

LONG WALK FOR D. C. MILITIA WILL START EARLY TOMORROW

Eighteen Miles Expected To Be Covered Before Bivouacking for Night.

FUNSTON HELPS OUT MEN

Gives Them Motor Trucks to Go to San Antonio, and Saves Jitney Charges.

By Staff Correspondent.

CAMP WILSON, San Antonio, Tex., Nov. 2.—Preparations for the District militia's first long hike were completed today.

The Washingtonians, together with the regiments from West Virginia and Mississippi, will leave Camp Wilson at 7 o'clock tomorrow morning and are expected to march eighteen or nineteen miles before halting and establishing a bivouac for the night.

Col. Lyman Kennon, U. S. A., who will command the provisional brigade, announced today that the soldiers would spend only one day at Camp Wilson, New Braunfels, and no liberty would be allowed the militiamen while there.

The thirty-mile hike will require two days' marching, each way. Colonel Young believes the march will be beneficial to the members of the Third Regiment, as they have done little or no hiking since coming here, and are getting stale.

For the last month they were at Fort Meade they had been marching fifteen miles each day. General Funston today announced that owing to the refusal of jitney operators to agree to a reasonable charge for taking the militiamen to San Antonio, he had decided to place a score of motor trucks at the disposal of the soldiers, to be used by them free of charge. The soldiers, most of whom are broke, received the announcement with cheers.

Red Cross Nurses Entertained.

A dozen Red Cross nurses stationed at the base hospital at Fort Sam Houston, most of them from Washington, were entertained at dinner by Colonel Young, Major Charles R. Lane, and the other regimental officers last night.

A heavy fog which drifted like sheets of snow over the base hospital, rendered the camp today, and the men were unable to see five paces ahead of them. Officers of the Third Regiment who are paid by voucher, and are awaiting their checks today for their October services. The enlisted men will be paid next week after their return from Landers facing at Camp Wilson.

Quarters for 110,000 Men.

General Funston has received authorization from the War Department to provide quarters at Camp Wilson and Fort Sam Houston for 110,000 men. The Government intends making this the biggest concentration camp in the history of the United States.

While the number of men here now probably will not be augmented unless an emergency arises the quarters will be provided immediately for preparedness for exigencies. A number of men are being paid by voucher, and are awaiting their checks today for their October services. The enlisted men will be paid next week after their return from Landers facing at Camp Wilson.

WASHINGTON FIRM WINS BIG CONTRACT

Art Metal Construction Company To Do Government Work. The Art Metal Construction Company of Washington has been awarded the contract to install book shelves, library stacks, glass doors, and other fixtures in the new Interior Department building. The contract calls for payment of \$40,000.

HYATTSVILLE.

The Democrats of this section held their last rally in this neighborhood during the present campaign, last night. The meeting was called to order by former Mayor William P. Magruder, and former Judge John Gibson presided. H. Winship critic of the Democratic Congressman Sydney E. Mudd.

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Julius Lasker will speak before the Ahavas Zion Society this evening on "Ahad Haam, His Theories of Philosophy." The lecture will be given at the club rooms, 126 Sixth street. The subject of the lecture is one of the foremost of the day, and the speaker is one of the world's leading authorities on the subject. Born in Russia, he now resides in England, and his real name is Asher Zangenberg.

Will Teach Art Of Camp Cooking



JOHN R. GIBSON.

EXPERT WILL TEACH BOYS HOW TO COOK

John R. Gibson Accepts Position With Youngsters of the Ross School.

The acceptance by John R. Gibson of the position of instructor of camp cooking to the boys of the Ross School, who originate the Red Cross, solves a problem that was confronting the officers of the Parent League, under whose auspices the class is being conducted.

Learn Army Cooking.

The kind of cooking that will be taught is the regular army style. The classes are to begin Saturday, when twenty boys, under Mr. Gibson's leadership, will go into the country to get away from the indoors. The style of cooking that will be taught cannot be learned inside or on a back lot, it was stated.

Out-door Cooking Demanded.

The demand for outdoor cooking is said to be spreading rapidly. Already another class has been organized at the Johnson School, with others in prospect. If it is found that Mr. Gibson can't find sufficient time, a parents' class from the Wilson Normal Community Center School, will be added. Requests for instruction from several schools have been received by school officials.

POLICE GET JEWELS, TELL OWNER OF THEFT

Servant Saw So Many Laying Around Just Took Few. NEW YORK, Nov. 2.—It was a shame so much jewelry was laying around, and I just couldn't resist the temptation when we needed money. I thought they would never miss it.

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REPLACES THE WIVES. POST PLAYERS AT BELASCO GIVE NEW PROGRAM

H. H. Sheets Charges Wife of Assistant Secretary of Labor Evades Facts.

Charging that Mrs. Louis F. Post, wife of the Assistant Secretary of Labor and an officer in the Woman's Peace Society, has evaded facts and issues, H. H. Sheets, secretary of the Association for National Service, today replied to the statement of Mrs. Post, recently published in The Times.

"In the Times of October 26 there appeared a most astonishing item on Mrs. Louis F. Post, wife of the Assistant Secretary of Labor, and an officer of the Woman's Peace party. In the first place I was not aware that France—a stater republic—was in any sense a 'militaristic nation.'"

