

BIG BLACK FLEET LIKE FORTIFIED CITY, MOVES ON

Ashton J. S. Seattle, Jan. 6.—(By Associated Press).—The great black fleet, the attacking force of the "black nation" which for the purpose of the maneuver problem has declared war on the United States, today is driving steadily eastward toward the Pacific coast as blue fleet scouting forces (American defense) of 55 United States naval war craft speed northward from the canal in the great game of war at sea off the coast of Mexico.

This black fleet of fifty-one war vessels is a fortified city of more than 20,000 men moving under one master through trackless wastes of blue waters. It is a fortified city of tremendous power of destruction.

Nine great dreadnaughts, having the heaviest striking units of the navy, form its bulk of power. These dreadnaughts move on in triple column formation.

With a crew of 1200 men practically every trade represented in a fair sized city is to be found in operation in these dreadnaughts. Each battleship crew distributes its water supply and electricity for power and light. All crafts are represented on ships, housing, clothing and feeding.

All men are busy eating aboard. Suddenly this routine halts—as the fleet tests its readiness to engage in attacks with the scouting blue fleet. Gunner quarters sounds for all officers and men to drop their tasks and go to battle stations. Then, as in battle, only four major functions carry on. These are (1) engineering and navigation shop maintenance; (2) communication on board and throughout fleet; (3) service of ammunition supply and (4) actual gunnery.

The great rifles of the dreadnaughts, sixteen inch guns, are worked in the manner in which they hurl one ton missiles twenty miles, averaging one every 35 seconds with amazing accuracy. Hundreds of such projectiles may be fired from each battleship. One such shell of high explosive type would destroy a steel building twenty miles away.

TO ORGANIZE GRANGE AT DALLAS IS REPORT

Dallas, Or., March 6.—It is expected that a subordinate grange will be organized in Dallas within the next few weeks. A petition for a grange has been presented to the authorities of the order and a number have signified their desire to join the organization.

The coming state grange convention to be held here in June is an added incentive for the formation of a grange here.

Membership is open to all owners of real estate, whether farmers or not, with the exception of merchants, who are not eligible under the rules of the order.

AUTO ACCIDENT NEAR NEWPORT FATAL TO ONE

Newport, Or., March 6.—One young man was killed and another seriously hurt in an accident which occurred while they were trying out a new car at Toledo, Or., Wednesday night, according to word received here today.

A young man named McIntyre was instantly killed and his companion, named Fritchard, son of a Toledo merchant, was injured. The car ran off the grade and collided with a telephone pole.

Hazel Green

Hazel Green, Or., March 6.—The flu has been visiting this community, giving a number of people unpleasant vacations. Everyone is improving at this time.

Mrs. Mary Applinwall visited at the A. T. Van Cleave home Thursday.

Miss L. Luckey visited her sister in Portland the first of the week, returning Wednesday.

Mrs. William Schaefer visited her daughter, Mrs. C. A. Kobow, Monday.

A number of relatives attended the funeral of Lee Morgan, Wednesday.

Mike Gerhmann has sold his property and is preparing to leave Hazel Green for Chicago.

John Zielinski is having a modern, up-to-date home built.

The parent-teacher association had a business meeting and an excellent radio concert at the school house Friday evening.

Miss Pietrok of Stayton is visiting her sister, Mrs. Bliss Zielinski. Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Looney and family and Miss Hulda Stripling visited Rudolph Wachen's, Sunday.

Hazel Green primary department has added two new scholars to their list.

TWO SALEM LADS ON OREGON TEAM

University of Oregon, Eugene, March 6.—(Special).—The various sections of the state are represented on the University of Oregon basketball squad, which went through the season with only two defeats and is now playing off a tie with the Oregon Agricultural college for the championship of the northern part of the Pacific coast conference.

Two men hail from Salem, one each from Astoria, Baker, Roseburg, Myrtle Point, Marshfield, North Bend, and four from Portland. The only out-of-state man on the squad is Ted Gillenwaters, guard, of Goldendale, Wash.

Roy Okerberg, of Salem, center, established the high point scoring record in both the northwest and the Pacific coast conferences, playing a phenomenal game. As he is a sophomore his achievement during his first year on the varsity is extraordinary.

"Swede" Westergren, all-star guard, played three years basketball on the Astoria high school team before coming to Oregon. He is his first year on the varsity basketball squad. His playing won him a place on every all-star Pacific northwest team.

Russ Gowans of Portland, forward, is the only two-year letterman on the squad. He did not play for any Portland high schools. He is one of the high point men in the coast conference.

Charles Jost, guard, originally attended high school at Dallas, but recently moved to Roseburg. He played three years high school basketball. He has been called upon to produce in the pinch, when Gillenwaters was ill, and he produced results. This is Jost's second year on the team.

Jerry Gunther, guard, attended

JIM STEWART NAMED AGENT OF LAND BOARD

The state land board by unanimous vote yesterday appointed James S. Stewart of Corvallis as a special investigator and agent for the board, his duties to include negotiations with borrowers from the state school fund on whom the state is about to foreclose.

He will also examine all proposed new loans and estimate values of lands offered as security. He will endeavor to avoid foreclosure by the state as far as possible. Mr. Stewart is widely known throughout the state.

SOVIET MEETS FIRST REBUKE

Tiflis, Ga., March 6.—(By Associated Press).—For the first time in the history of Russian sovietism, strong criticisms of certain government measures was sounded yesterday by several members of the soviet parliament belonging to the non-party group of peasants in reply to the government's report on its internal policy and the domestic situation.

Delegates from the Ukraine echoed the dissatisfaction of their peasant crops, considering the relief inadequate and not properly distributed.

Several delegates accused the government of lack of aggressiveness in its foreign relations.

Premier Rykoff said that the sowing area in the districts where the crops failed would be increased 15 per cent and that the number of homesteads lacking cattle had decreased.

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Drifted Snow Hard Wheat Flour, per sack \$2.44
Fletcher's Hard Wheat Flour, per sack \$2.44
Farina No. 10, freshly ground, per sack 59c
No. 10 Princess Hard Wheat Flour, per sack 59c
No. 10 Fischer's Rolled Oats, per sack 55c
No. 10 White or Yellow Corn Meal, per sack 45c
No. 10 Potlatch Pancake Flour, per sack 65c
Large pkg. Fischer's Quick Oats 28c
Large pkg. Quaker Quick Oats 30c
Large pkg. Olympic Wheat Hearts, 3 for 89c
Large pkg. Olympic Pancake Flour, 3 for 85c
Wheat-a-Lon Breakfast Cereal, per pkg. 20c
Cream of Wheat, per pkg. 23c
Washing Powder and Cleaners—Sea Foam Washing Powder, large pkg. 27c
Peet's Washing Machine Powder, large pkg. 35c
White King Washing Powder, large pkg. 49c
Babbitt's Cleanser, 4 cans 25c
Coffee—"Diamond Blend", bulk ground or unground, 3 lbs. \$1.29

SATURDAY FRESH MEATS

Country Style Pure Pork Sausage, per lb. 20c
Country Style Spare Ribs, per lb. 18c
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