

CARNIVAL PROGRAMME

By wireless message Rhododendra VII. hath made known unto her commissioners, the undersigned, her wishes relative to her triumphal entry to take possession of the Siuslaw empire and the celebration in honor of the occasion. And since her every wish is law within her empire the people are requested to take earnest heed to the following program.

FIRST DAY

All the Queens of the various provinces except the Queen of Florence, together with their retinues shall meet at Acme at 9:00 a. m. on the morning of May 21st. Their boats shall be gaily decorated and each royal boat or barge shall carry a large banner having inscribed thereon the name of the province. All other boats wishing to enter the water parade and compete for prizes shall also meet at Acme at the same time.

10:00 a. m.—The Royal Fleet leaves Acme in command of Admiral Tanner and proceeds slowly in regular order, down the river, the Empress barge in the lead. On arrival opposite Florence the flagship with Empress Rhododendra on board will withdraw from the fleet and alongside the reception barge. Band music. Here Mary Queen of Florence will receive Empress Rhododendra and conduct her to a throne prepared for her and from which she may review her royal fleet. Band music.

11:00—The Queens of the various provinces and their courts disembark at the reception barge in the order designated by the Admiral of the fleet, and ap-

proaching the Empress, make obeisance and receive her blessing. After all the royalty have gathered on the barge the ceremony of crowning the Empress will take place, accompanied by an appropriate speech by Judge Goss. Band music—Hail to The Queen.

11:45 a. m.—Address of Welcome—Lord Mayor of Florence represented by Bert Williams, who presents the keys of the city to the Empress.

11:55 a. m.—Prime Ministers of each visiting Queen responds to the address of welcome and describes resources of the province of his queen and swears allegiance to Empress Rhododendra.

12:15 p. m.—Triumphal march of the whole royal party, along the business streets of Florence, the Band leading.

12:30—Royal Banquet given by the hostess—Mary Queen of Florence.

1:30—School Parade, arranged by Goldie Van Bibber.

2:00—Empress Rhododendra and all the Queens and officers of State will reassemble at The Royal Bower, being accompanied from the Banquet hall to The Royal Bower by the orchestra and flower girls.

Proclamation of Empress Rhododendra VII. to her people—Frederick Hollister.

2:30—Music by Ladies Quartette

2:40—School Program arranged and managed by Goldie Van Bibber. Orchestra music.

4:00—Address by Judge Guerry

4:15—Music by Male Quartette

4:20—Orchestra music.

4:30—Double Mixed Chorus.

4:40—The whole Royal family and all the people repair to the water front to witness the water sports. On the way beware of the boys at Tug of War Prize \$2.50

5:00—Log Rolling Contest—

\$10 to the winner.

5:30—Rowing Race—Prizes \$5.00 and \$3.00. Band music.

7:00—Girls Basket Ball Game—Glenada vs Florence at the Tent Pavilion.

8:30—Grand march led by Empress Rhododendra, Dancing.

9:00—Play—"In The Shadow of the Rockies," at the new Rita Theatre.

SECOND DAY

Forenoon at Royal Bower.

10:00 a. m.—music by Orchestra

10:10—Address by N. L. Fitzhenry—Good Roads.

10:40—Music by Ladies Quartette.

10:45—Address by Judge Guerry—County Division.

11:15—Vaudeville—Frank Johnson and Frank Shackelford

11:30—Double Mixed Quartette

11:45—Orchestra music.

AFTERNOON

2:00—Address by Col. Mercer.

2:30—Parade of Base Ball Teams and Bands.

3:00—Base Ball Game—Gardiner vs Florence, at Ball grounds east of Florence.

5:00—Sports in Florence as follows: Band music. Mens 100 yds. Dash, Prizes, \$5.00 \$3.00 \$2.00. Sack Race, Prizes \$3.00 and \$2.00. Broad Jump, Prizes \$3.00 and \$2.00.

5:30—Burlesque Basket Ball game and Bull fight, Funniest thing out.

7:00—Boys Basket Ball game at Pavilion.

8:30—Play—"Mr Bob", Frank Smith mgr. Dancing, Fire works, and Hail Columbia.

WILL OPEN NEW BILLIARD PARLORS

Brown & Jansen, who own the cigar and confectionery store in Fred Meyers building on Front street, have rented the large room just vacated by the Rita Theatre, and will moved their stock of goods in it.

Mr. Meyers is repairing and remodeling the room and Messers Brown & Jansen will put in two pool tables and one billiard table.

Mike Brown bought out S. J. Miller last November and became quite popular with his patrons. About a month ago he sold an interest to Jake Jansen and now under the firm name of Brown & Jansen they will soon open an attractive place of business in the room just west of where they now are.

COMMERCIAL CLUB ELECTS OFFICERS

At the regular meeting of the Commercial Club Monday, May 11th. The following officers were elected:

President; Frank Smith, vice president; Dr. Geo. P. Edwards, secretary; R. I. Wygant, treasurer; A. O. Knowles, manager; W. H. O'Kelly.

