

6500 CHILDREN WILL TAKE PART IN GREAT FESTIVAL ON MAY 17

Groupings for Monster Spectacle on Multnomah Field Announced by Mr. Krohn.

MAYPOLE DANCE; 25 POLES

Group of 3000 for Calisthenics, 1500 Each for Wand Drills and Indian Club Exercises.

Robert Krohn, supervisor of physical training in the public schools, announced Saturday the groupings for the great May festival to be held May 17 on Multnomah field.

The pupils of Portland's 50 schools will be divided into groups of 3000 for calisthenics, 1500 for wand drills and 1500 for Indian club exercises.

Mr. Krohn will be assisted in the general supervision by R. H. Thomas as field director.

To Break Records. The festival will undoubtedly be the greatest children's spectacle ever staged in Portland.

Schools are grouped into columns as follows with principals as callisthenics, wand and Indian club leaders in the order named:

Column 1—Couch, Davis, Chapman, A. M. Cannon, J. W. McCormack, A. A. Campbell, Column 2—Vernon, Woodlawn, Kennedy, William Parker, C. M. Stafford, E. T. Failing.

Column 3—Portsmouth, Peninsula, Central, North, H. B. Blough, W. A. Pettys, B. T. Van Tine.

Column 4—Albion, Homestead, Thompson, Shaver, Hugh Boyd, G. E. Jamison, L. H. Baker.

Column 5—Colladay, Irvington, Fernwood, Elliot, R. E. Hugheson, Elmer Brown, S. U. Downs.

Column 6—Mills, Kerns, Rose City, C. A. Fry, Mrs. A. E. Watson, Mrs. Mary E. Lemon.

Column 7—Sunnyside, Buckman, E. D. Curtis, H. M. Barr, E. J. Hadley.

Column 8—Sellwood, Llewellyn, Brooklyn, L. H. Morgan, Paul Eckert, H. M. Sherwood, J. J. Gary.

Column 9—Clifton, Woodstock, Creston, L. A. Reed, Mrs. A. M. Adams, A. J. Friedau.

Column 10—Woodmers, Lents, Arleta, Hoffman, W. A. Dickson, A. F. Hershner, T. E. Spehrs.

Column 11—Ladd, Alansworth, Multnomah, C. M. Kiegnis, Mrs. L. M. Thomas, Miss Kate Cobolin.

Column 12—Shattuck, Holman, A. F. Draper, L. D. Roberts, Miss Adina I. Iwak.

Column 13—Falling, Terwilliger, Fulton Park, Miss Fanny Porter, O. R. Dinwiddie, Miss Alice Joyce.

Column 14—Ockley Green, Highland, Kenton, East, H. H. Wilkey, C. H. Boyd, Miss Grace De Graft.

Column 15—Mount Taber, Glencoe, Richmond, William Miller, C. L. Strong, R. R. Steele.

The schools participating in this stupendous dance will be the Sunnyside, Holloway, Richmond, Lents, Central, Kerns, Clinton Kelly, Buckman, Vernon, Rose City, Holman, Albion, Homestead, Couch, Ockley Green, Elliot, Shattuck, Woodstock, Highland, Sellwood, Falling, Hawthorne, Fernwood, Ladd, Stephens and Woodmere.

Pocket Fire Escape Proved by Inventor

With Daughter in His Arms He Lowered Himself from Thirteenth Floor of Hotel in San Francisco.

San Francisco, May 8.—(P. N. S.)—In the sight of a crowd of several thousand, Pietro Vesovi, inventor of a pocket fire escape, lowered himself from the thirteenth floor of the hotel St. Francis Saturday afternoon and reached ground safely with his 15-year-old daughter, Lena, in his arms.

Vesovi stopped at the sixth floor and lifted his daughter into his arms from the window sill.

The fire escape consists of a steel rope arranged like a tape measure. It fastens onto any part of an ordinary window casing and the speed of the descent can be controlled by the user.

