

## ELKS WILL BRING MORE THAN 100,000

**Secretary McAllister Marvels at Many Lodges Coming From Distance.**

**PARADE MAY DRAW 175,000**

**People of Portland Must Open Their Homes to Care for Vast Throng Expected as All Hotels Will Be Taxed to Capacity.**

Although he will be the only delegate from his lodge in attendance at the Elks' National convention in Portland next month, R. B. Forrest, of El Reno, Okla., expects to take part in the parade.

He will march, according to the rules of the grand lodge, in the place to which the number of his home lodge entitles him. El Reno is No. 745 in the list of lodges.

Other Oklahoma lodges will be well represented, according to advice received yesterday by Harry C. McAllister, secretary of the Convention Commission, who has been in the inquiries about a week ago indicating that every section of the country will be well represented. Small towns in Missouri, Kansas, Texas, Indiana, Illinois and Iowa that ordinarily send no more than their grand lodge delegate to the convention, will have five, six, eight or ten men in Portland.

**Mexico Delegation to Come.**

A large delegation is coming from Coahuila, Sonora, Mexico, where reside about 50 Elks, who are members of various lodges in New Mexico and Arizona.

Announcement was received here yesterday of another special train party. It will come from Wichita, Kan., and will carry about 150 persons. The Wichita lodges will have 200 members aboard.

The remainder of the party will be recruited from the various smaller lodges in Southern Kansas and Northern Oklahoma.

One of the first delegations to arrive will be that from Dixon, Ill., which is on July Fourth. It will consist of about ten persons. The Grand Lodge party of ten persons is due on July 4. Other parties, great and small, will arrive on Saturday, July 6.

At 12:30 Sunday afternoon, July 7, the special train bearing members of the Medford lodge will arrive. The entire party, preceded by the family Kason, will march to the Imperial Hotel, where headquarters have been engaged. Medford will maintain "open house" at the Imperial all week and will lend much to the gaiety of the convention. Owney Patton, one of the most comical Elks in the world, will have charge of the Medford rooms.

A delegation from Pullman is attached to a regular train will bring 15 members of the Frederick, Okla., lodge and ten members of the lodge at Elk City, Okla. They are due to arrive Monday, July 8.

Ogden, Utah, will have 30 Elks and about as many women. They will join in the parade.

**Goldfield Plans Unique.**

Goldfield, Nev., promises to make an unique showing in the parade. It will be represented by about 30 members and 20 women.

Some of the other cities reporting the size of their delegations yesterday were: Indianapolis, Ind., 10; Fort Wayne, Ind., 10; Cedar Rapids, Iowa, 10; Cedar City, Utah, 10; Rock Island, Ill., 10; Chillicothe, Mo., 6; Nevada City, Cal., 15; Logansport, Ind., 10; New Albany, Ind., 5; Oskaloosa, Ia., 10; Sioux Falls, S. D., 5; and Evansville, Ind., 15.

Ballard, Wash., will have 100 men in the parade and probably will have three or four delegations and some containing women members of their party.

**"Court of Honor"** Takes Shape.

Work is progressing rapidly on the "Court of Honor" on Seventh, Yamhill, Sixth and Stark streets. The welcome arch at the North Bank depot is completed and is brightly illuminated.

"Reports from lodges in distant cities surprise me," said Secretary McAllister yesterday. "To get six, eight and ten delegates from small towns so far away as Oregon and Illinois is better than has been done by an Eastern city that has entertained the grand lodge."

"Our records show now that we positively will have 100,000 or more visitors in the city. This is a greater number than ever has been here in a single convention before. It is probable that total attendance will reach 125,000. On the day of the parade it may go to 150,000 people, who will come in for the one day."

"We will be able to take good care of everyone who comes if the people of Portland open their homes to visitors. We need quite a few more rooms."

**ELKS' SPECIALS TO BE MANY**

**Harriman Passenger Officials Take Care to Avoid Confusion.**

In order to avoid needless confusion from the arrival of numerous special trains during the East's annual meeting, officials of the passenger department of the Harriman lines yesterday began issuing official orders for equipment and schedules for these trains.

The Elks in Oregon and Washington will use probably a score of special trains from the East, all entering Portland over the Harriman lines. Points in the Pacific Northwest from which Elks will operate special trains include Baker, La Grande, Pendleton, The Dalles, Hood River, Walla Walla, North Yakima, Seattle, Aberdeen, Holquiam, Spokane, Lewiston, Roseburg and Medford.

**PERSONAL MENTION.**

Mrs. L. A. Stokes, of Los Angeles, is at the Annex.

Sam Hartson, a druggist of Albany, is at the Oregon.

Mrs. La Grand Cannon, of Elly, Nev., is at the Portland.

H. H. Rose, a lumberman of Silverton, is at the Oregon.

Charles Strong, a business man of Salem, is at the Annex.

Judge Stephen A. Lowell, of Pendleton, is at the Cornelius.

Otto Kahn, a business man of Seattle, is at the Carlton.

Thomas Nolan, a merchant of Corvallis, is at the Oregon.

James J. Eelmer, an attorney of Baker, is at the Portland.

