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FESTIVAL CROWDS

Conventions Held in Gala Week Will Add to Number of Visitors.

ELECTRIC PARADE DRAWS

Famb Has Already Spread Widely Through Country-Arrangements for Reception of Rex Oregonus Are Complete.

Everything indicates that Portland will this year be visited during the progress of the Hose Featival Monday to Friday next, by more people than ever before in the history of the city's ever before in the history of the city's great annual festival. They are coming from all parts of the Northwest, in automobiles, by rail and by water. The railway companies expect heavy traffec from the East and from California. Special rates will be in effect from California, Utah, Wyoming, Washington, Idahe and Montana and as far east as New York. The hotel registers of the city already show greatly increased business.

The great feature which is attracting the throngs is the electrical parade which the Rose Festival management declares will be the greatest feature of its kind ever presented in the United States. The fame of this electrical parade has spread so widely that people will come, as in previous years, from all the states of the Union to view

Popular Young Women Coming.

Manager Hutchin estimates that there will be \$00 pretty young women from all parts of the Northwest, winners of prizes in competitions of various sort, among the visitors. The promoters of popularity contests have availed themselves of the great pepularity of the Rose Festival in inducing young woman to strive for prizes consisting of trips to see it. These men have worked all over Eastern Oregon, Idaho, Western Montana. Washington Idaho, Western Montana. Washington

Idaho, Western Montana. Washington and neighboring states with great success and incidentally have advertised the Rose Festival to good effect.

The throng will be augmented by the delegates to the several conventions, including those of the Oregon Retail Jewelers' Association, the State Dental Society, the postmasters of Oregon and the Northwest Teachers' Association, all of which are to be held in the city next week.

Seattle has promised to send a large Seattle has promised to send a large contingent of business men. Tacoma will do likewise, hoping to receive reciprocity from the people of Portland when the annual military tournament is given in that city's famous stadium. There's a big mob of us coming, writes Robert H. Cosgrove, of Spokane, secretary of the Spokane Interstate Fair. There will be large automobile parties from Eugene. Corvaills, Salem, Albany and other cities of the Willamsette Valley. Boise promises at least 500 visitors. Letters have been received from the commercial organizations of the majority of the cities of the Northwest, telling Portland to expect an inwest, telling Portland to expect an in-flux greater than ever before.

Decorations Will Be General.

The Rose Festival management is adding to the many decorations aircady In place by decorating Seventh street Many of the big business blocks no stready decorated will be displaying all and the displaying flags, butting and other decorations before next Monday. It is expected that the patrictic spirit of many others who have made no promises will be stirred and that they also will do something to help.

and that they also will arrive at noon Monday on the royal barge, escorted by the steamship Rose City, the yacht Bayocean, the lighthouse tender Heather, the city fire-boat and 50 meter craft, including 12 large cabin boats from Astoria. All will be beautifully decorated. The Rose City will fall out of line at the foot of Stark street. The remainder of the craft will countermarch through the Morrison and Hawthorne-street draws. Prines will be awarded the most beautifully decorated boats. The king will land promptly at 12 o'clock. Speciators to witness the entire performance should be in some sight-seeing position by II:20.

Mayor to Receive King.

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His Royal Highness will be escorted from the Stark-street dock to the City Hall by two companies of boy scouts, two battalions of Hill Military Agademy cadets, 60 members of the Antoria Centennial fife and drum corps, a cavalcade of Hunt Ciub members and several automobiles containing prominent people of the city. Invitations have been issued to the number of several hundred to seem to beautiful the Rose City

issued to the number of several hundred to people to board the Rose City and accompany the vessel on the trip to meet Rex Oregonus.

At the City Hall the king will receive from Mayor Simon a huge key typitying the freedom of the city and will then retire to his headquarters at the Teneral Motel.

Imperial Hotel.

Work on the grand and reviewing stands on Grand avenue for the Rose Festival parades has been begun. One is being built at the southwest corner of Grand avenue and East Ankeny street and the other at East Madison street and the other at amer Madison street and Grand avenue. The one on East, Ankeny street will be for judges of the parades, as well as for the public and will seat about 500 persons, and the other will be for general public. Both are being built by the East Side Business Men's Club to assist in financial to two carades. cing the two parades.

REGULARS TO JOIN PARADE

Troops Expected to Take Part in East Side Celebration.

A large detachment of United States

A large detachment of United States troops may take part in the military and fraternal parade on the East Side in Rose Festival week. Negotiations are in progress to bring the troops to the city, with prospects of success.

C. C. Hall, secretary of the committee, of the East Side Business Men's Club, estimates from the information he has received from the different orders that there will be from 1000 to 10,000 in line, including the military and fraternal divisions. General Finzer, grand marshal, is mapping the route to accommodate the larger figure if necessary.

