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HAWLEY FIGHTS FOR OPEN RIVER

CONGRESSMAN WOULD MAKE WILLAMETTE NAVIGABLE TO EUGENE YEAR ROUND

SIX-FOOT CHANNEL TO BE ASKED

Commercial Clubs in Valley Are Asked to Give Assistance in Great Undertaking

SALEM, Or., Sept. 16.—W. C. Hawley, who has interested himself in behalf of better waterways for Oregon, has a plan which he hopes may make the Willamette River navigable from Eugene to Portland throughout the year.

In the first rivers and harbors bill enacted after Mr. Hawley became a member of Congress, he obtained an appropriation of \$60,000 to be used on the river between Oregon City and Harrisburg. Another appropriation of \$40,000 later was obtained, followed by an appropriation of \$30,000, and an appropriation of \$32,500 in the last rivers and harbors bill for this work.

A special appropriation of \$5000 also was obtained some time ago by Mr. Hawley for extending the re-ventment work near Independence. Representative Hawley, believing that a plan could be worked out by which permanent and beneficial improvements could be made without the expenditure of much more money than is now being expended on the river, last year made a personal investigation of the Willamette River.

The result of his investigation was the formulating of a plan which Mr. Hawley had inserted in the last rivers and harbors law, providing for a preliminary examination of the Willamette River, with a view to getting a channel six feet deep between Oregon City and Eugene by means of locks and dams.

In order to obtain favorable consideration, Mr. Hawley and the engineers must show Congress that the prospective increase in commerce on the river would justify the expenditure. Mr. Hawley obtained the information from the Commercial organizations of Oregon which was used as the basis for the appropriation for the purchase of the locks at Oregon City, and he believes that if persons interested in the problem of an open Willamette River will cooperate in the above plan that a waterway navigable at all times of the year may be provided within a short time.

RODGERS WON'T BE MOOSE CANDIDATE

SALEM, Or., Sept. 16.—At the eleventh hour, before the Roosevelt Progressive party convention which meets here tomorrow, George F. Rodgers, of Salem, announced that he will not be a candidate for Representative in Congress from the first Congressional District, or for any other office, and that he would not accept the nomination of the Bull Moose Convention should it be tendered him by tomorrow's gathering.

What effect this move will have on the convention tomorrow is problematical.

Justice Marries Three Couples

Justice of the Peace Samson officiated Monday at the marriages of Abelia Clara Goetz and William Alfred Rhodes, Estha A. Nelson and H. C. Keizer and Maud Perry and John Kappler.

POULTRY EXHIBIT WILL BE FEATURE

COUNTY FAIR GROUNDS AT CANBY TO BE LIGHTED WITH ELECTRICITY

SEVERAL BANDS HAVE BEEN ENGAGED

Stores in this City Will be Asked to Close Oregon City Day—Arrangements Completed

Arrangements are almost completed for the opening of the Sixth Annual Fair to be held by the Clackamas County Fair Association at the fair grounds at Canby. The exhibition the first day, Wednesday, September 25, will no doubt be well attended, but larger crowds are expected September 26, 27, and 28, when all the exhibits will be in place. Arrangements have been made for lighting the grounds and pavilion with electricity. The concessioners will be arranged in a circle on the grounds. It has been decided to hold dances on the second floor of the pavilion in the evening and it is probable that the DeLarzes orchestra of Oregon City will furnish the music for the dancing. This is one of the best musical organizations in the county and is composed of five pieces. The lighting system of previous years has been unsatisfactory to exhibitors, an electric light system will be installed. Many concessioners have applied for space. Some of these will serve sandwiches, coffee and hot "weenies", and the women of the Methodist church will have a cafeteria restaurant, as they did last year.

The poultry exhibit this year will be better than previous years, judging by the queries that are coming in and it desired by Mr. Freytag and Mrs. M. A. Armstrong, the latter to have charge of the Milwaukee division, that those wishing to obtain entry blanks send for them immediately. Mrs. Armstrong's address is Milwaukee, R. F. D. No. 1, and Mr. Freytag's is Oregon City. Mrs. Armstrong has been in the poultry business near Milwaukee for the past three years and is experienced in that line.

One of the features of this year's fair will be the music. The Redland band will furnish the music under the leadership of Mr. Schwartz Wednesday; Thursday, German Day, the Hubbard band with Mr. Knight as leader, and composed of 23 pieces, has been engaged; Friday, Oregon City Day, the Oregon City band with Mr. R. V. D. Johnson leader, and the Oak Grove Girl's band with E. P. Armstrong as leader, will furnish the music. The Oregon City band will play in Oregon City Thursday evening on Main Street where the street is best lighted so that the musicians can read their notes, and it is probable that it will play on Sixth and Seventh Streets, as these two streets are better lighted than other streets. On Saturday the last day of the fair the Canby band with W. F. Balz as leader will furnish the music. This will be Canby day, and the stores of the city will close. On Oregon City day an effort will be made to have the stores of this city close so as to allow all to go to the fair. Before leaving Oregon City the Oregon City band will play lively selections.

