OREGON TROOPS GO TO PLAY AT WAR

Third Infantry Leaves Amid Cheers for Maneuvers at Montesano, Wash.

MEN IN GOOD CONDITION

Guardsmen Accustom Themselves to Strenuous Ten Days' Campaign by Taking Practice Hikes to Clackamas Station.

Cheering and waving their hats as though they were off for real war, 750 members of the Third Infantry of the Oregon National Guard left Portland yesterday in special trains for Montesano, Wash., near where they are to take part in strenuous mimic warfare for the next 10 days, as a part of the annual maneuvers participated in by regulars and the National Guard from the States of Oregon, Washington and Idaho.

Not in a long time have the streets about the Armory and the Union Depot presented such warlike scenes, and not in years have the Guardsmen been so confident of having a real enjoyable and interesting campaign and outing as during the seven hours yesterday morning when they were hurrying about completing arrangements for the departure.

Soldiers Report Early.

The day had hardly broken before the Guardsmen began to report at the Armory and select their field equipment. From then until 12:30 o'clock, when the last special train departed, the Armory and the depot were crowded with the soldiers making final preparations for the trip and the 10 days of fighting.

The first train departed at 9 A. M. with all the troops from Portland, including Companies H, B, F, C, headquarters, sanitary troops and the ambulance company. The second section left at 12:30 with the troops from out in the state, which arrived on various trains during the morning.

As each train pulled out the air resounded with cheering, and hats were waved from every car window. The demonstration continued until the trains had left the city. Hundreds of persons were at the depot to see the trains leave, and they joined in the cheering.

Light Equipment Taken.

The Guardsmen are equipped only with light field supplies. Their luggage weighs about 20 pounds, each man being supplied only with one blanket, one shelter half of "pup" tent, one rifle, one knapsack, a change of underwear and a set of eating utensils, including the big Army tin-cup, the cast-iron knife and fork, the big tin spoon and an iron "mess plate" and a canteen.

The Guardsmen's blankets were rolled in the customary manner and wrapped around their bodies and the knapsack tied on behind. They were attired in marching leggings, campaign hats and khaki uniforms, and everyone was prepared for a good hard campaign. The companies had about 75 per cent of their full strength, which is unusual for an encampment, showing that the present one has promise of being unusually interesting.

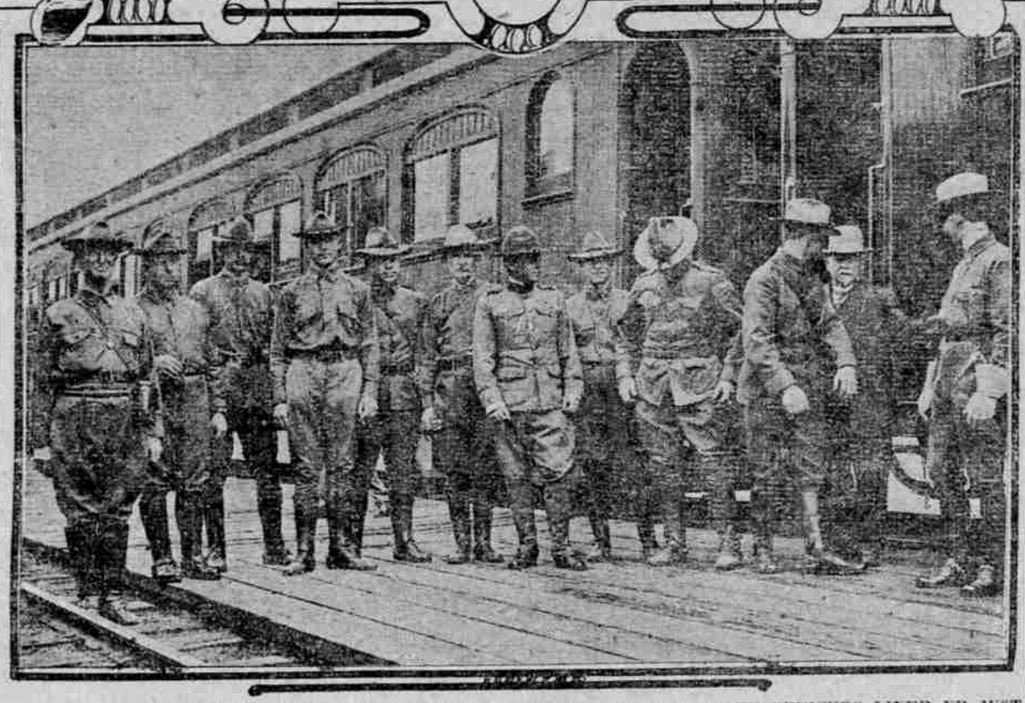
Those who have undertaken the strenuous campaign have been practicing for a considerable time on marching and horseback riding. The men, or most of them at least, have been attending practice hikes and sham battles at Clackamas station and have got in good marching trim, while the officers have been riding from the city to the rifle range on horseback each Sunday for a month getting in shape. The staff officers are to be mounted during the tramp of the troops.

