

CIVIL WAR NURSES WILL BE HONORED

Reception Planned Will Be Stellar Event of National G. A. R. Encampment.

BIG DELEGATIONS COMING

At Least 20,000 Visitors Expected at Opening of Great Reunion Next Week; Commander-in-Chief Due Wednesday.

The very first gospel of the Grand Army encampment, which opens in Portland next Monday, concerns the devils that the veterans may be expected to pay to the Civil War nurses...

It has always been so, at every Grand Army encampment of the past. The lady who fought at Shiloh or Gettysburg, who felt the slash of saber or smash of mallet...

Big Delegations Coming. Of the Grand Army there will be present 700 accredited delegates from the various parts of America...

Orlando A. Somers, commander-in-chief, with Robert W. McBride, Adjutant-General, and their respective staffs, will arrive on Wednesday night...

On Friday morning General Somers will open headquarters on the mezzanine floor of the Hotel Nottola...

On Sunday morning the Grand Army executive committee will meet at headquarters. Though the encampment does not open officially until the following day...

Grand Reception Planned. On Monday night will be held a grand reception and semi-business meeting at the Auditorium...

Friday the accredited delegates will visit the Columbia Highway and picnic at Bonneville Park...

Social stores will be opened in a window-trimming contest for encampment week, under direction of the committee...

POISON FATAL TO WOMAN

Mrs. S. Balaco, Despondent, Takes Mercury Tablets.

Mrs. Spiro Balaco, aged 19, 545 1/2 Williams avenue, died yesterday at Good Samaritan hospital following the effects of taking bichloride of mercury tablets...

WASCO GIVES 12 NURSES

Miss Katherine Anderson Named as Registrar for Campaign.

ASTORIA, Or., Aug. 12.—(Special)—Wasco County's quota of nurses to enlist for the training reserve was more than filled at the close of the drive Sunday...

Liquor Barred Off Trains. WASHINGTON, Aug. 12.—Sale of liquor in railroad stations on railroad trains was forbidden by Director-General McAdoo today in an order effective immediately...

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Bluhm cheese fits in on that auto trip!

SOCIETY NEWS

SOCIETY'S chief interest nowadays is in patriotic work. The women who are interested in the salvage bureau are giving their time and the use of automobiles to carry bundles to the bureau at Third and Oak streets...

Dr. George Norman Pease left Sunday night for New York City, having received orders to report for active service at the Neurological Hospital. He received a commission as First Lieutenant in the medical division.

Mrs. E. M. Runyon, of 597 Main street, entertained recently for Miss Besico Oweid who is home for the summer. Miss Ella Lockwood shared in the honors. Miss Lockwood is visiting here.

The many friends of Miss Harriet Griffith will be glad to know that she is steadily improving after her recent operation. Miss Griffith is at St. Vincent's Hospital.

Eugene Ehrhardt, whose marriage to Miss Susie Boone Paige will be solemnized tomorrow noon, entertained last night at a theater party at the Heilig to witness the production of "Folly With a Past."

Mrs. A. W. Larson, formerly of this city, now of Lewiston, Idaho, is a visitor in Portland. Mr. Larson, who is assisting in one of the larger banks, will arrive in a few days. Mrs. J. W. Carse, sister of Mrs. Larson, will entertain for the visitors at her country home at Carleton.

Mrs. Charles Webber entertained at a houseboat party Sunday for Miss Laura Rogers and a few congenial friends.

Mrs. William Wentworth, of Chicago, arrived in this city yesterday to be the guest of her sister Mrs. James M. Reeves, 1539 East Gilliam street.

Mr. and Mrs. Everett Babcock are among those who are giving their services toward making the Oriental fête Thursday night a success. Mrs. Babcock is preparing many of the draperies and Mr. Babcock will plan the stage decorations. The fête will be at the H. C. Wortman home on Vista avenue and will open at 8:30 o'clock.

Mrs. Frank E. Watkins entertained at a luncheon at the Automobile Clubhouse Thursday afternoon for Mrs. James P. Twoby, who leaves Portland shortly to make her residence in Seattle, and Mrs. Marion E. James, who will make her home in Stockton, Cal. Guests at the luncheon were Mrs. Twoby, Mrs. James, Mrs. Rex H. Conant and her sister, Mrs. Jewett, from Piedmont, Cal.; Mrs. S. B. Archer, Mrs. Paul DeHaven, Mrs. Trenkman and Mrs. Herbert Newland.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Wingate, of Astoria, are guests of Mrs. Willis Wainwright at her home in Willamette Heights.

Miss Ruby Murray, of this city, was included among the guests registered at the Lankershim Hotel, Los Angeles, last week.

Among the guests registered at the Hotel Clark, Los Angeles, the past week were included Dr. H. C. Buckley and wife, Mrs. W. W. McKensie and Mrs. F. Lee and daughter.

C. C. Bradley, of this city, was in San Francisco last week, at the Bellevue Hotel.

L. F. Burton and R. Medjeska were among the guests registered at the past week from this city at the U. S. Grant Hotel, San Diego.

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Jones, of 390 Dover street, are receiving congratulations on the arrival of a baby daughter.

BIG AREA BURNED OVER

MORE THAN 100,000 ACRES SWEEPED IN RAINIER NATIONAL FOREST.

Forest Examiner and Associates Complete Six-Day Inspection of Cispus Forest Fire.

The Cispus forest fire in the Rainier National Forest burned over a larger area than at first supposed, according to Forest Examiner W. B. Osborne, Jr., who returned yesterday to Portland after an inspection in the burned district. Mr. Osborne, accompanied by Forest Supervisor G. F. Allen, of Tacoma, and Mineralogist T. Francis Drake, of the United States Weather Bureau at San Francisco, made a 100-mile trip on foot, covering practically the entire distance around the big burn. The fire started from Lewis, Wash., and ended their hike at Randall, six days later.

