

REED COLLEGE ON FIRST DAY THRIVES

Enthusiastic Students Pour Into New Institution and Begin in Earnest.

BONHOMIE IN FOREGROUND

Dormitory Rooms Rapidly Fill Up and Campus Bonfire Is Held. Many Collegians Start to Work Way Through Year.

Enthusiasm and activity marked the opening of Reed College yesterday morning when the doors of the magnificent new buildings were thrown open to the freshmen and students who gathered for the first time to choose their studies.

President Foster and the faculty were early arrivals at the college buildings and soon after the stream of students began to come. Many of them were there at 8 o'clock and from then on the campus was a busy scene.

Some of the students intend to work their way through college and these, as soon as they had placed their names on the register, applied themselves to the tasks found on their boards and tuition. Some of the fellows were to be found in the kitchen preparing dishes and assisting in the preparations for the evening meal.

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Between 2 and 4 P. M. the registration office was nominally closed, and the men students shed their coats and constructed a bonfire of debris from the scaffolding and other waste material and at 8 o'clock last night a match was applied and a roasting time was had by the delayed receipt of material, some of the interior work of the buildings is still incomplete, but this will be finished in a short time.

Frank Clark Scott, a 1911 student of Custer, Mont., was the first to register and he was followed by Lowell Bradford, who was the winner in a recent advertising contest, instituted by one of the large department stores of the city.

BARR MURDER Baffles Detectives Encounter Obstacles in Learning Man's Past.

Confident that time and labor will unravel the mystery surrounding the death of Harry G. Barr on the Linton road, just a week ago, detectives assigned to the case see no immediate prospect of bringing about a solution, but are doggedly working out a mass of apparently irrelevant information, in order that they may feel the assurance that nothing has been overlooked. In addition to Captain Barr, who is giving nearly all his time to the case, Detectives Maloney, Swennes, Vaughn and Litherland are now assigned to the investigation.

INVENTIONS ARE MAGICAL Chapter on Patent Office in Haskin's Book Stranger Than Fiction.

When you buy your next basket of grapes stop and reflect that the American inventor has made it possible for one girl to make 4000 of these baskets in a single day. He has made it possible for her to make 12,000 berry baskets a day. He has devised a huge hydraulic force capable of exerting a pressure of 25,000,000 pounds. He has made a machine which will weave wire netting heavy enough to serve as the front of a tiger's cage, and another which will weave netting so fine that there are 40,000 meshes to the square inch. He can transform iron ore into hairpins worth 12 times their weight in gold, or into steel which you may buy for a few cents a pound.

PERSONAL MENTION.

F. V. Dunham, of Seattle, is at the Bowers. John L. Rand, of Baker, is at the Portland. J. O. Holt, a merchant of Eugene, is at the Oregon. G. W. Booth, a Salem merchant, is at the Perkins. W. E. Hunter, an El Paso banker, is at the Carlton. T. P. Lane, a merchant of Corvallis, is at the Oregon. F. B. Wines, of Tacoma, is registered at the Cornelia. W. H. Eccles, a lumberman of Baker, is at the Oregon. Dr. J. M. Keene, of Medford, is registered at the Imperial. Paul Gordon, of Los Angeles, is registered at the Cornelia. Thomas Morgan, an Aberdeen lumberman, is at the Imperial. Robert J. Watt, of Tillamook, is registered at the Multnomah. Benjamin Peck, an Olympia merchant, is registered at the Imperial. Max Vogt, a banker of The Dalles, is registered at the Portland. J. J. Hewitt, a lumberman of Tacoma, is registered at the Oregon. H. L. Ricks, ex-Mayor of Eureka, is registered at the Multnomah. George W. Nims, a lumberman of Montezuma, is at the Imperial. J. W. Schultz, a lumberman of Toledo, Wash., is at the Imperial. Frank J. Hern, a tourist of Two Rivers, Wis., is at the Cornelia. Joseph D. Jardine, of the Government Forest Service, is at the Carlton. W. H. Dean, a real estate operator of White Salmon, is at the Imperial. R. H. Carr and George B. Reay,

MINERS OF KINGMAN, ARIZ. are registered at the Perkins.

