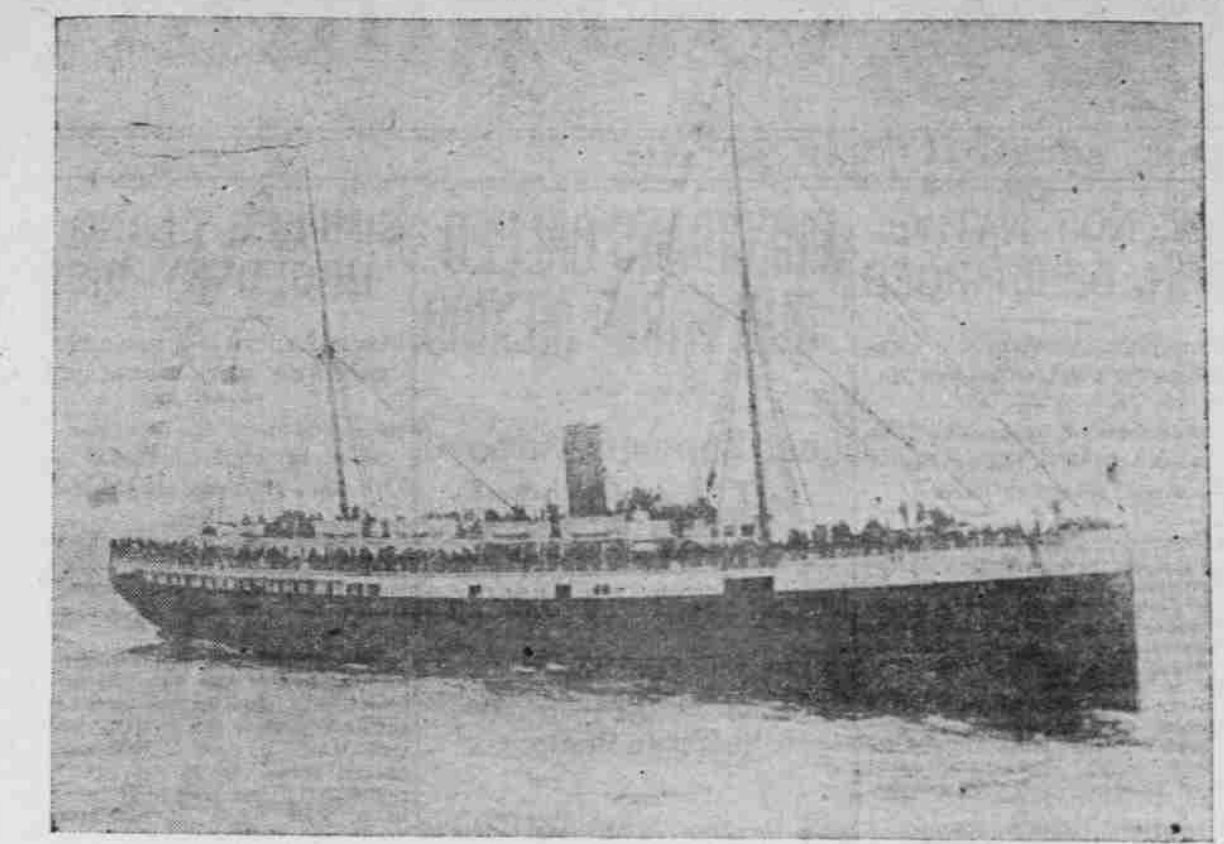
Just as coal, when it burns, leaves behind a certain amount of combustible material in the form of ashes, so the food and drink taken each day leaves in the alimentary canal a certain amount of indigestible material, which if not completely eliminated from the system each day, becomes food for the millions of bacteria which infect the bowels.

From this mass of left-over waste, acids and phosphate-like poisons are formed and sucked into the blood.

Men and women who can't get feeling right into their heads, who have nervousness, who have a sour, gassy stomach after meals, are urged to get a quarter pound of limestone phosphate from the drug store, and begin practicing internal sanitation. This will cost very little, but is sufficient to make anyone an enthusiast on the subject.

Remember, inside bathing is more important than outside bathing, because the skin pores do not absorb impurities into the blood, causing poor health, while the bowel pores do. Just as soap and hot water cleanses, sweetens and freshens the skin, so hot water and limestone phosphate act on the stomach, liver, kidneys and bowels.

ANCIENT NORTH PACIFIC STEAMSHIP COMPANY VESSEL WHICH COMES TO GRIEF OFF COAST.



STEAMER ROANOKE.

CONVICT IS RETAKEN

One of Three Fugitives Is Trained to Lair.

SHOTS STARTLE POPULACE

Guard Opens Fire on Form He Sees Crossing Bridge, But Rain of Bullets Merely Serves to Increase Speed to Safety.