They found that the greatest length of the burned area, east and west, was 35 miles. The fire was larger in extent than previously estimated, more than 100,000 acres being burned over. The country over which the fire raged was practically the same as that of the old Cispus burn of 1902, and on this account the chief damage was to the young stand of Douglas fir which this section had been restocked. Some loss was also found among the green timber.

The fire is still smoldering in places, although the weather during the past two weeks has been favorable for effective control. Some 140 men, about half of whom are soldiers, are at work preventing the further spread of the flames. Small fires are smoldering in many places in the green timber, and the fighters are engaged in locating these spots and putting out the fires before they gain headway.

STRIKE HERE POSTPONED

Employees of Freight Houses Agree to Wait for Adjustment.

Postponement of their threatened strike, while points at issue are under adjustment, was consented to by employees of all Portland freight houses yesterday, as the result of a conference of representatives of the Brotherhood of Railway Clerks and Station Employees with officials of the Spokane, Portland & Seattle Railway and the O. W. R. & N. Company.

Six hundred employees are concerned in the threatened strike, and their demands include a uniform eight-hour day and wage increases to conform

Draft Board's Work Grows. VANCOUVER, Wash., Aug. 12.—(Special)—So great has the work of the Clarke County draft board become that larger quarters have been found necessary, so a store building at 605 West Eleventh street has been secured. D. K. Webster has been appointed a board member to succeed Mrs. M. R. Haack, resigned.

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HOUSEWIVES!

You Can Have Fine Results With Substitutes. You Can Save Money, Too. The first thing to do is to make your war dough thinner because war flours absorb more moisture; and since baking powder is largely used as a leavener, use CRESCENT—it has 20% more leavening power combined with a steady, even raise which holds the dough in suspension until perfectly baked.

Follow the above directions and you will be proud of the results and enjoy making really good things with substitutes. The abnormal quantity of baking powder called for in most war flour recipes is entirely unnecessary if CRESCENT is used. Experiments conducted by Mrs. J. R. Toller especially for us have determined the correct quantity of baking powder required and the proper proportions of different substitutes for white flours (the two recipes below give excellent examples):

Obtain Our Table for Correctly Proportioning Substitutes. We have published these proportions and recipes in handy form on a card for hanging up in your kitchen. You will find this table a wonderful help in war flour baking. If your grocer cannot supply you with one of these cards, send us 1c stamp for mailing free copy. Remember, there is real saving in CRESCENT and if you are not using it, give it a trial in your very next baking.

Chocolate Cake and Corn Flour and Barley Muffins recipes. Includes an image of a Crescent Baking Powder can and a small table for proportioning substitutes.

Note the Small Quantity of Baking Powder.

WOMEN'S PATRIOTIC SERVICE

By EDITH KNIGHT HOLMES. GLENOCIE district weighed and measured 123 babies. So far that is the record. What district will do better?

MOSS PICKERS WANTED

CALL ISSUED FOR WOMEN TO HELP ON SPHAGNUM WORK. Order Received for 450,000 Dressings For Red Cross Italian Commission.

With an order in hand for 450,000 sphagnum moss dressings to be supplied to the Red Cross Italian commission, the Northwest is once more swinging hard to work, and a general call for help has been issued from the Red Cross workrooms, on the eighth floor of the Lippman-Wolfe building, and on the fourth floor of the Spaulding building, as well as from the sorting depot at the Irvington Club and in the Worcester building.

Because of the fact that what is described as the finest sphagnum moss in the world comes from Tillamook County, where all other Red Cross activities have been suspended that a great pick of sphagnum moss may be made, the call comes with special importance to Portland.

"Scotland is now making 4,000,000 sphagnum moss pads each month and Canada 20,000,000 annually," said Major I. Lovengart, chairman of the Red Cross military relief committee.

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CITY COMMISSIONER BACK

Mayor Baker Expected in City Thursday; Mann Due Today. After spending two weeks with his family at Seaside, City Commissioner Barbur returned to his duties yesterday.

The greater portion of the time of the Commissioner's vacation was spent in fishing and catching crabs and pickering with blackberries. Mrs. Barbur canned 40 quarts of the delicious berries for consumption next winter.

Mayor Baker, who is spending his vacation touring the southern part of the state in an automobile, is expected back in the city tomorrow or Thursday, and City Commissioner Mann will return from Coos Bay today.

TELEPHONE OPERATORS WANTED

Telephone operating offers many advantages to young women who are seeking employment at a good salary with opportunities for advancement.

Good Pay \$9 per week paid beginners. Rapid and frequent increase in salaries. Permanent Position Work is steady and permanent. Many opportunities for advancement. Interesting Work Pleasant, clean, fascinating. Associates carefully selected. Pleasant Surroundings Light and well ventilated offices. Comfortable lunch and recreation rooms. Special Advantages Annual vacation with pay. Sick Benefits, Death Benefits, Pensions, without cost.

Good Character and Good Health are required. Young women between the ages of 18 and 26 are preferred. Previous experience is not necessary. Our employment office is located on the Sixth Floor, Room 601, in the Telephone Building, Park and Oak Streets, and is open from 8:30 A. M. to 5:30 P. M. We invite you to call at this office and meet Miss Thomas, who will gladly discuss the matter personally with you. An appointment may be made by calling Broadway 12000.

The Pacific Telephone and Telegraph Company Room 601—Sixth Floor PARK AND OAK STREETS

CASTORIA advertisement for infants and children, featuring a bottle of Castoria and the signature of Dr. J. C. Hutchins.

HOLSUM BREAD advertisement featuring an image of a woman and the text 'The housewife who is most particular asks for HOLSUM BREAD please'.

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