G. C. Hatt, a real estate man of Orondo, is registered at the Bowers. J. D. McDonald and Mrs. McDonald, of Chicago, are at the Multnomah. F. W. Kasser, a Walla Walla merchant, is registered at the Oregon. I. N. Wheaton, a fruitgrower of The Dalles, is registered at the Perkins. Sir John and Lady Struther, of London, are registered at the Portland. F. E. Ahern, manager of a detective agency at Seattle, is at the Portland. E. R. Pierce, of Prosser, is at the Multnomah accompanied by Mrs. Pierce. John Conant, a furniture manufacturer of Oakland, is registered at the Carlton. Charles Stinchfield, Jr., is at the Portland. After visiting his former home in Wisconsin.

C. C. Ramsey and Pierre Ferry, business men of Seattle, are registered at the Multnomah.

F. Enrich is registered at the Portland from Germany, and is in this county in search of big game. G. W. Mulka, traveling accountant, and P. H. Kinard, traveling auditor of the Southern Pacific, are registered at the Carlton from San Francisco. John M. Scott, general passenger agent for the Southern Pacific, returned yesterday from San Francisco, where he accompanied an excursion of the general passenger agents en route to their Eastern homes after attending their National convention at Seattle.

CHICAGO, Sept. 23.—(Special.)—Following persons from Oregon registered at Chicago hotels today.

From Portland—Lewis Montgomery, at the Congress; Ed O'Donnell, at the Great Northern. From Medford—Mr. and Mrs. Joe Loeb, at the La Salle.

HUGE BLAST IS PLANNED 47,000 YARDS OF ROCK TO MOVE BY SINGLE SHOT.

Preparations for the explosion of the mines which will pulverize 47,000 yards of rock just south of the village of Monroe, in Benton County, at a single shot are being made by Chief Engineer Guppy, of the Portland, Eugene & Eastern electric railway. From the fact that the shot to be fired is one of the largest ever put off in the Northwest, the event is attracting unusual attention in Corvallis, Albany and Eugene. The exact date has not been set. Five thousand pounds of powder will be used in blowing the rock out of the way of the electric railroad which is to connect Corvallis and Eugene as a part of the main line system through the valley, but it is believed that the gigantic explosion will be handled without damage to the little village, which is located only a few rods away. Hopes are expressed that the blast will be used to keep the crowds outside the danger zone, but afford them a perfect view of the hundreds of tons of earth and rock as it is thrown into the air.

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In order to accommodate the students at the Agricultural College, the citizens of Corvallis and Albany who have expressed a desire to witness the big explosion, President Robert E. Strahorn has ordered the first excursion train to be run under the banner of the Portland, Eugene & Eastern. It will leave Albany the morning of the event is to take place, and will be in charge of P. T. Shelton, traveling freight and passenger agent.

The Portland, Eugene & Eastern expects to begin running steam trains between Corvallis and Eugene by January 15, and to run electric lines to the east as far as the wires can be carried southward. The electrification crews are now working between Portland and McMinnville, and will go on south over the old Willamette steam lines of the Southern Pacific, all of which will shortly come under control of the Portland, Eugene & Eastern system.

JOHNSON IS TOASTMASTER Identity of "National Figure" at Banquet Tonight Mystery.

The success of the first monthly "dollar dinner" to be given at the Portland Commercial Club under the auspices of the executive committee at 8:30 o'clock tonight is attested by the fact that over 100 have already applied for reservations at the banquet. G. F. Johnson will preside as toastmaster and call upon the following speakers: Joseph H. Young, Frank B. Riley, L. H. Weir, C. L. Smith, C. C. Chapman and one other whose name is not announced. There has been much speculation as to the identity of this "dark horse." It being understood that he is a prominent National figure and the perplexing political situation in Oregon. The affair will conclude promptly at 10:15 o'clock.

WILSON SUPPORTERS TO MEET

The Wilson League, an organization consisting of Independents and ex-Republicans, will hold its first public meeting at 8 o'clock tonight in the assembly hall of the Journal building. T. T. Foster, president of Reed College, will be the principal speaker. The league was organized to assist the candidacy of Woodrow Wilson for the Presidency.

