

RECEPTION TENDERED PORTLAND PEOPLE

Roseburg Hospitality Com-mended by Members of Ad. Club.

MUCH PEP MANIFEST

Cavalcade of Portland Cars Met at City Limits by Citizens and Band and Escorted to Hotel Thru Lanes of Red Fire—Many At Banquet.

Brifeful of pep and enthusiasm, heart and soul for a bigger and better Oregon, and the 1925 Portland fair, the Portland Ad Club, unanimously declared...

The majority of the cars arrived shortly after 8 o'clock and were met at the Deer Creek bridge by Roseburg citizens and the Douglas County Concert Band.

The banquet in honor of the visitors began at 8:30 in the private dining room of the Hotel Umpqua. The dining room was a profusion of beautiful flowers donated by Roseburg people and arranged by a committee of ladies.

Judge J. W. Hamilton, president of the Roseburg Chamber of Commerce, welcomed the visitors in the name of Roseburg and Douglas county. Judge Hamilton paid a high tribute to Portland, speaking of the pleasure and pride that Douglas county felt in the spirit and progress of Portland.

Hon. A. C. Marsters acted as toastmaster, calling upon District Attorney George Neuner who talked for a short time on the hearty welcome he wished to extend to the Portland people, and pointed out in a few words some of the differences between Oregon and California.

F. P. Tibbets of the Portland Flour Mills, manager of the excursion, gave clearly the three reasons why the trip is being made. "There are three reasons why we came," said Mr. Tibbets.

Julius Meier of the Meier and Frank store of Portland, introduced as one of the best men in Oregon, gave a comprehensive picture of the origin and scope of the 1925 Portland Exposition.

Talks were also given by Senator Charles Hall, president of the state Chamber of Commerce, George Quayle, secretary of the Chamber, Mr. Peterbrink, secretary of the Portland Ad Club, George Rouch,

vice-president of the Ad Club, A. H. Devera, of the firm of Cisset and Devera, J. C. English of the English Electric Co., Mrs. Felix T. McWhirter, of Indianapolis, who is visiting in Roseburg, R. C. Paulus, of the Oregon Growers Cooperative association, and Charles F. Millivan, path-finder of the party.

Sheriff Starmer After Brumfield

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having walked to Oakland, where he boarded a train. (This fits in with the report of a Roseburg-Portland train crew at the time that they had seen Dr. Brumfield, dressed like a tramp, board the train at that city.)

He said he stripped the clothing from the dead doctor and wore them himself, so as to mislead the pursuers, believing Russell to be the de-capitated man beneath the automobile. The letter said in part:

"You don't need to be scared of your man being caught for murder, for he died in the wreck of his car about the middle of July. I was with him and was hurt, too. I wouldn't have done what I did after he was killed if I had not drunk the whiskey I did. When I found his head was gone, I fixed him to look like I was the one killed. Some folks had seen us together at my home, so I put my clothes on him and shot him in the shoulder two times to make it look like murder.

"Firing of Auto Explained. "His clothes were torn and bloody, so I put on a pair of blue overalls of Doc's that I found in the back seat and Doc's cap. I was looking with a match under the car for Doc's head when the car got on fire. Gas must have been leaking out. I had to run like hell to get away. I forgot his clothes by the car. I only took his money.

"I went to Roseburg and walked up the railway tracks nearly to Sutherlin that night, then I made a bed of hay in some bushes by a creek and stayed there all day."

In conclusion, Brumfield wrote: "The doc, driving awfully fast at the time and being without lights, ran off road. You know the rest. I have killed several men, but they were all in war and all greeners but one, but this has worried me sick. There is no use to hunt me. I am going away from here today (evidently referring to Banff) to place I know they cannot find me."

Calgary police notified Roseburg and an officer has been dispatched to bring him back. The prisoner admitted to the chief of police that he was Brumfield and would not fight extradition.

FEDERAL ACTION NECESSARY.

SALEM, Or., Aug. 12.—Under the international law regulating the extradition of persons charged with crime from Canada to the United States it will be necessary for the district attorney of Douglas county, where Dr. R. M. Brumfield was alleged to have murdered Donald Russell, to first make application for extradition of the prisoner to the Oregon executive department.