Horses and Mules Taken.

Forty horses and 36 mules were taken in five cattle cars attached to the first special train. The horses are to be ridden by the officers and the mules are to pull the supply wagons which are to follow the troops. Each night the troops are to form bivouac camps with "pup" tents, and at all times the camps are to be protected by sentries and men and detachments on outpost duty.

The marching columns will be carefully protected the same as in actual warfare. Deatchments, scouts and advance guards are to be kept ahead at all times. The members of the Guard are looking forward with interest to the sham battle, which is to mark the conclusion of the encampment at Gate, Wash., when the two bodies of troops meet. A plentiful supply of ammunition was taken along by the troops.

OREGON NATIONAL GUARD TROOPS DEPART FOR SCENE OF MIMIC WAR IN WASHINGTON.



UPPER, TROOPS BOARDING SPECIAL TRAIN AT UNION STATION—LOWER, STAFF OFFICERS LINED UP JUST BEFORE THE DEPARTURE.

PICNIC BIG SUCCESS

Employes of Street Railway Go to Estacada Park.

B. S. JOSSELYN IS LAUDED

Resolution Is Adopted Protesting Against Attacks Made on Head of Company—Races of Lively Kind Are Held.

Eighteen cars filled with employes of the Portland Railway, Light and Power Company formed what the residents of Estacada pronounced the biggest and jolliest "bunch" ever at Estacada Park. Two special trains left Portland yesterday morning, and the picnickers stayed at the park in Clackamas County all day.

The first train was composed of the excursion cars of the Mount Hood railway—flat cars with seats on them—while the second was a string of open cars.

All along the route the merry-makers were greeted with whistles and cheers.

The load proved too much for the second train and the freight locomotive which was furnishing the motive power balked 10 miles past Gresham. This caused a delay, during which time the passengers made a meal of blackberries.

After another motor came to the rescue, the passengers joined the others who had gone ahead.

Charges Are Denied.

The afternoon was opened with a gathering of the picnickers under the trees of the park, where a number of the officials made speeches. E. A. West, assistant chief engineer, told of some of the attacks made upon the policy of the company, especially regarding the new fenders.

"Charges have been made that the company is buying or experimenting with a cheaper style of fender than that which the City Council recently prescribed, because of the expense. This is untrue," said Mr. West.

"No railway company can afford to have anything but the best kind of a fender, for others increase the damages.

"Another charge has been made—that we are letting out all the older experienced men and replacing them with new men at a lower scale of wages. This is another falsehood. In fact, we are encouraging long service by prizes of various kinds."

A resolution drawn up by a committee of the employes was read and adopted by those present, the majority of whom signed it before leaving the grounds. Mr. West said that fully 4000 workers of the company would sign the resolution.

Resolution Is Adopted.