A. F. WALTON IS PAROLED Convicted on Own Attorney's Admission, Man Is Shown Leniency.

On the statement of the defendant's attorneys that, although the act complained of had been committed, there had been no criminal intent, Circuit Judge Morrow yesterday afternoon sentenced A. F. Williams, also known as A. F. Walton, to two years in the penitentiary and then paroled him. Williams was indicted for the passing of a worthless check to real estate on Jacob Cassell in exchange for Cassell's restaurant. He had previously pleaded not guilty but yesterday withdrew his plea and changed it to guilty. Williams came to Portland last March and under the name of Walton entered into a deal with S. E. Hall to open a restaurant known as the Overland, on Sixth street, between Washington and Stark, each according to a complaint signed by Hall, to furnish \$2000. The place started business in charge of Williams, but after a few weeks he disappeared and went to California. This was coincident with the filing of an at-

OREGON SCHOOLS, BEN SELLING SAYS

Injustice Done Through Diversion of Reclamation Fund Makes Deep Impression.

EASTERN COUNTIES VISITED Wonderful Benefits of Irrigation Shown by Limited Number of Projects in Operation—Grain Yield Is Immense.

Continuing his thorough tour of Eastern Oregon, where he is daily meeting hundreds of voters personally, Ben Selling, Progressive Republican nominee for United States Senator, in the last few days visited Walla Walla and Baker counties. Yesterday he entered Malheur County after having passed a few days in Grant County. In each of the counties visited, Mr. Selling reports a most encouraging outlook so far as his campaign is concerned.

On his trip Mr. Selling is adding to his general knowledge of conditions in Eastern Oregon, particularly its needs as to national legislation. In doing so he has some face to face with, and has been deeply impressed by the rank injustice done that section of the state through the diversion of Oregon's share in the reclamation fund to other states. He gives the people of that section his promise that if elected, he will lose no time in seeing that Oregon receives its proper portion of the reclamation fund.

Development Is Retarded. Eastern Oregon is an empire in itself and the possibilities of its development are almost infinite. Mr. Selling at Vale, yesterday, "in order fully to appreciate the immensity of the area of that section of the state it is essential to obtain first-hand information of the country." "Although the people of Eastern Oregon have made remarkable strides in the development of that section in recent years, both the settlement and development work have been seriously retarded through the loss to the state of its just share of the reclamation fund. The distribution of this fund has not been made in accordance with the plan contemplated at the time it was established. Money received from the reclamation fund in Oregon have been diverted to other states, thereby depriving this state of funds badly needed and to which the state was entitled for irrigation projects. The result has been that several projects have not been completed. For the same reason, urgent appeals by Oregon citizens for the initiation of other projects have been turned down."

SPEEDER'S EXCUSE IS GOOD Fear of Attempted Hold-Up Made M. H. Hauser Open Throat Wide.

Fear of an attempted hold-up, offered by M. H. Hauser, a large wheat exporter, in extension of an admitted violation of the speed regulations, was effective in Justice Olson's court yesterday, when the defendant was granted an indefinite continuance of the case. The result has been that several projects have not been completed. For the same reason, urgent appeals by Oregon citizens for the initiation of other projects have been turned down."

COUNTY CONVENTION SATURDAY Bull Moose to Pick Candidates for Minor Offices at That Time.

The announcement was made at the Bull Moose county convention for the purpose of nominating a complete county ticket in Multnomah County would be held next Saturday at the East Side Library. To what extent the proposed ticket will be made up of aspirants of the Bull Moose quality depends upon the replies received by the "smoke-em-out" committee from Republican and Democratic nominees who have been asked to advise the special committee, whether they endorse the principles enunciated by the Progressive party.

LOST ARTICLES RECOVERED Thefts Are Traceable by Police if Data Is Forthcoming.

Frequency of cases where citizens have lost valuable articles and are unable to supply the city detectives with the factory numbers, has moved Captain Baty to warn the public again to take the numbers of their watches, cameras, typewriters and other such articles, and to be able to give an accurate description of other articles. The numbers are the key data to work upon the efforts of the detectives to recover lost and stolen property are greatly hampered, and the chance of success is much smaller.

