

# MILITIA FELT THE SEAMY SIDE

### RETURNING GUARDSMEN SAY LIFE AT LAKE WASHINGTON WAS NO SWEET DREAM OF LUXURIOUS DASH—DUST AND MUD MADE MARCHING A CRUCIAL TEST.

Bronzed and weather beaten from long days of exposure to the wind and sun and hardened by tedious marches through a rough, sun scorched country, the Third Oregon regiment of infantry and the First battery of Oregon artillery, consisting of six companies from Portland and three from the eastern part of the state, reached home last evening at 8:45, and after a quick march to the armory, were dismissed by Colonel Gantenbein.

For about two weeks the Oregon boys, together with regiments from Washington and Idaho, have been in camp at American lake, a few miles out of Tacoma. Besides the state militia, there were also about 2,000 officers and men of the United States regular army in camp.

The regulars were represented by the Tenth infantry, Nineteenth infantry, Twenty-sixth battery, United States forest artillery, troops E, F and H of the Ninth cavalry and detachments from the United States hospital and marine corps. The officers of the national guard had little to do in the commanding, as officers of the regular army were in charge of all the maneuvers.

The encampment this year was meant for a sort of schooling for the militia, and on the whole was the most successful that has ever been conducted in the northwest.

Spectacular maneuvers, dress parades and fancy drills were entirely done away with. Militia warfare was the general order, and at times the engagements between the rival companies were fierce enough to be decidedly interesting. The men were called upon to do an average of 30 miles of marching a day. They would start at six or seven o'clock in the morning and would usually be back by two or three o'clock in the afternoon. The time from then until the camp was taken up by swimming in the lake, athletic games and camp fun. The food was all that could be expected, the camp was well equipped, and on the whole the weather was kind to them, for they suffered but two days of rain and that was relieved with enthusiasm, as it served to lay the dust.

The Oregon boys were especially complimented by General Funston for their good behavior and efficiency in military tactics. Idaho had a rather mutinous set in the field. They were entangled in two or three bad brawls and upon one rainy day refused to stir out of camp. For this they were thrown into the guard house.

"I never saw a better behaved lot of men in my life," said an army officer this morning, when speaking of the encampment. "With the exception of the Idaho boys we had no trouble with them at all. There is some excuse for them, as they were a green lot of fellows and were in the hands of inexperienced officers. Again, they were on the train for two days and three nights and as soon as they arrived at the camping ground they were given a rather stiff march, which did not tend to improve their tempers. For the first two days the dust was awful. At times it was difficult for a man in the ranks to see the man marching directly in front of him. When the rain came it laid the dust, but it made everything so wet and muddy that maneuvers could not be well carried out."

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## SAYS BONANZA IS LOST MINE

### JACKSON COUNTY PIONEER SAYS THAT PHENOMENAL FIND MADE ON SUCKER CREEK BY YOUNG BRIGGS WAS FIRST DISCOVERED IN 1855 AND THEN LOST.

Jacob Schmitt, a Jackson county pioneer, who is a delegate to the A. O. U. W. grand lodge meeting, says that the fabulous strike made by the Briggs family on Sucker creek in southern Oregon is another case of a lost bonanza found, and avers that the wonderful ledge was first discovered in 1855. Mr. Schmitt has for many years been a resident of Jacksonville, the oldest and in its day the richest mining camp in Oregon. He is a cooper by trade, but in his old age he follows horticulture and carpentering in their respective seasons, and between times he goes prospecting. This has been his habit for years, and he has in his career met nearly all the mining men of note in the state. This is his story of the first Sucker creek strike.

"When the Indian troubles of 1855 began, two men, named Belleville and Miller, who were coming to join the Indian fighters, crossed a range of mountains about 40 miles southeast of Jacksonville, and there struck a ledge from which they took some quartz that was nearly pure gold. Each man carried away a small piece, intending to go back after the Indian war was over and work the mine. On their way next day they got lost, and afterward they never were able to re-locate the place. Belleville was the only man who came into Jacksonville with his specimen. It was about a quarter of a pound. He got \$100 for it. He told me, in describing the place, that on the top of a high mountain near the quartz vein they could see the ocean. This is exactly the description given of the Briggs ledge and it is the only place in that district where the ocean can be seen. Belleville spent the remainder of his life and all the money he could earn trying to re-locate the ledge, but died without finding it. Miller also is dead. But their ledge has at last been found accidentally by a farmer boy out hunting, who probably never even heard of Belleville or Miller. The Briggs have at present \$65,000 in gold in the bank at Grants Pass, and enough more in sight at the ledge to make fortunes for all of them."

