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COLONEL M'KENNA OF FIRST REGIMENT TO MAKE FEW CHANGES AT PRESENT.



COLONEL FRANK D. M'KENNA, Of the First Regiment, National Guard of Missouri, whose commission is expected to arrive from Jefferson City to-day.

The commission of Colonel Frank D. McKenna, the newly elected commander of the First Regiment, Missouri National Guard, probably will reach St. Louis from Jefferson City to-day, whereupon Colonel McKenna will arrange to meet the line officers of the regiment and formally take command of the organization.

This, in all likelihood, will take place to-night or to-morrow.

While military etiquette prevented Colonel McKenna from entering into details as to the future of the regiment, and, while, as he explained yesterday, it was utterly impossible for him at this time to outline any policy in regard to his new command, every member of the regiment believes that in Colonel McKenna the organization has found a commander who will do his utmost for its rehabilitation and reorganization.

Colonel McKenna will enforce no radical regimental reforms.

"I am not in a position to say that any reforms at all are needed," said he yesterday. "I may find the regiment in a high state of efficiency. I do not know anything about it yet. Certainly there is no need for hurry."

Thirty-four years old, Colonel McKenna is one of the youngest men ever elected to the command of a volunteer regiment in the State.

Yet he has served in an important military position in every possession of the United States, except in Hawaii and Guam.

Graduated from West Point in 1883, he was sent to Fort Sheridan (Chicago) to get his first active service as a Lieutenant in the Fifteenth United States Infantry in the famous riots of the following year. Then, twelve months later, he was stationed at Fort Bayard, in New Mexico, where he had a year's experience on the frontier before going back to the Engineers' School at Willlet's Point, Long Island.

Returning to Fort Sheridan in 1887, he formed the acquaintance of General Brooke. A year later, just after his marriage to Miss Kerns, the daughter of R. C. Kerns of this city, he accompanied General Brooke to Porto Rico as an aide-camp.

With General Brooke he participated in the Cuban campaign as well, and then went with General Greene to the Philippines as a member of the Forty-sixth Infantry.

There he was appointed Major and Inspector of Volunteers. Ten months later he returned home as a Captain of the Twenty-eighth U. S. A.

In September, 1897, Captain McKenna was again back in the Philippines, where he finally resigned his commission and returned to St. Louis to take up commercial pursuits.

CORONER TO HOLD INQUEST.

Police Investigate Death of Bernard Nagelvoort.

The coroner to-day will investigate the death of Bernard Nagelvoort, 65 years old, a chemist employed at Shaw's Garden, who was found dead in his room at No. 618 McKean avenue yesterday morning at 10:30 o'clock by Mrs. Anthony Holmes, at whose house he roomed.

The police searched the room and could find no evidence indicating other than natural death. A letter addressed to his son, Floris Nagelvoort, who is employed by the Pfeiffer Chemical Company, was found on the table.

Three Divorces Granted.

Circuit Judge Ryan yesterday granted a divorce to Ellen Corcoran from Edward J. Corcoran; to Claire E. Laeis Drum from Albert Lindsey Drum; and to Hattie Robinson from William Robinson.

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ALLEGED FOOTPADS CAUGHT.

Two Men Attempt to Rob Henry Hartman.

Hearing the cry of a man for help, near Fourteenth and Carr streets early yesterday morning, Henry Hartman of No. 3928 North Twenty-second street, a driver for a bakery company, ran to the corner and saw two men attempting to hold up a man.

The highwaymen, upon seeing Hartman, fled. He fired two shots at them. Four Fourth District patrolmen were attracted to the scene by the shooting and captured two men in the basement at No. 228 North Fourteenth street.

At the police station the prisoners gave their names as Charles Reiner of No. 2017 Congress street, and James Shannon of No. 1921 Division street.

The prisoners were positively identified by High Clark of No. 1328 North Third street as the two highwaymen who held him up Monday evening at Main and Spruce streets. Warrants charging them with highway robbery were issued yesterday afternoon.

FINES FOR CONDUCTING "BUCKETSHOP" AFFIRMED.

St. Louis Appellate Tribunal Upholds Montgomery County Circuit Court—Other Decisions.

The St. Louis Court of Appeals yesterday affirmed the assessment of fines aggregating \$2,700 each against Charles Ruml and P. B. Burch for conducting a "bucketshop" in Montgomery City, Mo., in February and March, 1903.

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GRAND JURY ACTS PROMPTLY.

Ben Hildebrand Indicted for Alleged Assault on Cabman.

Ben Hildebrand, coachman for Thomas McCormick of No. 454 Berlin avenue, was indicted by the Grand Jury yesterday morning on a charge of assault to kill. Emanuel Bulach of No. 2917 Washington avenue, a nonunion driver employed by the Keyes-Marshall Livery Company, is the complaining witness.

Bulach says he was stopped on Vandeventer avenue by three men, one of whom struck him with "knucks" and another shooting at him. He claimed to have recognized Hildebrand, whom he knew, and gave his name to the police.

Hildebrand was arrested on an Olive street at 2:30 o'clock yesterday morning. The indictment was returned by the Grand Jury when it convened yesterday morning, and the indictment returned in an hour.

Ralph Greig of No. 905 Finney avenue, arrested later, was also identified by Bulach as one of his assailants, and the Grand Jury will investigate his connection with the case this morning.

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Two Men Arrested While Fighting in Restaurant.

When Patrolman Donough of the Seventh District attempted to arrest Peter Labue of No. 418 Manchester avenue and Herman Vilter of No. 122 South Sixth street, yesterday morning, in a restaurant at No. 1098 Old Manchester road, Vilter resisted, and with a butcher knife, which he had in his possession, tried to stab the officer. It is charged that the policeman's coat was cut in several places.

Both men were finally arrested by Sergeant Noonan and Patrolman Donough. Vilter and Labue quarreled in the restaurant. This led to their arrest. Both men were taken to the City Dispensary. During the fight Vilter sustained a scalp wound and Labue several cuts on the hands. They are charged with disturbing the peace.

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