COLONEL IN ACTION

Aggies' Military Instructor Commands in Battle.

REPORT MADE FROM FRONT

American Flag Goes Over Top With McAlexander's Regiment, Side by Side with French

Tri-Color.

That Colonel U. G. McAlexander for several years military instructor at Oregon Agricultural College, was in command of the first regiment of American troops to "go over the top" in France, and that he carried the first American flag into action, alongside the French tricolor, was information received yesterday by Dr. Harry F. Mc-Kay.

Colonel McAlexander was called 'ti

Colonel McAlexander was called to his command from the Oregon Agricultural College at the time of the Mexican border mobilization. Since then the family home has been at Santa Monica. Cal., where Mrs. McAlexander resides.

Photographs of the battle banner have been received by Mrs. McAlexander, and the record of its memorable entrance into the fray is attented by the signature of Colonel E. Mailiard, communider of the 17th French infantrs, who fought by the side of Colonel McAlexander's command. The date of the engagement is given as November 19, 1917.

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Colonel McAlexander is a graduate of West Point, 1887, and saw active service in the Spanish-American War and in various Indian outbreaks. His regiment was one of the first of the American expeditionary forces to be sent overseas when war with Germany was declared. He has many friends and acquaintances in Portland and throughout the Pacific Northwest.

PERSONAL MENTION.

R. J. Ginn, of Moro, is at the Perkins. Dudley, of Clatskanie, is at the George B. Wood, of Boise, is at the

Edward Nelson, of Bend, is at the O. Hilm, of Altuna. Wash., is at the D. J. McDonald, of Tacoma, is at the

J. J. O'Reilly, of Seattle, is gt the R. T. Rhoads, of Chicago, is at the E. A. Baretta, of Eugene, is at the

C. H. Rattray, of Scattle, is at the William Hanley, of Burns, is at the B. L. Porter, of Svenson, is at the

F. V. Newman, of Seattle, is at the Murray Blee, of Portland, is at the Guy Tex, of Central Point, is at the

H. N. Cockerline, of Albany, is at the J. J. Monsingo, of San Francisco, la L. J. Stoat, of Lewiston, Idaho, is at

C. D. Hinrich, of Hood River, is at A. N. Holman, of Eugene, is at the D. S. Young, of Newport, Or., is at

John C. Pratt, of Enterprise, is at M. J. Williamson, of Princyllle, is at the Imperial. V. Maron, of New York City, is at the Nortonia.

Thomas Young, of Pendleton, is at the Portland. L. Mackey, of New York City, is at Mrs. E. C. Holbrook, of Eugene, is at the Seward. W. J. Palerson, of Aberdeen, is at

the Multnoman. Eunice Gregory, of Pendleton, is at the Washington C. S. Brooks, of Underwood, Wash, is at the Benson.

L. J. Hartman, of Silverton, Or., is at the Cornelius. Jess Clements, of Henderson, Mont. is at the Oregon.
Judge John S. Coke, of Marshfield, OFFOF

is at the Imperial Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Cooper, of Bend,

are at the Seward. Mr. and Mrs. E. K. Peterson, of Hol-brook, are at the Ritz. Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Freeman, of The alles, are at the Ritz.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Gill, of Jerome, Idaho, are at the Portland. Sergeant Frank D. Dewar, of Vancouver, is at the Washington.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Larraway, of lood fliver, are at the Perkins.
Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Long, of Juneau, lasks, are at the Washington.

Alleged Liquor Sellers Held.

CHEHALIS, Wash, March 21 - (Special)-John Benavich and W. M. Waseig were held to the Pederal grand jury here today by Commissioner Westover. here today by Commissioner Westover. Both are charged with illegal sale of liquor to soldiers at Centralis. Bond was fixed at \$1000 each.

POST TOASTIES



We Give S. & H. Green Trading Stamps With Purchases Amounting to 10c or More-Filled Trading Stamp Books Redeemed in Cash, 4th Floor-Save Your Stamps British War Relief Red Cross Workers Will Meet in Our Auditorium, Fourth Floor, From 1 to 5 P. M.-All Members Are Urgently Requested to Attend

Glenwood Butter \$1 Special 2 Pounds \$1

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The Easter Fashion Exhibit Is Attracting Widespread Attention

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Silk Petticoats Bargain Circle, 1st Floor

Friday Special It will pay you to buy a couple of these high-grade Petticoats, for the price is far under value. Several attractive styles with plain or plaited flounces. Very latest Spring shades, such as gold, green, rose, blue, etc. All taffeta or silk

jersey with taffeta silk flounces.

Priced special for Fri- \$2.98 Silk Waists

Bargain Circle, First Floor-Georgette crepe and lace in white and flesh color, also crepe de chine waists in white, black and the brighter shades. Great \$3.25 many styles. Sale price

The Garment Store Presents A Number of Smart Models in

Easter Suits

Superbly tailored throughout-distinctive styles, reflecting the new season's most favored modes for street and dress occasions. Many show semi-fitting waistline with flare peplum and belt, others in Eton effects with fancy vestees and novelty collars. Skirts are plain tailored or in the fashionable tunic models. Materials are serges, neat hairline stripes, novelty mixtures and, of course, the much desired checks. Ask to see these new Spring Suits on display at only \$25 -OTHER SUITS ranging in price \$22.50 to \$125

Women's Coats at \$25 -Special showing at this price of the season's best styles, materials and colorings. Many models designed especially for misses and for juniors.



