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A Night in Camp

Promptly at 7:15 Saturday evening Bugle Call assembled the Home Guards and under fire of a heavy battery of admiring eyes they retreated in good order to the second line—a natural strategic point of defense against further attack of the kind mentioned. Camp was made, guard mounted, lights out, all was serene—not a leaf (deleted by censor) guard relieved hourly were reported as very busy, and a full guard house in the early morning hours leads authenticity to this report.

In the deep shades of night alarms were given of enemy approach from the southeast; guards responded pell-mell clad in smites and (deleted by censor) nites, sedate citizen-soldiers; one would not think they were in for (deleted by censor). Court martial found many guilty who were assigned to punitive tasks. Out of respect to their families names are omitted.

At assembly, 6:15 a. m., a one-act drama entitled "Now We Will Gather at the River," was put on—all participating.

Church was serious while it lasted. A prayer by Rev. Beebe and two patriotic hymns.

Afternoon drill and dress parade were adjourned sine die.

Aside from these items the program as heretofore published was carried out in detail and with full military precision.

Primarily the object of this outing was to bring the Home Guard in touch with practical military camp life. Full military duties of camp were exemplified in detail, making the outing a valuable and highly appreciated object lesson.

Target practice was particularly edifying, many high scores being made. Messrs. Roy Rust and H. Thomas qualified as sharpshooters. A 200 yard target and Springfield rifles were used.

Much pleasure was manifest in the matter of "eats," Messrs. Ed Platt, Mess. Sert, and Roy Hassinger, Supply Sgt., together with a corps of able kitchen assistants, receiving hearty commendation.

All in all the officers speak well of the behavior of their men, and are highly pleased with the entire assembly.

Proclamation

This war is one of nations, not of armies, and all of our one hundred million people must be economically and industrially adjusted to war conditions. Friday, June 29th, 1918 is National War Savings Societies Day by official proclamation of President Wilson, Governor Keith Neville and War Savings Director Ward M. Burgess. Committees will solicit each individual to join a War Savings Society. All loyal citizens will accordingly devote as much time as possible to assisting in this work of organizing War Savings Societies. Volunteer for service.

ROBT. DAMERELL, Mayor.

Strange, Isn't It?

Evidence piles up mountain high that America was the apex of Germany's ambition and the object of her designs; but after she began the fight, sunk our ships, murdered our citizens and announced a war of extermination of every American ship that dared to cross the sea, she throws up her hands in blank astonishment and cannot see why America entered the war.

Getting Things Mixed

The new girl in the counting room of a daily newspaper was from the country. An elderly gentleman walked up to her and said, "I would like to get copies of your paper for a week back." She replied, "Auntie has one too; you had better try porous plasters. You can get them just across the street."

Hurrah for the Fourth of July. A grand military celebration at Red Cloud. Get it on your map and make preparations to spend the day with us. You'll be made welcome and happy.

The Next Contingent

Following are the names of men selected to answer latest calls for military service:

Men Selected for Call No. 674
11 men for Ft. Riley, June 27, 1918.
Wm. A. Weaver, transferred to Page Co., Clarinda, Iowa
Wm. R. Bloom, transferred to Page Co., Clarinda, Iowa
Geo. A. Kunker, transferred to Perry Co., Connelton, Ind.
Geo. A. Mabson, transferred to Bond No. 1, Dallas, Texas
Edgar McBride, Blue Hill
Richard W. Brasch, Beatrice
Frank I. Hooker, Guide Rock
Ray Fountain, Grand Island
Frank J. Haller, Beverly
Geo. A. Fritzainger, Guide Rock
Geo. E. Shadboldt, Red Cloud

12 Men Selected for Call 658
To Camp Funston, June 27-18.
Edward Brinkman, Red Cloud
Tom Mackey, Red Cloud
Howard J. Duffy, Guide Rock
Benjamin F. Lambrecht, Inavale
Frank Richards, Red Cloud
Tony B. Komoscher, Lawrence
Albert T. Boom, Bladen
Henry A. C. Wibben, Blue Hill
Andrew Anderson, Bladen
Herbert W. Fralun, Blue Hill
Remy A. Brooks, Guide Rock
Jno. W. Robertson, Inavale

Alternates

Ovid E. Doughman, Cowles
Raymond Chilcott, Cowles
Joseph Nollette, Guide Rock.

Board of Equalization

The following are the proceedings of the county board of equalization, which was in session last week:

June 11: Grant Shidler elected chairman. Co. Treasurer instructed to refund overcharge of taxes through error in assessment in Lot 9, Block 5, Guide Rock.

June 12: Assessed value on Lots 21-24 Blk 2 Platt's add to Red Cloud reduced from \$590 to 480 on complaint of Roy Sattley, and overcharge for 1917 ordered refunded. Reduction of \$500 on actual value of improvements ordered on south 1/2 lot 5 and all lot 6 LeDuc's add to Red Cloud, on complaint of Mrs. Bessie Richardson. Assessed value of Lot 9 Blk 8 Smith & Moore's add to Red Cloud owned by F. G. Turnure, reduced from \$50 to \$10. Reduction of \$200 ordered on improvements on lots 1-3 Blk 11 Red Cloud on complaint of Mrs. J. O. Caldwell.

June 13: Reduction of 1500 on actual value of S1 31-3-11 ordered on complaint of I. W. Crowell. Reduction refused on part Lot 1 and 2 Blk 19 Red Cloud after hearing complaint of Geo. Morhart. Reduction refused on Lots 7-9 Blk 2 Red Cloud, after hearing complaint of Mrs. J. E. Ryan. Reduction of \$600 actual value on E 1/2 S.W. 1/4 4-1-9 on complaint of Jas. Bramwell.

Board adjourned to call of clerk.

Going to Colorado

H. E. Fearn, a native son of Nebraska, who has resided near Inavale for many years, was a pleasant caller at the Chief office Monday. His parents were among the early settlers of this section, being here when the only store was in a log building and managed by Sam Garber. At one time in its history the Chief was edited and published by D. Lutz, stepfather to Mr. Fearn. This paper [was] at that time located in what was known as the Moranville building.

As he grew up Mr. Fearn became a carpenter but for the past six or eight years has followed farming.

He goes to Colorado for the benefit of his health, being advised that the higher altitude will prove beneficial. His family accompanies him; all going by auto and travelling by easy stages until they find suitable location for continuing the same line of work as at Inavale. The best wishes of a host of friends go with them.

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Christian Church Program FOR JUNE, 1918

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June 9---Children's Day
June 16---Flag Day Service
June 23---Women's Day
June 30---Woodrow Wilson's Day

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