PORTLAND ARMORY UNDER CONTROL OF STATE, SAYS BROWN

Attorney General Interprets Laws to Mean That Armory Is Under Control of Military Force.

Salem, Aug. 1.—The Portland Armory, although it is the property of Multnomah county, is under the control of the general staff of the state military forces, according to an opinion given by Attorney General Brown to Colonel John M. Williams, acting adjutant general.

Multnomah county acquired the site and constructed the building, but during practically all of the time since the Armory has been maintained by state appropriations.

The attorney general points out that the military laws of the state provide that "the general staff shall have control of armories and shall prescribe the regulations governing the same." This language is found in section 77, chapter 327, laws of 1917, which is a continuation of an earlier law.

"It was within the power of the legislature to, as it did by a law of this state, place the control of the said Armory under the military authorities of Oregon, notwithstanding the fact that said Armory was constructed from taxes gathered by the county authorities from the property situate within the boundaries of Multnomah county," says the attorney general.

He points out that a county is a mere agency of the state and is entirely governed by state laws.

"The legislature," he says, "has authority, on account of a county being but a mere agency of the state, to control the use, management and disposition of the county property."

Believes Thompson Wants Revenge

Salem, Aug. 1.—Warden Murphy of the penitentiary says he does not believe Bennett Thompson planned his escape from the penitentiary for any other purpose than to return to Washington county and even up scores with District Attorney Tongue or Sheriff Reeves or others against whom he holds a grudge for sending him to prison for life for the murder of Mrs. Helen Jennings and Fred Ristman.

"I do not think he expected to get away," said Warden Murphy. "He wanted to get out long enough to 'get' District Attorney Tongue or some of the others and then expected to be returned to prison."

Major Dieck of the state police telephoned the warden Wednesday afternoon that he believed Thompson and Thurber were in the woods in the vicinity of Multnomah station.

Association Cannot File

Salem, Aug. 1.—The articles of incorporation of the Union Workers' Beneficial association of Portland are not eligible for filing with the insurance department as any sort of an insurance society, says the attorney general in a written opinion to Insurance Commissioner Wells.

The attorney general says the articles cannot be filed as articles of a fraternal benefit association, nor as a lodge, nor as an accident insurance association, as there is no capital stock, and the proposed organization does not come under any of the exemptions stated in the insurance laws.

Express Increase Denied

Salem, Aug. 1.—The application of the American Railway Express company for a 10 per cent increase in intrastate express rates was denied by the public service commission in an order issued Wednesday afternoon.

The commission points out that the express company, which is a merger of all the big companies, made no attempt to present evidence to show that the increase in rates was needed.

A 10 per cent increase was granted by the interstate commerce commission on interstate express rates and the company seemed to rely on that fact as a justification for the granting of a similar increase in intrastate rates.

Magazine Increases Stock

Salem, Aug. 1.—The Farm Magazine company of Portland has filed with the corporation department a resolution showing an increase in capital stock from $10,000 to $50,000.

Articles of incorporation were filed by the Central company, Inc., of Astoria, which has a capital stock of $12,000. The incorporators are F. L. Warren of Portland and C. R. Higgins and C. A. Smith of Astoria.

Will Deport Italian

Salem, Aug. 1.—Joseph Boitano, who was committed to the Oregon state hospital from Multnomah county, will be deported to Italy, where he will be placed in the Italian army. He will leave Thursday, accompanied by an attendant. He is the son of a wealthy Italian count, who is paying the expenses of the deportation.

France Takes Steps To Prevent Cholera

Paris, Aug. 1.—(I. N. S.)—Precautions against a spread of cholera into France by the French minister of the interior were announced today by Professor Roux, director of the Pasteur Institute. Quarantine regulations have been placed and all prisoners of war are examined carefully before they are allowed to leave the zones behind the allied front.

Employment Agencies Rebuked

Competition of the employment agencies in their efforts to obtain workmen for outside jobs at wages in excess of those offered by government spruce production authorities has brought forth a sharp protest from the federal officials. It is declared that the practice of private agencies is hampering the work of the government. The question was brought to the attention of the mayor and council at a special meeting Tuesday and steps were undertaken to put a stop to the practice.

LEBANON MAN IS WOUNDED IN ACTION

William Heinrich

Lebanon, Or., Aug. 1.—Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Heinrich of this city, Wednesday received a cablegram from Adjutant General McCain, that their son, William Heinrich, was severely wounded in France on July 18, while in action. Young Heinrich was born in January, 1890, at Santa Cruz, Cal., but at the age of 14 months came to Lebanon with his parents and lived here continuously, attending the local schools and working in the Willamette Paper mills until 1913, when he went to San Francisco, where he was employed as a hotel clerk at the Paisley hotel.