The big pavilion will be filled with agricultural and horticultural exhibits and products, as well as needle work and culinary delicacies. Several business houses of this city will have exhibits. Among the business houses that have already identified their intention of exhibiting are L. Adams, Burmeister & Andresen and Bannan & Co.

Dance Date Changed.

The Minuet Club, which had planned to give its dancing party at Busch's Hall on the evening of September 23, decided to have the dance September 24, owing to the County Fair counter attraction.

THE GANG AND "SISSY" JOHNSON.



Mrs. Thomas R. Marshall, Wife of Vice-Presidential nominee on the Democratic ticket.

GILBERT WOODWARD HAS BIRTHDAY PARTY

Gilbert Woodward celebrated his fifth birthday anniversary at the home of his parents on Third and Madison Streets Saturday afternoon from 2 to 5 o'clock. Many games were enjoyed by the little ones on the lawn, who later formed into line and marched into the dining room, where covers were laid for twenty-four, and where ice cream and cake were served. The decorations were of purple, white and red. Many pretty presents were received by the young host. As this was his first birthday party the little fellow thought Santa Claus had arrived. Mrs. Harry Saunders and Mrs. Roy Woodward assisted in entertaining.



Dr. Simon Flexner, Director of the Rockefeller Institute for Medical Research.

FINEST GRANITE IS FOUND AT MULINO

Granite, just like tombstones, corner stones and streets that have heavy traffic is made of, has been found at Mulino on a farm owned by E. J. and A. D. Burnett. These men have had the rock analyzed and it is pronounced to be of superior quality. They will begin excavating at once to determine the thickness of the strata. They report that the outcroppings of granite are found on more than half an acre and the ledge is believed to be at least four feet thick. The Messrs. Burnett, who live at Eagle Creek, have more than 160 acres at Mulino, and while most conservative in their views, think enough of the granite will be found to make quarrying pay.

MANIAC DIVESTS SELF OF CLOTHING

John Brewer, twenty-nine years of age, insane as a result of religious fervor, was sent to the asylum at Salem Monday afternoon. Brewer undressed himself Sunday and made a pilgrimage on the West Side. He carried a Bible in his right hand. William Deutscher and Mike Long finally induced the maniac to go with them to the County jail. He said that he was born in Glasgow, Scotland, and came to this country March 17, 1905. He has been working at one of the mills here. At an inquest in the County Court he was, declared insane.

GLADSTONE SCHOOL HAS BIG ATTENDANCE

The Gladstone school was opened Monday with a large attendance. The drinking fountain, which was installed in the first floor recently, was appreciated by the children. A test of the fire hydrants showed that they were in perfect working condition. Drawing lessons will be given one day each week by the drawing teacher of the Oregon City schools. Mrs. Anna Hayes has been re-engaged to teach music.

TO ERECT BUILDING FOR FISH MARKET

William Reams has been awarded the contract for erecting a building on Seventh Street near the Southern Pacific station, which will be occupied by George Brown as a fish market. The building will be 10 by 30 feet. Mr. Brown was in the fish business in Oregon City for years, and sold out his market in the early spring.

RECORD ATTENDANCE AT SCHOOLS EXPECTED

Superintendent of City Schools Toose said Monday that the attendance the coming term of school would be larger than ever before. Mr. Toose announced that, beginning Monday, he would be at the high school to classify the pupils. The improvement of the Barclay and Eastham buildings will make it unnecessary to have any grade classes in the high school building, and all of the rooms will be used for high school classes. The Oregon City schools will open next Monday.

MYERS FAMILY HAVE DELIGHTFUL REUNION

The Myers family of this city held an annual reunion Sunday, the birthday of the late John Myers. There were about 150 descendants of the family in attendance. The early part of the day was spent in a social manner, and before the chicken dinner was served an address of welcome was made by Joseph Myers, of Coquille, Ore., one of the well known residents of that place, and formerly of Oregon City. After dinner was enjoyed a program was rendered, and among those participating were Clay Myers of Portland, and Mrs. Anna Guerin of Portland, who gave addresses in honor of the occasion. Miss Helen Fano of Portland, recited a poem of her own composition. Vocal and instrumental selections were rendered. The affair was held in the Woodmen Hall, and the guests departed at 5 o'clock. Arrangements were made for the holding of the reunion next year on September 15.