EUREKA, Cal., May 10.—Leopold Waldo, one of three convicts who escaped from the road camp in Mendocino County last Sunday, was captured today in the brush country near Dyerville, by George P. Attmore, one of the pursuing posse, who trailed the fugitive from his last night's bed in the underbrush. Waldo had a half loaf of bread and a piece of venison. He was unarmed, and did not resist.

The other two fugitives are still at liberty. The posse hunting for them was increased today by the dispatching of two more prison guards.

Citizens of Dyerville are said to be getting a bit nervous since they were awakened from sound slumber at 10 o'clock last night by the cracking of a revolver in the hands of Guard Bowman, who fired a stream of bullets after one of the fleeing convicts. A man called "halt" when a woman, whom he recognized as one of the fugitives, started to cross a bridge. The fusillade of bullets merely urged him to go faster. He escaped.

Members of the posse believe they have the others surrounded, although they have not been seen since Sunday, when it was Bowman again who fought a running revolver duel with them.

They are going to try to starve the hiding convicts out of their lair in the brush, as a country so wild that hardy trappers seldom venture there.

AMERICANS CALLED OUT (Continued From First Page.)

ing Juarez. The five batteries of the Fifth Artillery, with the biggest guns in the United States, are being sent to the border here and will be planted on the Mesa at the fort, overlooking Juarez, where any attack which might be undertaken with the heavy artillery—French 76s—which are known to be in the Juarez garrison. Troops are also patrolling down town, and in the suburbs again tonight, to prevent any Mexican outbreaks.

Recruits Rush to Colors. Recruits are rushing to the colors in Arizona, New Mexico and Texas, as they did at the beginning of the Spanish war. A roughrider regiment is being formed in Arizona. The New Mexico Military Institute cadets have tendered the government their services as a motorcycle machine gun corps, and cowboys are enlisting for cavalry service throughout the Southwest.

The border is ready for any eventuality now and is literally itching for a scrap after Columbus, Santa Ysabel and Glenn Springs.

SUSSEX IS ACKNOWLEDGED (Continued From First Page.)

dent so as to require "visit and search." If the Sussex is had been established and the death and injuries inflicted on innocent non-combatants would have been avoided.

Germany further excuses the submarine commander by saying that he was "misled by the appearance of the vessel under the pressure of the circumstances."

Hurried Action No Excuse. He is declared to have formed his judgment "too hurriedly" in establishing her character, and that he therefore did not act fully in connection with the "strict instructions which called upon him to exercise particular care."

So far as the Sussex is concerned there will be no rupture of relations in view of the recent assurance given to this government, but it is declared that the Sussex was illegally attacked, and that the submarine commanders cannot be even indirectly justified by the contention that they made a mistake and by the admission of the government that "they acted too hurriedly."

Question May Not Be Settled. The authorities are perfectly willing to give all the credit possible for admitting that the Sussex was illegally attacked, but they are inclined to regard this action, together with the continuance of the German U-boat campaign, as indication that the submarine question is by no means settled. The Cymric, en route from New York to Liverpool, was sunk without warning and news today reached the State Department of destruction of four additional steamers, two of which "blew up" in the North Atlantic. In none of these cases was there visit and search.

However, as there were no Americans on board any of the craft sent to the bottom, the United States will do nothing. It can only take note of the occurrences and regard them as justification for breaking relations with Germany should a vessel carrying Americans either as passengers or as members of the crew be torpedoed in violation of the German pledge.

It is now said the "joker" in the latest German assurance lay in the statement that such assurances applied to merchantmen "recognized by international law."

It is declared by the Administration, however, that it will not enter into any discussion as to what are merchantmen recognized by international law and what are not. This Government will determine for itself whether a vessel torpedoed in violation of the German pledge was a merchantman and will act in accordance with the facts which its own agents gather.

That the President was justified in threatening to break off relations on account of the Sussex is now apparent from the German admission.

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OREGONIAN NEWS BUREAU, Washington, May 10.—Statements made today by Representative Kitchin, Democrat floor leader of the House, indicate that the Oregon and California land grant bill may not be brought up for consideration before the latter part of next week. Mr. Kitchin said the rural credits bill was likely to consume all of Thursday and Friday and the shipping bill probably would be taken up as soon as the rural credits bill passed.

Representative Larnot, of Wisconsin, who is hostile to Oregon's interests in this legislation, is urging Chairman Ferris to call up the land grant bill next Monday, which is suspension day. If his plan should be carried out, debate on the bill would be limited to 20 minutes on a side and no amendments could be offered. Mr. Larnot opposes allowing Oregon and the counties any more than they get under the bill up under suspension in order to shut off amendments which Representative Sinnott and Hawley intend to propose.