In November, 1917, he responded to the draft and was placed in the Fifty-eighth infantry, Company E, fourth division. The last letter received from him by his mother, was written June 13 of this year.

Young Heinrich is the first name to appear on the casualty list from this section, to be wounded while in action.

MULTNOMAH COUNTY FAIR GIVES PROMISE OF BEING BIG SHOW

Premium List for Exposition at Gresham Sept. 17 to 21, Offers Larger Prizes Than Usual.

Premium lists for the twelfth annual Multnomah County Fair, to be held at Gresham September 17 to 21, have been announced. The opening day will be Gresham day, with a campfire at night and an Indian war dance. Wednesday will be the special day for pioneers, children, women, Sunday schools and grocerymen. Portland day will be Thursday, which will also be devoted to Oregon manufacturers, business men and automobiles. On Friday the Woodmen of the World, Elks, Grangers and other fraternal organizations, and school children will hold sway, and Saturday will be patriotic day, the day for state societies, and at night the big exhibition.

The fraternal and lodge societies attending will be in competition, the largest in attendance on a percentage basis, to be awarded a handsome pennant.

The money available for premiums is greatly increased over last year, according to directors of the fair. The 10 granges of the county are getting their exhibits in shape, and the floral societies of Portland are preparing a fine display.

Campbell's American band will furnish music for the week, and the Browning Amusement company will offer shows and other attractions. During the last three days of the fair, a series of races have been planned.

Premiums will be awarded on the points of neatness and arrangement, condition, size, uniformity and color. Entries may be made at any time by applying to the secretary.

James Jones Joins Marines

Oregon City, Aug. 1.—James Walter Jones, a former Oregon City boy, who has been employed on an agricultural and stock ranch near Harlowtown, Mont., during the last two years, passed through Portland last night on his way to San Francisco to enter the naval service as a marine, having enlisted a few days ago. The young man, the only son of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Jones of this city, was met at Portland by his parents.

MILITARY FANTASIA IS A FEATURE OF BAND CONCERT AT PARK

Audience Asked to Sing Popular Members at Holladay Park Concert This Evening.

"Reminiscenses of 'The Boys in Blue,'" a grand military fantasia, will be one of the principal numbers to be played by the Municipal Park band tonight at the concert at Holladay park. It is a tone picture of war scenes and contains all of the familiar battle hymns and war songs that have been born during the making of American history.

Director Percy Campbell wants the audiences to sing with the band when it plays the popular songs of the day for encores, and he would have it understood that the band will gladly play any particular song that might be requested by the audience.

The concert tonight begins at 8 o'clock and the program will be as follows:

Anthem..... "The Star Spangled Banner," Community Sing
March, "Washington Post" (Request)...Sousa
Overture, "Light Cavalry" (Request)...Suppe
Waltz, "Charming" (Request).....Waldteufel
Cornet solo, "Remembrance of Liberati (Request).....J. O. Casey
Earle C. Stevens
Selection, "The Pink Lady" (Request).....Ivan Caryll
(a) "La Paloma" (Request).....Tradier
(b) Serenade, "A Night in June" (Request).....K. L. King
(c) "Anvil Chorus" (Request).....Verdi
Grand Military Fantasia, "Reminiscences of "The Boys in Blue,"....T. H. Rollinson

Synopsis

Prayer for Peace: The first gun. To Arms! The assembly. "Rally 'Round the Flag." The Reveille. Drill Call. The Raw Recruits.

In Camp: Adjutant's Call. Approach of the Guard. Songs of the camp. "Kingdom Coming," "Glory, Glory, Hallelujah!" Tenting on the Old Camp Ground." Bugle Calls. Attention. Assembly of the Battalion.

Nearing the End of the War: "When Johnny Comes Marching Home," "Tramp, Tramp, Tramp, the Boys are Marching," "Marching Through Georgia."

After the War: "The Vacant Chair." Lights Out. "Auld Lang Syne."

Finale: "Three Cheers for the Red, White and Blue."

National Anthems of the Allies.

Community Sing......"America."

Friday evening the band will play at Peninsula park. Take Mississippi avenue car.

