



GARRISON PLEADS FOR BIG MILITIA

Secretary Asks Aid of Business Men.

DANGER OF WAR EVER NEAR

"It Takes Two to Keep the Peace," Says Visitor.

WOOD URGES PREPARATION

Portland Will Get 40-Foot Channel to Sea, Even if People Have to do it for Themselves, Says Chief of Staff of Army.

WHAT SECRETARY GARRISON DID IN OREGON YESTERDAY

7:40 A. M.—Arrived at Union Depot from San Francisco.

7:50 A. M.—Breakfast at Multnomah Hotel.

8:00 A. M.—Left for Fort Stevens via special North Bank train.

12:10 P. M.—Arrived at Fort Stevens.

1:45 P. M.—Returned from inspection of south jetty over Jetty railroad and had luncheon.

2:30 P. M.—Left Fort Stevens for Portland, arriving 6 o'clock.

3:00 P. M.—With General Wood, as in other events of the day, guest at banquet at the Multnomah Hotel; both spoke, as did also J. N. Teal.

Today will go to Vancouver Bar- racks 9:30 A. M., make inspection of post; return to Portland, 1:30; see the city by automobile; leave for Seattle at 3 o'clock from Union Depot.

SEA DOG SHOCKED BY PARIS DANCES

KOREA'S CAPTAIN CLAMPS LID ON JOYOUS GLIDERS.

Gallant Frenchmen Teach Latest Terpsichorean Innovations Until Limit Is Passed.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 2.—(Special)—For the first three nights after leaving Honolulu, the dining saloon of the liner Korea, which arrived here today from the Orient, might have been taken for the Cafe de Monte montre, the Magic City, the Tabarin of Paris, according to some of the passengers, who had not recovered from the shock when the vessel docked this morning.

Paris night life in the cafes was repeated in a modified form.

New glides fresh from the trottoirs of Paris were introduced by Lieutenant L. Ducre, of the French army, and J. Delegard, a little French dancing master, who joined the gay throng on the Korea at Yokohama.

When the vessel reached Honolulu the passenger list was augmented by many happy travelers, including several young San Francisco society women. All were eager to learn the new Paris dances. The only way they could catch the steps was by dancing with the young and gallant Parisians.

This was all well enough until it developed into a habit. Then came protests from husbands and chaperones.

On the fourth night out of Honolulu someone awoke succeeded in communing with the skipper, the captain and the dance which had been so arranged was unmercifully called off.

The young Frenchmen, who had been lionized by some of the women aboard, said today that they had been snubbed by several of the American men aboard.

TOWELS HOTEL PROBLEM

Health Officer Has Plan to Prevent

Thefts and Gain Law Obedience.

Finding difficulty in enforcing the use of individual towels in public places, because of much of the linen being stolen, City Health Officer Marcellus yesterday made a suggestion which he believes will solve the problem.

Instead of placing the towels in a pile on a shelf in a lavatory or other public place, Dr. Marcellus plans to have a chain attached to the floor and to the shelf and to have the towels hooked on the chain by means of a hole in one corner, made solid by a metal eyelet. A towel can be taken from the shelf and used while still attached to the chain. It can then be dropped, still on the chain, to the floor or into a basket. It will be impossible under this plan for anyone to carry away a towel.

PUPILS TO TILL IN WINTER

Davis School Plans Experiment in

Vegetable Gardening.

A Winter vegetable garden is to be inaugurated at the Davis school on Twenty-first street between Quimby and Raleigh. The garden has been ordered by the School Board as an experiment. A plot 60 feet square has been set aside for the purpose and work on it will start tomorrow.

Ben Swindler, who has had much practical experience in growing Winter vegetables, will superintend the garden. When school opens a committee of pupils will look after the garden. The seeds, which consist of Winter carrots, beets, kale, late turnips, broccoli and radishes, have been donated.

TEMPERATURE GOES TO 107

For Two Days Houlton Is Treated to Warm Wave.

HOULTON, Or., Aug. 2.—(Special)—Houlton has been having some excessive heat this week.

On July 30, the thermometer stood at 100 degrees in the shade at noon. July 31 it reached 102 degrees at noon and 107 degrees at 2 o'clock. Yesterday was slightly cooler, with a maximum of 90 degrees.

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RESCUE KILLED IN MINE EXPLOSION

Nineteen Dead in Pennsylvania Colliery.

DYNAMITE LIBERATES GAS

Some Crushed, Some Burned and Others Suffocated.

ONLY ONE IS UNINJURED

All Those in Position to Tell How Accident Happened Are Victims.

Two Believed Lying Under Wall of Rocks.

TOWER CITY, Pa., Aug. 2.—Nineteen men were killed and two seriously injured today in a double explosion in the East Brookside mine of the Philadelphia & Reading Coal & Iron Company, near here, by what is believed to have been dynamite and gas. Thirteen men died in the first explosion and five went to their death in the second blast, after an heroic attempt to rescue the first victims. One of the rescuers escaped.

The dead include the foreman and fire boss of the mine. Two bodies have not been recovered.

It is not known what caused the explosions, but miners believe the first explosion was that of dynamite and the second was caused by gas which had been liberated by the dynamite explosion. Only three men were taken out alive and one of these died on the way to the hospital.

Superintendent John Lorenz was in the mine when the first explosion occurred. He was rescued several hours later, burned and bruised, and is in a critical condition.

It is possible the real story of the explosion may never be known, as all who were in a position to know were killed. Superintendent Lorenz is in no condition to talk.

Death Comes in Three Forms.

The men were killed in three different ways. Some of them were buried against the side of the tunnel in which they were working and crushed, some were burned to death by the explosion of gas and others were suffocated by aftershocks.

The East Brookside colliery closed down Thursday night for a week, but Charles Portland, a mining contractor, who has a contract with the Reading Company to drive a tunnel, kept some of his men at work. There were a half dozen muckers at work, whose duty it is to load the debris blown down by the blasts which are fired at night. There were also a mucker boss and a blacksmith and his helper. All were at work in the tunnel, which is about a quarter of a mile from the slope entrance to the mines. The men took 175 pounds of dynamite with them when they went into the mines today.

Rescuers Are Killed.

Superintendent Lorenz and Mine Boss Farrell were in the mine making an inspection and were about 600 feet from the tunnel in which the Italian workers were engaged. Shortly before noon men on the surface heard a rumbling noise coming from the mouth of the slope. They knew it meant an explosion and a rescue party was quickly organized. The six rescuers were lowered to the level next to the bottom of the mine. It is believed the second explosion occurred about 20 minutes after the first. The rescuers had time to walk about 600 feet from the mouth

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