The general meeting of the sub-committees will be held tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock in the club rooms. Grand avenue and East Alder street. There will be a regular meeting of the East Side Business Men's club tonight, when the general arrangements for Festival will be considered. It has been found that the expenses of the two parades will be much greater than expected, as a large number of bands must be engaged.

The Peninsula Rose Association's meeting of Tuesday night was post-

poned until tonight at the fire hall on Albina avenue in North Albina.

CARS PRESSED INTO SERVICE

Portland Street Railway Prepares for Festival Rush.

Every available car in Portland will be pressed into service by the Portland Hallway, Light & Power Company during Rose Festival week.

Orders were issued yesterday to prepare all cars now in the barns for use next week. This applies also to such of the "crippies" that can be used without danger and inconvenience.

The company has about 42 cars available and these will be distributed over the various lines in proportion to the traffic. It is expected that the crowds will be handled between their homes and the downtown district and between the amusement resorts with the minimum of difficulty and inconvenience. the amusement resorts with the mini-mum of difficulty and inconvenience.

La Grande Girls to Visit Fete.

A dozen La Grande girls will attend the Bose Festival next week as guests of the La Grande Evening Observer. which is conducting a popularity con-test in that city. The party will ar-

****************** VETERAN WHO LEARNED TO WRITE WITH LEFT HAND DIES.



Herman Baumhoer, an old-time nected with the office of the United States Surveyor-General here, died at his home, 650 East Thirteenth street, Wednesday. He was

Through exposure in the Civil War Mr. Baumhoer suffered paralysis of his right arm, but this did not daunt him. Though normally right-handed, as most men are, he overcame this difficulty, learned to write with his left hand and once passed a test in which the examiners declared him to be the best left-hand writer they ever had known. He did efficient cierical work for a long time.

Mr. Baumhoer was a member of George Wright Post of the Grand Army of the Republic. His record as a soldier had been conspicuously good. He entered the Surveyor-General's office August 1, 1881. He is survived by a daughter, Mrs. W. H. The funeral will be held

rive in town next Monday evening and will be in charge of Jack O'Neill, travelling passenger agent for the O.-W. R. & N. Company. Following the local celebration some of the girls will go to California and others to Seaside.

TORY FOR BRIDGE.

Sale of Bonds Regarded as Complete Vindication and as Assuring Success.

The North East Side Improvement Association will meet tonight in men hall, on Russell street and Rodney avenue, when steps may be taken celebrate the successful outcome of the Broadway bridge project. The recent sale of the block of \$500,000 bonds, the association believes, marks the complete defeat of the opposition, and vinlicates the attitude of Mayor Simon. The friendship of the Mayor for the bridge has never been doubted by a large majority of the members of the opening of his administration that he would build the bridge they had full confidence that he meant what he said. Members of the North East Side Improvement Association and residents north of Sullivan's Guich accord him full credit for his work in behalf of the

bridge. "There never was any question where There hever was any question where Mayer Simon atood on the Broadway bridge question from the start, in my opinion," said Joseph Buchtel, of the Narth East Side Improvement Association. "He told me that he did not make a practice of hunting game with

make a practice of hunting game with a brass band, and now that the last block of \$500,000 bonds has been sold, the windom of his policy is proved. He has assured us the erection of the bridge beyond all question. Through it all Mr. Simon has stood squarely for the erection of the bridge. I believe that the Mayor has been fully vindicated in the minds of the people north of Sullivan's Guich and elsewhere as well. The opposition resorted to every known expedient. It was the most powerful opposition ever hatched against so important a public improvement, and might have won but for the ent, and might have won but for the inctful and powerful support of the Mayor. The feeling of the entire North East Side should bear this in mind and give him credit for his work in their

WOMAN GIVEN FREEDOM

Evidence to Convict on Disorderly Charge Is Failure.

County Detective Maher testified in Municipal Court yesterday that he knew nothing against one of the houses on his list of 105 which was made the

Friday and Saturday Sale

300 Child's Wash Dresses

R.E. Farrell Co.

STYLE 1 Dutch neck model, with short sleeves; trimmed with tape; light or dark colors.

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97c 97c 79c 150 Dresses for 79c Each 150 Dresses for 97c Each

Ex-Convict Velguth Sues Wife for Divorce.

BLACKMAIL IS CHARGED

Plaintiff Alleges Wife Threatened to Expose Prison Record to His Relatives in East if He Did Not Pay.

