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ROOSEVELT PROVES CONQUERING HERO

NINE HOURS OF STRENUOUS LIFE BY EX-PRESIDENT IN ROSE CITY.

ARMY FILLED TO OVERFLOWING

strikes Home When He Touches on Uncertainty in Political Life—Lorimer Given Vehement Scolding.

PORTLAND, Or., April 5.—(Special.)—The greeting to Roosevelt Wednesday was the most extended ever given to an individual in the history of the city. From the time he entered the city till he left, nine full hours, the ex-President was accorded one honor after the other, and his time was filled to overflowing with the greetings he received and the wisdom and good cheer that he gave forth for others.

Almost the whole of Portland's citizenship made a holiday of either the afternoon or the evening, or both. From the moment Roosevelt arrived till he left at midnight there was no cessation of the homage paid him. Three things that he did while here were to assist in the laying of the Multnomah Amateur Athletic Club corner stone, sit at banquet with 700 of the leading citizens and address 5,000 in the Armory at night.

In his Army speech Roosevelt lauded the Oregon system, urged harmony in State politics, advised fewer and more substantial officials, and condemned Lorimer and the methods that made a Lorimer possible.

He praised Oregon's wisdom in her methods of choice of Senators, the Constitution not providing what Oregon and her citizenship desire along the popular election plan.

Roosevelt has come, he has conquered and he has gone. Thousands saw him for the first time and among these are many who have now a better idea of the man, of his characteristics and of what they think of him as an American citizen and a good fellow.

MILITIA TO MANEUVER AT COLUMBIA'S MOUTH

INFANTRY CAMP TO SIT DOWN FOR FIVE DAYS' WORK AT CLACKAMAS STATION.

PORTLAND, Or., April 5.—(Special.)—Militia of the State will undertake a series of maneuvers for coast defense at the mouth of the Columbia River early in August. The entire strength of the National Guard will be mobilized and the war game will consist of movements against a theoretical force attempting to take the Columbia River fortifications.

SUNDAY P.O. CLOSING IS GAINING HEADWAY

LIVE WIRES AND CONGREGATIONAL BROTHERHOOD HAVE ENDORSED THE MOVEMENT.

The campaign for the Sunday closing of the local postoffice is on in earnest. The Congregational Brotherhood and the Live Wires have gone on record as favoring it and the churches and church members through the city are promising aid where needed.

GOOD FRIENDS!
We are ready to serve you.
Our Spring and Summer line of L SYSTEM and MICHAELS STERN CLOTHES offers you a feast of new ideas in latter day clothes making. Can we get a place for you?
Price Brothers
EXCLUSIVE CLOTHIERS
Not Like Others
6th and Main Sts.
Read the Morning Enterprise.

WEATHER FORECAST.

Oregon City and Portland—Fair and warmer; westerly winds.
Oregon—Fair, warmer, except near the Coast; westerly winds.

ROOSEVELT GREETED INDIANS.

CHERMAWA, Or., April 5.—(Special.)—The train stopped here for ten minutes that Roosevelt might shake hands with the Indian boys and girls in the school here. "Come on, boys, come on, girls," was the glad cry of the ex-President to the 500 Indian children as they flocked about his train today. Several hundred of the children, emboldened by his cordiality, did climb up on the steps of his train and greet the big man.

MESSAGE ON RECIPROCITY.

WASHINGTON, April 5.—(Special.)—President Taft sent his message to Congress today, urging early action on the reciprocity treaty with Canada. He avers that his message is sent in deference to popular sentiment and in duty to the great masses of the American people.

BANQUET HALL BRINGS BACK TROPIC JUNGLE

ROOSEVELT SEES THE OLD LIFE IN AFRICA AS HE ENTERS COMMERCIAL CLUB.

PORTLAND, Or., April 5.—(Special.)—When Col. Roosevelt entered the banquet hall at the Commercial Club Wednesday night for the banquet given him, he well imagined he had been carried back to Africa, for the scene that confronted him was that of the tropic jungle. Palm trees stood all about him, with monkeys and parrots chattering in their branches, the walls of the dining room were covered with huge paintings of African scenery and live alligators were on the banks of an imitation African river.