The schedule for the remainder of the season is as follows:

Sunday, August 4, 3 p. m., in Washington park; Tuesday, August 6, 8 p. m., in Marquam Gulch playground; Thursday, August 8, 8 p. m., in South Park blocks; Friday, August 9, 8 p. m., in Laurelhurst park; Sunday, August 11, 3 p. m., in Mount Tabor park; Tuesday, August 13, 8 p. m., in Vernon playground; Thursday, August 15, 8 p. m., in St. Johns; Friday, August 16, 8 p. m., in Columbia park; Sunday, August 18, 3 p. m., Kenilworth park; Thursday, August 22, 6 p. m., in Laurelhurst park; Friday, August 23, 8 p. m., in Lent's playground; Sunday, August 25, 3 p. m., Brooklyn playground; Thursday, August 29, 8 p. m., in Washington park; Friday, August 30, 8 p. m., Holladay park; Sunday, September 1, 3 p. m., Sellwood park; Monday, September 2, 8 p. m., Mount Scott park; Tuesday, September 3, 8 p. m., Peninsula park.

222,000 Needed by Navy for New Ships

Washington, Aug. 1.—(I. N. S.)—Approximately 22,000 officers and 200,000 men from the navy will be required to man the 2000 vessels which the United States shipping board is building and which are to be rushed into commission as soon as possible. These vessels will be operated under the direction of the navy. They will be turned over to the naval overseas transport service, of which Commander Charles Belknap is the head, as fast as they are commissioned.

Automobile Spark Causes Explosion

Philadelphia, Aug. 1.—(U. P.)—More than 300,000 pounds of cannon powder were blown up early today when fire destroyed one of the storage houses of the Du Pont Powder company at Carney's Point, N. J. None was injured. The fire was caused by a spark from an automobile.

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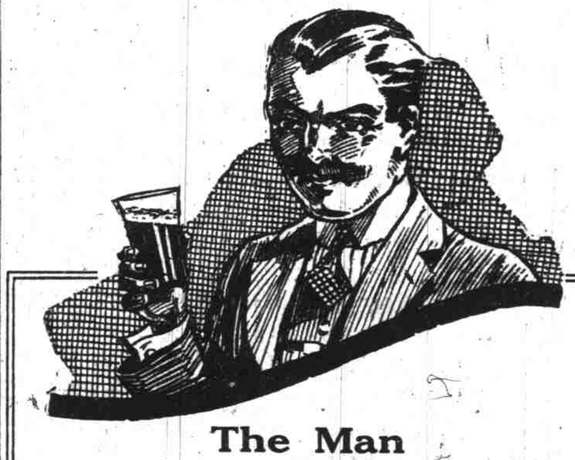

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—White Tailored Milans—the very smartest of all the tailored Summer Hats—and the lovely Georgette and hemp combination Hats that are so much in demand. A number of other beautiful hats are included in this Disposal Sale. Very special at $5.

—Third Floor, Lipman, Wolfe & Co.

Friday—A Special Sale of HEAVY CUT GLASS

Water Tumblers, Set of 6, $1.95

—Choice of three handsome Cut Glass Designs. Very new and rich effects. Only 2 sets to a customer—no phone or C. O. D. orders.

—Sixth Floor, Lipman, Wolfe & Co.

A TIMELY SAVING IS THIS GREAT CLEARANCE OF ODDS AND ENDS OF

SUITS AND DRESSES

—Taffeta dresses, linen dresses and foulard and tussah silk dresses—all in the most charming styles—are included in this Midsummer Clearance Sale at $20. A few suits, too, are repriced for Friday's selling. You'll find this a sale very well worth attending. ***EXTRAORDINARY VALUES AT $20.***

$20

Clearance of Our Entire Stock of Silk Suits—$33.75

—Suits that have been selling for up to double this sale price go out tomorrow at $33.75. Beautiful models in black and navy taffetas and natural pongee. Suits in all sizes—but not all sizes in every style.

Clearance of Our Entire Stock of Silk Coats—$20

—Coats that were priced double and more than double Friday's sale price—black, navy, and blue silks, and natural pongee—many exquisitely lined.

—Third Floor, Lipman, Wolfe & Co.

Are you willing to give some of your Victor and Columbia Phonograph Records

To the boys in the navy? Bring them to this store.

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Friday—2000 Yds. of SILK Mixed CREPE—29c Yd.

—Beautiful silk and cotton mixed fabric at a price that is one-third less than wholesale! Lovely Jacquard patterns that will make the very best kind of Waists, Dresses and Undergarments. Gold, Pink, Rose, Copen, Navy, Lavender and Black. DON'T MISS THIS TRULY WONDERFUL SALE!

