

PALM CITY FOUND PERFECT FOR CAMP

Four-Mile Hike From Ysidro Proves Excellent Training for Oregon Troops.

EQUIPMENT IS COMPLETE

Soldiers Now Supplied With Camp Cots and Extra Clothing—Medical Organization Is Active and Sick Cases Few.

PALM CITY, Cal., July 14.—(Special Correspondence.)—Yesterday morning the "general" sounded at San Ysidro, and with the last notes of the bugle call every tent was struck. In 30 seconds the mushroom city of tents flattened out into brown canvas on the ground, and an hour later the companies of the Third Battalion were ready for the move to Palm City.

By the time the troops finally pulled out of San Ysidro campground it was a whole lot more epic and span than when they came. There is nothing more than more polishing. Every nook and cranny of trash is picked up and burned. Each can is buried. Holes are filled. Oil and fire remove all traces of the military conveniences, and clean earth covers the burned-out pits. Tomorrow another camp could be pitched on the same spot, and nothing from the first would remain to make the second unpleasant.

Cleanliness Is Noted. The men grow weary of this big-scale housecleaning. An orange peel or a cigarette butt looks as big as an ash barrel would in the middle of Washington street. And as for a spot of dust in a gun barrel, why, that would create as much disturbance as a blind pig on Portland Heights, at least at inspection time. Then, from the personal physical standpoint, the men have to make heroic efforts to maintain their bodily cleanliness. Orders are for a foot wash each day. Two baths a week is the official minimum.

After some delay auto trucks arrived and by noon all the camp impedimenta was loaded, the new companies, A and B, which were to occupy the outpost position, had arrived, and the companies of the Third Battalion swung out on the dusty road to Palm City.

The march was in heavy marching order. Beside the rifle and belt with 90 rounds of ammunition, there was the blanket roll, containing two blankets, sweater, poncho and shelter half. The last named, by the way, is half of the shelter tents, which two men carry and occupy during active work. Then there is the haversack, with mess kit, socks, towel, soap and such articles. All in all, there is a plenty to carry, topped off with trenching tools and bayonet. It seems to be the most sensibly arranged outfit that could be devised, with the maximum of usefulness for the minimum of weight.

The road from San Ysidro to Palm City is about four miles long. It was a comfortable march, and the Third Battalion was in fine fettle when the dusty lines swung into the regimental camp at mid-afternoon. A pleasant camp it is, too. Palm City is a hopeful community which boasts a number of honest-to-goodness palms, some pleasant residences and a bracing sea breeze from the Pacific which is pleasant to the west only a couple of miles.

There are eucalyptus trees and orange and lemon groves, and a big level space for the camp. Taken all in all, Palm City is a first-class place for a regiment to camp. The climate is positively cool. Certainly, the Oregon troops are remarkably lucky in their location.

In a few days, or perhaps a fortnight (such things are uncertain), there will be another move. This time it will be to a location directly on the shore, a couple of miles west of here near Imperial City. The "city" is a resort sort of a place, with all kinds of ocean beach and breeze, and a score of houses. It is said that the troops are to have all the comforts of a permanent camp there. There will be such luxuries as wooden floors to the tents.

Imperial City "Winter Camp." In fact, technically, it will be equipped as a "winter camp." The very title worries the boys. This is July, and Winter is a long way off. Prospects of anything like a winter in Imperial City don't appeal. Mexico City might be all right, but overlasting training hereabouts doesn't compare with the attractions of home. Woodburn, Corvallis, or Salem, say.

It is apparent that the Third Oregon Regiment is especially fortunate in the attention that is being given it. The Oregon organization will be as well equipped (is now, in fact), as any militia body along the coast. There are eight (nearly better than most, according to those who know something of conditions elsewhere). That much credit for this satisfaction is due to the late Colonel McLaughlin is the statement of veterans who have had a hand in other organizations. The ropes and his prompt action going after what his troops have needed has brought prompt attention to the needs of the Third Oregon.

There has just arrived, and by express, a carload of camp cots. Hereafter every man will sleep on a cot, instead of on a straw tick on the ground, as heretofore. The last of the shoes necessary to outfit everyone have arrived and are being distributed today. In a day or two, it is understood, the overwhelming luxury of a second shirt will be possible.

Close to 100 animals have arrived for the regiment, exclusive of the cavalry. Troop A, The Troop, by the way, is still stationed at the Exposition Grounds, San Diego. There are eight mules for the ambulance service, and a pack mule for sanitary supplies. Under Major Marsellus the medical equipment and organization is hard at work. Its campaign thus far being one of prevention far more than cure. In this connection, everyone today received the third "shot" of anti-typhoid prophylactic, and this time there are no very sore arms. All hands are now insured against the worst diseases, and with the careful supervision being given everything affecting camp health, there will be precious little chance for sickness to get much of a start.

Wallowa Churches Unite for Day. WALLOWA, Or., July 18.—(Special.)—The Methodist, Presbyterian and Christian Churches united in an all-day outdoor service in the Stephenson Grove just west of town Sunday. A basket dinner was partaken of at the noon hour. Rev. L. A. Cook, of the Methodist Church, conducted the morning service, and Rev. Joseph Bogne, of the Christian Church, had charge of the services during the afternoon.

