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ANOTHER CALL FOR SOLDIERS

Five More Regiments Will Probably Be Organized.

THE ORDER EXPECTED SOON

Political or Social Influence Will Cut No Figure—In Appointment of Officers—The Responsibility of Choosing Them Will Rest With the Governors of the Various States.

New York, Aug. 15.—A special to the Herald from Washington: Orders are expected within a few days directing the organization of five new volunteer regiments for the Philippines. While a final decision on the matter of enlisting still more troops has not yet been made, the fact that Secretary Root is already considering the question of officers for the regiments indicates the strong probability that they will be organized. The secretary is extremely anxious to get good officers and as he cannot examine each individual record, he has decided to place the responsibility on the governors of the states.

Political influence and personal or social pull will cut no figure in the distribution of the commissions in these new regiments. Secretary Root made that point unmistakably clear to Senator Clay, of Georgia, when the latter called at the war department to urge the appointment of several young Georgians, who are ambitious to enter the army as commissioned officers.

"We have heretofore had so much trouble over civilian appointments," said Secretary Root, "that we purpose to make the new appointments without the aid of political or personal influence."

Secretary Root is determined that the fall campaign shall end the insurrection, and that General Otis may have no excuse for failure to bring it to a close; he purposes giving him as large an army as conditions may show it necessary. The proposed new regiments may be sent immediately after the ten volunteer regiments already enlisted, should the necessity for them be demonstrated. Should it be apparent when these commands have been recruited that Otis' force is still insufficient to control the situation, recruiting will continue, until all the volunteers authorized by congress have been enlisted.

No Right to Ugliness.

The woman who is lovely in face, form and temper will always have friends, but one who would be attractive must keep her health. If she is weak, sickly and all run down, she will be nervous and irritable. If she has constipation or kidney trouble, her impure blood will cause pimples, blotches, skin eruptions and a wretched complexion. Electric Bitters is the best medicine in the world to regulate the stomach, liver and kidneys and to purify the blood. It gives strong nerves, bright eyes, smooth, velvety skin, rich complexion. It will make a good looking, charming woman of a run-down invalid. Only 50 cents at Blakeley & Houghton's drug store.

RAIN UP THE VALLEY

Storm Interferes With Harvesting Operations.

SALEM, Or., Aug. 14.—Rain may yet cause damage to the grain crop of Marion county, a large amount of which has already been cut ready for threshing, threshing crews having commenced work last week. Yesterday's rain, as far as can be learned, did no particular damage.

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If the rain or cloudy weather continues a few days, however, grain may become musty. Farmers are watching the weather closely. Threshing crews at work in different sections of the county report that the yield this year is extra good, estimating that the grain crop in the county will average in the neighborhood of twenty bushels per acre. Fields threshed so far averaged from twenty to twenty-five. Oats have averaged from thirty to forty-five bushels per acre.

Hauling to warehouses in this section has commenced, but as yet comparatively little grain has reached Salem. The local quotation for wheat is forty-eight cents.

Threshing crews have been forced to quit work by the rain. Work will not be resumed until the grain is thoroughly dry.

His Life Was Saved.

Mr. J. E. Lilly, a prominent citizen of Hannibal, Mo., lately had a wonderful deliverance from a frightful death. In telling of it he says: "I was taken with typhoid fever, that ran into pneumonia. My lungs became hardened. I was so weak I couldn't even sit up in bed. Nothing helped me. I expected to soon die of consumption, when I heard of Dr. King's New Discovery. One bottle gave great relief. I continued to use it, and now am well and strong. I can't say too much in its praise." This marvellous medicine is the surest and quickest cure in the world for all throat and lung trouble. Regular size 50 cents and \$1.00. Trial bottle free at Blakeley & Houghton's drug store; every bottle guaranteed.

H. P. Hobson is Heard From.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 14.—Naval Constructor Richard P. Hobson was heard from by the navy department today for the first time at any length since he was assigned to duty in charge of the Spanish ships raised from Manila harbor and now undergoing repairs at Hong Kong. His report is unusually uninteresting, dealing in general questions, such as the need of a large dock yard in the Orient, the increasing shipping at Manila and prospect that Manila will succeed Hong Kong as the emporium of the east, the value of Chinese labor in all branches of industry, etc.

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Farewell Sermon.

