GENERAL GREELY LEAVES ARMY

Famous Arctic Explorer Is Placed on Retired List Because of Age Limit.

(United Press Leased Wire.)

Washington, D. C., March 27.—Major General Adolphus W. Greely, the famous Arctic explorer, for news of or whose whereabouts the congress of the United States once offered a reward of $25,000, was placed on the retired list of the army today for age. General Greely is now in the orient on leave of absence. His last command was that of the department of Dakota, with headquarters at St. Paul, where he was recently succeeded by Brigadier General Winfield S. Edgerly.

Few if any officers of the United States army have enjoyed such a wide measure of fame during recent years as has General Greely. It is now something more than a quarter of a century ago that he attracted world-wide attention by a polar expedition, of which he was the chief. This expedition sailed northward in 1881. It contained twenty-five members, of whom only seven came back. Two relief expeditions failed to find the Greely party, and when finally rescued by the third expedition, sent under command of Captain Winfield S. Schley, the survivors of the party were nearly crazed with hunger. At the time he made this expedition to the polar seas General Greely was a lieutenant in the 5th cavalry. The expedition reached a point farther north than any previous record.

Built Telegraph.

Before going to the Arctic Lieutenant Greely had built thousands of miles of military telegraph lines in Texas and the southwest and had acted as an officer of the signal corps, then under command of Brigadier General Albert J. Myer. The latter organized the corps, which was afterward commanded by Brigadier General W. B. Hazen, and later following the death of General Hazen, in 1886, by the returned Arctic hero, who had been made a captain in the regular course of regimental promotions in the 5th cavalry.

General Greely had the distinction of being the first man who entered the Civil war as a private soldier to be promoted to the rank of brigadier general. He was born in Newburyport, Massachusetts, March 27, 1844, and received a common school education. In 1861, when but a few months over seventeen years of age, he enlisted as a private and became a member of the Byfield Rifles. Greely continued with his command until March, 1863, when a call was made for non-commissioned officers to officer the colored troops then being organized. Sergeant Greely was one of the number to respond, and was commissioned as first lieutenant in the Eighty-fifth United States Colored infantry. He served with this command until the fall of 1866, rising to the grade of major.

He entered the regular army as a second lieutenant in March, 1867, and was promoted to first lieutenant in 1873. As evidence of the slowness of promotion in the army at that time is the fact that he served thirteen years as a first lieutenant before securing promotion, and during that period attracted the favorable attention of the world by his efforts to gain new knowledge of the Arctic zone.

Untiring Worker.

Between 1876 and 1879 young Greely proved himself to be one of the most untiring workers in the army. During that period he constructed 2,000 miles of military telegraph in Texas, Montana and Dakota. This unprecedented feat made him a marked man in American military circles. Then came the expedition to the far north. In 1881, in pursuance of the recommendation of the Hamburg international geographical congress, he was given command of the United States expedition to establish one of a chain of thirteen circumpolar stations. The trying experiences of Greely and his little band are well known to all readers of history.

During and after the Spanish war General Greely had a further opportunity to show his great ability as a builder of telegraph lines. Under his immediate direction there were built and operated 1,000 miles in Porto Rico, 3,800 miles in Cuba, 2500 miles in China during the Boxer outbreak and 10,500 miles of lines and cables in the Philippines. He afterwards installed a system of 3,900 miles of telegraph lines in Alaska, one of these lines being the first wireless system to be put to commercial use.

One of General Greely's most brilliant achievements was the reorganization on its present efficient basis of the national weather bureau. Previous to his incumbency the service was of a most crude and untrustworthy character. He began at once to gather meteorological data from every reliable source, and in the course of time he was able to arrive at something definite. He established a complete system of weather stations in various parts of the country and lifted the service from the plane of ridicule to that of responsibility.

Prior to going to the command of Dakota General Greely was in command of the military division of the Pacific and in this position he directed the army relief measures at the time of the San Francisco earthquake and fire.