Hoquiam Club Gets Secretary. HOQUIAM, Wash., July 18.—(Special.)—Walter E. Slade has arrived in Hoquiam and assumed the duties of secretary of the Hoquiam Commercial Club. Mr. Slade formerly was secretary of the Elks' lodge in Bellingham, and is well known throughout the state.

The Creditors by Writ of Attachement Lock the Doors of the 4th St. Dept. Store



Statement by the Trustee

Being placed in charge of the Fourth-Street Department Store, I want to say a few words as to this event. The stock and fixtures will be sold and the entire store to be entirely wiped out of existence. In looking over this large stock, I must confess that in my 30 years' experience in merchandising I never saw a cleaner and nicer stock. The records show that at the time of the attachment the firm was in business less than eight months, making the stock entirely new and complete. I can assure the public of Portland and Oregon that they will buy the biggest and cleanest bargains ever offered. I have ordered the entire stock cut the limit. I want the entire city and state to be informed of this event and to attend this unusual sacrifice.

Dry Goods

- 23c Devonshire Cloth, per yard... 16c
65c All-wool Dress Goods, black and colors, at, yard... 39c
\$1.25 All-wool Imported Suitings, at, yard... 59c
\$1.75 Black Dress Taffeta, 36 inches wide, yd. \$1.39
\$2.00 Heavy Black Taffeta Silk, for Suits, 36 inches wide, \$1.48
75c Sheets, 72x90, special, each... 44c
10c Bleached Muslin now at... 7 1/2c
12 1/2c Lonsdale Muslin now at, yard... 9c
50c Bleached Table Damask, yard... 29c
75c Mercerized Table Damask, yard... 44c
75c Fancy Linen Huck, 20 inches, at, yard... 49c
\$1.00 All-wool Batts, 72x90, at, each... \$2.19
\$1.25 Hemstitched Table Cloths, full size, each... 89c
\$3.00 All-wool Batts, sale, each... \$1.19
\$1.50 Feather Pillows, for sale, each... 98c
\$1.75 Colored Felt, 72 inches wide, at... \$1.05

Ladies' Underwear

- 35c Union Suits, selling out at... 19c
50c Union Suits selling out at... 31c
\$1 Union Suits selling out at only... 62c
15c Vests selling out at special price of... 14c
25c Vests selling out at the low price of... 7c
50c Vests selling out at the low price of... 31c

Ladies' Hose

- 20c Ladies' Fine Black Hose, 11c selling out at... 39c
75c Finest quality Silk Hose, the pair... 79c

Children's Hose

- 15c Standard School Hose, sacrificed at only... 7c
25c Black and White Fine Hose, the pair... 14c

Middy Blouses

- \$1 Middy Blouses, good quality, go at... 69c
\$1.50 Fine Middy Blouses, different trimmings... 89c

Ladies' Bathing Suits

- \$1.50 Bathing Suits, Fine Quality, at... 79c
\$2.50 Ladies' Bathing Suits at... \$1.48
\$5 Ladies' Bathing Suits at... \$3.29

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- GREATEST SUIT BARGAINS IN THE UNITED STATES
\$15.00 Ladies' Suits Sacrificed at \$6.88
\$25.00 Ladies' Suits sacrificed at \$9.77
\$30.00 Ladies' Suits sacrificed at \$14.89
\$35.00 Silk Suits sacrificed at \$17.85
\$40.00 Ladies' Suits sacrificed at \$19.87

SKIRTS

- \$3.50 Wool Serge Shepherd Plaid Skirts... \$1.69
\$2.50 French Plaid White Wash Skirts... \$1.39
\$5.00 Serge Skirts... \$2.97

WAISTS

- \$1 White Madras Waist, sport style... 25c
\$3 Silk Crepe de Chine Waists... \$1.48
\$5 Ladies' Waists... \$2.48

Men's Overshirts

- 50c Work Shirts, light or dark, selling out at... 33c
\$1.50 best quality Shirts, golf or sport style... 79c
\$2 finest Dress Shirts... \$1.19
\$1.50-\$2.50 Sport Shirts, negligee or military collars... 88c

Men's Neckwear

- 50c Silk Four-in-Hands go 29c
75c and \$1 Silk Four-in-Hands Ties go at... 47c

LADIES' COATS

- \$10 New Summer Sports Corduroy and Cloth Coats Sacrificed at Only \$3.98
\$15 Sport Coats in corduroy, Palm Beach or white... \$6.88
\$20 and \$25 Coats, corduroy, beautiful styles and fabrics, sacrificed at... \$9.89
\$10 Beautiful Silk Poplin Dresses, a large selection at... \$4.19
\$12.50 Fine Silk Dresses, Silk Dresses, exquisite designs, to go at only... \$6.79
\$5.00 Vellie Wash Dresses, to go at... \$2.98