In the midst of this simulated Plain of Mombasa was pitched Col. Roosevelt's camp and trophies of his prowess were seen packing up the slain monsters for shipment to the Smithsonian Institution at Washington.

The Roosevelt dinner cost \$2000 and was attended by 200 prominent Portland men. President Harvey Beckwith of the Commercial Club was the toastmaster. Immediately after the banquet, Col. Roosevelt went to the armory, where he made a public address, after which he made a call at the Press Club and then hurried away to catch his train.

"CITY POUND" REPORT.

Chief Shaw Shows It to Be Paying Its Own Expense.
In his report on the operation of the City Pound Chief Shaw reports: Appointed D. A. Lewis pound master, with power to collect for animals impounded and credit himself with the amounts. The master's report shows the impounding of 17 head of cattle and the collection of \$32, all of which went to the master.

There was a horse taken up and when no one called for it the Chief advertised it and sold it with a net profit to the city of \$4, the horse selling for ten dollars and the cost of keep and sale amounting to \$6.

ONE TO FIVE ACRE TRACTS

Close To City
Cash and Installments
T. L. Charman
CITY DRUG STORE.

FIGHT? NO! ONLY SHOWING A FRIEND MY COSTUME.



HOME OIL & GAS CO. OFFICERS MEET

DECIDE TO GO DOWN TO DEPTH OF 2500 FEET IF NECESSARY FOR PAYING WELL.

DIRECTORS AND OFFICERS CHOSEN

Indications as Reported by Drillers Look Good to Stockholders—May Reduce Size of Casing Later.
The Home Oil and Gas Co., which is drilling in a well at Stone, held its annual stockholders meeting in this city Wednesday afternoon, in the sample room at the Electric hotel. Report was made of the condition of the well now being drilled in and the general condition of the business of the company. The following officers were chosen:

President, L. D. Mumpower; vice president, Henry Stude; secretary, C. D. Latourrette; treasurer, First National Bank. Directors were chosen as follows: L. D. Mumpower, Henry Stude, Geo. Vierhus, Louis Vierhus, J. G. Mumpower, J. W. Watts and J. J. Tobin.

A resolution was passed instructing the officers to go ahead and drill until oil in paying quantities is found or the well reaches a depth of 2500 feet. The present expert drillers were present at the meeting and gave a flattering report as to prospects. They think the oil is here and that they are almost certain to find it. They reported that there was a continued flow of gas for the past 100 feet in depth, with some little tracings of oil. Indications, they say, could not be better. These men have had experience in the East and in the California oil fields.

A geologist from the East, who when in college some 15 years ago was considered considerable of an expert, has made a casual analysis of the stone taken out of the well at a depth of 1250 feet. He says that it is a limy rock formation with crystallized flint running through its texture. This is the usual cap formation that immediately precedes the finding of oil and is the usual covering of an oil pool or oil belt. The formation indicates that there was oil used in its structure by nature and if the deduction is true then there must have been oil there.

ENTERTAINS FRIENDS.

Mrs. Donovan and Guests Enjoy Social Afternoon Together.
Mrs. Donovan entertained a few of her friends at the Willamette on Wednesday. Those invited in this city left at 11 o'clock for Willamette, and at 12 o'clock a sumptuous dinner was served by hostess, who was assisted by her daughter, Mrs. Josie Forsberg. The afternoon was spent in a social manner, and the guests arrived home at 5 o'clock.

Mrs. Donovan's guests were Mrs. Emma Thomas, Mrs. Paul Naumann, Mrs. G. J. Howell, Mrs. Randall, Mrs. Pauline Schwartz, Mrs. Maddock, Mrs. William Harvey, Mrs. N. M. Aldredge, Mrs. E. H. Cooper, Mrs. Josie Forsberg.
Attend Funeral in Portland Today.
Justice and Mrs. W. W. H. Samson will go to Portland today to attend the funeral of R. E. Gibson, who was a cousin of Mrs. Samson. The funeral will be held at the late home on West avenue, East Portland, at 1 p. m. Mr. Gibson died Tuesday morning and was a man 55 years of age. Mr. Gibson was a close friend of the Judge and the deceased man's children attended school to Samson when he was teaching as a young man.