HEINZE FORCED TO FURNISH NEW BOND

(United Press Leased Wire.)

New York, March 27.—F. Augustus Heinze, the former Montana copper king, under indictment for conspiracy and violation of the state banking laws, in connection with the affairs of the Morse-Heinze chain of banks in this city, has furnished a new $50,000 bond. The other bond expired with the expiration of the present criminal term of the United States court.

MISSIONARIES TO GET STONE RANSOM MONEY

(United Press Leased Wire.)

Washington, March 27.—President Roosevelt sent a message to congress yesterday asking for an appropriation to repay the money advanced by the American Missionary societies for the release of Miss Ellen Stone, the American missionary who was kidnapped in the Balkans several years and held for ransom.

Baby Laugh

It belongs to health for a baby to eat and sleep, to laugh and grow fat.

But fat comes first; don't ask a scrawny baby to laugh; why, even his smile is pitiful! Fat comes first.

The way to be fat is the way to be healthy.

Scott's Emulsion

is the proper food, but only a little at first.

All Druggists: 50c. and $1.00.

Water Pipes Bursted, Big Stock of Water Damaged Dry Goods Was the Result—On Account of Want of Room and Spring Business Arrangements the Best Dry Goods Store on Third Street, East Side of Street, Sold It to the

AT A TERRIFIC SACRIFICE

Tomorrow will find the counters and tables loaded with all goods from the drying-room, consisting of Spring Suits, Coats, Jackets, Skirts, Petticoats, Knit and Muslin Underwear, Chemise, Kimonos, Shirtwaists, Lace Curtains, Belts, Yarns, Cotton Batting, Hosiery, Table Linens, Wool Blankets, Comforters, Piece Goods and Domestics, Shoes, Slippers, Notions, Sundries, and Men's and Boys' Furnishings, Shoes, Hats, etc. Tomorrow (Saturday) will be the best for bargains that ever was seen at the good old reliable BOSTON STORE. You want all you can get for your money. This sale is a Mecca for the money-saving crowds.

LADIES' SPRING SUITS.

The finest lot ever placed on a bargain sale. Elegant imported materials, full hand tailored in the newest shades and styles. Suits that were made to retail at $25 to $75. See them; don't spend a penny until you investigate. You will be able to save from $10 to $50 on a first class suit.

Water damaged in linings; suits worth to $18, go at **$4.95**

Mussed; need pressing; suits that are really beautiful, to $26, at **$7.95**

Almost perfect, need pressing, very fine materials, to $35 value, at **$9.95**

Boxes wet; you would not know it if we did not tell you, to $40 hand tailored; elegant spring styles, at **$13.95**

Sample Suits, serges, velours, worsteds, finest imported styles, to $60 value **$18.95**

SKIRTS.

Nearly 500. Just see them if you want to get something good and save more than half.

$2.45 and **$3.95** for 100 styles of Skirts, worth to $7.50.

$4.95 and **$5.45** for voile, Panama, etc., 300 to choose from; worth up to $13.50.

MISSES' SKIRTS.

Panama, fancy patterns, also blue, brown, red, wine, etc.

$2.25 and **$2.45**—Perfect; a sample lot, worth to $6.

SHIRTWAISTS.

A regular exposition of spring styles; a collection of beauties that will appeal to your good taste; absolutely perfect; a sample line.

48¢ for big lot white and dark, to $1.25 values.

98¢—Hundred white, fancy and black, to $2.50 values.

$1.23 and **$1.48**—Most elegant lot, to $4 values.

50¢ for Children's $1.25 Wash Suits.

BELTS.

All sizes; kid, silk, leathers, metal; with fine clasps; newest shades and styles; not water damaged, but a sample line from a big New York wholesale house.

25¢ and **50¢**—Regular price 75c to $2.00.

COME QUICK, THEY ARE WORTH A HURRY

UNDERMUSLINS.

Some wet, others only box wet; finest kinds.