Skirts is most complete. Whether for dress occasions, for sport, for street or for business wear you will find here a splendid assortment of the new styles. Many are in full pleated effects with new wide belts, others in plain tailored, gathered or tunic styles. Silks, serges, poplins, satins-plain colors, checks, stripes, plaids. \$5 to \$29.50



Women's 35c-50c Collars At 23c

Main Floor-Dainty Organdy Collars in square or long shapes embroidered, lace-trimmed, tucked or hemstitched. Regular 23c 35c to 50c values, special 23c —NEW PIQUE and Organdy Collars with hand crochet lace edge and neatly embroidered patterns. Specially priced now at 65¢ each -NEW VESTS, Vestees, Guimpes and Waistcoats, extra well madeof satins, organdies, nets and pi ques. Priced 65¢ to \$5.00 each.

Belt Specials For Friday

—SPECIAL—New 2 or 3-35c inch belt—good 50c quality 35c —SPECIAL—One line of 75c Women's \$1 Belts, special 75c Main Floor—WOMEN'S BELTS of black patent leather-2, 3 or 4 inches wide-we have all wanted styles. Women's white kid belts in 2, 3 and 4-inch widths. The prices range from 50¢ to \$1.25

Drape Veils 35c

-Mill End Veils, 1 to 11/2-yard pieces-leading Spring colors, also black and white. Fine for 35c veils. Priced special, each



Easter Ribbons Special 19c Yd.

Main Floor-For fancy bags, for millinery, for sashes, for hairbows and various other uses these ribbons are most desirable. Novelty stripes and pretty floral designs in light and dark colorings. We also include a number of pieces of excellent quality gros grains and hairbow taffetas. 19c

20c to 50c Laces 12½c a Yard

curtains and fancywork-2 and 3 inches widefancy lingerie laces, Venise bands and narrow Venise trimming edges-also wide Cluny lace edges in white and ecru color and fine Barmen Cluny edges. Laces that usually sell at 20c, 25c to 50c a yard, in a great one-day 121/2c sale at the special price of, the yard 121/2c -NEW GEORGETTE CREPES IN ALL THE WANTED SPRING SHADES-\$2, \$2.25 YD.



For Boys

-THE BOYS' STORE will feature a special showing of Easter Suits Friday and Saturday that all parents should make it point to attend. Attractive new Spring tyles in belted and loose-back models finest of workmanship throughout - patterns that are distinctively Springlike, and priced now from \$6.50 up to \$16.50 -BLUE SERGE and blue cheviot suits in the latest models. From \$10 to \$16.50

Boys'Dutchess Knickers "10c a Button-50c a Rip"

wear Dutchess Knickers and slide down stairs or play sapfrog to his heart's content. Of quality corduroy. On sale in the Boys' Store \$1.50 to \$2.50 a pair.

Wheel Goods 4th Floor

-Coasters, Bicycles, Tricycles, Play Wagons, Play Autos, Velocipedes, Baby Carriages, Go-Carts, Sulkies— Wheel Goods of best makes reasonably priced.

—Fourth Floor.

-We Give S. & H. Green Stamps.



Smart Clothes \$1.75, \$2.25 Fancy Silks Friday Special Yd. C430 Center Circle, First Floor - Striped Peau de

Cygne, Printed Satins, Printed Voiles and striped taffetas-lines from our regular stock. For dresses, skirts, waists and linings. A great opportunity to supply your Spring needs worth-while saving. \$1.75 to \$2.25 Silks \$1.39

Heavy Sheeting 2 Yds. Wide

Main Floor-Full Bleached Sheeting of a wellknown make. No telephone orders accepted wide. Friday and Saturday, yard 321/2C for this special. Full two yards

Comfort Batts 6 For \$1

Main Floor-Good size Batts of white, fluffy cotton, suitable for comforters. No telephone orders filled for this special. Cotton Batts, special now at 6 for \$1.00

Remnants!

-Short lengths of table damask, towelings, crashes, outings, percales, wash crepes, Devonshire cloth-special prices.



Yard

Women's Easter Boots Regular \$9.50 \$6.98 Values for \$6.98

Main Floor-Women's 81/2-inch laced boot of mahogany calf with champagne-colored kid tops, narrow toe with imitation wing tip, half Louis heel and welted soles. Sizes 21/2 to 7, widths C, D and E-\$9.50 model. Also several \$6.98 other good styles. Sale price, pair

\$5, \$5.50 Shoes

patent colt with black cloth tops. Buttoned or laced styles, narrow or medium round toes. Sizes 21/2 to 8. Widths, AA to D. \$5.00 \$2.98 to \$5.50 shoes now at pair,

Women's Silk Handkerchiefs

Reg. 35c Kind - Special, Each Main Floor-Women's pure silk crepe handkerchiefs with Japanese fast color printed designs. These are right new and very attractive, and would ordinarily sell at 35c. No telephone orders accepted for this special-35c Kerchiefs

SHORT ILLNESS.

at Home of Daughter - John Troxel Expires at Pilot Rock.

