

5,000 TO ATTEND TAFT CELEBRATION

DESCENDENTS AND RELATIVES OF PRESIDENTS ARE INVITED.

SILVER WEDDING PLANS ARE MADE

Most Important Social Event in Years To Be Held On White House Lawn Next Monday.

WASHINGTON, June 16.—Descendants or relations of every President of the United States since 1869 have been invited to the silver wedding celebration which the President and Mrs. Taft will give at the White House next Monday. The list is believed to be complete except the relatives of President McKinley. The White House has appealed to Mr. Cortelyou, former secretary of Mr. McKinley, for the names of the McKinley family who are still living.

Elaborate preparations have been made for the entertainment of probably the largest number that has ever been present at a function in the White House.

Preparations Elaborate.

The mansion itself will be lighted throughout with hundreds of electric lights; the grounds in the rear will be made nearly like day as artificial light can make them; two bands will furnish music and the fountain will be played upon by a big searchlight on the east front of the State, War and Navy building, just across Executive avenue.

Unless bad weather interferes President and Mrs. Taft will receive on the lawn back of the White House. They will march down the main staircase of the mansion behind the six aides of the President, shortly after 9 o'clock. Just behind them will come the members of his cabinet.

Reception to be on Lawn.

They will walk out through the house to the rear portico and down on the lawn. Close to the fountain they will take their stand at the head of the receiving line. Near them will be stationed the marine band, probably divided into two sections, which will play quicksteps alternately.

Major A. W. Butt, the President's aide, who makes the presentations, expects to find even his well-trained voice a bit husky after the lines of the estimates hold good, for it is probable more than 5000 persons will shake the President's hand.

ESTACADA TO HAVE OLD FASHION FOURTH

Estacada is to have an "old-fashioned" Fourth of July for the benefit of Portland people, who desire to go out in the country for a good time. The business men of Estacada plan to invite every man, woman and child in Portland to come out and enjoy a Fourth, precisely like those of 50 years ago.

It is proposed to run special trains over the Estacada interurban line. The dawn of the day will be announced by the firing of an anvil. At 9:30 a. m. there will be an industrial parade. This parade is a feature upon which the people of Estacada are counting. There will be floats representing the various lines of trade, the settlement of the country and representing the Goddess of Liberty, surrounded by the 46 young girls dressed in white with sashes having the names of the various states printed upon them.

The people of Estacada have started a contest for the choice of the Goddess of Liberty and on the night of July 1 it will be announced to whom the honor will be given. In the afternoon there will be two baseball games, music by the Milwaukee brass band and dancing.

MORE DOG LICENSES OBTAINED.

Tags Must Be Attached To Collars Or Pets Will Go To Pound.

Several more owners of dogs obtained licenses Friday, and Chief of Police Shaw announced that probably all others who have pets would do so in a few days. He also declared that the tags must be attached to the collars of the dogs, and, if not, the animals will be taken to the pound. The owners will have to pay a fee of \$1 to regain them.

WEATHER INDICATIONS.

Oregon City—Fair; northwest-erly winds.

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THE OUTLET

PERPETRATED BY WALT McDUGALL



It is reported that a Chicago actress is still living with her first husband but this is the season for freak stories.



BORAH PROMISES TO SPEAK AT CHAUTAUQUA

SENATOR EXPECTED TO DRAW ONE OF SEASON'S LARGEST CROWDS.

United States Senator Borah, of Idaho, Friday wired Secretary Gary, of the Willamette Valley Chautauqua, accepting an invitation to deliver an address at the Chautauqua to be held at Gladstone, beginning on July 4. The invitation was accepted on condition that Congress adjourn before that time, the Senator explaining that it would be impossible for him to leave Washington before the adjournment. The Chautauqua manager is delighted with the Senator's acceptance, and it is believed that he will draw one of the largest crowds of the meeting.

HEDGES NOT OPPOSED FOR SCHOOL DIRECTOR

MESSRS. CAUFIELD, RANDALL AND MILLER JUDGES OF ELECTION.

J. E. Hedges is the only candidate for school director at the annual election to be held next Monday afternoon from 2 to 4 o'clock in the City Hall building. Mr. Hedges has been requested to become a candidate to succeed himself, after having served two years on the city school board. David Caufield, George Randall, and G. W. H. Miller have been appointed judges of election and E. H. Cooper clerk of election. Oregon City school elections are usually very quiet affairs, and next Monday's will probably be no exception. The annual taxpayers' meeting for the purpose of hearing the reports of the directors and clerk will be held next Monday evening at 7 o'clock in the county court house. This meeting is open to the public.

Mrs. Gunn Seeks Divorce. Minnie Gunn has filed a suit for divorce against Harry C. Gunn. They were married in Prescott, Wash., on January 4, 1885. She says he deserted her in 1908. There is one grown son, Daniel Powers is Mrs. Gunn's attorney.

Portland Couples Get Licenses. The following have been granted marriage licenses: Edith Emsig and Solomon Gleck, of 230 1-2 First street, Portland; Corinne Inez Jugh and James Ernest Poole, 217 1-2 Cherry street, Portland.