MONMOUTH, Or., Aug. 14.—Rev. W. H. Shearman, for the past five years pastor of the Baptist church here, and also missionary-evangelist of the Northwest Baptist Association, preached his farewell sermon yesterday, and left with his family today for Baker City, his new location. The other churches of the town adjourned in order to hold union services on the occasion.

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A Newspaper Transaction.

SAN JOSE, Cal., Aug. 14.—It is reported here that Alfred Holman, the well-known Oregon journalist, has acquired a large interest in the Daily Mercury newspaper of this city, and that he will shortly take editorial charge. The Mercury is the chief journal of this city and district, and one of the leading half-dozen journals of California. It was established in 1851, and is a fine property.

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Five Hundred and Twenty.

VANCOUVER, Wash., Aug. 14.—Up to date thirty-nine officers and 520 enlisted men have been assigned to the Thirty-fifth regiment at Vancouver Barracks. Twenty-one recruiting stations have been established for the regiment in different points in Oregon, Washington, Idaho and California.

Buffet Library Car.

Commencing August 10th a buffet library car will be placed in service between Chicago and Portland, Or., on trains Nos. 1 and 2. This car has a spacious smoking saloon furnished with easy chairs, writing desks, a well selected library of standard and popular books, guidebooks and current periodicals, a well stocked buffet, a barber shop and an apartment for baggage. Through dining car service will be inaugurated on that date between Portland and Chicago, both via Granger and Ogden. New chair cars of the latest pattern and new baggage and mail cars are to be added to the present through service of Pullman palace and Pullman tourist sleepers which have recently been placed in service, when the entire train will be vestibuled, thus making trains Nos. 1 and 2 equal, if not superior to many of the widely advertised limited trains in the East. aug8-15d

Rates for G. A. R. Encampment.

For the G. A. R. National encampment at Philadelphia, Pa., to be held Sept. 4th-9th the O. R. & N. Co. will make a round trip rate from The Dalles of \$88.85, tickets on sale August 20th and 30th only. Tickets will be good for return passage until Oct. 31st, stop-overs being allowed west of the Missouri river. The tickets between Philadelphia and Chicago will not be good for return passage after Sept. 12th, except that arrangement can be made at Philadelphia between the dates of Sept. 5th 9th upon the payment of 50 cents and deposit of ticket with agent at Philadelphia to have the ticket between Philadelphia and Chicago extended to Sept. 30th. Call on Jas. Ireland, Agent, The Dalles, for further information. aug8-15d

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C. L. PHILLIPS,
County Treasurer.

For Five Dollars you can buy a Camera that will take larger pictures than any other camera on the market. For sale by Clarke & Falk.

ARMS ISSUED IN TRANSVAAL

It Is Reported Kruger's Reply Will Bring War.

BOTH SIDES ARE ACTIVE

In Preparation for the Conflict Now Probable—Boers Amend Constitution—Making It Possible for Them to Compel Residents to Defend Republic.

PRETORIA, Aug. 15.—The executive council concluded its session at 12:30 p. m., when orders were issued to the field cornets to give out Mauser rifles in exchange for Martini-Henry rifles. A great crowd gathered to receive arms. The possibility of war with Great Britain is about the only subject discussed and it is generally felt the burghers should be considered before extreme measures are adopted.

Much Anxiety Felt.

CAPE TOWN, Aug. 15.—No reply has been received here up to the present from the Transvaal government on the latest British proposals on settlement of the questions in dispute, and a dispatch from Pretoria says the reply, when sent, will be disappointing and it is feared the result will be a breaking of negotiations. Great anxiety prevails at the capital of the Transvaal.

Compulsory Army Service.

PRETORIA, Aug. 15.—The volksraad has amended the growwet (constitution of the South African republic) compelling persons who are not burghers to cooperate with them in the defense of the national territory and the suppression of rebellion. General Joubert, vice-president of the republic, and commander-in-chief of the Transvaal forces, denies that the burghers are loading rifles and preparing for war.

Butler Recalled.

LONDON, Aug. 15.—Major-General, Sir William Francis Butler, who it was announced yesterday in a dispatch from Cape Town to the Associated Press, would be relieved as commander of the British troops in South Africa as a result of his alleged Boer sympathies, has been recalled, and Sir Frederick Walker has been appointed to replace him.

Walker is regarded as one of the ablest generals in the army. His appointment therefore, is taken to indicate that the situation is more grave.

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