

CAMP GEER DESERTED

ALL THE GUARDSMEN LEFT FOR HOME YESTERDAY.

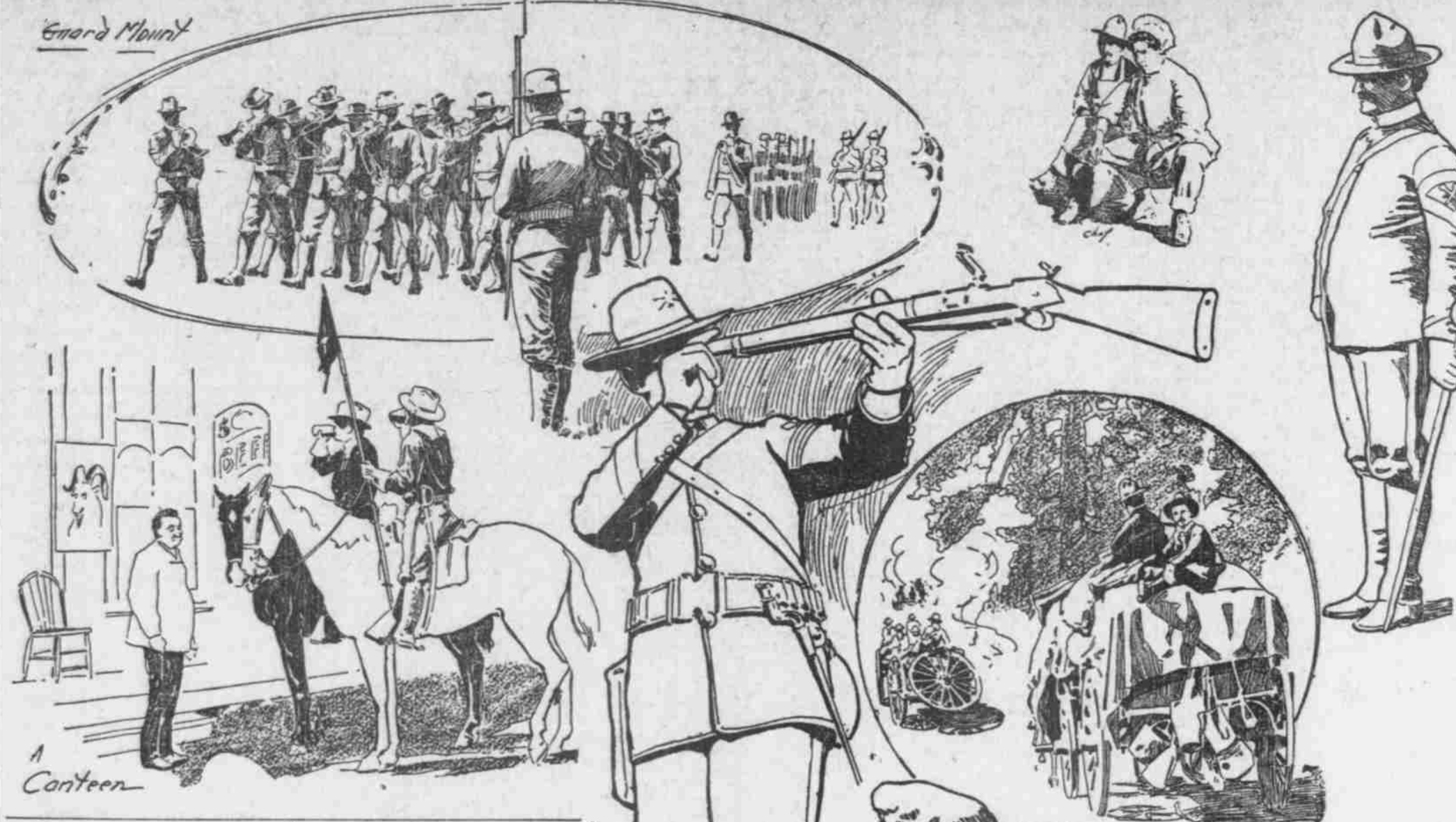
Said to Have Been the Most Successful Encampment Ever Held in the State of Oregon.