RAILROAD MEN THANKED Grand Army Officials Express Appreciation for Courtesies Shown.

John M. Scott, general passenger agent of the Southern Pacific, has received a letter of congratulation and appreciation from the present and past department commanders of the Grand Army of the Republic for the courtesies shown during the recent encampment of the Grand Army of the Republic at the Portland Hotel.

INDICTED MAN IS MURDERED

During the session of the United States District Court yesterday morning the case of Frank Jack, a Klamath Indian under indictment for having introduced liquor on that reservation, was set for trial November 15, but at the time it was not known that he had been murdered at Klamath Falls on Sunday night. Frank Jack, son of the famous Indian chief, Link River Jack, had become a character on the reservation during the last few years, always saying that he was immune from arrest because of his royal blood and "stand-in" with the authorities. United States Deputy Marshal Frank Baty arrested him on the reservation with liquor in his possession and after indictment he was released on bail to appear for trial during the coming term of court. He is reported to have been shot and killed at Klamath Falls, Sunday night, by Charles Chitwood, a full-blooded Indian from the Umpqua reservation.

DOCKS TO BE FIREPROOF

PORTLAND HARBOR DIVIDED INTO ZONES IN ORDINANCE. Slow Burning Material May Be Used South of Market and North of Seventeenth Streets.

In passing a building ordinance yesterday the Commission of Public Docks divided the harbor district into zones, prescribing that all new docks erected between the foot of Market street and the foot of Seventeenth street be fireproof, while those south of Market and north of Seventeenth street may be of burning material. There were minor changes in the measure as compared with its construction when submitted.

SMALL PAYMENTS SECURE BIG BARGAINS

This is the first time in the history of the piano business that \$1 would secure one of America's finest and most artistic pianos. It is safe to say the pianos in our store will not be long in finding willing owners and new homes in Portland and vicinity. It will be well to pay an early visit, so as to get first choice. Those who cannot come in person should write immediately and full particulars sent by mail.

HERE'S THE PLAN:

You pay only a little each week; it is easier than it sounds. Almost anybody can do it. No fuss or red tape. No task to be performed. No waiting. Our big wagon brings the piano the same day you order it. Remember, these are high-grade instruments—regular catalogue styles—such as a mansion can be proud of—credit to any home. Bring a dollar or two and pick out one of these high-grade pianos or player-pianos from our grand assortment. Remember, you buy at factory cost or less. The necessity to dispose of these pianos at once makes these low prices possible.

YOU MUST HURRY TO PROFIT BY THESE REDUCTIONS

Graves Music Co., 111 4th Street

Consolidation Sale

Many Fine Pianos and Player-Pianos Will Be Sold at One-Half Price and Less

Graves Music Co. Buys Out Two Dealers

The Reason Why We Are Doing This. Recently we took over the business of two music houses, and we also agreed to take from the factories the pianos contracted for by them. This, together with our own extra large stock of pianos, sheet music and talking machines, has overstocked us on musical goods and principally pianos. This makes the Consolidation Sale necessary. We are going to make the prices on this sale practically manufacturers' cost, which in some cases is almost one-half price. You do not need all cash, either. Only bring a few dollars—we trust you for the balance. The piano will be delivered to your home at once. No waiting—your credit is good.

Pianos and Player-Pianos at Wholesale Cost

Advertisement for pianos and player-pianos with a list of models and prices. Includes a circular logo with 'DOWN' and '\$1 A WEEK'.

Advertisement for Hunyadi Janos Water, a natural laxative. Includes a bottle illustration and text describing its benefits for constipation.

Advertisement for S.S.S. Vegetable, a purifying remedy for rheumatism. Includes a bottle illustration and text describing its effectiveness.

Advertisement for Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, a remedy for women's ailments. Includes a bottle illustration and text describing its benefits.

Advertisement for 'Syrup of Figs' by The Swift Specific Co., Atlanta, GA. Includes a bottle illustration and text describing its use for various ailments.

Advertisement for 'Syrup of Figs' with a testimonial from Mrs. Mary Halstead, Platteau, Pa. Includes a bottle illustration and text describing its benefits for constipation and other ailments.