If the papers are found to be regular, the governor then will issue a regulation upon the governor-general or other proper Canadian officials for the return of the prisoner. This requisition must be sent to Washington for approval of the state department.

Subsequent proceedings relating to the return of the prisoner will be between the state department officials at Washington and the Canadian authorities. Although reports received in Salem indicate that Dr. Brumfield has announced that he will return to Roseburg without formal extradition, it was not believed here that the Douglas county officials would undertake the trip after the prisoner without first obtaining formal consent of extradition by the Canadian authorities.

Besides a reward of \$1000 offered by the county court of Douglas county for the arrest of the murderer of Donald Russell, a similar re-

News-Review Gets First News Brumfield Capture

The news of Brumfield's capture in Canada dropped like a thunder-bolt out of a clear sky yesterday. It was just shortly before three o'clock when the first dispatch was flashed to the News-Review office.

The forms were being looked for the afternoon edition, the reporters were standing around cursing a dead end and the force in the mechanical end were grinning at the prospects of "getting out" early. The telegraph boy appeared at the back door of the establishment and rushed to the desk of the telegraph editor with an Associated Press message to the effect that the murderer had been caught. The forms were already on the press for the afternoon street edition. Without a moment's delay they were placed back on the "stones" and torn to pieces to make room for the startling news. The linotypers were placed in operation. Bold headlines were set and within a half hour the papers were on the street. It was a record piece of newspaper work for this city and many favorable comments have been received upon the fine manner in which the Brumfield case has been handled by the News-Review.

Carl Latta, northwest editor of the Portland Telegram, who was a visitor here last night with the Portland caravan, stated that all of the Portland newspaper offices watched the mails anxiously for the News-Review in order to get the detailed information they desired on the case. He stated that he has never before seen a story handled so well as it was written by the News-Review.

Believe Another body In Grave

(By Associated Press.) SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 13.—The authorities believe that another body was buried in the vicinity of where Dr. Brumfield's body was found and they are making a search for it today. Portions of a tent outfit, fitting others found in William Hightower's room was unearthed, together with additional papers and currency belonging to the priest. Experts declared that there is a startling similarity between Hightower's handwriting and that in the letters demanding a ransom.

Delightful Party For Orcutt Guest

A delightful party was held last evening at the Orcutt home in honor of Miss Helen Clark of Portland, who has been the guest of Miss Virginia Orcutt for the past week. An evening of music and games was enjoyed, after which the guests adjourned to the kitchen and made judo. Later in the evening the merry-makers went out on the lawn, where a "watermelon feed" was enjoyed. Those present for the occasion were: Faye Geddes, Carmen Atterbury, Gertrude Wickham, Virginia Proulx, Grace Carroll, Dorothy Orcutt, Clare Geddes, Walter Cook, Bill Moffitt, James McClinton, Ivan Atterbury, Bill Haldeman, Arthur Proulx, Donald Helliwell, Helen Clark, the guest of honor, and the hostess, Vivian Orcutt.

Mrs. A. F. Stearns of Oakland is a business visitor in Roseburg today.

Mrs. A. C. Marsters and Mrs. Felix T. McWhirter and granddaughter Alma Jane, left this morning for San Francisco. Mrs. Marsters and Mrs. McWhirter will attend the W. C. T. U. convention which is to be held in that city next week. From there Mrs. McWhirter will resume her journey to her home in Indiana.

ward has been recommended upon behalf of the state by Governor O'cott. The latter reward must be paid by the legislature, there being no available funds for the compensation of officers or other persons instrumental in the capture of persons wanted for the commission of crime.

George Willott left this morning for Glendale and Wolf Creek, where he will attend to business for the Douglas County Creamery.

Former Resident Here—Miss Mae Davidson, who resided in Roseburg sixteen years ago, is visiting and attending to business matters here for a few days. Miss Davidson now resides at Olympia, Wash.