LICENSES GRANTED ALL SALOONISTS

ATTEMPT TO SHUT WILSON OUT FAILS—BELIEF THAT WILSON IS HIMSELF HONEST.

WILSON CALLED TO EXPLAIN ARREST

Tells How Father of the Lad Told That He Was of Age—Holman Explains His Vote.
Council met in regular session Wednesday evening with Mayor Brownell in chair and Messrs. Burke, Holman, Meyer, Pope, Roake, Hall and Michaels present.

The reading of the minutes by Recorder Stipp took nearly an hour, the meetings had been so numerous since the last regular meeting in March. Harry Jones' bond for the work on Ninth street was the first business taken up; it was referred to the City Attorney for report.

The acceptance by the Mt. Hood Railway, Light and Power Co. of the franchise granted was received and ordered filed.

A. W. Cheney and Frank Rotter filed objections to their assessments on Eleventh street. Mr. Holman moved that the kicks be referred to the appraisers on the street—Jack, Eby and Randall Carries.

James Roake, from the lay benches, suggested that the street be completed before the re-appraisal be made in which case the appraisers might find the value was correct.

R. E. Woodward had a kick against the condition of the ditch on Fourth street, and the long time which the condition has been bad. City Engineer thought he could report within a week then the work could be completed. Referred to committee on streets.

Recorder read the applications for saloon license and reported that advertising had been done in each case. Mr. Meyer wanted a report from the Chief of Police as to what saloons had been complained against.

Chief Shaw said there had been no complaint against any but that of John Wilson. Said Frank Bruner had complained that he had lost several dollars there. Others had said they had been robbed of change, etc. In answer to question said Wilson had been fined for selling to minor within a few days.

Councilman Meyer moved that license be not granted to Wilson.
Mayor Brownell wanted to say a word for the honesty of Wilson; knew not if some one else had taken the money in the saloon but Wilson was an honest man and had not taken it himself. Had little confidence in word of Bruner. Had known Wilson for 15 years and believed in his honesty; might not in his judgment.

Wilson was given the floor on the further request by Mr. Pope that he be heard. He came up front and said he owned the saloon, had paid \$1200, had never touched another's money, had tried to be honest. Explained that father of the boy for whom he had been fined had said the son was of age and he could prove it. Said father had aided boy in getting drinks at his old place and had said he was near 22.

Councilman Hall believed Wilson was honest, had known him for years, believed he was telling the truth, believed in giving him a chance.
Motion to withhold license was lost, Meyer and Roake voting yes and Burke, Holman, Pope, Hall and Michaels voting no. Councilman Holman explained that he would vote no on the explanation made but if there were more complaints would vote otherwise after this.

Councilman Pope moved the rest of the licenses—being all now having license—be granted as per applications. Carried.

In the matter of improving Sixth street without waiting to settle the present wrangle, leaving out the square between Jefferson street and Monroe, report was made that all the property holders interested had signed an agreement to permit the city to go forward and skip that block.
Reports were received and read from the Chief of Police and Recorder, and the treasurer's report was received and ordered filed. Recorder's report showed \$10,997 received.

DYNAMITE LETS GO STUMP FLIES HIGH

CLACKAMAS SOUTHERN RAILWAY RIGHT OF WAY A BUSY PLACE WEDNESDAY.

The right of way of the Clackamas Southern Railway was a busy place Wednesday. Three gangs of men were at work in three different places along the line—some cutting timber and brush, others grubbing out and blowing out stumps, and a third plowing and scraping and leveling off the roadbed in preparation for the laying of the ties and steel.
The most expensive point along the right of way is at the point just back of Kansas City where the men are at work at this time. There are more trees to remove, more and larger rocks to blast out and as deep or deeper cuts to make and fill to level up than at any point between here and Beaver Creek. And with that the men are making good headway and the grade when finished is to be easy to climb—at its steepest point not exceeding 1.7%.
The men at work blasting out stumps were doing a "land-office business" all day, and at one time injected

Good consistent advertising in The Morning Enterprise pays. It has proven so with us.
Price Bros.
A. A. Price, Mgr.

Kate Wisner McCluskey PRESENTS The Modern Madonna Friday Evening, April 7, at Congregational Church TICKETS 50c On Sale at Hentley Bros. Co. and Jones Drug Co.

