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**GENERAL MAUS MAKES LIGHT OF REPORTS**

[UNITED PRESS LEASED WIRE.]  
Vancouver Barracks, Wash., March 9.—Orders from the war department were received here today placing Colonel Cornelius Gardner in command of the District of Columbia during the absence of General Marion P. Maus, who left for San Antonio to report to Major-General Clark. Colonel Gardner is at Seward, Alaska, but is expected to reach the barracks in 10 days. Previous to his departure for the south General Maus said he did not believe there was much truth in the report that Japan was attempting to secure a coaling station in Mexico. He added that the United States army was ready, however, for any situation that could arise. Troops stationed here are prepared for immediate departure should orders be issued to that effect.

**TO RACE THE PONIES IN VICTORIA**

[UNITED PRESS LEASED WIRE.]  
Victoria, B. C., March 9.—Upon two conditions hangs the materialization or otherwise of the contemplated seven-day race meet here. If these provisions are met the ponies will be here from the 20th to the 27th of May, this having been decided at a meeting of the club last night. The points it is proposed insisting on are that there shall be no "bookies", the pari mutual system of betting being introduced in their stead and that the class of bang tails shall be better than those which were seen at the track during the 'last meet.

**IT WILL MEAN REDUCTION IN FREIGHTS**

[UNITED PRESS LEASED WIRE.]  
Atlanta, Ga., March 9.—Addressing the Southern Commercial Congress here today, Bernard N. Baker, a multi-millionaire, asserted that the completion of the Panama canal would mean a reduction in freight rates from the Atlantic to Pacific ports of from \$10 to \$5 a ton. He also predicted that the faster vessels could make the trip from New York to San Francisco in 12 days. "As I construe the Japanese treaty," said Baker, "we are giving Japan the use of the canal for their ships, and all profits which might be given to American ships, except in the coastwise trade. While we are haggling over the method of doing it, Japan is up and doing. She re-

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**LITTLE JERSEY COW HAS THREE CALVES**

There is a little insignificant looking cow in Klamath county that should have a Roosevelt medal, as she is certainly living up to the Roosevelt policy of anti-race suicide, so far as she is concerned. The cow in question belongs to H. F. Tolle, a prominent farmer, who lives about two miles from Merrill. She is but three years of age, yet she is the mother of four living and healthy calves. One year ago, when but two years old, this little Jersey heifer gave birth to one calf, and a few days ago she was discovered by the owner out in the pasture with three baby calves, all of which were lively and doing well.—Klamath Chronicle.

**IS THIS AN EVIDENCE OF INSANITY?**

**WM. TOWNSEND, BETTER KNOWN AS "UNCLE BILLY," IS TAKEN INTO COURT TO BE EXAMINED AS TO HIS SANITY.**

"When a man's subscription for a newspaper expires, and he, desiring to stop it, goes to the office where it is published and pays in advance for it for another year, is that sufficient evidence to show that he is in need of a guardian to look after his property affairs?" was the question which was put up in an informal way to Judge Bushey, when the hearing of an application for the appointment of a guardian for Wm. Townsend, better known as "Uncle Billy," came up this morning. The application was made at the instance and request of his children, who seem firm in the conviction that he is not fit to manage his property affairs and they came into court with their attorney, Frank Turner, to introduce evidence in support of it this morning. Uncle Billy was also there with an attorney, John Bayne, but owing to the fact that the court had other matters which took precedence over the hearing it was postponed, but not until a little evidence had crept in informally.

**Could Not Stop the Paper.**  
One of the sons offered the interesting bit of testimony, while the court and lawyers were discussing the postponement of the hearing. Uncle Billy, according to him, had subscribed for a paper, paid in advance for it a year, and when the subscription expired desired to stop it, but did not know how, and paid for it in advance for another year. The son called upon his brothers and sisters for corroboration, but one of them said he was not certain about it. One of the daughters said she had heard about it, and another was positive of it, and it began to look bad for Uncle Billy. It was a stunner all right, and it caused Judge Bushey to contract his brow and think. After while a smile covered his face, as he recalled a similar case. In that instance, according to the story of the judge, the man had intended to stop a paper, but in each instance, instead, had paid a year's subscription in advance. Becoming finally disgusted, and fearing to trust himself again, he came to Judge Bushey for assistance. The judge advised him that he could do nothing for him, and that his only salvation was to secure the services of a lawyer, which he did, and the paper stopped. Now, while the judge did not say so, it would kind of look to a man up a tree that, after

that experience, he is not going to hold Uncle Billy's inability to stop a paper up against him. Threatens to Pull Whiskers. The whole thing was amusing to Attorney Bayne, and he leaned back in his chair, convulsed with laughter. That irritated the daughter and she reminded him that he had said something about some one of her relatives being intoxicated, saying: "If you don't look out you will get some of those red whiskers pulled out." Just about this time Judge Bushey continued the case until tomorrow, at which time there will be a more definite ruling on the newspaper question, and it may be that Attorney Bayne will come out of the fray with less whiskers, if he does not shave them off in the meantime, though the court's quick action in postponing the case saved the "zits" temporarily.

**IT LOOKS LIKE A "GYM" FOR SALEM**

Of the \$20,000 necessary to be subscribed for the purchase of land and the erection thereon of a building for an athletic association \$10,000 have already been secured and the promoters of the enterprise are now firm in the conviction that their efforts will be successful and that the city will be provided with an athletic institution. There are three solicitors in the field and one of them has secured \$5,100 and it is estimated that the other two have a sum equal to this. As soon as the necessary money is subscribed articles of incorporation will be filed and a board of directors elected, whose duty it will be to secure a building site and make plans for the erection of a building.

**IF I HAD ECZEMA**

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SYNOPSIS OF THE ANNUAL STATEMENT OF THE BANKERS LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY of Lincoln in the state of Nebraska on the 31st day of December, 1910, made to the insurance commissioner of the state of Oregon, pursuant to law:

CAPITAL	
Amount of capital paid up	\$ 100,000.00
INCOME	
Premiums received during the year	\$ 978,209.17
Interest, dividends, and rents received during the year	177,948.80
Total income	\$ 1,156,158.00
DISBURSEMENTS	
Paid for losses, endowments, annuities and surrender values	\$ 176,315.44
Dividends paid to policy holders during the year	30,150.00
Dividends paid on capital stock during the year	4,000.00
Commissions and salaries paid during the year	158,394.48
Taxes, licenses and fees paid during the year	14,840.33
Amount of all other expenditures	67,782.49
Total expenditures	\$ 462,382.70
ASSETS	
Market value of real estate owned	\$ 48,253.49
Loans on mortgages and collateral, etc.	5,719,250.00
Premium notes and policy loans	180,053.88
Cash in banks and on hand	109,857.88
Other assets (net)	73,563.16
Total assets admitted in Oregon	\$ 4,126,473.31
LIABILITIES	
Net reserve	\$3,086,841.85
Total policy claims	1,000.00
All other liabilities	13,000.57
Total liabilities	\$ 3,087,842.42
Total insurance in force December 31, 1910	\$9,857,949.09
BUSINESS IN OREGON FOR THE YEAR	
Total risks written during the year	\$ 327,030.00
Gross premiums received during the year	16,028.58
Losses paid during the year	4,000.00
Losses incurred during the year	8,000.00
Total amount of risks outstanding in Oregon, December 31, 1910	\$ 444,530.00

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