OFFICERS INSTALLED BY KNIGHTS AND LADIES

Organizers from Portland attended the initiation of officers of the local lodge Knights and Ladies of Security Monday night. The new officers are as follows: President, Miss Anna Cross; First Vice President, Mrs. Henry Hennings; Second Vice President, Mrs. Emma McGabuey; Prelate, Mrs. Sophia Phillips; Conductor, Miss Lulu McGabuey; Secretary, M. P. Chapman; Outside Sentinel, Mr. Kloostera; Inside Guard, Mrs. A. J. Wilson and Treasurer, Mrs. Jennie Boyles. The local lodge has made arrangements to attend a big meeting in Portland September 26, when about 1000 applicants to membership will be initiated. A banquet was served at the meeting Monday evening.

Boost your city by boosting your daily paper. The Enterprise should be in every home.

MISS STEINBAUGH TO QUIT LIBRARY

MANY APPLICATIONS RECEIVED, BUT SUCCESSOR IS NOT NAMED

ILL HEALTH CAUSES RESIGNATION

Membership Largely Increased During Her Administration—Plans For Building To Be Changed

Miss Lenora Steinbaugh, librarian of the Oregon City library, has resigned because of ill health. She will continue the work until her successor is appointed. The board of managers of the library, at a meeting Monday night, decided to accept Miss Steinbaugh's resignation, and all members regretted that she would not be able to continue the work. Several capable librarians have made application for the position, and it is probable that a successor to Miss Steinbaugh will be named early this week.

The membership of the library has been greatly increased under Miss Steinbaugh's management, and it was the desire of the board that she be in charge when the Carnegie Library, which will be erected in the Seventh Street Park, is opened. It is her intention to go from here to Nebraska where she will visit relatives while recuperating.

FREYTAG SEEKS OWNERS OF VALUABLE POULTRY

O. E. Freytag, who has charge of the agricultural display at the Oregon State Fair has been notified that two coops of poultry have been sent to his address in this city. He does not know the names of the owners. Although Mr. Freytag has nothing to do with the poultry department at the fair, he will assist in finding the owners of the poultry. In one coop are Rhode Island Reds, while in the other are Buff Leghorns. The Rhode Island Reds are from the poultry department at the State Fair, and the Buff Leghorns from the Juvenile department.

COUNCIL AWARDS SEWER CONTRACTS

WORK OF HARDSURFACING MAIN STREET, NEAR ABERNATHY, IS STARTED

IMPROVEMENTS WILL BE RUSHED

Plan to Have Electric Light and Telephone Companies Use Same Poles Downtown is Favored

The City Council at a meeting Monday afternoon, awarded the contracts for sewers on Main, John Quincy Adams, Jackson and Sixteenth Streets to the lowest bidders. Alphon & Wilson were the successful bidders for the work on Jackson, John Quincy Adams and Sixteenth Streets, and the Montague-O'Reilly Company was given the contract for the work on Main Street from Moss to Twelfth and from Fourteenth to the Abernethy bridge. The bids had been carefully examined by the street committee and its recommendations were approved by the council.

It was announced that the work of hardsurfacing Main Street from Moss Street to the Abernethy bridge would be commenced at once. The Montague-O'Reilly Company, which will do the work, started Monday installing a bulkhead near the stor of Frank Busch. A request has been made that the Portland Railway, Light & Power Company lay "T" rails, the groove rails being the cause of the squeaking noise that is made on the Southern part of Main Street by freight cars.

Councilman Toose, of the street committee, said Monday that the culvert through the canyon on Jackson Street had been completed, and that in four or five days all grading on streets that are to be improved at once would be finished. The street committee has urged that the telephone and electric light companies be compelled to use the same poles for their wires on Main Street. At a meeting about two weeks ago, Councilman Toose suggested that this be done, and it is rumored if the telephone and electric light companies do not accede gracefully to the request they will be compelled to do so.

The Star

Last day of this interesting and highly Educational Program

Broncho Billy's Escapade Western

The War on The Mosquito Educational

The Government Test Educational

Love Sick Maidens of Cuddletown A Roaring Comedy

ADVANCE NOTICE

Wednesday and Thursday we will show

The Money Kings

A Vitagraph Subject in 3 reels, 3000 feet

This is certainly an interesting program and one that will surely be a treat to the picture going public. One of the features of this subject is the overtaking of a steamship by an Hydroaeroplane, and delivering a message on board, also

The Live Wire

This is a crackerjack of a western comedy showing a lot of acrobatic stunts when a bunch of Indians get hold of a live wire that has become loosened from pole and fallen to the ground. Well, its just too funny to tell. Remember,

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