

SCOUT JUBILEE HERE SATURDAY IS BIG SUCCESS

Seventy-five husky, enthusiastic Boy Scouts gathered at the Presbyterian church Saturday evening for one of the best jubilees ever held by the organization. Pie eating contests, tests of brawn, and many other entertaining features, including a clever "carnival"—sideshow "in everything"—made the evening a pleasure for all.

Several business men, guests of the Scouts, were present. The mysterious proceedings of initiation of the Nights of the Wash Tub, or any other similar affiliation, would never be like the reception to these guests. After entering the door of the church each "victim" was roughly grabbed and thrust about in the dark. Then he was bidden to follow a rope which led him over tables, into "autos" and against ghastly forms—probably a corpse—so, from the dark, many hands clutched his feet or propelled him with force onto a table, against a post or wall.

Five troops of the Boy Scouts were represented at the jubilee. So many boys were on hand that it was difficult to find adequate room for the carnival, and it is probable that an effort will be made to get the armory for any following parties.

The entertainment was arranged by Harold Cook, scout executive. A campaign for "every boy a scout" is now being conducted in Salem. Those who have had occasion to see the good work that is being carried on in the movement, express the belief that the desired number of "recruits" will be received by the first of the year.

LABOR WINS VICTORY IN BRITISH ELECTIONS

London, Nov. 3.—Returns from Saturday's municipal elections early today indicated virtually a country-wide victory for the laborites. It was the first time labor had figured even as a runner up in municipal contests.

Late returns in London show the labor majority increasing, with an especially heavy vote in the working districts. At Shedditch the labor vote defeated Sir Busby Bird, who had been mayor for years. Labor also elected 32 councilors. Progressive and the municipal reform party, who formerly controlled the city government, have landed only ten councilors the returns indicated.

Labor swept Camberwell, electing a new mayor. At Gatchina it won all nine contested seats. Two unionists and three liberals were supplanted at Ipswich.

While labor failed to gain control in Sheffield and Liverpool, former unionist and liberal majorities were given a severe jolt, returns showed. At Bristol, the returns indicated labor gained six seats. At Nottingham its candidates took seven of nine seats, endangering the conservative majority. Women scored heaviest in Lewisham, where five women candidates were elected.

COUNTY STILL \$1700 SHORT IN FUND QUOTA

Although a strenuous effort was made in the city Saturday to raise Marion county's quota of \$1700 in the Roosevelt memorial fund campaign, today found the quota still \$1208 short. At the booths in the court house, state house and various banks where women accepted contributions to the fund Saturday \$161.57 was received. This brings the total for the county up to noon today, to \$432.37.

In spite of the fact that the campaign week ended October 27 the drive for funds to complete the county's quota will be continued. Those in Salem wishing to aid in permanent commemoration of Theodore Roosevelt may send any donation to D. W. Eyre treasurer for the drive, at the United States National bank. Campaign leaders in every school district in the county will continue to receive contributions.

THE BUSY RUBBER TREE
There are 2,000,000 acres of producing cultivated rubber trees in the world. Of these 1,600,000 acres are under British control. The market value of the shares representing this immense acreage was in August last, according to the London Times, \$750,000,000.

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Work of changing the old type magnetic street lamps to the modern 400 candlepower incandescent lamps, required under the terms of the new contract with the P. R. L. & P. company, was begun here today by crews of the light company. Seventy of the lamps will be changed as quickly as the work can be done. Most of the magnetic lamps are confined to South Salem.

Hallowe'en nights, with its witches, cats and mischievous lads, held no terror for the light company this time. Although three autos of the company patrolled the streets about all night only about 12 light were found to have been tampered with by pranksters.

Bolshevik Army Regains Possession Of Gatchina

London, Nov. 3.—Unofficial dispatches from Helsingfors reported today that troops of the Russian Northwestern army evacuated Gatchina Thursday night.

Anti-bolshevik Russian troops under General Yudenitch captured Gatchina several weeks ago, using it as a base for their advance on Petrograd. The evacuation presumably was caused by the bolshevik counter offensive reported in recent dispatches.

RUMANIA WARNED

Paris, Nov. 3.—The supreme council of the peace conference today decided to order Rumania to reply to the council's note of October 12, text of which was suppressed. The inter-allied transports commission today ordered Poland to open railways between Germany and Poland.

TAX LIMITATION BILL TO BE FILED AT ONCE

The petition increasing the limitation of the state indebtedness for road purposes from two to six mills will probably be filed with the secretary of state's office, Tuesday or Wednesday, according to James Stewart of Corvallis, who was in Salem this morning on his way to Portland where he will sit in on the regular monthly meeting of the state highway commission. Tuesday, Stewart is recognized as Oregon's most ardent good roads enthusiast and is ambitious that the state shall not lag behind in the matter of highway improvement hence his proposal to increase the bond limitation.

"My proposition will not increase the direct taxation of the state one cent," declared Stewart, who explains that the increased bonded indebtedness under his proposed increase in the limitation would be taken care of by addition fees and licenses to be paid by those who make use of the roads and who are for the most part willing and ready to pay for highway improvements.

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Ashes of King Fisherman Are Strewn on Bay

Avalon, Cal., Nov. 3.—The ashes of W. C. Boschen, New York financier and "king of sword fishermen," float on the water of Catalina channel today.

A year ago Boschen died. Yesterday was the date he would have started his annual quest of sword fish at Catalina, had he lived.

Instead, Captain George C. Farnsworth, Boschen's old fishing companion, started from the Avalon pier, alone, made the circuit of the 40 mile course he and Boschen used to follow and then, 12 miles out from Catalina, he opened a lunch box and set a lunch for two.

Farnsworth ate alone and then scattered on the waves the ashes of his friend.

Miners To Be Invited To Return By Mine Owners

Huntington, W. Va., Nov. 3.—Coal operators in districts affected by the strike will meet Tuesday in Charleston and publicly invite striking miners to resume work, it was announced here today.

Early reports today from West Virginia coal fields show that the Guyan and Pocahontas mines running normally with approximately 20,000 men at work. The Kanawha river fields were reported closed early today.

Operators claimed all production records will be broken in the Logan field today.

Oregon & California land grant and Coos Bay wagon road land grants will be opened in the early spring, according to information received from Representative Hawley.

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