Geo. Melvin Miller left Friday for the Lakemarr ranch on the north beach. This is the summer home of Mr. and Mrs. Miller and is a beautiful place of 359 acres situated on three small lakes near where the foot hills join the beach about ten miles north of Florence.

John A. Petersen, the agate man, who has been on a visit to the hot springs at Carson, Washington for about a month, returned to Florence Wednesday night. He will add some machinery to his grinding plant and soon be ready to turn out work again.

A marriage license was issued last week to Carl A. Collins and Miss Mary Rice, of Mapleton.

Mrs. Rudolph Brund went to Portland Wednesday to attend her sisters marriage.

RICHARDSON TALKS AT FLORENCE

Tom Richardson, manager of the Portland Commercial Club, made an interesting talk to a large and appreciative audience of Siuslaw people, at the New Rita Theatre last Wednesday night.

Frank Smith, president of the Siuslaw Commercial Club introduced the speaker.

Mr. Richardson opened his talk by special attention to the small boys, just told them a story and that he wanted them to listen to the rest of his talk.

His remarks centered upon what was the most needed improvements to make by the time the trains were bringing people to the Siuslaw and Florence.

Emphasis was placed on the fact that natural resources do not make the town, that unless its citizens take advantage of these and use them to an advantage they are not of much use; that many communities with the right spirit of progress have advanced rapidly and substantially, while another one with many natural resources made no growth worth mentioning. The speaker declared that making false statements about a community for the purpose of its advancement was unnecessary and a great detriment.

In speaking of local conditions he called attention to the necessity of a water system and improving the streets of Florence expected to receive the benefit of the coming of railroad transportation and the development that will accompany this event in the coast country.

Among the thoughts that Mr. Richardson impressed on his audience were, towns do not grow they are built by the people. A water System costs nothing. It pays for itself. It is not wrong to dispute over public questions. Have your own opinion, but insist in working for your town.

Something must be done with the streets of Florence. Organized effort wins. Strangers and new comers should be made to feel they are welcome.

It is important that you do something Activity is a cure for many things that Kill communities.

Before closing he made a request for a promotion fund and seven business men started the list pledging an aggregate of \$33 per month. Every body will be given a chance to contribute to this fund.

The president of the Commercial Club announced the following committees.

Finance Committee:

J. W. Bergman, G. G. Bushman, E. F. Surface, I. A. Smith, and D. M. Kyle.

Get-Together Committee:

First—A. O. Knowles, R. B. Alles, and W. H. O'Kelly.

Second—R. F. Averill, R. S. Huston, and Dr. Edwards.

Third—R. C. Wygant, H. L. McKee, and M. G. Miller.

The Modern Woodmen and Royal Neighbors with their families are invited to bring their lunches to the grounds below the West office during Carnival time and enjoy picnic dinner.

Mrs. Edward Fish came to Florence to join her husband. Mr. Edward Fish is a son of Mr. and Mrs. H. Fish and arrived here several weeks ago.

R. E. Smalley, who is working at Porter & Conley Camp 3, is in Florence resting the effect of a slight injury to his back.

CAPE PERPETUA ROAD WILL BE FINISHED THIS YEAR

Steps to complete Cape Perpetua road, forming the last link in a highway down the coast of Oregon between Tillamook and Coos Bay, will be taken following an inspection of the work already done which will be made this week by C. H. Florey, of Portland, chief of operation of the forestry department in Oregon, Washington and Alaska; C. R. Seitz, supervisor of the Cascade national forest, and recently appointed inspector of forestry development work; P. A. Sheldon engineer from the department of public roads, Washington, D. C., and H. B. Rankin, supervisor of the Siuslaw national forest.

Eight thousand dollars was spent last year upon this road, which is cut through solid rock 500 feet above the ocean breakers for two miles, and the greater part of the work is already done. It will be completed early this summer, connecting the Alsea territory with the Siuslaw.

On this trip plans will be laid for the construction of a road by the forestry department from Waldport to Five Rivers, a distance of four or five miles, which will connect the upper Alsea country with the coast, and in doing so will connect it by the road about the Cape with the Siuslaw valley.—Eugene Guard.

OLD MEAT MARKET BEING TORN DOWN

Early Saturday morning a force of men commenced to move the old meat market building which stood on the corner of Front and Washington streets.

This building was owned by Al Ready and the I. O. O. F. lodge had notified him to move it off the lot as they expected to erect a building soon. Mr. Ready only had a lease on the ground subject to notice to remove the building.

The work of raising the building preparatory to moving it to another location begun several days ago.

Last Wednesday night the council passed an ordinance governing the use of streets for building material and removal of buildings, making it necessary to get permission before using the streets for this purpose. An emergency clause made the ordinance in immediate force.

The marshal notified the parties to stop moving the building and when the work was stopped, by order of Mayor Evans he took a force of men and commenced to tear the building down and hand it away.

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