BRIDGE WORKER DROWNS Jack Fernandez Falls From Structure Into Rogue River.

LELAND, Or., May 10.—(Special.)—Jack Fernandez, 12 years old, while assisting H. D. Wilkins to erect a suspension bridge across Rogue River at Alameda, fell into the water and was drowned. Up to a late hour tonight his body had not been found. A divorced wife and one son survive. His brother and mother live at Yreka, Cal. He and a fellow workman were out on the bridge when a bolt gave way. His companion did not fall.

STEAMER ROANOKE IS LOST (Continued From First Page.)

land-California route and remained in charge when she was assigned to the southern route. She was built in 1882 at Chester, Pa., and saw service in the Atlantic and from different ports in the Pacific until going under the North Pacific banner and starting the schedule from Portland about 12 years ago, and with the Geo. W. Elder as a running mate, maintained the line to San Pedro, and nearly six years ago it was extended to San Pedro.

The Elder and Alliance, both former North Pacific vessels, are in the California South Sea Navigation Company's line now, the Elder being under charter as was the Roanoke, and the Alliance was taken over on the North Pacific management becoming interested in the other corporation a few weeks ago. The Roanoke was of 2345 tons gross and 1654 tons net register, being 267 feet long, with a beam of 60.5 feet and depth of hold of 18.4 feet.

First Officer Portland Man. Most of her crew made their homes in California, one exception being First Officer Charles J. Green, whose family lived at 304 Williams avenue, but moved to San Francisco when the Roanoke changed her field of operation. Captain Dickson had been in command several years, and is known from one end of the Coast to the other. A. Dennis was second officer, and like Chief Engineer McGinnis, had been in the ship for some time.

Others of the crew had made the Roanoke their home for lengthy periods while plying out of Portland, and it is not known what changes were made after she shifted to the West Coast route.

Estacada Plans Apple Show. ESTACADA, Or., May 10.—(Special.)—Plans are under way for an Estacada apple show this fall, as the hundreds of acres of young orchards, planted here from six to 10 years ago, are now in good bearing and promise a abundance of good fruit this season. To date, the cold rains have done no damage to the fruit.

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Mrs. Adams, who sued as Hortense Tracy, has been ordered to produce a certificate to substantiate her assertion that she was married to Tracy when she was 15 years old, in 1872. She produced a certificate, but, according to an affidavit filed by counsel for the defendants, the document was submitted to a handwriting expert, who declared it a forgery.

The certificate bore the signature of C. E. Stoughton, according to the affidavit, whereas Mrs. Adams had declared that she was married to Tracy by Rev. Norman Cook Stoughton, once an Episcopal minister in Athens, N. Y. Mrs. Adams was Hortense Pine, daughter of a builder in Lanesburg, N. Y., at the time of her alleged marriage. In 1887 she was married to Adams in Idaho.

Tracy, according to the defense, lived as a bachelor until his death in 1904. His property was left to a sister. Last year Mrs. Adams obtained a judgment against a holder of property Tracy once owned and the actions dismissed today were then begun. The costs in the suits, about \$17,000, were ordered entered against the plaintiff.

OLYMPIA, Wash., May 10.—(Special.)—E. W. Olson, State Labor Commissioner, John H. Wilson, Assistant Attorney-General, and F. I. Gill, Deputy State Bank Examiner, were today appointed Industrial Insurance Commissioners by Governor Lister, to take office June 1, displacing Floyd L. Daggett, A. B. Ernest and Clarence Parker.

Mr. Olson is from Walla Walla, Mr. Gill is from Spokane, and Mr. Wilson lives in Olympia. He conducted the recent Gillies fraud prosecutions.

NATION IS MORE SOBER Per Capita Use of Liquor Unchanged, but Fewer Persons Drink.

LOUISVILLE, Ky., May 10.—One-third of the Federal Government's revenue

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Advertisement for Oaks Park Chat. Monday Musical Club To Open Park Season. In opening The Oaks, Saturday, May 13, Manager John F. Cordray announces a special concert programme of the Monday Musical Club Chorus of thirty voices. The Chorus is under the direction of Mr. Lucien E. Becker and has won the admiration of music lovers through its sympathetic and finished interpretation of many difficult compositions. Of particular charm will be the appearance of Miss Harriet Leach, coloratura soprano, in solo numbers from her extensive repertoire. A variety of instrumental and vocal specialties will be introduced by members of the Monday Musical Club. A well-balanced programme of classical and popular numbers will be offered by the Columbia Ladies' Orchestra. WATCH "THE CHAT" DAILY FOR OAKS PARK EVENTS.

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