Leaves For Salem—Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Dale are leaving this city for Salem, where they will make their permanent home. Mr. Dale has been employed at Hartha Toggery during the past winter.

Pine Melons Received.—The Pacific Fruit company today received a car from California containing one of the finest lots of watermelons received so far this year. Some of the melons are of remarkable size.

Returned From Camp—Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Ware, Mrs. George Jones and Mrs. Horace Hagen returned today from Cedar Camp on the North Umpqua, where they have been camped for several weeks.

Leaving For Crater Lake—Evan and O. H. Pickens are leaving this afternoon for Crater Lake to see the country. Also, Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Pickens, who is visiting in eastern Oregon, will return with them.

Special Music Sunday.—There will be special music Sunday, both morning and evening at the Methodist church. In the morning Mr. Leaning will sing, accompanied by Miss Leona Marsters, and in the evening Mrs. A. N. Orcutt will sing.

The Cliff House Hotel at West Park is now open and under new management. Also pack outfit available for hunting or mountain parties. Park outfits should be reserved in advance. Rates reasonable. Write J. Z. Smith, Dothan, Oregon.

REVISING TAXES.

(By Associated Press.) WASHINGTON, Aug. 13.—The repeal of the 90-cent excise tax on every twenty cents of value, was decided upon by the ways and means committee today. The committee also voted a levy of a flat ten dollar tax on retailers of soft drinks. They also voted a fixed manufacturer's tax on cereal beverages at twelve cents a gallon instead of fifteen per cent of the sale price. Late yesterday the committee voted to increase the income tax exemption on married men from \$3,000 to \$2,500 on incomes below \$5,000, retroactive to Jan. 1, 1921.

U. S. Negotiating Peace Treaty

(By United Press.) WASHINGTON, Aug. 13.—The United States government is negotiating separate peace treaties with Germany, Austria and Hungary. Following the announcement that the German peace treaty is nearly ready for a signature, it was learned authoritatively at the state department that work on the Austrian, Hungarian treaties is already begun.

James Mahoney Posing as Insane

(By United Press.) SEATTLE, Aug. 13.—James Mahoney, held for the murder of his aged wife, in an effort to get her money, is being examined for his sanity. The man has had a towel wrapped around his head and has been moaning in his cell, refusing to answer question or see his mother and sister. He eats very little. The police believe the man is attempting to pose as a madman.

Prune Market Is on Up Grade

The market for dried fruits has reached its lowest ebb and the trend from this time on will be toward better prices and a stronger demand. Ernest S. Sergeant, president of Butler & Sergeant, Inc., of New York, one of the largest firms dealing in dried fruits in the country, told 150 members of the Oregon Growers Cooperative association and others interested in the dried-fruit situation at the association picnic at Laurelwood this afternoon.

The picnic today was a great success. People interested in the prune market gathered from all parts of the county. A picnic dinner was served at 12:30, the time being late owing to the necessity of Mr. Sergeant's speech being given in the morning in order to enable him to catch the 1:10 train north. In the afternoon Robert C. Paulus, general manager of the Oregon Growers association spoke on matters pertaining to the welfare of the association and its prospects for the future. C. I. Lewis, who was also present spoke briefly on association matters.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Miller plan to spend Sunday with Mr. Miller's brother in Drain.

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BRUMFIELD TELLS STORY OF ESCAPE

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is a common characteristic of persons possessing peculiar abnormal criminal tendencies.

"Brumfield, who was a prominent Roseburg citizen, was unable to indulge his impulses there," Dr. Kohlsaid, "and consequently he attempted to do so when far strangers."

Dr. Brumfield sent the box to Seattle on the morning of the murder and when he reached Calgary he sent to Seattle for the box, thus leading the Roseburg authorities to discover his whereabouts. Dr. Kohlsaid that such a tendency may throw a light upon Brumfield's murder of Dennis Russell, providing his connection with that crime is proven.

According to word received here Brumfield is demurring on whether or not to fight extradition. It is understood that the Roseburg authorities are having plans to proceed in the usual manner to bring the man to justice and advices from Salem indicate that the authorities there are proceeding to handle the affair in the usual international manner.