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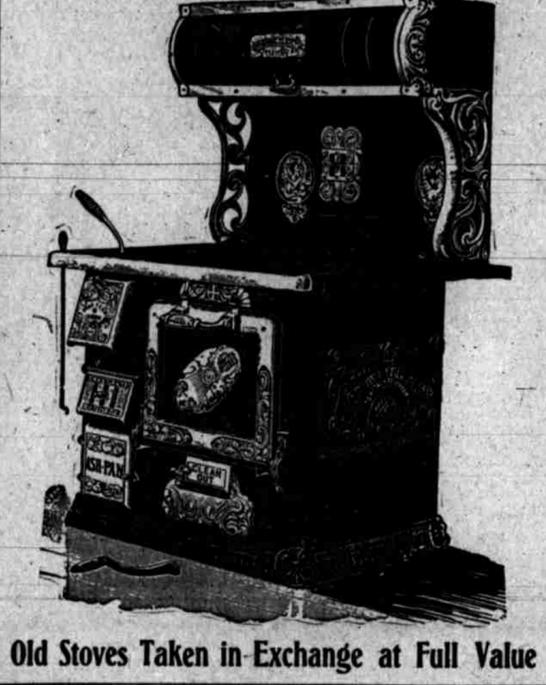
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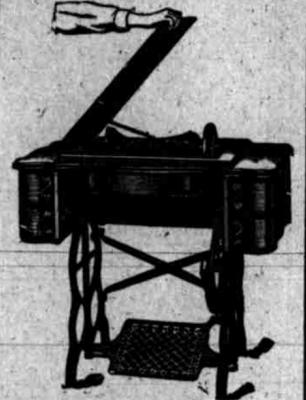


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In this city the orthodox Jews will hold services at the Hall street synagogue, Sixth and Hall streets at 8 o'clock this evening and at 7 tomorrow morning. Rev. Adolph Abbey will officiate. There will be no services in the temple of the reform Jews.

## CONCERT ON PLAZA

Brown's military band will render the following program at the Plaza block, opposite the courthouse, tonight at 8 o'clock:

March—"Constellation".....Clark Waltzes—"Moonlight on the Hudson".....Herman Overture—"Crown of Castile".....Anber Two-step—"Navajo".....Van Aistyne Excerpts from "King Dodo".....Luders Cake-walk—"Mr. Black Man".....Pryor Piece de Salon—"The Nightingale and the Frog".....Ellenberg Medley of Popular Songs.....DeWitt Gavotte—"Simplicity".....Tobani Two-step—"Peaceful Henry".....Kelly Charles L. Brown, conductor.

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Caster song—"You Can't Get a Sweetheart Any Day, But Not Another Mother".....Cartello  
Recitation—"The Story the Fiddle Told".....Miss Eugenia Craig.  
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Mrs. Viola Gilbert-Ferneyhough.  
Male quartet—"Under Southern Skies".....Smith  
James Johnson, Otis Fry, Nell Cronce, and Robinson.  
Recitation—"Break, Break".....Tennyson  
Miss Augustus Humphrey.  
Tenor solo—"The Holy City".....Adams  
Mr. Howard, steamer Tottenham.  
Contralto solo—"Sing Me to Sleep".....Green  
Miss Emma Wigle.  
Popular song—"I'll Be Your Sweetheart".....Mr. Livingstone, steamer Tottenham.  
National hymn—"America".....Everybody.  
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## NEW FOLDER IS A WORK OF ART

R. M. Hall, advertising agent of the O. R. & N. Co., and S. Glenn Andrus, special writer for a Chicago paper, returned yesterday from a trip through the wheat sections of Oregon and Washington and a trip up the Columbia river, through the Cascades to the Pacific Ocean, which was recently issued by the passenger department of the O. R. & N. Co.

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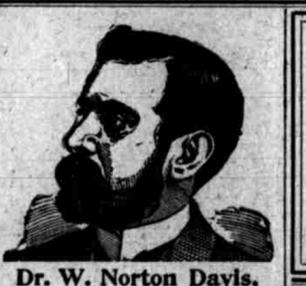
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