The following is the resolution:

We, the undersigned, employes of the Portland Railway, Light & Power Company, representing a working force of 4000, and who, with our families, represent in the aggregate 20,000 citizens, desire to go on record as strenuously protesting against the malicious, unfair and unwarranted slander on the part of the Portland Daily News, in which they impeach and question the integrity, honor and good citizenship of our esteemed President and co-laborer, B. S. Josselyn;

And, whereas, there appeared in the columns of the Portland Daily News under date of July 18, 1912, a most unfair, unwarranted, and libelous article containing statements not founded on truth or fact, and in which grossly insulting and un-American language was used toward Mr. Josselyn;

And whereas, the distribution of such yellow journalism by incompetent authors and self-serving individuals should be discouraged and prohibited by all law-abiding citizens, both employers and employes;

Now, therefore, be it resolved, that we extend to Mr. Josselyn our undivided and co-operative assistance in his administration of the affairs of the Portland Railway, Light & Power Company, knowing as we do his integrity, his motives and desires, to promote the public welfare, and to render to them the best possible service through every department of his company, notwithstanding the constant attempts on the part of some uninformed, malicious, self-serving, individuals to impugn the motives of Mr. Josselyn;

And be it further resolved, that we resent and condemn all such un-American attacks upon the character and integrity of a respected citizen.

Races Are Held.

Following this gathering there were races of various kinds. The office force finally took the meet, having but a few more points than the lighting department.

Max C. Lewis took the 50-yard dash, with C. E. Coonradt second. The 100-yard dash was taken by Lewis, with Coonradt again second.

The shot-put was won by J. Neil, throwing the weight 38 feet 1 inch; J. Osborn was second, and C. F. Wagner third.

The boys' 50-yard dash was won by Norman Pullen.

The high jump was won by H. R. Wakeman. Neil and Coonradt tied for second place, and the event was decided by tossing a coin, in which Neil won.

J. C. Hinkle won the fat man's race, after being handicapped six yards. A. A. Sutterfield was second.

The committee in charge consisted of C. E. Wagner, transportation; W. H. Leman, transportation; J. C. Hinkle, sports; L. V. Page, W. Zurbuchen, W. E. Dawson and W. Koykendahl, entertainment, and A. C. Dickson, G. Griffith and R. H. Johnson, events.

Welser and Huntington Get Power.

WELSER, Idaho, July 20.—(Special.)—Immediate extension of the high power transmission line of the Idaho-Oregon Light & Power Company, from Welser to Huntington, is planned and representatives of the company are in the field securing right of way. The line will parallel the Oregon Short Line tracks and will supply electricity to other points between Welser and Huntington.

Child of Six Run Down.

While working his way through a congestion of traffic at Fourth and Madison streets yesterday, E. A. Baldwin, driving an automobile struck Opal Summers, aged 6, flying at 288 Jefferson street. The child appeared at first to be seriously hurt, but it developed that her injuries were slight. Mr. Baldwin gave all possible assistance, and reported at the Police Station.

The Chilean government is erecting from 60 to 70 new school buildings a year.

"WAR" IS DECLARED

Powerful Foreign Army Batters Outpost Near Harbor.

INVADERS TRY TO LAND

Willapa Country Under Military Law Awaiting First Real Engagement in Mimic Battle About to Be Staged.

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command to prepare for war, and at once sent out cavalry to ride into the roads toward Centralia.

These were augmented by outposts. It is believed that a forward movement will begin soon.

Colonel Kennon would have started inland today had his ships on the sea not been delayed from landing supplies by storms. The Oregon National Guard arrived in two special trains from Portland today, and are now encamped with Colonel Kennon's forces.

"IL TROVATORE" PROMISED

Band Concert at Mount Tabor Park Begins at 2:30 This Afternoon.

The famous and ever-popular duet for cornet and baritone from Verdi's "Il Trovatore" will be played this afternoon by B. F. Driscoll and Eugene Cloffi at the Portland Park band concert at Mount Tabor Park. The concert begins at 2:30 o'clock, and the bandstand is on the top of the hill, which affords a splendid view of the city and the surrounding country.

Following is the programme in full:

Grand march, "Tannhauesser".....Wagner
Overture, "Martha".....Flotow
Barcarole from "Tales of Hoffman"..... Offenbach
"Miserere" from "Il Trovatore".....Verdi
B. F. Driscoll and Eugene Cloffi.
Spite .....Tschaikowsky
(a) "Souvenir De Hapsal."
(b) "Chanson Triste."
(c) "Chanson Humoreske."
Intermission.
Dedication and Benediction from "Les Huguenots".....Meyerbeer
Chilian Dance, "Manana".....Missud
Folk Songs .....Lampe
Selection, "Fortune Teller".....Herbert
(Incidental xylophone solo, E. Simmons.)
March, "Gilmore's Triumphal".....Brooke

Director W. E. McElroy is receiving many compliments for the splendid music furnished and the excellent programmes, which are aimed to please both enthusiasts of popular music and admirers of standard classics.