50¢, 75¢, 85¢, 95¢, were $1.25, $1.75, $2 and $3.

CHEMISE.

45¢ and **75¢**, perfect condition; were $1, $1.50, $2.

TABLE LINENS.

25¢ yard—Best white Table Linen, 60c goods.

35¢ yard—Extra quality Table Linen, 85c quality.

Remnants; damp or slightly soiled, at less than one quarter value.

SUNDRIES.

Soaps, Dolls, Carter's Inks, Paste, Mucilage, Toilet Sets, Brushes, Combs, Pins, Cotton Batting, Yarns, etc.

2½¢—Fairy Soap; limited.

18¢ pound—Best Italian Pure Castile, 40c kind.

2½¢—Carter's Inks, 5c bottles.

2½¢—Mucilage, 5c bottles.

5¢—Mucilage, 10c bottles.

2½¢—Paste, 5c bottles.

5¢—Paste, 10c bottles.

15¢ for 30c Eagle Crown Cotton Batting.

10¢ for 20c Purity Cotton Batting.

49¢ for 75c (4 lbs.) Royal Batting.

LACE CURTAINS.

Only badly handled—they must go.

59¢ for regular $1.25 value.

98¢ for regular $2.50 values.

$1.48 for regular $3.50 value.

$1.98 for regular $4.00 value.

WOOL BLANKETS.

All in good or perfect condition.

$1.69—White, etc., regular $3.50 value.

$2.95—White, full size, wool, $6 price.

$4.65—Fine lambswool, full size, heavy, $10 ones.

$6.50—Pure wool, white, heavy, full size, $15 value.

This is the most terrific sacrifice of fine bedding ever seen in Portland.

PIECE GOODS, DOMESTICS

Thousands of yards Kensington and Clairmont, Batiste, Antoinette, Chiffon Voile, Etamine and Ginghams.

5¢ to **10¢**—Big lot Batiste, according to condition; was sold at 10c to 20c a yard.

6¢, 12½¢—Clairmont, Batiste, worth 20c to 30c yd.

10¢ and **12¢**—According to condition; was 30c to 40c yard.

9¢—Big lot 40c Antoinette.

10¢, 15¢—Chiffon Voile; was 30c to 45c yard.

7½¢—A. F. C. 15c Ginghams; were 15c; perfect order.

DRAWERS.

Knit and muslin, several hundred; will be assorted and put in three big lots, according to condition.

19¢ for choice of one big lot.

29¢ for choice of another big lot.

49¢ for choice of another big lot, very finest.

SILK PETTICOATS.

One big lot, all colors, most handsome and in perfect condition, to $12 values, at **$4.95**

LACE CURTAINS.

200 pairs, perfect condition; outside of boxes was damp. Fine Nottingham, Belgian, and Parisian designs.

95¢, $1.45, $1.95—Regular value $2 to $4.50.

WOMEN'S SHOES.

25¢—Big lot, white, etc., soiled, worth to $2.00.

59¢—Big lot Oxfords, white, etc., slightly damp; worth up to $2.50.

95¢—White, black and tan Oxfords, street and dress, assorted accordingly; worth to $3.00

$1.39—Fine dress and street, 500 pairs, worth to $3

$1.89—Hand welts, very fine, perfect order, to $4 values.

GIRLS' SHOES.

A thousand pairs, divided into three lots.

59¢—Soiled, not hurt for wear, to $1.50 values.

89¢—Fine lot, perfect or good condition, to $2 ones

$1.39—Finest dress, misses', to $3.50 values.

MEN'S AND BOYS' SHOES.

Great bargains, mostly boxes wet, good, all O. K.

98¢ for big lot, wet, men's and boys', to $3 Shoes.

$1.65—Big lot, all kinds, Street and Dress Shoes, men's and youths', to $3.50 values.

$2.15—Big lot, perfect condition, to $4 Shoes.

$2.85—Hand welt, street and dress, to $6 goods.

39¢—Big lot damaged Slippers.