HOSTILITIES IN BLACK REPUBLIC SUSPENDED; WARNING BY THE U. S.

Fighters Told That Armed Intervention by U. S. Would Result Within 72 Hours.

Santo Domingo, May 8.—(P. N. S.)—Hostilities, which broke out here Saturday at the outbreak of an attempt to overthrow the administration of President Jimenez, resulting in several persons being killed or injured, were suspended Sunday.

A warning from William W. Russell, the American minister, that armed intervention would result within 72 hours unless hostilities between the opposing Dominican factions ceased, caused a meeting of the municipality and the appointment of a commission to endeavor to persuade President Jimenez and General Arias to arrange their differences.

Haitian Senate Dispersed. Port Au Prince, Haiti, May 8.—(P. N. S.)—Members of the Haitian senate who persisted in holding a meeting despite the warning of Rear Admiral Caperton in command of American forces here, were dispersed Saturday by a detachment of gendarmes commanded by an American officer.

Destroyers Start for Trouble. Key West, Fla., May 8.—(P. N. S.)—The destroyers Walke and Terry sailed from here Saturday night for Santo Domingo, while at the navy yard it was learned that five other destroyers, the Flusser, Sierra, Kead, Hunter and Lamson, would sail today accompanied by the supply ship Panther.

Texan Sentenced to Death in Singapore

British Accuse J. Starr Hunt, Protege of Multimillionaire San Antonio Banker, of Promoting an Uprising.

San Antonio, Texas, May 8.—(P. N. S.)—On his name, which appears to be English, may depend the fate of J. B. Starr Hunt, aged 25, a native of San Antonio, who is reported held a prisoner by British authorities in Singapore, under death sentence on a charge of promoting an uprising.

Young Starr Hunt is a god-son of Colonel George W. Brockbridge, multimillionaire banker of San Antonio, who today appealed to Representative Slayden to help save the boy's life.

Starr Hunt's father is J. L. Starr Hunt, attorney of Mexico City. He is an American citizen and formerly lived here.

Would Keep News of Death From His Kin

Chief Yeoman of U. S. Cruiser Cheyenne Found Dead in Hotel at San Pedro From Self-Inflicted Wound.

Los Angeles, May 8.—(P. N. S.)—Asking as an ante mortem favor that his relatives be left in ignorance of his death, E. R. Webster, 30, chief yeoman of the U. S. Monitor Cheyenne, was found a suicide Saturday night at San Pedro.

On May 1, Webster obtained a 10-day leave and went ashore, where he registered at the St. Francis hotel. On Friday night he told Mrs. W. C. Walker, proprietor, that he was going to take a long sleep. Late last night, her suspicions aroused, she summoned Sergeant Albert Wade. He broke open the door and found that the man had been dead from a bullet wound for hours.

A note left to Captain Howe of his ship assigned no reason for Webster's act.

Holy War on Britain Declared by Dinar

Sovereign of Egyptian Country With Army and 8000 Camels Reported to Be Driving British Toward Nile.

Berlin, May 8.—(U. P.)—Ali Dinar Imam of Darfur, country of Southwestern Egypt, with several million inhabitants, has proclaimed a holy war against the British, according to Constantinople reports.

With 8000 camels, Ali Dinar is marching against northern Sudan, driving the British forces before him. He plans to cooperate with the Senussi rebels who have been harassing the British in northwestern Egypt. The British are hastily retreating toward the Nile.

AMERICAN INDUSTRIES SOUGHT BY RUSSIA TO REESTABLISH BUSINESS

Obstacles to Foreign Investors Removed and Legal Protection Is Promised.

New York, May 8.—(P. N. S.)—Russia wants Americans and American capital to develop her resources. The Russian imperial consulate in New York has been officially requested to invite American manufacturers to open warehouses, branch offices and depots in the thriving city of Omsk, to rehabilitate the disorganized chemical and drug trade on both sides of the Ural.

It is also announced that a special commission is at work in Petrograd preparing a revision of laws governing concessions, joint stock companies, mining, leases on state properties and on peasant, tribal, church and crown lands.