L. H. Rose, a fruitgrower of Hood River, is at the Perkins.

O. L. Rankin, a merchant of Spokane, is at the Portland.

Carmen, a merchant of Seattle, is at the Perkins.

J. E. Lawshe, an attorney of Seattle, is at the Multnomah.

F. O. Rogers, a wheat operator of Pendleton, is at the Perkins.

Frank W. Putnam, a manufacturer of iron and steel at Youngstown, O., is at the Multnomah.

G. A. Critcherson, a tourist from Boston, is at the Cornelius.

A. G. Farley, a business man of San Francisco, is at the Portland.

Thomas J. Carroll, a tourist from New York, is at the Carlton.

James A. MacMahon, a tourist from New York, is at the Carlton.

D. Vederich, a cigar importer of New York, is at the Portland.

P. Leahy, a Hillsboro merchant, and Mrs. Leahy, are at the Perkins.

G. X. Waddington, a tourist of San Francisco, is at the Multnomah.

Howard Throckmorton, a broker of Los Angeles, is at the Multnomah.

W. H. Jameson, a prominent politician of Tacoma, is at the Multnomah.

Ray Johnson, a business man of Boise, Idaho, is at the Cornelius.

Clement Palin, a tourist from Lansingburg, N. Y., is at the Bowers.

L. T. Boyle, civil engineer, is registered at the Bowers from The Dales.

W. A. MacDonald, a timber and coal dealer, is at the Portland.

Ed. Cash and Mrs. Cash, of Winnipeg, who are touring the Coast are at the Cornelius.

E. F. Zimmer, of Albany, a member of Copenhagen Bros' contracting firm, is at the Bowers.

George A. Campbell, manager of the Reno Light & Water Company, of Reno and Mrs. Campbell are at the Multnomah.

Mrs. Kate Landor, of Marshfield, who was operated on recently at St. Vincent's Hospital, is improving and will soon be able to return home.

**CHICAGO**, June 18.—(Special)—Following Portland, perhaps, in the footsteps of the Chicago hotels, the Congress—J. A. Daugherty, D. F. Honeymay, Gay Lomard, Jordan Zan, at the Great Northern—Max Michel, at the Grand Pacific—Will R. King.

## STUDENTS GET MEDALS

**GRADUATING EXERCISES HELD BY BUSINESS COLLEGE.**

**Archbishop Christie Presides and Delivers Address—Awards Given for Good Work.**

Commencement exercises of the Christian Brothers Business Department under Professor Shockley, physical director, Catholic Education Fund, were held last night at Alumni Hall, Grand Avenue, and classes stressed Rev. Archbishop Alexander Christie presided and delivered the address. A literary and musical programme was rendered, together with athletic numbers for the gymnasium department under Professor Shockley, physical director. "Catholic Education Fund," the subject of paper was given by J. Higgins, "Irish Home Rule," by John A. Hyland, and "Saint John Baptist de La Salle," by Raymond G. Assmann. A typewriting contest was given. The following gold medals were awarded: Archbishop Christie for Christian doctrine, the business department, was won by Raymond G. Assmann. Alumni Association medal for general excellence in the business department, was won by John J. Higgins.

Capron medal by Albert G. Capron, general excellence in the commercial department, was won by Edwin Williamson.

President's gold medal, presented by President Andrew for best penman in the college, won by W. Raymond Gaynor.

Thompson medal, presented by Rev. George Thompson for excellence in first grammar class, won by Walter O'Hara.

Medal presented by Rev. Edwin V. O'Hara for excellence in second grammar class, won by Joseph Van Loo.

College gold medal presented for most progress in music, won by Theodore Matsuher.

Capron medal, presented by Rev. W. C. Cronin for excellence in first intermediate class, won by Edwin Houch.

Gold medal for excellence in the second intermediate class, won by Lynn Keady.

Gold medal in the preparatory department, won by Joseph Gaudet.

Certificates in the business department were given as follows: Charles J. Lair, Raymond G. Assmann, Charles E. Boyle, Frederick J. Brennan, John J. Higgins, Alfred E. Bartholemew, Raymond Louis Manning, John A. Hyland.

In the ninth grade diplomas were awarded to the following students: Patrick L. O'Halloran, Patrick J. McCarthy, C. Simon, David F. Shanahan, Ezra J. Mears, Matthew Ryan, Albert F. Dugan, Harold J. Maher, Frederick J. Ganssner, Franz A. Ganssner, Louis J. Lemery, Francis A. Kiernan, Raymond J. Ward, Daniel P. Foley, Orestes J. Celoria, LeRoy John Hoss, Edmund T. Dwyer.

Certificates were given to first and second year students in the commercial departments.

## OAKS RAISING DEBIT

**Half of Tonight's Receipts Donated to Musical Backers.**

## PROMINENT SPIELERS ACT

**Chapman Will Make Appeal for Funds and Announces That Those Who Stay Outside Must Pay Extra for That Privilege.**

Over a score of Portland's most prominent men will turn themselves into "spelers," "barkers," or "shills" and will take their stand outside each one of the concessions at the Oaks amusement park tonight and endeavor to make every visitor patronize one and all of the concessions.

