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## TROUBLE IS FEARED BY UNCLE SAM

### War Department Says Grave Foreign Complications Have Arisen

New York, June 8.—The sailing of the squadron for France, to bring home the body of John Paul Jones has been indefinitely postponed by orders from the war department. Reports are current that the postponement is due to "grave foreign complications," one of which is said to be the discovery

that Germany has secured a strategic base in the Caribbean sea for a coaling station and water at the island of St. Thomas, through the medium of the Hamburg-American line. Trouble over the interment of the Russian cruisers at Manila is also given as a cause of the postponement. Admiral Sigbee is still at Washington.

## WILL PUNCH EACH OTHER

Wilmington, Del., June 8.—A ten-round bout between Harry Lewis and August Erne is slated for the arena of a local athletic club tonight. The two met in a six-round contest some time ago, and although Lewis fairly won the decision, Erne and his managers were not satisfied with the result. The present match at ten rounds resulted from this dissatisfaction. Whether their ring generalship will hold over the increased route and whether Lewis can retain his skill in a ten-round bout have excited the curiosity of the ring followers, and a large crowd is expected to be on hand to witness the contest.

### WATER RAISING.

Michigan City Threatened With a Serious Flood. Grand Rapids, Mich., June 8.—Two hundred men and 50 teams worked all night strengthening the dyke which holds the water back from the West side. The river is rising steadily, and a low section north of the city is being rapidly submerged, and whole families are fleeing for safety. The city is flooded, and the railroad bridge is in danger.

### Enter Protest.

Washington, June 8.—A delegation of merchants from Muskogee, I. T., arrived today to protest to the President secretary of the interior against collection of the tribal tax assessed against white men doing business in that territory. They ask delay in the action, in order to take the case to supreme court.

## Of Course You Are Going to the Lewis and Clark Fair Salem Day Wednesday, June 14th

On which day all Salem Stores will remain closed. Salem wants to make a good showing, and you as a Salemite want to make a presentable appearance. There may be some articles lacking in your wardrobe. Where are, you will find that

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## WANTS TO KNOW THE CONDITIONS

### Russia Takes Steps to Ascertain Peace Conditions Japan Will Demand

St. Petersburg, June 8.—As a result of the meeting of the council of ministers held at the Tsarkoe-Selo palace, instructions have been telegraphed to the Russian ambassadors at Washington and Paris to the effect that Russia is desirous of learning Japan's peace conditions.

### Called on President.

Washington, June 8.—Ambassador Jusserand called on the President at 9:30 this morning. It is believed he received a dispatch from his government as to the attitude of Russia regarding peace.

### Ask the Czar.

On leaving the White House Jusserand refused to be interviewed. When asked whether Russia had requested peace terms from Japan he replied: "I can say nothing. You should ask the Czar."

### Russians Repulsed.

Tokio, June 8.—Marshal Oyama reports that on the morning of June 7th a body of Russians advanced upon the Yan Pin men, but was repulsed, and fled in confusion to the northeast, with the exception of skirmishes between scouts there is no change to report.

### Refuses to Talk.

Washington, June 8.—Secretary Taft had a talk with the President this morning regarding the Russo-

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Japanese situation, but declined to make a statement.

### Another Defeat Necessary.

Berlin, June 8.—The German foreign office is very skeptical about the outcome of the present peace efforts. Officials express the belief that the optimistic views held in some quarters that peace will be brought about are premature. It is believed that one more crushing defeat to the Russian land forces is necessary before overtures for peace are begun.

### Appealed to President.

Vienna, June 8.—The New Free Press publishes a report received from a banking source at Trieste saying the Czar had appealed directly to President Roosevelt, asking him to mediate for Russia and Japan.

### Had Family Council.

St. Petersburg, June 8.—It is reported on good authority that Ambassador Meyer's audience with the Emperor at Tsarkoe-Selo yesterday was preceded by a family council, at which time a decision was reached for peace, if Japan's conditions were not too onerous.

### Through With Business.

Salt Lake, June 8.—The Western Federation of Miners today elected W. A. Moyer, president for next year, and chose Denver as the place for the next convention. They will adjourn tonight.

### Chicago Markets.

Chicago, June 8.—Wheat 85% @ 86%; corn, 50% @ 52 1/2; oats, 30% @ 31 1/2.