CREDIT IS GIVEN SIMON

That he had been forced to marry Nadine Nichols, the woman who had gained some reputation as the "California beauty," was the testimony of Benjamin Oscar Velguth in his suit for divorce in Judge Kavanaugh's court yesterday. The case was on trial nearly all day yesterday, and will be finished some time today.

Velguth explained that he had tried

Forced Marriage Charged.

Velguth said that he had been forced into the marriage in order to protect himself from the evidence that his wife might present against him at the trial, when he was charged with the theft of money from his employers. had she remained single. had she remained single. When he realized that the law would prevent her from appearing as a witness against him, he said, he married Miss Nichols and he indicated on the witness-stand that he had often had

witness-stand that he had often had reason to regret his act.

At the time of the wedding many compilments were paid Mrs. Veiguth for marrying a man about to be sent to prison for so serious a crime, and for having remained in waiting for him until he was paroled from the Penitentiary, one year after being sent thers. Others at that time criticised her as having been the cause of the young man's downfall.

Mrs. Velguth Wins Case. After Veiguth returned from the Penitentiars, he and his wife went to housekeeping. A few months ago she sued him in the County Court for non-

acter before the marriage and for that reason he had no grounds for divorce. Mr. Logan also tried to bring out that Velguth had been the cause of his wife's increased drinking habits.

John Manning, representing Velguth, endeavored to bring out that Velguth had reformed since his prison experience and that his wife was the only obstacle to prevent his complete reformation.

ormation.

MANY WILL BE GRADUATED

Y. M. C. A. Students to Receive Certificates in Business Courses.

Commencement exercises of the educational department of the Portland
Young Men's Christian Association
will be held at 8 o'clock tomorrow
night in the Y. M. C. A auditorium.
Two hundred and twenty-one students
will receive certificates from the international committee, all having complated one or more of the 24 courses
in the Y. M. C. A curriculum.
R. C. French, educational director of
the Portland association, will preside
and two addresses will be delivered.
W. W. Cotton will give the commence-

ment address proper and W. F. Wood-ward will speak to the graduates in pharmacy. The charge to the graduates will be delivered by R. S. McKibbin.

E. B. MacNaughton, chairman of the educational committee, will present the certificates to the seniors and G. F. Johnson, also of the educational committee, will present certificates to the juniors. Mrs. Fred L. Olson and E. Milton Runyon will sing and the Y. M. C. A. Orchestra will play.

This is by far the largest class that has ever graduated from the Y. M. C. A. educational department and it is expected that there will be a large at tendance at the exercises. tendance at the exercises.

AID NEEDED FOR BABIES

Preparations Fully Under Way for Coming "Tag Day."

Headquarters for the Baby Home Tag day, at 147 Sixth street are busy with preparations for the coming Tag day. June 6. The bables, 57 in all, unconscious of all the stir in their behalf, are

scious of all the stir in their behalf, are well and happy at the Home, East Thirty-seventh and Elisworth streets, where they are under the charge of a trained nurse.

The state appropriation is inadequate for the support of the bables, and the women who are managing the campaign for funds feel that no thoughtful person will refuse to give 16 cents a year toward will refuse to give 10 cents a year toward

ly all day yesterday, and will be inished some time today.

Velguth explained that he had tried to live down the disgrace of his prison sentence, but that his wife had demanded that he pay her fi000 to keep her from sending copies of local papers to his relatives in the East who had never heard of his being sent to the Oregon Pentlentiary for having stolen a large amount of money from his employers, the Portland Gas Company.

will refuse to give 10 cents a year toward their maintenance.

Among those who is offering assistance in the sale of tags is Marjorie Mahr, always ready and sympathetic when others are in need, as she has been. The bables will be driven through the main downtown streets at 10:20 A. M. Tuesday in automobiles lent by women of the city for the occasion. This parade will be headed by the Oak Grove band, composed of 13 little girls, who are donating their services.

TWO CLAIM ONE HUSBAND

Issue Between Women to Be Tried in Municipal Court.

The right to bear the name and share the home of John C. Eichman will be tried in the Municipal Court temorrow. tried in the Municipal Court tomorrow, the contending parties being two women, each of whom says that she is legally married to him. Elchman and one of the women are locked up in the City Jail on a statutory charge preferred by the second.

Mrs. Frances Elchman complained to the District Attorney against the pair, when that they were living together

the District Attorney against the pair, saying that they were living together in the face of the fact that she is legally married to the man whom she accuses of maintaining two establishments.

Mrs. Elchman says she was married to Elchman in San Francisco in 1969 and came to Portland with him six weeks ago. The defendant, Emma F. Harding, declared in court yesterday that she was wedded to her co-defendant in San Francisco in 1965, when she was a widow. Both defendants are elderiy.