TEACHERS FORM LEAGUE

Delegates From 26 States Join in Organization to Raise Standards.

Formation of a National League of Teachers' Associations was an outcome of the recent meeting of the National Educational Association in Chicago, July 6-9. Delegates from 26 states aided in bringing into existence the new organization, which was considered by many educators present to be the most important work accomplished at the convention.

Improvement in professional standards, securing of a living wage for teachers, adoption of some standards for tenure of office, and obtaining retirement funds will be the main aims of the organization. It is claimed by members that when these conditions have been secured, teachers will be free to give all their time and enrgy to thir work.

Miss Grace De Graff, of the Ladd School, spoke at the meeting on conditions in the West. She was elected to the executive board for a term of two years. Miss De Graff was also elected by the Oregon delegation to be state director for the coming year.

The Midnight Oil.

Judge.

Oldfellow—I just had a letter from my boy Charley. He tells me he's burning lots of midnight oil. Knowing Charley as I do I can scarcely believe it.

Youngfellow—You will, though, when you get the gasoline bill.

Proof Positive.

Judge.

Crawford—Do you think he's henpecked?

Crabshaw—He never mentioned it, but I've noticed that the portraits over his mantlepiece are those of his wife's folk's.

THIRD PARTY MEN TO PICK DELEGATES

Oregon T. R. Adherents Favor Naming Electoral and State Ticket.

MASS MEETING IS CALLED

On Thursday Five Persons Will Be Selected to Go to Chicago to Attend Convention—Delegates to Pay Own Bills.

"Sentiment among Roosevelt supporters in Oregon almost unanimously favors nominating a Presidential electoral ticket and placing a complete state ticket in the field for the November election.

"Adherents of the third party movement in this state, however, cannot proceed officially until after the proposed 'Bull Moose,' or National Progressive party has been born in Chicago on August 5."

This information was divulged yesterday by a prominent member of the National Progressive Club of Oregon following a meeting of the executive committee of the organization when final arrangements were completed for the mass meeting of progressives, regardless of former party affiliations, which will be held in Portland next Thursday. The informant withheld the use of his name, explaining that he was not authorized to speak officially.

Five Will Be Selected.

The plan is for the mass meeting next Thursday to select five delegates to the Chicago convention and then adjourn until a time subsequent to the Chicago gathering. At a later meeting the organization of the new party, as it may be decided upon at Chicago, will be formed and candidates for Presidential electors and for state offices nominated and placed on the official ballot by petition.

It is understood that the more active proponents of a third party here will discourage the nomination of county tickets or otherwise interfering in county affairs, believing that to do so would serve only to engender unnecessary strife and weaken the state and National tickets.

The executive committee of the National Progressive Club, of Oregon, which issued the call for Thursday's mass meeting, effected organization yesterday by electing George W. Joseph, State Senator, chairman. The other members of the committee, all of whom attended the meeting during the noon hour at the Hotel Clifford grill, are: Frederick W. Mulkey, who has announced his candidacy for United States Senator as a progressive; V. Vincent Jones, Sanfield McDonald and J. T. Wilson.

Meeting Is Thursday.

It was decided by the committee to have the mass meeting convene at 10 o'clock Thursday morning at the East Side Branch Library. If the attendance is large, the convention will adjourn to the Woodmen of the World Hall, East Sixth and Alder streets, this building having a capacity of 1500.

Although the details of the work of the convention will be left to the decision of the delegates, it is proposed that the gathering devote the day sessions to effecting temporary organization, appointment of committees and a discussion of the course to pursue in the organization of the prospective third party in this state.