MRS. MADDOCK DIES AFTER LONG ILLNESS

NEWS RECEIVED BY HER DAUGHTER, MRS. BURK, TOO LATE TO ATTEND FUNERAL.

Mrs. F. C. Burk, wife of Councilman Burk, received word Friday that her mother, Mrs. Ely C. Maddock, had died early in the day at Heppner, Or., where she and her husband conducted the Palace Hotel. Mr. and Mrs. Maddock moved from here to Heppner about six years ago. She was a daughter of Jacob Rauch, formerly sheriff of this county, and was born and reared here. Mrs. Maddock was an estimable woman and was generally beloved. Mrs. Maddock has been ill for fifteen years and her death was not unexpected. The first message received by Mrs. Burk conveyed the information that her mother was unconscious, and while the former was making arrangements to go to Heppner, word was received that Mrs. Maddock had died. The funeral will be held at 10 o'clock today, and it will be impossible for Mrs. Burk, and friends of Mrs. Maddock in Oregon City, to attend. The first train out does not arrive at Heppner until late this afternoon.

Besides Mrs. Burk, Mrs. Maddock is survived by a son, Creston Maddock, and a daughter, Mrs. J. L. Wilkins. William Rauch, a brother, lives at Gladstone.

MAN KILLED NEAR MILWAUKIE.

Robert Tucker, a laborer, was killed by a car on the O. W. P. division of the P. R. L. & P. Co., near Milwaukie Friday night. He was working on the track when the car struck him.

JUDGE BEATIE'S SONS HURT IN RUNAWAY

ROBERT THROWN FROM WAGON AND LEFT LEG FRACTURED—CHARLES IS BRUISED.

The two sons of R. B. Beatie, county judge, were victims of an exciting runaway Friday, and one of them, Robert, 13 years of age, sustained a fracture of the left leg just above the ankle. The fracture is an unusually serious one, and a special cast of splints has been ordered for it by Dr. Mount. Charles, the older boy, was bruised, but his injuries are not serious. The boys were riding in the grocery wagon of Frank Schoenborn, when the horse became frightened at Fourteenth and Jackson streets. The animal made a quick turn and the wagon was upset in a ditch. The boys were thrown out, and Charles, who was only stunned and bruised, went to his brother's assistance. Robert was taken to his home and Dr. H. J. Mount was summoned. The fracture was temporarily set until the proper kind of splints could be obtained.

OIL AND GAS FOUND IN LARGER QUANTITIES

DEVELOPMENTS AT STONE WELL ENCOURAGE PROMOTERS OF ENTERPRISE.

Louis Vierhus, of Stone, on whose farm a well is being drilled for oil, was in the city Friday, and reported that the developments of the past few days were most encouraging. About five feet of drilling is being done daily, and on Thursday oil and gas in larger quantities than had been found before, flowed from the well. Mr. Vierhus and the experts, who are interested in the enterprise, are confident that oil and gas in large quantities will be found when the strata of hard rock, encountered several weeks ago, is pierced.

The well has been sunk to a depth of almost 1,400 feet. Experts say that the strata that is now being drilled through is the same formation as what is called the "oil cap" in the Texas and California oil sections.

FARMER LOSES TWO HORSES.

F. G. Anderson, of Central Point, reported to the police of Oregon City, Friday, that two of his horses were missing, and it was probable that they had been stolen. He said the horses disappeared from his pasture Thursday night. Both are bays, and one weighs about 1,200 and the other about 1,300 pounds. One has a white star on its forehead.

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RAILROAD WORK AMAZES BIG PARTY

BUSINESS MEN TAKEN IN AUTOS OVER SECTION OF CLACKAMAS SOUTHERN ROUTE.

GRADING BEING PUSHED RAPIDLY

Cost of Construction to Date Only Little More Than \$5,000—Line Is Certain to Be Big Paying Investment.

The directors of the Clackamas Southern Railway Company, who have been working diligently for the past two months in the actual construction work on the road, concluded to exhibit to the business men of Oregon City and some of the prominent farmers living in the county, the work that they have accomplished, and in order to do that, most of the owners of automobiles in and around Oregon City, donated the services of their machines at 1:30 o'clock Friday, and took a merry party of more than fifty up the Abernethy to the grade and went over a large part of the completed road.

It was the unanimous verdict of all who witnessed the construction work, that it was done in a good business-like manner, and when the visitors were informed that all of the grading had been accomplished which they viewed, and all tools, powder and the clearing of the right-of-way for fully one and one-half miles beyond the grades, and the total cost of everything to date did not exceed \$5488.00, they were very much surprised at the careful and economical methods pursued by the board of directors.

Money Used to Best Advantage.

All of the visitors who viewed the work are well acquainted with the board of directors and know their business qualifications, and that alone is a guarantee to every investor that his money will be used to the best advantage in the actual construction work of the road.

It has been carefully estimated that the road can be completed to Molalla for \$150,000, under the present careful management, and that every dollar invested in stock will be worth many times its present value when the road is completed, and the directors and a large number of stockholders are re-subscribing to the capital stock, as they are convinced that the building of this road is one of the best and safest investments ever presented to the people of Clackamas County.