THREATS CAUSE ARREST

Man Who Would Blow Up Newspaper Held in \$3000 Bail.

Three charges of making deadly threats were made in Municipal Court yesterday against E. E. Radding by G. K. McCord and E. O. Sawyer and the defendant was placed temporarily under cash bond of \$3000, pending a hearing. Radding played a prominent part in the Lane-Waymire scandal and served six months in juil for his share in the alleged plot to discredit Mayor Lane.

Lane.

Radding was attacked last Wednesday in an editorial in a newspaper conducted by McCord and Sawyer and it is charged that on seeing the article he went to their office and threatened to blow up the plant. He returned yesterday morning and made threat against the individuals, who caused his arrest. The hearing went over

Meetings Well Attended.

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Meetings being held by Rev. F. E.

Yoakum at the Second Baptist Church
are being well attended each night.
Dr. Yoakum claims to have healed a
number of persons by individual treatment and prayer during his stay in
Portland. He is being assisted by
Bishop D. E. Dennick, of the Primitive
Methodist Church, London, and James
Manning, of Pisgah Home, Los Angeles,
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HOME MISSIONARY SOCIETY IN

CONVENTION.

Anniversary Session at Sellwood Attended by Delegates From All Parts of State.

The Woman's Home Missionary So-ciety of the Oregon conference opened a convention yesterday at the Sellwood Methodist Church in celebration of the silver anniversary of the society. The session will continue today and this evening, and is more largely attended than any convention ever held by the speciety.

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The convention was opened with devotional by Rev. J. K. Hawkins, pastor of the Sellwood church. After Mrs. W. H. Bachmeyer had spoken briefly on the organization of the convention, Rev. D. H. Trimble delivered "Greetings from the Churches." Greetings from the auxiliary were given by Mrs. J. K. Hawkins, and a representative of the Women's Foreign Missionary Society gave a short address of welcome.

Services were conducted by Rov. J. W.

memories and traditions of the institutions, the alumni of Willamette University and the members of the student body of Williamette University and the members of the student body of Williamette University and the members of the student body of Williamette University and the members of the student body of Williamette University and the members of the student body of Williamette University and the members of the student body of Williamette University and the members of the student body of Williamette University and the members of the student body of Williamette University and the members of the student body of Williamette University and the members of the student body of Williamette University and the members of the student body of Williamette University and the members of the student body of Williamette University and the members of the student body of Williamette University and the old Portland University and the old Portland University and the old Portland university and the members of the student body of Williamette University and the members of the student body of Williamette University and the members of the student body of Williamette University and the old Portland University

The rest of the afternoon was spent in appointing committees and reading of reports. A social hour was held between 5 and 5 o'clock, when luncheon was served by the women of the Sellwood Church.

The feature of last night's programme was an address delivered by Rev. R. W. Avison, of Salem, the sub-twee the compression of the following Portland visitors were registered at Chicago hotels today:

uring his stay in ject being "America, in the Family of Nations." Music was furnished by the of the Primitive condon and James Tome, Les Angeles, a held today and at 10 A. M.

In tollowing Portland visitors were registered at Chicago hotels today:

At the Congress—Mrs. George V. Whiteside and children, At the Quartet and Mrs. Rhea Carson, soloist. The Woman's Home Missionary Soloist. Solisty is one of the authorized connectional societies of the Methodist Epistoria at 10 A. M.

Prior to 1825 all women's shoes were made without heels.

pose of doing the same work in the United States and some of the islands as the Foreign Missionary Society does across the sens.

as the Foreign Missionary Society does across the seas.

Reports of the organization show that it has established over 40 industrial homes for young negroes, Spanlards, Indians, Chinese, Japanese, Alaskans, Porto Ricans and others; 25 mission schools, five hospitals, three National training schools; 41 deaconess institutions, 11 industrial buildings and kindergartens and three orphanages.

ALUMNI TO HAVE BANQUET Willamette and Old Portland University Graduates to Join.

With the view of keeping slive the memories and traditions of the institu-

Services were conducted by Rev. J. W.

McDougall, district superintendent, assisted by city pastors, followed by a
talk on "A Look Forward," by Mrs. E.
Liane, conference president.

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Further evidence is being presented almost daily that a recent compound of new chemical elements combined in a tablet with hypoposphites is in reality proving a blessing to the abnormally thin men and women, for it can be demonstrated beyond doubt that a regular course of three or four months' treatment brings an increase in weight of from 10 to 30 pounds, with a decided improvement of health and color too. For self administration the most popular form is to be found in three grain hypo-nuclane tablets, obtainable in sealed packages from the best apothecary shops, with full directions.

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