PENDLETON, Or., March 21.—(Special.)—Three pioneer Umatilia County people were called by death within the past 24 hours. William F. Gillette, week.
Charles Duncan and W. Mosses, of England, and Collis Lively, of Washington, D. C., all of the British Labor Council, are at the Mulinomah.

Red Cross Sheep on Tour.

BEND, Or., March 21.—(Special.)—Brether Bill, the Red Cross sheep which sold in Bend at the sheepman's banquet for \$1000, was shipped tonight to Redmond, where it will be auctioned offer the benefit of the organization in that city. It is proposed to sell him in every important city in the state, with a final sale at Fortland.

Allowed View. PENDLETON, Or., March 21 -- (Spe

Fritz Ellenburger, of many years a John J. Troxel, for many years a Umatilla County farmer but recently a resident of the Willametta Valley, alied yesterday marning at Pilot Rock, where he had returned in hope of improving his health. He was born in May, 1882, in Corvallia. His wife and aix children, Evan, William, Chaney, Freda, Otto and Charlotte, survive him.

Schooner Steward Admits Bringing Whisky From California.

that the investigation of their cases

RILEY LECTURES IMPRESS

Mrs. Marguerite Salomon, of the staff of the Outlook, in a letter to William McMurray, general passenger agent for the O.-W. R. & N. Company, speaks in high praise of the Northwest publicity lectures being given throughout the East by Frank Branch Riley, of this city.

Mrs. Salomon recently head Mr. Riley at the Brocklyn Institute. "I cannot wait until I get home from to-

REPORTED STREET ROBBERY DE-DEVELOPS INTO MYSTERY.

Man and Woman Who Complained of Being Held Up Do Not Live at Address Given to Police.

With the finding of a \$60 gold watch on a nearby lawn, and the utter disappearance of Miss Esther Johnson and Arnie Evans, who reported to the police that they had been held up at Nineteenth and Hoyt atreets Tuesday night, Detectives Leonard, Snow and Riley at the Brooklyn Institute. "I cannot wait until I get home from tonight's Hiley-Jones' lecture to say how wonderfully impressive it was," she peaned on one of her calling cards, which she inclosed to Mr. McMurray.

OREGONIAN NEWS BUREAU, Washington, March 21.—Frank Branch Riley tonight delivered his lecture on the Northwest before the National Press Club. Tomorrow he speaks before the University Slub and Saturday before the Cosmos Club, of this city.

Inight, Detectives Leonard, Snow and Craddock, assigned to the case, admit that the "plot has thickened."

At the addresses given by the young couple, Trinity Place Apartments and 1215 Monrde street, all knowledge of the was disclaimed. The watch, corresponding to the description of the highwayman, was found yesterday morning a few yards from the scene of the supposed hold-up.

Both told the police that the robber covered them with a revolver and forced

his cash and the gold watch. The young woman produced a broken bit of the chain, which came spart in her the chain, which came spart in her zealous efforts to obey the highway-man's mandate. The chain of the might have in giving what appear to described as lame.

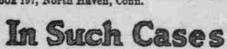
Miss Johnson to "frisk" her escort for watch found yesterday is likewise be incorrect addresses is that they cash and the gold watch. The broken.

Middle Aged Women

Are Here Told the Best Remedy for Their Troubles.

Freemont, O.—"I was passing through the critical period of life, being forty-six years of age and had all the symptoms incident to that change — heat flashes, nervousness, and was in a general run down condition, so it was hard for me to do my work. Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound was recommended to me as the best remedy for my troubles, which it surely proved to be. I feel better and stronger in every way since taking it, and the annoying symptoms have disappeared."—Mrs. M. GODDEN, 925 Napoleon St., Fremont, Ohio.

North Haven, Conn.—"Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegeta-ble Compound restored my health after everything else had failed when passing through change of life. There is nothing like it to overcome the trying symptoms." —Mrs. Florence Isella, Box 197, North Haven, Conn.





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SMUGGLER GETS 3 MONTHS

After pleading guilty to smuggling into the state 720 quarts of whisky from California, Nells Carl Jensen. Steward on the schoener Johan Pouleen, was yesterday sentenced to three months in the County Jali by United States Judge Wolverton.

Jensen and some of his associates, who were arrested for importing approximately 4000 quarts of liquor into the state, are suspected of having worked in conjunction with others with the state, are suspected of having worked in conjunction with others and some of his associates. Tonight sure! Take Cascarets and complexion rosy—they're wonderful. Get a 10-cent box now at any drug store. Mothers can safely give a whole Cascaret to the state, are suspected of having worked in conjunction with others and sinjoy the nicent, gentlest liver and constitute or constituted—Cascarets are harmless, or constituted—Cascarets are harmless,