Men's Underwear

- \$1 and \$1.50 Special Big Lot Shirts and Drawers, Cooper... 48c
\$1.25 and \$1.50 medium weight Wool Underwear... 69c
\$1 Athletic or Knit Union Suits go at... 58c
\$1.50 and \$2 Cooper Union Suits go at... 97c
\$2.50 Cooper's Silk and Wool Shirts and Drawers... 98c
25c Standard Brand Socks 16c

SHOES

- \$2.50 to \$5 Growing Girls' and Ladies' High and Low Shoes, in desirable styles only, sizes 2 1/2, 3 and 3 1/2, selling out at... 50c
\$3.50 and \$4 Ladies' Fine Shoes, and low, all sizes ladies' and growing girls'... \$1.48
\$2.50 and \$4 Ladies' Fine Shoes, all desirable styles, go... \$1.89

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- The newest of the season. Beautiful English or conservative models. Most wanted patterns and fabrics. Large selection.
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BOYS' SUITS
\$5 Juvenile Suits, ages 3 to 7 years, at... \$2.69
\$6 Boys' Suits, ages 8 to 15 years, to go at... \$3.68
\$7 Boys' Suits, ages 8 to 15 years, to go at... \$4.44
\$2.50 Men's Linen Dusters to go at... \$1.48

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RAIN WORTH \$500,000

ROGUE RIVER VALLEY, FRUIT-GROWERS ASSURED OF BIG CROP.

Output Expected to Exceed 1000 Cars and Bring Return of \$1,000,000 Into District.

MEDFORD, Or., July 18.—(Special.)—A \$500,000 rain fell in the Rogue River Valley Saturday night and Sunday morning, according to local orchardists. The rain averaged an inch in 24 hours, and, according to County Pathologist C. C. Cate, assures an output of from 1000 to 1200 cars of high-grade apples and pears.

A heavy rain in July is very rare in the Rogue River Valley. The last two years practically no rain fell during the month. In 1913 there was a good downpour in July and as a result the largest output of apples and pears in the history of the valley up to that time was sold. The total number of cars in 1913 was between 1100 and 1200. It is generally believed this record will be equaled, if not surpassed, this fall.

If there had not been a heavy loss from frost in May, it is estimated, the valley would have sent out close to 2400 cars. At that time some ranchers

BATTERY GETS ITS PAY

SIX DOLLARS APIECE RELIEVE PRESSURE FOR TIME.

Oregon Boys' Days Crowded With Work. Drivers, Cannoneers and Gun Crews Find No Rest.

CALEXICO, Cal., July 18.—(Special.)—Today was the real big day of the month for Battery A of Oregon. It was payday. In the line that rged into the paymaster's quarters, sons of well-to-do Oregon families rubbed elbows with more humble, but equally patriotic citizen soldiers as the buglers call put a halt to all activities about the battery quarters. Regulation shirts were hastily pulled over mosquito welled backs as the Oregon boys fell into double file. The \$600 allowed the private for service rendered from June 19 to July 1 does not mean luxury.

The days are crowded with work. The drivers drill in throat parching fashion, care for their horses and then attend school. The cannoneers and gun crews find no rest either. Each day the three-inch rifles are trained toward Mexico and problems of the firing line are worked out with "dummy" shells.

The night guard has become accustomed to the pop of a six-shooter

Seattle Man Loses Rehearing

JUDGE G. P. SHIPWORTH HAS HANDS DOWN A DECISION DENYING A REHEARING IN THE CASE OF H. M. BUTTLE AGAINST DOUGLAS COUNTY.

SEATTLE, Wash., July 18.—Five men filed with Secretary of State Howell their candidacy for State and Congressional offices today. They were Robert Bridges, Orilla, Democrat, for the United States Senate; J. Y. C. Kellogg, Seattle, Republican, for Congress, first district; C. C. Hill, Spokane, Democrat, for Congress, fifth district; J. H. Morgan, Ellensburg, Democrat, for State superintendent of schools; W. E. Crumwell, Tacoma, Republican, for State Auditor.

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Three-fifths of the people in Portugal are engaged in agriculture.

ROY SLATER, OF SPOKANE, THEN CHAIRMAN OF THE PROGRESSIVE STATE COMMITTEE, TO CALL THE CONVENTION.

THE DALLAS POLICE TO KEEP QUIET.

THE DALLAS, Or., July 12.—(Special.)—The Dallas police department is to be run under cover in the future. In the future, it is said, nothing is to be given out for publication. The only arrests made for some time past have been for violations of the auto traffic law and for jamatac giner drunks.

PROGRESSIVES ARE CALLED

WASHINGTON STATE MEETING AT SEATTLE IS TO DECIDE ON POLICY.

SEATTLE, July 18.—Austin E. Griffith, Progressive National Committeeman from Washington, today issued a call for a mass convention of Progressives of this state to be held in Seattle Saturday, July 23. The purpose of the convention is to adopt a policy for the Progressive party of this state regarding state and National tickets at the coming election.

The decision to call the convention was reached after a series of conferences among Progressive leaders. Mr. Griffith was directed to instruct L.

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