## For Your Health

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## "MEET US ON THE TRAIL"

### Cloudburst of Salem Citizens Will Flood Exposition Grounds

From a condition of apathy in the matter of visiting the Lewis and Clark fair on Salem day, our people have suddenly gone to the other extreme, and are a unit in their determination to show our neighbors down the river what kind of a crowd a city it credits with 4000 population can turn out. Everybody is going, and will take the whole family, too. The stores will all close, and they might as well, for there will be no customers left in town to patronize them. Mr. Stockton not only closes but pays the expenses of his employees, and others may follow that example. The cigar stores, which, like the brook, "flows on forever," and which have never been known to close, will be shut up tight and fast, so there won't be even a place where a fellow can sit down and read a paper or smoke a cigar. Wiley Zinn, who furnishes ice cream and soda and all the candies and good things that delight the girls, will shut up that famous resort. He says warm water is good enough for those to drink who stay at home on that day, and the other resorts will stand side by side along with him. Tickets are on sale at the places named below, and it is urged that those intending to take the trip purchase their tickets early. This is necessary for the information of the railroad company, and the comfort and convenience of the excursionists, for only in this way can the company know how

many cars to provide. Self-comfort demands it, and the more cars the better showing for the city. Salem has for years been more or less pulling in opposite directions, but this furnishes an opportunity where all creeds, degrees and factions may unite for the one common cause, to Greater Salem's glory. The tide of public sentiment is at the spring, and sweeps everything before it, and those who try to swim against the current will find it a thankless and losing task. We have made up our minds to celebrate, and have been given a special day at the fair, and as we are going to do it, let us do it right. As good citizens, with a pride in our beautiful home city, we should all do our little part, and swell the stream that will flow through the exposition gates next Wednesday, Salem's day. Tickets will cost \$1.65 for the round trip, and are on sale at the following places:

- Patton Bros.
- W. H. Burkhardt & Co.
- L. E. Hooker.
- J. C. Perry.
- J. L. Stockton & Co.
- Yantis & Steelhammer.
- Henry Wiprut & Co.
- Geo. W. Waters & Co.
- F. A. Wiggins.
- W. W. Zinn's.

This being an excursion, the tickets will have to be exchanged at the company's ticket office, and as each will have to be signed by the purchaser in the presence of the agent, it is absolutely necessary that the tickets be purchased and the exchange made before the 14th. Tickets will be issued by the company in exchange on Tuesday, the 13th, and Wednesday morning, but, to reiterate, it will be impossible to issue these tickets unless practically all of them are put out the day before.

### Took Oath of Allegiance.

Christiana, June 8.—M. Loveland has been appointed minister of foreign affairs by the new government. All officers of the army and navy today took the oath of allegiance. Norwegian diplomatic officers at Stockholm have been recalled.

North and West Roseburg have been annexed, and each will be made a ward.

## WOMAN BURNED TO DEATH

### Miss Hattie Dement Loses Life In Hotel Fire at Myrtle Creek

Roseburg, June 8.—The fire which destroyed the Myrtle Creek hotel at that place, together with the contents, early this morning, resulted in the death of Miss Hattie Dement, one of the managers of the hotel. She was

suffocated, as her charred remains were found on the remnants of her bed. Nine others escaped by jumping from upper story windows in their night clothes. One lodger will lose an arm, from a severe burn. The net property loss is \$6000.

## ELIZABETH CELEBRATES

Elizabeth, N. J., June 8.—Elizabeth held high carnival today in celebration of the 125th anniversary of the battle of Elizabethtown. Features of the celebration included a mammoth parade of military and patriotic societies, followed by the dedication of a handsome monument commemorating the battle. The celebration concludes tonight with a naval demonstration on the Schuylkill in which launches and numerous other craft from all the nearby coast and river towns will take part.

### Changes Her Will.

New York, June 8.—It is reported that a new will was made the day before her death by Mrs. Charity Hayward, of California, who died in New York, June 1st. It will make great changes in the distribution of an eight-million-dollar estate. It is understood the previous will left the entire estate to a child of Mrs. Andrew Ross, of New York, but the latter document names other beneficiaries.

## MASONIC BIG DAY

Birmingham, Ala., June 8.—This was a red letter day for the Masonic fraternity of Birmingham and vicinity. The occasion was the laying of the cornerstone of the new Masonic temple, the event being attended by prominent Masons from nearly all parts of Alabama. The new temple occupies a conspicuous location at the corner of Nineteenth street and Sixth avenue, and will cost when completed about \$50,000.

### Will Bring Remains.

New York, June 7.—The second squadron of the North Atlantic fleet, consisting of the cruisers Brooklyn, Chattanooga, Galveston and Tacoma, in command of Rear Admiral Sigbee, is anchored off Tompkinsville, and will sail for Cherbourg, where it will receive the remains of John Paul Jones, which will be transferred to Annapolis for final interment.

Eugene is going to have a soap manufacturing, where fine toilet, laundry and medicated soaps will be made.

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75c Rugs Reduced to	58c
\$1.25 Rugs Reduced to	85c
\$1.50 Rugs Reduced to	\$1.10
\$3.00 Rugs Reduced to	\$1.95
\$4.50 Rugs Reduced to	\$3.40

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\$3.25 Nottingham	\$2.60
\$4.50 Nottingham	3.60
\$5.00 Nottingham	3.95
\$7.50 Nottingham	4.90
\$5.00 Brussel Net	3.95
\$6.50 Brussel Net	4.80
\$1.25 Muslin Ruffled	.98
\$3.75 Alexandrian	2.05
\$4.00 Louis XIV	2.95
\$5.00 Motifany	3.95

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