One of the visitors made the statement that he believed that an investment in the capital stock of the Clackamas Southern Railway Company, under the present management, was first-class, for the reason that there is no possibility of loss, as the directors have guaranteed that no floating indebtedness will be allowed, and as a result of that policy, the investment could not be jeopardized by a failure to pay interest, as there would be no interest to pay.

Team Work Progresses.

The team work on the grade is progressing rapidly east of the Newell Creek canyon, but that part of the work was not visited by the large number of people who went out on the work Friday, as it was impossible for them to cross the steep canyon without great effort.

The graders are also at work at Beaver Creek, coming toward Oregon City, and that work will progress very rapidly on account of the even contour of the ground. It will not be many months until the people of Clackamas County will be convinced that by pulling together they can accomplish what they have been wanting for more than twenty years.

The citizens of Oregon City and that part of the country traversed by the line will be the ones most vitally benefited by the early completion of the road, for the reason that it will keep timber and other products of the value of more than a half million dollars each year from the interior of the county, and the money received therefor will be scattered throughout Clackamas County, and every line of business will be greatly benefited.

Road Will Pay From Start.

The stockholders of this company are to be congratulated upon one feature of this enterprise, and this is, the board of directors are not issuing any watered stock, and every dollar's worth of stock outstanding represents actual cash paid; so when the road is completed, the outstanding stock will represent the actual cash used in the construction of the road, and the dividends derived from the road's operation should be as great as the dividends derived from the stock issued by the Sumpter Valley road, and the reports filed in the Secretary of State's office show that the Sumpter Valley road paid 400 per cent on its capital stock for a period of eight years.

In order to insure the early completion of this road, the board of directors feel that the citizens of Clackamas County should come forward without solicitation and take from one to five shares of the capital stock, and in doing so, they are not giving away anything, but placing their money where it will bring handsome returns. People Welcome Railroad.

The people of Oregon City welcome the day when the vast belts of timber growing in the foot-hills near the Molalla Valley will begin to be cut and loaded upon the cars and shipped to the river below the falls at Oregon City, and the old sawmill located in the north part of town will begin to turn its wheels and manufacture into lumber some of the large forests which are now inaccessible on account of the lack of railway transportation. After this road has been completed, all of those who failed to subscribe to the capital stock will feel that they

PRINCE TROUBETZKOY.

Russian Artist Who is Husband of the Novelist Amelia Rives.



missed an opportunity of making one of the best and safest investments that has ever been presented for their consideration.

There are two reasons why the people should come forward and subscribe for the capital stock of this meritorious enterprise, the first one being for the public good, and the second, a safe and sane investment.

MISS RAMBO SINKING; CONDITION ALARMS

POPULAR YOUNG WOMAN HURT IN FALL AND VICTIM OF PNEUMONIA.

The condition of Miss May Rambo who has been ill for sometime, was critical last night. Mrs. Carl and Stuart are in almost constant attention. Several weeks ago Miss Rambo injured her spine in a fall down a flight of stairs at a Main street store. She had not recovered from the injury when she was stricken with pneumonia. It was at first thought she would recover from this, but her condition has been growing worse the last few days and Friday it became alarming.

Miss Rambo is one of the most popular young women in the city, and her friends are legion. She is at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Rambo, at Sixth and John Adams streets.

SUSPECT, UNDER FIRE OF POSSE, SHOWS FIGHT

ARMED TWILIGHT FARMERS PURSUE MYSTERIOUS MAN WHO USES CLUB.

FELLOW MAY BE SLAYER OF HILLS

Frightened Woman Telephones Sheriff's Office and Party Hurries In Auto to Scene—Man Escapes.

A mysterious man supposed to know something of the Hill tragedy near Ardenwald Station, was pursued by a party of men near Twilight Friday afternoon, and though several shots were fired at him, he escaped into the woods. Whether the man is the maniac, reported to have been seen in Oregon City, or the man who attacked (Jus Ortiz), the Ardenwald milkman, or is still another suspicious character, is not known, but that he is either insane, or knows he is suspected of some crime is evident from his actions. He fought one of his pursuers with a club, and when the shots were fired at him he ran the faster.

A woman half-crazed with fright called up Deputy Sheriff Miles over the telephone about 3 o'clock, and told him that a desperado was terrorizing the Twilight neighborhood. She declared that more than a half dozen men, some of them armed with rifles and pistols were in pursuit of the man, and begged the deputy sheriff to make up a posse and hurry to the scene.

Posse Use Auto in Pursuit.

Mr. Miles at once notified Chief of Police Shaw and Deputy Sheriff Frost, and commanding the automobile of the family of four had been surrounded at Twilight.

Upon hearing Twilight Deputy Sheriff Miles and his party encountered half a dozen men, among whom were L. Matone, road foreman and D. Black. The men declared that they had pursued the suspect into the woods, and that one of the party during the chase had overtaken the man and a hand-to-hand fight ensued. The fellow, however, had a club, which he wielded vigorously, and managed to free himself. Messrs. Miles, Shaw and Frost scoured the entire neighborhood, and went far into the woods where they had been told the man

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