SLIGHTLY DAMAGED MEN'S GOODS.

Hats, Caps, Shirts, Underwear, Sox, Suspenders, Sweaters, etc.

8¢—Black and tan Sox, 20c values; boxes wet.

12½¢ for plain and fancy 30c Sox.

5¢ for damp plain and fancy 10c to 20c Handkerchiefs.

12½¢ for wet box 35c Suspenders.

25¢ for wet box 50c to 75c Suspenders.

19¢ for wet box silk 50c Ties.

25¢ for bix lot 75c Soft Shirts.

39¢ for bix lot to $1, all kinds Shirts.

19¢ for wet box 50c Underwear.

39¢ for wet box $1 Underwear.

COATS AND JACKETS.

$2.95 for covert tan Coats, $9 values.

$4.95 for silk Coats, sold up to $15.

$7.85 for elegant and very fine up to $22.50 Coats.

PETTICOATS.

Black sateen and fancies, silks, etc.

59¢ for sateens, were $1.25; perfect condition.

79¢ for sateens, etc., were $2.50; fine condition.

$1.39 for big lot heatherbloom $3 Petticoats.

YARNS.

Fine wool and German goods.

7½¢ for 15c quality.

One thousand other articles at one quarter price.

Greatest Sacrifice Sale of

Men's Suits

Ever Made Under Any Circumstances

$5.85 For choice of a beautiful lot of dark and medium color Single and Double-Breasted Spring Suits, regular $10.00 and $12.00 suits. This is a lot of sample suits bought at a bargain and going to be sold at a bargain.

$8.85 About 200 of them, fresh from the sample rooms of Bloom Bros., wholesale. All hand-tailored and were made to retail at $15.00 to $18.00.

$11.85 Spring Suits, the kinds that you see in uptown stores at $22.00 and $25.00. We bought them cheap and you get the benefit, as we always sell as we buy—that's why this store is always doing business when high-toned stores are empty. We have the qualities and styles, but buy for gold and buy to advantage, and always sell goods cheaper than any other store on the coast.

Pants—79c, $1.45, $2.35

Odd lot worth $2.00, $3.00 and up to $5.00.

During the Rush Hours Tomorrow

The same rule will be in effect as on last Saturday. To avoid jamming the main entrance with incoming and outgoing crowds, the entrance will be on First and exit on Salmon street. Sale opens at 8:30 a. m.; closes at 10 p. m. Saturday.

FLEET WILL NOT BOTHER VOTERS

Admiral Evans Will Wait Till After Primaries to Go to San Francisco.

(United Press Leased Wire.)

San Francisco, March 27.—In accordance with the request of the fleet committee, Secretary Metcalf has formally ordered the Atlantic fleet to delay its arrival in San Francisco bay until May 6, instead of coming on May 5, as planned. The city primary elections fall on the latter date.

Carolina Rate Cases.

(United Press Leased Wire.)

Raleigh, N. C., March 27.—The complaint made by the North Carolina state commission against the Norfolk & Western railway came up for hearing today before Judge Clements of the interstate commerce commission. The basis of the complaint is alleged discrimination in rates against North Carolina points in favor of certain Virginia cities.

Socialist Theatre.

(United Press Leased Wire.)

New York, March 27.—Cosmopolitan New York has long had its Yiddish, Chinese, Hungarian and Italian playhouses, but it has remained for Julius Hopp, a well known resident of the lower east side, to give to the metropolis its first Socialist theatre. Manager Hopp, who has long struggled to establish a Socialist theatre in this city, has found a home for his endeavors in a small playhouse in East Third street, where the initial performance is scheduled for tonight. Three one act Socialist dramas make up the bill. They are "The Moral Demand," by Otto Erich Hartleben; "Their Daughter," by Andre Tridon and "The Dolls," by Mr. Hopp himself.

Montreal Bond Issue.

(United Press Leased Wire.)

