

THREE GENERALS TELL OF GOOD SERVICE DONE IN FRANCE

REGIMENT STANDS HIGH

CHARACTER OF DUTY PERFORMED OF GREAT VALUE EVEN IF NOT OF EXCITING OR HEROIC KIND

Warm praise of the work of Colonel John L. May, newly appointed commander of the 3d Oregon regiment of national guard, for the work done by that officer while in France is contained in letters received from two brigadier-generals and one major-general under whom the Portland officer served during the war.

Colonel May, who has been associated with the Oregon national guard since 1910, returned to Portland in March after seeing service overseas.

Volirath Strong in France. Extracts from letters written by these officers which are highly commendatory of Colonel May's work, are as follows:

Brigadier-General Volirath, Eugene, O. "I desire to express to you my appreciation of your services as they came into the service from that source of the time under my direct command.

Major-General Alexander, Camp Mills in part as follows: "Of course this regiment wanted service at the front and often I recall your desire to be there."

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CAR STATION PLANNED

Too Many Eat Tacoma Out of Fare by Riding Roofs of Cars

TACOMA, Wash., Aug. 3.—(Special.)—The city and the Todd Drydock & Construction corporation will build jointly a loading station at the Todd yard. It is hoped this will keep the municipal street car line from being a losing venture.

Plants with Home Gardeners

GARDEN SPRAY CALENDAR

Table with 5 columns: Crop, Name of pest, Time of Worst Injury, Nature of Injury, Control. Rows include Beans, Leaf beetles, Cabbage, Root maggot, Celery, Sweet corn, Cucumber, Melons, Squash, Eggplant, Lettuce, Onions, Peas, Potatoes, Blister beetle, Tipbars, Radish, Tomato, Blossom end rot, Leaf blight, Cutworm.

so good to eat as the smaller ones. I strongly advise you to grow some Chinese or Japanese radishes, which have been previously described. These are very good and furnish a welcome variety for winter, when no other kinds can be produced.

Growing Rhubarb. If you set out your rhubarb this season you have only to keep it growing well. No stalks of it should be used the first summer.

Spinach in Summer. Spinach "belongs to the pigweed family and is first cousin to the beet." In order that the leaves be crisp and tender quickly, continuous growth is necessary and if it is exposed to the heat and drought of our hottest days it becomes tough and stringy.

Pumpkin and Squash. These both thrive best in a warm, sandy loam and a keg, pail or large can with nail holes in the bottom, stuck in each hill and filled often with water to seep into the ground gradually is very beneficial to the growth of the vines.

Winter varieties should remain on till they have become hard to develop. The control of insect enemies has been given previously.

Radish in Summer. Radish is a hardy, quick-growing crop which needs rich soil, plenty of moisture and a cool climate for its best development. So as you replant radish through the summer plant it by some vegetable that needs moisture.

Radishes may be sown quite thickly as they are pulled as soon as they are large enough to furnish two or three bunches. In this state they can be boiled or steamed or cut in slices and fried like egg plant.

long season of cold, wet weather, is very beneficial. If the large leaves that shade the fruit too much are cut away the sun has a better chance at them.

The little extra leaves which come out between the large leaves and the stem will never amount to anything and should be pinched off. They are simply suckers and take the strength from the plants to produce them.

Staking Tomatoes. Staking tomatoes is often recommended and some go as far as pruning the top of the plant and one or two shoots which they force to grow upright by tying them to a stake.

Staking is usually practiced for intensive cultivation where very early and very perfect fruit is to be forced. This is usually in greenhouses for the reason the support over the foot of the plant is sufficient to bring the stigma into contact with the pollen.

Turnips in Summer. Spring turnips should be forced to quick maturity and eaten young before they are fully grown. Like early beets, they do not do well in the heat of summer, though they may be grown.

Swiss Chard. Swiss chard, also called spinach beet or sea-kale beet, is another of the pot-herb plants used for "greens." It is a variety of beet having large, thick, tender leaves and a broad, white midrib.

Tomatoes need a warm, rich soil, but must not have too much manure, as that produces rank vine growth and it is the fruit we want instead.

Relief Work Not So Urgent. BELGRADE, Serbia, July 5.—Workers of the Red Cross commission in Serbia who have numbered about 175 during the recent months when relief work was most urgent, now are being reduced to about 50.

Padro Lascuran was president of Mexico for 26 minutes on November 13, 1913, following the murder of Madero.

SPOKANE MAN BUYS ALBEMARLE APARTMENTS

WILLIAMS AVENUE PROPERTY BRINGS \$25,000. Mrs. J. E. Moon, owner of the Albemarle apartments, at 283 Williams avenue, last week transferred them to P. H. Lich, Spokane capitalist, the sale price being \$25,000.

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WALNUT TRACT SOLD. LEBANON, Or., August 2.—(Special.)—An important real estate deal in small acreage tracts here recently was closed when Miss Helen V. Crawford sold to Sigurd H. Lundstrom a part of her 25-acre walnut and peach orchard tract.

VETERAN TO OPEN STUDIO

Charles J. Grimm Will Manage Acme Commercial Photographers. Charles J. Grimm, one of Portland's veteran photographers, will open a large and well-equipped studio under the name of the Acme Commercial Photographers in the Loeb block, Fifth and Stark streets.

LEMON JUICE TAKES OFF TAN

Girls! Make bleaching lotion if skin is sunburned, tanned or freckled. Squeeze the juice of two lemons into a bottle containing three ounces of Orchard White. Shake well, and you have a quarter pint of the best freckle, sunburn and tan lotion, and complexion beautifier, at very, very small cost.

"BAYER CROSS" ON GENUINE ASPIRIN

"Bayer Tablets of Aspirin" to be genuine! Beware of cheap imitations. "Bayer Cross." Always buy an unbroken Bayer package which contains proper directions to safely relieve Headache, Toothache, Rheumatism, Neuralgia, Colds and Pain. Handy tin boxes of 12 tablets cost but a few cents at drug stores. Larger packages also. Aspirin is the trade name of Bayer Manufacturing Co., of Monroeville, Pa.

An Unfailing Way to Banish Hairs

Ugly hairy growths can be removed in the privacy of your own home if you get a small original package of deodorant and mix into a paste enough of the powder and water to cover the hairy surface. This should be left on the skin about 2 minutes, then removed and the skin washed and every trace of hair will have vanished. No harm or inconvenience can result from this treatment, but be sure you buy real deodorant.—Adv.