THE GLORIOUS FOURTH WILL BE CELEBRATED

MOUNT PLEASANT CITIZENS APPOINT COMMITTEE TO TAKE UP AND EXPLOIT WORK.

The Mount Pleasant Civic Improvement Club met at the school house Tuesday night and a movement was made that a Fourth of July celebration be held at Mount Pleasant. There was a large attendance at the meeting, and there was much enthusiasm manifested on this movement. It was decided to hold a celebration, and a committee composed of G. A. Nichol, J. M. Slevers and A. C. Warren, was appointed to secure speakers, music and arrangements for the races. One of the special features of this celebration will be a basket dinner picnic. A celebration was held by this organization two years ago and proved a big success.
Arrangements are being made for an Easter entertainment by the club which will be given at the school house on Tuesday evening, April 18. The committee appointed Tuesday night to arrange for the affair is as follows: Mrs. A. C. Warner, Mrs. T. Gilbert Clark, Mrs. G. A. Bickel, Miss Lucile Kellogg, Miss Mabel Christensen. The program will consist of drills, recitations and music.
The committee appointed to arrange for the Fourth of July celebration will make its report at an adjourned meeting to be held in the near future.

PACIFIC UNIVERSITY GIVEN LITTLE BOOST

President W. L. Ferrin, of Pacific University, spoke at the High School Forum Wednesday. He said that he had no intention of talking concerning the University but at Prof. Toose's invitation would say a few words.
Graduation—commencement—does not mean that you are through for you are just ready to begin. And with this in mind the schools are all the time raising the standard, which is wise. This is seen when one stops to consider that the leaders in this life are educated men. One per cent of the populace graduates, yet 75 per cent of the leaders of men are graduates.

From the talk concerning his college Mr. Ferrin shifted to an address concerning the sun and its characteristics. He told of its mammoth size, not in abstract figures but in comparisons that he knew would have something to interest the young people. He told of its heat and the part it played, of its size and one's inability to thoroughly comprehend, of its life-giving power and how we all must have of this, of its distance, the control it exerts on us and the Universe and of the one great center—the Creator.

While there were some things that perhaps the young people will need to grow to in his address, yet the High School students enjoyed the talk and will not forget for many a day the speaker or the lesson he brought to them.
Rev. W. M. Proctor was among the guests of the occasion. Prof. Toose introduced the speaker in a few well chosen remarks.

PARENTS ARE INVITED.

Course of Study to Be Explained at Meeting in Bolton School Friday.
A meeting of parents and teachers will be held at the school house in Bolton, Friday at 2:30 p. m., April 7. The course of study will be briefly explained, and recent school legislation set forth.
Eva Wash will read a paper on "Encouragement," and Lillie Miller one upon "Relation of the Teacher to the Community." School work will be exhibited. Parents are requested to attend.

WIFE ASKS DIVORCE.

Alleges Inhuman Treatment, Intoxication, Abuse and Severe Blows.
Eldora Heath has filed a suit for divorce from Bert R. Heath. They were married January 22, 1898, and shortly after their marriage Heath commenced to treat his wife in a cruel and inhuman manner. He has used intoxicating liquors, coming home from his work in an intoxicated condition.
On many occasions he has choked her, knocked her down, beat and bruised her. She became ill from this treatment, and he told her he wished she would die. On many occasions he ordered her to leave his home, and on March 20, 1908, his conduct became so violent that she was compelled to leave home. Jay M. Upton, of Portland, is representing Mrs. Heath.

Visited by Paralytic Stroke.
Mrs. William Vaughan, one of the well known Oregon pioneers, was stricken with paralysis a few days ago, at her home in Molalla, and her children have been summoned to her bedside. Mrs. Melburn McCowan, of Medford, arrived in Oregon City Wednesday and left immediately for Molalla.

\$50.00 Given Away

This ad is worth \$50 in cash to the first six purchasers of Clairmont Acreage Tracts No. 2—2½ acres; all in cultivation; close to school; macadam road, and on Clackamas Southern Electric R. R. now building. Price now only \$275 per acre; \$800 cash, balance \$100 per month. This price will soon double. Come today and close the deal.
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