Obstacles Are Removed. Obstacles heretofore in the way of foreign capital are to be removed, and investors are to be released from the uncertainty formerly prevailing.

The Russian consulate in New York placed the invitation before the National Association of Manufacturers. The announcement is today in the advance of a special bulletin which will be sent to manufacturers throughout the United States.

In this bulletin the friendly feeling that exists toward American business is emphasized.

This statement by I. X. Ozeroff, member of the imperial council, accompanies the bulletin.

U. S. Is Only Aid. "After the war is over the United States will be the only country in the world which will find itself in a position to assist financially Russian industries. Such aid is required to save such Russian industries as were in their formative, rudimentary state or crippled by the protracted war."

"Other countries of Europe and of Central and South America are already turning to the United States for American capital to be invested in their industries."

"To secure American capital, Russia must give liberal concessions with assurance of absolute safety for the capital invested and legal protection for the investor."

Pension Office Drops Veteran by Mistake

Oregon Man Proves That He Isn't James W. Gilmore, Who Fought in the Confederate Army.

Washington, May 8.—(WASHINGTON BUREAU OF THE JOURNAL)—James W. Gilmore of Murphy, Josephine county, Oregon, a civil war pensioner, learned that a few days ago he had become confused with another J. W. Gilmore, who served in the Confederate army during the war.

The pension bureau stopped his pension and began an investigation.

Congressman Hawley became interested in his case and some time ago presented evidence to prove that the Oregon man was not the ex-Confederate.

The two Gilmores, it appears served in the opposing armies in the same section of Missouri, and the Confederate Gilmore quit the army of the gray shortly before the Oregon Gilmore entered the service of the blue in 1865.

This was what caused suspicion to attach.

An investigator of the pension bureau here, now reported, exonerating the Oregon man from the charge of disloyalty and it is expected that the board of review will in a few days order his name restored to the roll.

With back pay from the time his pension was stopped.

Transport Sunk by Mine. Berlin, via Sayville, May 8.—(P. N. S.)—More than 600 Russian soldiers were lost when an allied transport was sunk by a mine in the Mediterranean, according to Corfu advices made public by Transocean News Bureau Sunday.

Only a few of the Russian soldiers were rescued. The bodies recovered were buried by the British at Malta.

The transport was sunk at about the same time that the battleship Russell was sent to the bottom by a mine in the Mediterranean late in April.

Free Classes in Lamp Shade Making when materials are purchased here. —Sixth Floor

The May Sale of Undermuslins —Our foresight in assembling thousands of garments for this New Sale of White was justified by the tremendous totals of sales made Monday. We are satisfied that the women of Portland have never before had unfolded before them such a comprehensive display of fine undermuslins. Come Tuesday and secure your share.

- \$1.00 Longcloth Envelope Chemise...79c \$2.50 Longcloth Envelope Chemise...\$1.98 \$1.50 Crepe Gowns, May White Sale \$1.19 \$1.25 Drawers of Longcloth, Sale...85c \$1.00 and \$1.25 Night Gowns for...79c 75c and 85c Corset Covers, Special...59c \$1.50 Longcloth Skirts, May Sale...\$1.19 —Fourth Floor

The Newest Golfine Skirts The ideal skirt, most adapted for golf, outing and sports wear. These skirts are of fine, velvet-finished white golfine and are modeled in the new flaring style, with two side fancy pockets, half belted back and pearl button trimmed.

May White Sale \$3.45 —Third Floor

La Vida Corsets of Fancy Broche In flesh tint and white, modeled with the medium bust and slightly curved waist line, long skirt and three pairs of heavy hose supporters attached. Finished at the top with lace. In sizes 22 to 30. Regular \$5.50.

May White Sale \$3.45 —Fourth Floor

75c and 85c Boudoir Caps Boudoir caps were never so dainty and attractive—made of society satin, crepe de chine and fancy gabardines, with trimmings of nets, laces, ribbons and French flowers. In white and pastel colorings.