In addition to this tentative programme, the important work to be transacted and the purpose for which the mass meeting has been called, is the election of five delegates and their alternates to the Chicago convention. This task may require considerable time from the fact that the delegates selected will be required to pay their own expenses, the Oreon law making no provision for defraying the necessary expenses of delegates chosen at a mass meeting subsequent to the primary nominating election.

Men to Pay Own Expenses.

The convention will seek to name not only men who will attend the Chicago assembly and pay their own bills, but see to it that the men chosen will insure for the state a proper representation in the National convention.

It will also be suggested to the mass meeting that it make a preliminary nomination or recommend five candidates for Presidential electors of the proposed new party organization, the candidates so nominated or recommended to be formally and officially ratified at the adjourned meeting when the party in Oregon will be formed.

When these details have been disposed of, it is proposed to have the convention adjourn until probably 8 o'clock, when the work of the mass meeting and any nominations that have been made will be ratified. It is also planned at the night meeting to touch off fireworks with plenty of oratory supplied by the more prominent Roosevelt delegates from Portland and throughout the state.

Laboring People Invited.

Another object in proposing the night meeting is to enable many laboring men, who will not be able to attend the day sessions, to be present and assist in ratifying the work of the mass meeting. A special invitation has been extended the laboring people to participate in the mass meeting and the ultimate formation of the new party in Oregon.

The suggestion of the executive committee that the mass meeting tentatively agree upon candidates for Presidential electors Thursday is to enable them to begin the circulation of their nominating petitions for signatures. The committee feels that this procedure would be entirely regular, since all that would remain to be done would be for the party, when it is organized in this state at an adjourned meeting, to ratify officially the selections made by the mass meeting.

At the meeting of the executive committee yesterday, Secretary Lepper reported that invitations to attend the mass meeting had been sent to progressives throughout the state. From the responses, he predicted a large attendance. Dan Kellaher, State Senator and president of the National Progressive Club, will call the mass meeting to order, but the selection of temporary and permanent officers of the convention will be left to the delegates.

11 JURORS FAVOR RUEF

Leaders in Movement for Parole Cannot Find Twelfth Man.

SAN FRANCISCO, July 20.—It was announced today by leaders in the movement to secure parole for Abraham Ruef, former San Francisco political boss, that all but one of the jury which convicted Ruef of bribery had signed the petition to the State Board of Prison Directors for his parole.

The 12th juror, John Anderson, had disappeared and could not be located.

BREWERS ARE INDICTED

Roseburg Grand Jury Charges Violation of Local Option Law.

ROSEBURG, Or., July 20.—(Special.)—After a rigid investigation of the affairs of the Roseburg Brewing & Ice Company, the grand jury late today returned a joint indictment charging the brewing company, together with Oscar Klinke, manager, and Joseph Heidenrich, brewery delivery man, with violating the local option laws.

Today's action of the grand jury followed a wholesale raid on local soft drink establishments by Sheriff Quine on July 3. From each resort the Sheriff confiscated a barrel of Roseburg beer, which was later analyzed by Professors Shinn, of the State University, and Dunne, of the Oregon Agricultural College, and pronounced a genuine product.

Owing to the fact that the next regular term of the Circuit Court does not convene until November, an adjourned session will probably be called early next week to dispose of the indictments.

SEATTLE GIRL WEDS HERE

Arthur C. Harbaugh, of Portland, Wins Miss Mary Dentzel Morley.

Miss Mary Dentzel Morley, daughter of W. S. Morley, a well-known Seattle business man, was married last evening to Arthur G. Harbaugh, of this city. The ceremony was performed by Dr. Benjamin F. Young, pastor of the First Methodist Church, at the home of Carl W. Detering, the bridegroom's brother-in-law. The wedding was a surprise even to the immediate members of the families of the young couple, the first intimation that the event was to take place being the invitation, given a few hours before it happened.

Arthur Harbaugh is the son of the late Colin K. Harbaugh, for many years a prominent real estate operator in Portland. He is employed as receiving teller in the Merchants' National Bank.

ATHLETIC EVENTS IN PROGRESS AT PICNIC OF PORTLAND RAILWAY, LIGHT & POWER COMPANY EMPLOYES.

CROWD WATCHING SHOTPUT AT ESTACADA YESTERDAY AFTERNOON