Montreal, March 27. — Bids were opened at the city hall this afternoon for Montreal's new $5,000,000 bond issue. The bonds are to bear interest at 4 per cent and mature May 1, 1948. A portion of the proceeds is to be used for the redemption of the public debt and the remainder for carrying on certain public works, chiefly the enlarging of the waterworks and street improvements.

Educators in Chicago.

(United Press Leased Wire.)

Chicago, March 27.—The twenty-fourth annual session of the North Central association of colleges and Secondary schools opened in this city today, and will continue over tomorrow. More than 100 well known educators are in attendance, representing Michigan, Ohio, Wisconsin, Indiana, Iowa, Minnesota, Illinois, Missouri, Nebraska and Colorado.

CASTORIA

For Infants and Children.

The Kind You Have Always Bought

Bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher

DROVE EMPLOYES TO THEIR DEATH

Section Foreman Accused of Forcing Eighteen Men to Board Leaky Boat.

(United Press Leased Wire.)

San Francisco, March 27.—The charge that the death of 18 men was directly due to brutality of a section foreman on the Sacramento Valley & Eastern railway is the feature of a petition filed in the superior court here, asking Judge Graham for letters of administration over the estates of the men.

Eighteen suits, 17 for $5,000 each and one for $10,000, have been brought by heirs of the dead men. It is alleged that the railroad foreman compelled the men to get into a leaky boat, beating them with a pickhandle when they hesitated. In midstream the frail boat shipped water and the men, panic-stricken, overturned it and 18 of them drowned.

BIG MILLS AT BAKER RESUME OPERATIONS

Baker City, March 27.—The large sawmills of the Oregon Lumber company in this city, resumed operations yesterday morning, after a closedown since the first financial scare seized the country.

The starting up of these mills, the largest in capacity of any in eastern Oregon, means that one hundred or more men will return to work after an enforced idleness with the result that a large pay roll will again be distributed throughout the city and good times will be restored in so far as several thousands of dollars monthly can do it.

DYSPEPSIA

"Having taken your wonderful "Cascarets" for three months and being entirely cured of stomach catarrh and dyspepsia, I think a word of praise is due to "Cascarets" for their wonderful composition. I have taken numerous other so-called remedies but without avail and I find that Cascarets relieve more in a day than all the others I have taken would in a year."

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Best For The Bowels

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THEY WORK WHILE YOU SLEEP

Pleasant, Palatable, Potent, Taste Good, Do Good. Never Sicken, Weaken or Gripe, 10c, 25c, 50c. Never sold in bulk. The genuine tablet stamped C C C. Guaranteed to cure or your money back.

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ANNUAL SALE, TEN MILLION BOXES

Y. M. C. A. Convention.

(United Press Leased Wire.)

Columbia, S. C., March 27.—The fifth annual interstate convention of the Y. M. C. A. of North and South Carolina opened here today with a full representation of delegates. The formal opening this afternoon was preceded by a conference of student delegates this morning. Governor Ansel, Bishop Guerry of Charleston, Robert Glasgow Jr. of Charlotte and President Scherer of Newberry college are among the notables on the program for the afternoon and evening sessions. The convention will remain in session over Saturday and Sunday.

SPECIAL SALE

Sterling Silver Thimbles, each 10c
Nickel Watches, one-year guarantee 75c
Alarm Clocks, one-year guarantee 75c
Solid Gold Birthstone Rings $2.50
1847 Rogers Bros. Knives and Forks, doz. . $3.75
Waltham or Elgin Watches, in a 20-year guaranteed case $8.00

Every Article Guaranteed

STANDARD JEWELRY STORE

189 Third Street, Between Yamhill and Taylor

Meizger fits glasses for $1.00.

Jumping Ropes Free.

Forty labels of the Butter-Nut and Buster Brown bread will get the finest jumping rope that ever came to Portland. Trimmed with bells and beads and spiral wire. Save the labels and get one for the little girl.

Meizger, Jeweler, optician, 341 Wash.