SALEM, Or., July 14.—All is quiet tonight at Camp Geer, where the most successful encampment ever held by the Oregon National Guard has just closed. Camp was broken at 6 o'clock this morning and tonight every vestige of Guard property has been removed, and the camp-ground is left as clear as it was on the day the camp was formed.

The soldiers were paid off last evening, and almost all were given permission to go to town and remain until 11 o'clock. Many expressed the opinion that the boys would spend their money foolishly, and become disorderly, but such was not the case.

The sanitary conditions that have prevailed at Camp Geer have also been commendable. In so large a crowd of men eating in tents, it is difficult to prevent sickness.

SCENES AT CAMP GEER



Of this amount, \$15,278 is on account of pay of officers and men. The expenditure for supplies is considered very reasonable and below what might have been expected.

There are many features of the encampment that will be fondly remembered by the soldier boys. The good appearance and general good conduct of the boys gave reassurance to the young ladies of Salem, who, like the ladies of every clime, admire the military spirit.



At Camp Geer, where 1300 men have participated, the greatest number reported sick at one time was 21. The location at Hood River, in Colonel Gillis' opinion, was better than that at Salem.

A pleasant walk through nearby groves in company with lady friends. The wearying labor of the day's drill and parade was easily forgotten in the blissful enjoyment of boisterous smiles, and many a soldier boy will long remember the girl he left behind at Salem.

two brass cannon which are to be placed on the Statehouse grounds will not be kept as bright as they have been during the encampment for there will be no guardhouse squad to polish them.

The people of Salem will also remember the encampment with kindly feelings. Besides the friendly relations they have maintained with the soldiers, they have occasion to be grateful for many courtesies extended by Brigadier-General Charles F. Beebe.

The one sad feature of the encampment was the death of Roy D. Gage, of Company C, Third Regiment. That the loss of their beloved comrade was deeply felt by the men has been evident throughout the encampment.

ing a large album to present to Miss Helen Gould, and will use the pictures taken here in making up his album.

FIRST ASCENT OF THE SEASON. Party of Corvallis Men Climb to the Top of Mount Hood.

CORVALLIS, Or., July 14.—Last night Dr. Harper and Professor Kent, McElfresh and McKelipa, of the Agricultural College, reached Corvallis from a two weeks' trip, in which they made the ascent of Mount Hood.

Canon for the College. Two cannon, supplied by the military department, have been received at the Agricultural College for use in instructing the cadets in artillery drill.

To Utilize More Hardwood. The new hardwood establishment at the Corvallis sawmill is shortly to begin the manufacture of brackets for telegraph and telephone poles.

Professor F. L. Kent, of the Oregon Agricultural College dairy department, will leave next week for a tour of all the creameries of Oregon.

INSANE FROM LIQUOR. Captain Healy Will Be Committed to an Asylum.

PORT TOWNSEND, Wash., July 14.—Upon complaint of Dr. Gardner, in charge of the United States Marine Hospital, Captain M. A. Healy, of the United States cutter McCulloch, was examined today by the County Board of Physicians, who pronounced him insane, and a commitment to the Asylum will be issued.

years, while on waiting orders, he was subjected to many attacks of insomnia, lasting from a week to 10 days at a time, and also that the cause of this attack was excessive use of intoxicants during the two weeks previous to July 8.

KILLED FATHER AND SISTER. Deadly Result of Accidental Discharge of a Gun.

VICTORIA, B. C., July 14.—The accidental discharge of a Winchester rifle in the hands of a 16-year-old boy today resulted in the death of the boy's father, B. McClure, care-taker of the Coldstream Water Works, and his 14-year-old sister. The boy is so crazed with grief that he attempted to drown himself in a reservoir.

Reception to Congressmen. TACOMA, July 14.—State Republicans extended a cordial welcome to Congressmen Jones and Cushman at the Hotel Tacoma tonight.