May White Sale 49c —Fourth Floor

Special Menu Tuesday 25c Hot Lunch —Cream of potato soup, roast beef, or creamed clams, or deviled crab—mashed potatoes, relish, bread and butter, and beverages. —Basement

Sipman Wolfe & Co Merchandise of Merit Only

Economy Basement Store "Where You Spend the Least and Get the Most for It"

The May Undermuslin and May Wash Goods Sales Are in Full Swing

The Undermuslins —Table after table heaped high with fresh, new garments of the latest styles, made of superior materials, finished in the best possible way, and cut in large, full sizes. Dozens of different ways of trimming, with dainty fine laces and embroideries. And the prices are the greatest surprise of all.

- Corset Covers, Special 19c, 25c, 39c, 49c, 59c Drawers, Special 25c, 29c, 39c, 49c and 59c Gowns, Special 39c, 50c, 59c, 79c, 98c, \$1.19 Combinations, Special 59c, 79c, 98c, \$1.19 Skirts, Special 59c, 79c, 98c, \$1.19, \$1.69 Camisoles of Crepe de Chine, Special 50c, 79c —Basement

Rush Cane Straw Hats 49c —Hats Always Sold for \$1. —Smartest thing for sports and the dress wear — and one, of the scarcest hats in the market. In natural, black, brown, navy, green. Large and small shapes. —Basement

Imperial Crown Austrian China Fancy Plates For Service, Dessert and for Plate Rails —A great opportunity to buy this fine china much less than cost. \$1 Plates for 39c 75c Plates for 29c 50c Plates for 24c 39c Plates for 21c 35c Plates for 19c 25c Plates for 15c —Basement

The Wash Goods —Never such wonderful wash fabrics—never such a vast assortment of colors and patterns offered in any sale. Now is the time to choose tub materials, for women's, children's boys', girls' and men's apparel. Come Tuesday—this sale will be a revelation to you. 25c Tissue Voiles 18c —New stripes and colorings. 35c White Suitings 19c —Plain and fancy weaves. 20c Figured Voiles 14c —50 different new patterns. 15c Standard Percales 11c —Great variety of patterns. 12 1/2c New Percalès 9c —Full 36 inches in width. 10c Check Gingham 7c —Less than wholesale cost. 25c Madras Shirting 19c —Great variety of patterns. 15c Fine Galatea 12 1/2c —Plain colors and stripes. —Basement

House Dresses Selling Regularly at \$1.35, \$1.50, \$1.75, \$2.00 98c —The greatest sale of house dresses offered for many a day. —Ginghams and percales of splendid qualities, in light and dark colors—styles for house and porch wear—plain and trimmed dresses—also Utility dresses. —Sizes 34 to 44, and every size in between—we can fit you. —Basement

MEN'S Underwear Sale 50c shirts and drawers, soft cotton, elastic weave. Long or short sleeves. French neck. Drawers reinforced, double seat, elastic cuffs at ankle. 39c 50c Athletic Suits —Union suits, regular style, sleeveless, knee length. Of checked flannel, barred muslin and soft cambric, elastic webbing at waist, closed crotch. 39c Ribbed Union Suits —White or ecru color, long or quarter sleeves. Closed crotch. French neck, knitted cuff at wrist and ankle. 49c Shirts and Drawers —Roxonia make, in summer weight and style. Every garment reinforced, each. 25c —Basement

Children's 40c Bloomers, Sale 29c —Of good wearing quality, sateen, elastic at knee, band at waist. Made full and large, all sizes. 2 to 12 years. —Basement

Broadway Limited One of 10 All-Steel Trains East from Chicago Leaves Chicago 12:40 noon Arrives New York 9:40 next morning Trains from Pacific Coast arrive Chicago for convenient connection, day or night, with all-steel through trains over PENNSYLVANIA LINES to Pittsburgh, Baltimore, Washington, Philadelphia, New York, and points East and South of Chicago.