Clearance of Smart

White Tub SKIRTS $1.45 and $2.75

—Clever new styles in Tub Skirts of fine gabardines and piques. All have the popular pockets and full belts, with smart button trimming. Some full gathered, and some fitted styles. ALL VERY SPECIALLY PRICED FOR CLEARANCE.

—Economy Basement, Lipman, Wolfe & Co.

Extra Special for Friday

Sale of APRON Dresses $1.29

—Different styles of pretty Apron Frocks made of fancy figured and plain colored percale, cleverly trimmed with contrasting piping. Full belted, side pocket. Special at $1.29.

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81-INCH FULL BLEACHED SHEETING

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—Fine quality of Crochet Bed Spreads in a variety of good patterns—hemmed ends. Very special at **$2.50**

Scalloped Mercerized LUNCH CLOTHS $1.95

—Round Scalloped Table Cloths—size 56 inches—in a splendid quality of mercerized damask; in handsome circular patterns **$1.95**

Bleached UNION TOWEL CRASH 19c

—Excellent quality Crash for dish, hand or roller towels—good weight, without dressing..... **19c**

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—A splendid assortment of patterns in stripes on light grounds. For men's shirts, etc. Very high count cloth, yd. **40c**

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Friday There Will Be

A Sale of GIRLS' Wash DRESSES

—Pretty Gingham Dresses in high waisted, full skirt styles. For girls from 2 to 5 years **79c**

—Many styles in plaids, stripes and color combinations. High waist, full skirt effects. For girls 6 to 14 **$1.79**

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A Great Clearance Underpricing of

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—Trimmed hats in many different styles are included in this great down-pricing of Basement Millinery. All very special at $1.95.

Tailored Wenchow Hats—Special—$1.50

—Hats that were priced 3 times this Clearance Price.

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Clearance of Real Limoges

FRENCH CHINA PLATES—19c

—Fine Vignaud French china plates at the price you usually have to pay for earthenware! Delicate flower spray designs.

—Breakfast, tea and soup plates, *19c*.

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A Sale Extraordinary of Women's

WHITE PETTICOATS 69c—98c—$1.19—$1.69

—Really remarkably low prces for such Petticoats as these, when you consider how prices have been going up on every hand! They're of fine long cloth, with flounces of embroidery and lace insertion. Any number of dainty styles.

—Economy Basement, Lipman, Wolfe & Co.

Be Sure and Come Tomorrow!

Final Clean-up Sale of WHITE SHOES

Women's White Washable Kid Shoes

—High laced boot of white kid with leather Louis heels. All sizes. Remarkably special at..... **$4.95**

Women's White Reinskin Shoes

—Made of fine white fabric, with military heels. Very special at **$4.80**

Women's White Sports Shoes

—With leather, neolin and fiber soles. High and low heel styles. Also Women's White Canvas Oxfords with fiber soles, low heels. Very special. **$2.45**

Women's White Canvas Pumps

—Odds and ends of splendid quality white canvas pumps and strap slippers. High and low heels. **$1.85**

—Economy Basement, Lipman, Wolfe & Co.

MEN'S

SILK FRONT AND IMPORTED JAP CREPE

SHIRTS—$1

—COME EARLY TO THIS SALE—FOR THE SUPPLY IS LIMITED! These are remarkable shirts for the money—a few odd lots that we must sell to make room for fall merchandise. The tub silk-front shirts are seconds of the highest quality. The crepe shirts perfect, but not all sizes in every style. EXTRAORDINARY VALUES.

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Just the thing for summer wear—neat and serviceable. All sizes in black and tan. VERY SPECIAL!

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Friday, NADIA Corsets—$1.19

—Made of batiste in low bust style, with medium long hip and back. Embroidery trimmed. Three pairs of hose supporters. Models for medium and slender figures—Very specially priced at $1.19.

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—In three different sizes. Made of rock elm. Very durable. No phone orders accepted.

Individual One-Burner Gas Plate—60c

—The "Little Brooklyn" one-burner plate—useful for light housekeeping—for chafing dish suppers, etc.

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SALE of Fall SUITS for BOYS $5.95

—Just unpacked! 100 new Fall Suits in the cleverest new styles and patterns. Perfect fit and workmanship. In beautiful mixtures and overplaids. Trousers all full lined. Sizes 8 to 16.

Khaki Military Hats—59c

—Boys will want hats like these as soon as they see them!

Boys' Khaki Knickers—69c

Stonewall Wash Suits—89c

—Cleanup of wash suits for the little fellows—Extraordinary values and smart styles.

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