Fifty per cent of the receipts has been donated by Manager Cordray and the concessionaires toward the Rose Festival Musical Chorus' deficit of \$2000 and it is expected that this debit will be wiped off.

The amateur spelers will do their worst in the intermission, before and after the big concert to be given at the Oaks tonight by the Rose Festival Musical Chorus, when 20 pretty girls will sing a collection after C. C. Chapman has made an appeal for dimes and dollars.

**Chapman Is Why.**

"Everybody has to go in everything at the Oaks," said Mr. Chapman. "The man who stays outside has to pay double for the privilege of watching us spel."

Colonel C. E. S. Wood, who doesn't believe in jail, has promised for one cent only to lure the unwary with silver-tipped words into the "fall" and the divers tribulations therein to be found.

"If they want to escape my 'hot air,' they will have to go in the 'cave of the winds,'" said W. T. Buchanan, who will be on duty there.

Colonel L. L. and George Hyland will divide their attention between the "jewel wheel" and "shooting the chutes."

Rev. Albert Ehrhart will promise that the "ride in the clouds" will be a near-trip to Heaven for one night only.

**Tom Richardson Cheers Sourettes.**

Tom Richardson will paint in glowing terms the beauties of the "chorus ladies" of the Frank Rich Musical Chorus, from the days of his own experience, will advise to the lovelorn a trip in the old mill.

Frank Branch Riley will be outside the home of the educated horse.

Free advertising will be given by A. A. Schell, of the Chapman Advertising Company. C. F. Berg will attract to the carousel or merry-go-round.

**Merrick Is Featured.**

W. C. Caswell will promise the fat men they may become thin and the thin ones fat in the magic mirrors.

"I shall take Postmaster Merrick out with me," said Mr. Caswell.

Mr. P. J. Murphy, prohibitionist, will take his stand at the bathing pavilion and tell all of the joys of pure water.

"I am certain Portland will turn out in enormous crowds when a great free show like this is offered," said Mr. Chapman. "I am worried about the safety of the park, but saw. We shall make Cordray appear in vaudeville and everyone else will all form a part of the great show."

During the afternoon the children's chorus of 600 voices will hold the bandstand.

**MISS CROSMAN TO SPEAK**

**OREGON SUFFRAGIST TO HEAR POPULAR ACTRESS.**

**At Luncheon This Week at Imperial Hotel Women Will Listen to What Stage Folk Think.**

Through the instrumentality of Mrs. Oliver Stott Gabriel, sister of Mrs. E. J. Bullock, of Portland, members of the College Equal Suffrage League, will be addressed by Miss Henrietta Crosmen at a luncheon to be given in her honor at the Imperial Hotel Thursday or Friday.

Mrs. Mary Ringrose, who has done such good work with the Catholic girls in the city, also will be a guest. Both will give addresses on the subject nearest their hearts. Such was the leading announcement at the bi-monthly meeting of the College Equal Suffrage League, held yesterday at headquarters in the building.

Miss Gabriel, who recently came to Portland from New York to help on the cause of equal suffrage, is a member of the same suffrage society in New York as is Miss Crosmen. The latter is well known for her willingness to devote her spare time to gaining admission.

Thursday week another luncheon will be given in honor of Miss Anita Whitney, of California, who has been working here for the past two weeks. Miss Whitney will give the principal address.

"Clink, clink" came the response.

"Clink, clink" came the response of the Goddess of Liberty came into view.

Boys, this fellow is a regular gold mine," said Captain Keller, who began tracing the mother lode from which all wealth was brought to the surface, and then the vein pinched out.

The prisoner was Frank Edwards.

He was caught in the saloon, and \$50 missing from the till was found about his person. He is charged with grand larceny.

From today the College Equal Suffrage League will do its best to help on the cause of equal suffrage, whether of college education or not. This step has received the official sanction of the National League. To aid the campaign, which is only beginning its active course, several members have donated automobiles, among the most recent to do so being Mr. Charles G. Gandy.

At a committee meeting of the Woman's Club campaign committee yesterday in the Rothschild building, a new league entitled the Equal Suffrage League was formed, with which to hold meetings and secure speakers to promote the suffrage campaign in Oregon. During July many well-known women are coming to Oregon to speak.

The committee in charge is as follows: Mrs. Sarah A. Evans, chairman; Mr. W. H. Peck, treasurer; Mrs. Clark Evans, Mrs. Estie C. Pohl, Mrs. Grace Watt Ross, Mrs. G. W. McMillan and Mrs. A. King Wilson. Governor West, Samuel Hill, Dr. Luther R. Dyott, Dr. C. H. Chapman, D. Solis Cohen, W. M. Davis and John F. Logan are vice-presidents.

**Coos County Educator Reports.**

**SALEM, Ore., June 18.—(Special)—T. Park, County Superintendent of Schools of Coos County, was here from Myrtle Point Monday and has an excellent record to point to for his former eighth grade pupils. In 1911 there were 21 who took the eight grade examination in that county and all of them passed with good averages. In**