"Before 'Twenty-one.'" "Just why Mrs. Post feels that she has been corroborated is a profound mystery to me. The policy of this association states that we favor the military training of the youth before reaching the age of twenty-one. No one has the authority to state that this means reaching the age of twenty-one. It is stated 'twenty-one' with mathematical particularity.

"Twelve Months a Year." "Since I was born—and history says it was a fact, prior to that event—each year has contained twelve months with not any perceptible crowding, and yet Mrs. Post feels that between the particular ages of twenty and twenty-one the year will be crowded if given over to military training.

"Basis of Fact." "It does not suit me at all to grant the assumption of this worthy lady, and therefore, if she cares to continue the argument she will be compelled to answer on the basis of fact.

"No 'Good Measure.'" "No statement in this reply is thrown in for 'good measure,' but is as exact as it is possible to make a statement in the English language.

"PRAISE POLICE FOR BEGGAR CAMPAIGN" Citizens' Relief Body Managers Commend Department's Action.

Resolutions commending the police department for its campaign to clear the streets of beggars were adopted by the board of managers of the Citizens' Relief Association yesterday.

"GASOLINE TORCH IS DISTRESS SIGNAL" CHESTER, Pa., Nov. 2.—After being marooned for several hours on a partly submerged barge and receiving no response to his calls for help, Capt. Charles Dunlap, who was in command of a gasoline engine, was rescued by a tugboat.

"HOT TEA BREAKS A COLD—TRY THIS!" Get a small package of Hamburg Brest Tea, or as the German folks call it "Hamburger Brust Thee," at any pharmacy.

PLAYERS AT BELASCO GIVE NEW PROGRAM

Changed Repertoire To Be Produced Tonight and Tomorrow by Company.

On the occasion of the presentation of their second program in Washington, the Washington Square Players last night gave "Literature," "Interior," "Pierre Pantelin," and "The Roadhouse in Arden."

"Interior" More Alive. "Interior" a strange, yet human reproduction of the few moments in the lives of several people, to whom the tragedy of a drowned sister is to be revealed.

"Fifteenth Century Farce." "Pierre Pantelin," the fifteenth century farce, has been produced by Philip Mottler, with such humor and intelligence, and with such dramatic fidelity

play life, per se, both cold flat, and totally unadapted for anything save that purpose for which it was intended when included in the program; to wit, to be an example of the German idea of what constitutes a modern one-act satiric comedy.

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that it serves the double purpose of being interesting as a relic and amusing as a farce should be. For some reason or other, let us hope that it is awe. Some of the audience at the Belasco have not seemed to want to laugh aloud at what is really funny. There is no rule against laughing at the productions of the Washington Square Players, especially when they are designed for the purpose of amusing.

State Department Clerk Is Sent to Hospital. Hubbard Bean, a clerk in the State Department, was sent to Washington Asylum Hospital for mental observation yesterday when he walked up to Park Police Station T. Callahan near the Tidal Basin, in Potomac Park, shortly before noon and asked the policeman to take charge of him, saying he feared he was about to harm.

Seats for the Bernhardt Engagement opened this a. m. National Theater. —Adv.

COPPER COST HITS UTILITY VALUATION

Testifying before the Public Utilities Commission yesterday at the hearing on valuation of properties of the Potomac Electric Power Company, Charles L. Pillsbury, chief engineer of the valuation bureau, said that prices of copper and other metals have greatly increased since July 1, 1914. Valuations of the cost of reproduction of the properties are of that date.

Mr. Pillsbury declined to estimate extent of increase without reference to market reports. The statement was made by John S. Babson, chairman of the valuation bureau, that the increased cost of this item would add \$1,500,000 to the valuation made by Mr. Pillsbury.

Advertisement for Goldenberg's Blankets and Women's Wool Sweaters. Includes store hours and address: Goldenberg's, Both Sides of Seventh Street.

Advertisement for Genuine Salt's Esquimette Plush Coats. Features a remarkable value-giving demonstration for tomorrow. Price: \$19.50.

Advertisement for Clever New Ideas in Fall Dresses. Features velvet, silk, and cloth dresses. Price: \$11.90.

Advertisement for Huck Towels. Features 15c, 20c, and 25c towels. Price: 10c.

Advertisement for Boys' Suits and Furnishings. Features plaid, Norfolk, and Yoke suits. Price: \$2.95.

Advertisement for Gasoline Torch. Features a distress signal. Price: \$1.12.

Advertisement for Matting and Batiste Brassieres. Features extra heavy weight matting and batiste brassieres. Price: \$2.00.

Advertisement for Big Savings Offered Tomorrow on Fashion's Favored Millinery. Features various styles of hats. Price: \$2.69.

Advertisement for A Friday Disposal of Women's \$3 and \$3.50 Shoes at \$1.98. Features busy selling in our shoe department.

Advertisement for Lace Curtains. Features extra heavy weight lace curtains. Price: \$1.15 pair.

Advertisement for Men's Furnishings. Features men's lambsdown wool fleeces and extra heavy domed and felted flannel pajamas.

Advertisement for Ribbon Remnants. Features desirable lengths for every need. Price: 10c ribbons.