

ALL SAN FRANCISCO PAYS FINAL TRIBUTE TO GENERAL FUNSTON

Terrific Gale Attends Impressive Funeral Services at Presidio.

STREET TRAFFIC STOPS

Six Soldiers Lower Casket Into Grave While Winds So Sounded and Salute Is Fired; Services at Gunroh.

General Pershing in Command. San Antonio, Texas, Feb. 24. —(U. P.)—Major General John J. Pershing today formally assumed command of the southern department, succeeding the late Major General Frederick Funston.

San Francisco, Cal., Feb. 24.—On the slope of a wind-swept eminence in Presidio National cemetery, the body of "fighting Fred" Funston lay tonight in a new-made grave. Several soldiers from the Presidio braved the gale to visit again the spot where a few hours earlier they had fired a last salute in memory of the dead major general.

Street Traffic at Standstill. As an especial mark of respect to the man who did so much for San Francisco during the trying days after the fire scourge of 1906, all street traffic ceased at 12:30, the exact hour that the body was lowered into the grave, and for two minutes hundreds of men in all sections of San Francisco stood with bare heads.

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Kansas Honors Native Son. Topeka, Kan., Feb. 24.—(U. P.)—The state of Kansas, where "fighting Fred" Funston gathered his famous "Twenty-third Kansas Regiment" and up shop today while state officials, legislators and hundreds of friends paid their respects to the late major general.

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AMERICAN SHIPS BRAVE DANGER ZONE



The American ships Rochester and Orleans were the first freighters to sail for the barred zone after the diplomatic break with Germany, leaving February 10 for Bordeaux. The Orleans (below) successfully passed the danger zone, it was announced Friday. The Rochester arrived off Bordeaux yesterday. The insert shows Captain Allan Tucker of the Orleans.

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Teamster Expires In Sudden Illness

Brigham Shultz, residing at the Lambert hotel, Union avenue and East Oak street, died Saturday evening about 7:30 o'clock following a sudden illness, believed to have been heart failure, which came over him while he was attending the American theatre, First and Main streets, with C. Martin, living at 234 East Forty-seventh street.

Fig Causes Fatal Crash.

Des Moines, Iowa, Feb. 24.—(U. P.)—A pig in the middle of the road caused the death of Mrs. L. D. Rash and the probable fatal injury of three other women when the automobile in which they were riding overturned striking the pig. The car plunged into a ditch, 10 feet deep, Mrs. Martha Mason being probably fatally hurt. An infant she was carrying was barely scratched.

Seattle Cats in Bad. Seattle, Wash., Feb. 24.—(P. N. S.)—Cats that prowl in the parks of Seattle hereafter will be taking their lives in their paws. The park board has discovered that there are 25,000,000 cats in the United States, and that each, on the average, kills five birds a year. Therefore a zone of frightfulness has been created for them in the parks, and all caught within its borders are open to assassination.

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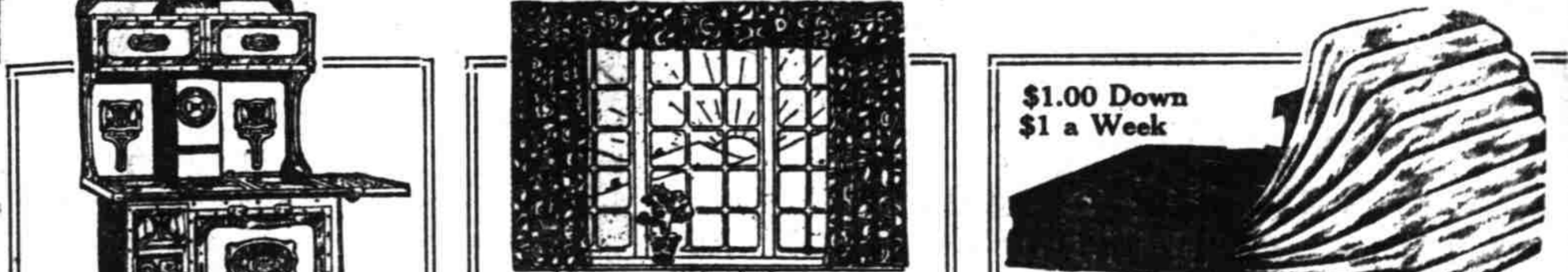
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