

MAJOR MAY DEMAND CHIEF'S RESIGNATION

Police Head Ordered to Clean Up City, It is Rumored.

CAPTAINS ALSO ON CARPET

Each Commander Notified He Will Be Held Responsible for Conditions in District.

blank must be signed before a notary public. Upon papers filling out of the application, a ballot is mailed the person desiring to vote. The ballots seldom are printed more than a week in advance of the election...

GUNNERS WILL BE GUESTS

RETURNED HEROES OF OREGON BATTERIES TO BE HONORED.

Banquet, Reception and Ball Are Planned for Tuesday Evening at Multnomah Hotel.

Plans for an elaborate dinner, to be followed by a reception and ball scheduled for Tuesday evening at the Multnomah hotel...

Resignation of Neils F. Johnson as chief of police will be demanded by Mayor Baker upon the return of the mayor from his eastern trip...

Captains Called In. Not alone will Chief Johnson be held to account for what is accomplished in the way of cleaning up the city during the next three weeks...

At a conference with police captains last Sunday morning Mayor Baker told these officials that he would hold each captain responsible for what occurred on his particular relief.

This ultimatum, it is reported, has served to better conditions in the police department to some extent, it being said that police captains with responsibility placed squarely upon their shoulders are now assuming more responsibilities and are not relying upon orders from the chief to correct improper conditions which are known to exist.

Training Not Sufficient. A dozen ultimatums, similar to the one issued last Sunday by Mayor Baker will not correct the improper conditions said to exist in the police department...

Arrests are said to be made daily without sufficient cause. The city is not given sufficient training to enable them to know what should be done in the way of proper treatment when arrests are made.

The banquet will be given at 7 o'clock in the gold room of the hotel, and it is expected that 150 returned members of batteries A and B will be in attendance.

Members of old battery A, the organization of men who went with the Oregon national guard to the Philippines, will be special guests of honor at the reception and ball.

Cards of invitation to men of batteries A and B to the banquet may be obtained at Liberty Temple.

To discuss plans for the reception veterans of battery A will meet tomorrow evening at the armory at 8 o'clock.

This action was based on the belief, he said, that American business interests would be served more advantageously through government operation.

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Message From Michael S. Ryan and Speeches by Noted Men Will Be Features of Programme.

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VOTERS RISK LIVES.

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CORVALLIS, Or., May 31.—(Special.)—The statement of the official board of the Christian church of this city, in the matter of the alleged drowning of the minister, Rev. J. Cronenberger, again was delayed today by the receipt of evidence in the case which the board is not prepared to announce.

It is learned on reliable authority that this is the second time the pastor has mysteriously disappeared from home. The first time he was gone for several years, then re-appeared and was accepted by his family.

Chief Johnson left the city yesterday noon on a fishing trip.

WOMAN EXPLORER VISITOR

MRS. CAMERON, AUTHOR OF TOURS COLUMBIA HIGHWAY.

Noted Traveler Has Visited Wild Sections in All Parts of World Seeking Information.

Carried by cannibals for thousands of miles is only one of the experiences of Mrs. Charlotte Cameron, explorer, who was at the Denon river incidentally.

Mrs. Cameron is one of the five women who are fellows of the Royal Geographical Society of London.

Among the books from her pen are "A Passion in Morocco," "A Durbur Bride," "A Woman in Africa," and the like.

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It is possible for a commercial traveler or student to apply to the county clerk, either in person or by mail, for an application blank, seeking permission to cast an "absent" ballot.

TELEPHONE, POSTAL WITNESSES OPPOSED

Kingsbury Asks Higher Rates, Reynolds Wants Reduction.

HOUSE COMMITTEE BUSY

Government Deficit in Operating Bell System \$9,000,000, According to Report.

WASHINGTON, May 31.—Government control of the telephone and telegraph properties resulted in larger demands for wage increases than would have been made if telephone and telegraph companies had continued under private operation, N. C. Kingsbury, vice-president of the American Telephone & Telegraph company, told the house interstate commerce committee today at its hearings on legislation for return of the wires.

"Under this public operation has the government received anything that it would not have received from private operation?" Mr. Kingsbury was asked. "I know of nothing," was the reply.

Rate-Rising Is Asked. Declaring the telephone companies are "facing a crisis," Mr. Kingsbury urged that congress in retreating the companies pass legislation continuing the government-fixed rates, both interstate and intrastate, until proper authority is determined whether they were just.

Committees expressed doubt that congress could fix rates to be enforced after the proclamation of peace.

Postal Man Opposes Plan. Edward Reynolds, general manager of the Postal Telegraph-Cable company, asked for immediate return of the company's property without remedial legislation, and opposed legislation keeping present rates in effect.

He said the public is paying extra charges of from \$60,000 to \$75,000 a day on telegraph service.

Newcomb Carlton, president of the Western Union Telegraph company, testified that the trans-Atlantic cable lines were taken over by the government last November after he had recommended to Postmaster-General Burtenton that this be done for commercial reasons.

Failure to Reinstates Atlanta Operators Signal for Walkout.

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