Washington Democrats. SEATTLE, July 14.—The Democratic, Populist and Silver-Republican state conventions for the nomination of Presidential Electors, two Congressmen and state officers will be held in this city Monday, August 7.

Roseburg Man's Suicide in Seattle. SEATTLE, July 14.—A West, formerly of Boise, Idaho, committed suicide in a hotel in this city at 10 o'clock this evening.

Captain Coghlan's Condition. CHICAGO, July 14.—A special to the Times-Herald, from Colorado Springs, Colo., says: Captain Coghlan, of the United States Navy, is here slightly ill, but not in a serious condition as reported in the East.

Contagious Diseases. Kate Good, 227 Jefferson street, typhoid fever. Hanita Friedenthal, 105 North Eighteenth street, chicken-pox.

Marrriage Licenses. John R. Palmer, aged 23, Lena Garnold, aged 20; E. E. Barber, 23, Jennie M. Steele, 21; George E. Marcy, 25, Mildred J. Gilman, 17.

ANOTHER FATAL RUNAWAY

TEAM AND BINDER RAN OVER LINS COUNTY FARMER.

Two Other Serious Accidents With Teams at and Near Albany—Ramsey May Recover.

ALBANY, Or., July 14.—D. Peterson, living one mile from this city, met with an accident this afternoon which will probably prove fatal. While driving two horses to a binder near the fair grounds, the horses became frightened and ran into a fence.

Besides the Ramsey runaway, terminating fatally, Albany has been the scene of two other bad accidents. Clay Powell was thrown from his buggy, falling under a neighbor who was with him, and was badly bruised and cut in the face.

Mrs. Henry R. Ramsey, killed in yesterday's runaway in this city, was a daughter of Alfred Powell, a prominent pioneer citizen of Linn County, and was 62 years of age.

DON'T LIKE EXPRESS COMPETITION. Washington Bankers' Association Resolves Against It.

TACOMA, July 14.—The State Bankers' Association this morning elected the following officers: President—Jacob Furth, Seattle.

The matter of securing abatement of the 10 per cent taxation on Canadian currency was discussed and referred to the protective committee of the association.

The following members were chosen to compose the executive committee for the ensuing year: Hon. Miles C. Moore, of Walla Walla, chairman; Edwin T. Colman, of Colfax; L. L. Andrews, of La Conner; George Donald, of Yakima, and Charles S. Rutledge, of Spokane.

The following resolution was offered by Mr. Brooke, of Spokane, and adopted: "Resolved, That it is the sense of this association that the war revenue tax on banks and documents should be materially reduced, and that express companies issuing money orders, in competition with the banks, should be compelled to pay for the privilege; and

"Resolved, That this resolution be transmitted to the Secretary of the National Bankers' Association, with the request that the matter be taken up by that body with the Congressional committee."

The president will appoint either Levi Ankeny or Miles C. Moore, of Walla Walla, as delegate to the National Bankers' Association at Richmond, Va.

DAILY CITY STATISTICS.

Real Estate Transfers. Addison Potter et ux to Grand Army Cemetery Association, 25 5 feet of lot 128, section 4, T. 20 N., R. 12 E., 1st 1/2 sec. Addition, July 14, 1900, 318

Deaths. July 10, Mary Bunce, age 4 days, St. Vincent's Hospital, gastro-intestinal. July 12, Mary Padden, age 62 years, 121 North Fifteenth street, old age.

July 14, Grace Allen, age 8 years, Sellwood, cardiac paralysis. July 13, Albert V. Henderson, age 11 months, Baby Home, meningitis.

July 7, Mary V. Simmons, age 10 years 11 months, foot of East Ankeny street, drowned. July 13, M. L. Donohoe, age 66 years, Good Samaritan Hospital, cancer of stomach.

Births. July 13, girl to the wife of E. Smith, First and Main streets. July 2, boy to the wife of W. A. Pullen, Sandy road.

July 8, boy to the wife of Victor E. Rafano, 281 1/2 East Pine street. July 11, boy to the wife of Henry J. Nickles, 538 Northeast Sixth street.

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