BRUMFIELD BREAKS DOWN.

(By United Press.) CALGARY, CAN., Aug. 13.—Brumfield broke down this afternoon and pleaded with Chief of Police Ritchie to rush him back to Roseburg to "face it all." He refuses to discuss the charge that he murdered Russell near Roseburg on July 13, in an attempt to collect his inheritance by posing as a dead man.

AROUND THE TOWN

Mr. and Mrs. Jess Craber of North Roseburg this morning, a boy.

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Port of Umpqua Commissioners Are Retained

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ing before election a large party of men were discerned approaching Gardner from the direction of Reedsport. As they men got into better view it was observed that they carried ropes and sticks. The threatening letters and dire references were instantly recalled to mind, and the most alarming rumors flashed down the main street of Gardner. Men and women rushed to the windows and into the streets, but the tenseness of the situation was relieved when it was discovered that the party consisted of none other than the mild mannered Senator Isaac Staples of Portland, with a party of local workmen who were on their way to get up a herd of cows. Senator Staples is president of the First Bank of Reedsport, and was there for a few days looking after his interests. After his identity was discovered by his acquaintance of Gardner, they very civilly passed the time of day with the senator.

Special Salvation Army Service

Brigadier John W. Hay of the Salvation Army, divisional headquarters, for Oregon, will speak tonight at the local barracks 311 N. Jackson street. This meeting will take the form of a welcome to the new divisional commander for Oregon. Rev. Guy Fitch Phelps will speak at this meeting and other ministers of the city will be in attendance. A good program is assured. This is the initial visit of the new commander to Roseburg and it is expected that a good crowd will be present to hear and welcome him tonight.

Brigadier John Hay came out of Channington, Ontario, Canada in 1887. At the time of his conversion Brigadier Hay was in the watch making and jewelry business and at the call of God left it to become a Salvation Army officer. He entered the work as a cadet in March, 1887, and not being privileged to go to the training college, proceeded straight to his appointment, a little town called Codrwater. Two other corps at Toronto where he was promoted to lieutenant. In four and a half months he was made a captain and eleven corps followed, when he was made district officer. Later he was appointed to the Men's O'Connell Work in Toronto and Montreal.

Later he was Y. P. secretary to Central Ontario, an dthe Pacific division, with headquarters at Spokane, Wash., where he married Elizabeth Woolham in 1898. For some little time they travel out of Spokane in charge of the "Washington Marine Band." This appointment was followed with another district officership.

In the Vancouver Men's Social work they spent five very happy years and were again transferred to the same work in Toronto. Then came a D. O.-ship and immigration work at Montreal, with Mens Social work following in the same city. The brigadier then went to Alberta as Divisional commander and

Soldier's Funeral To be Tomorrow

The funeral of George E. Wilson, who died overseas with the American forces, will be held at the Christian church tomorrow afternoon. The funeral will be conducted by the local American Legion Post and National Guard members. The National Guard has been an escort and firing squad at other funerals of overseas soldiers and have greatly assisted the Legion post in making arrangements. The funeral service will be presided over by Rev. C. H. Hilton.

Oregon Justice Gets Appointment

(By Associated Press.) WASHINGTON, Aug. 12.—Justice Charles A. Johns, of the supreme court was today selected to fill the vacancy in Philippine supreme court, caused by the resignation of Adam C. Grant.

The North Side Sunshine met Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. L. W. Ingles with a crowd present. The afternoon spent with needlework and refreshments were served.

Amblers AS COOL AS THE SEASHORE. Tonight 15c Tomorrow 25c

Girls: How would you like to be a steno on a million dollar paid SEE

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"Reputation"

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Roscoe "Fatty" Arbuckle in "THE SHERIFF"

Liberty Theatre Special Today "WHAT WOMEN WILL DO" She Knew No Danger— See it! You will recommend it! NEWS GOOD COMEDY

LIBERTY THEATRE Sunday-Monday The Truant Husband By Albert Payson Terhune With all Star Cast including Mahlon Hamilton Betty Blythe Francelia Billington ALSO PATHE NEWS AND COMEDY

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