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Formal Announcement of Participation, While Not Mandatory, Is Preferred by Managers, in Order to Expedite Start.

The cash prizes offered by the Rose Festival Association for the various departments of next week's parades are attracting many entries.

No previous festival has brought forth so great a number of inquiries from individuals and organizations who want to join the pageants, of which there will be one or more for every day that the carnival is in progress.

The big fraternal, military and industrial pageant on Friday afternoon is attracting a score or more of entries in almost every division.

The electrical parade of Friday night will not be open to general public participation, but, inasmuch as its elaborate floats will deal with familiar subjects, it is arousing much interest. Work on the floats is complete. They were lighted up last night for the first time. George L. Baker, in charge of the festival amusements, has already been ready to submit it for public approval, one week from tonight.

Floral Parade Plans Complete.

Plans for the huge floral parade, which takes place next Wednesday afternoon, now are practically complete. Frank C. Riggs, the chairman of the special committee, has received applications that applications and announcements of entries had more than trebled in the last two days and he expects that there will be in the neighborhood of 500 vehicles in line.

Much of the increased interest in this parade has been traced to the determination of the Rose Festival management to award cash prizes, instead of cups and ribbons, and to have numerous sections and classes. For instance, there will be special sections for the fire department, for saddle horses, for horses and carts or traps, huggies, etc., with numerous classes in it, and for the best mounted organization representing some club, society or association.

Next will come 10 classes in the automobile section, followed by the section for the best car belonging to some member of the Portland Automobile Club.

Another feature which has tended to increase interest has been the determination to have the parade decorated by prominent citizens to decorate their own cars and, instead of spending large sums of money with professional decorators, to put their own time, so far as possible, into this work.

"It should not be the case of a person throwing money to the wind, as money to florists and saying: 'Get me a good decoration that will win a prize.' That is not the spirit of the thing at all. It is the sentiment expressed by more than one prominent business man or society woman. The purpose of the parade is to show the personal pride of the private citizen, as well as that of some club or society. This pride can best be shown by devoting personal time to decorating a vehicle or automobile.

Hundreds of Entries Assured.

The consequence has been that every club of any consequence will have at least one car in the parade. Practically all the entries last Sunday, numbering fully 150, will have one or more vehicles; the Parent-Teacher associations will have between 45 and 50 cars and the high schools, to a unit, and most of the grade schools are already entered.

In the saddle horse section will be many entries from the Hunt Club, the Bit and Spur Club and others, while in the driving section the Riverside Driving Club expects to make a striking showing.

Business houses and organizations have entries far in excess of those of last year. A majority of their entries, it is expected, will be horse-drawn vehicles and the rivalry between two local organizations is expected to be all the keener in consequence.

When the committee first decided to have one parade of horse and motor vehicles no suggestion of any rivalry between the two classes entered its head, most of its members feeling that the motor vehicles would far outnumber those driven by horse. On the contrary, the latter held a decided lead up to yesterday.

So many inquiries have been directed to the Rose Festival management, in spite of plain entry notices, that today the committee has asked The Oregonian to announce that there absolutely is no entry fee and that it is not necessary for an advance entry to be made.

If formal entry is made, however, it will aid the committee immensely in its efforts to start everything promptly on time. Entries should be mailed or telephoned Frank C. Riggs, either at the Rose Festival headquarters, in the Morgan building, Main 2800, or to 65 North Twenty-third street, Main 444.

One feature decided on this year is the awarding of prizes before the parade, while the flowers are still at their best. Each winner will be given a large ribbon, of an arbitrary color, to carry on his machine in the parade. In past years no one has known the prize-winners or to whom the prize-winning float or car belonged. To render efficient and rapid judging possible all cars and vehicles are requested to be in position by 1 o'clock, in order that a prompt start may be made.

All objectionable advertising this year will be rigorously excluded. A committee of censors, consisting of C. V. Cooper, Guy W. Talbot and Frank C. Riggs, has been named to pass on all vehicles before the parade.

City to Have Festival Floats.

At the request of George L. Baker, of the Rose Festival Association, the City Commission yesterday agreed to enter floats and automobiles in the Rose Festival parades next week. Purchasing Agent Wood directed to prepare the plans. It is proposed to have floats decorated for the various branches of the city service so as to give spectators an idea of what is being done by the city in those branches.

Harry Fahnestock Dies at 79.

NEW YORK, June 4.—Harry Fahnestock, Wall-street banker and director of many corporations, died today at his home here. His death leaves a vacancy in the board of managers of the Delaware, Lackawanna & Western Railroad. Mr. Fahnestock was born in Harrisburg, Pa., 79 years ago.

BUILDERS AND DESIGNERS OF FLOATS TO BE USED IN FESTIVAL ELECTRICAL PARADE.



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SHOW PLANS READY

Programme for Peninsula Rose Exhibit Made.

BABIES ATTRACT NOTICE

Eugenics Contest to Have Many Entries, With Plenty of Nurses and Doctors to Care for Them During Exhibit.



Pierre Traglio

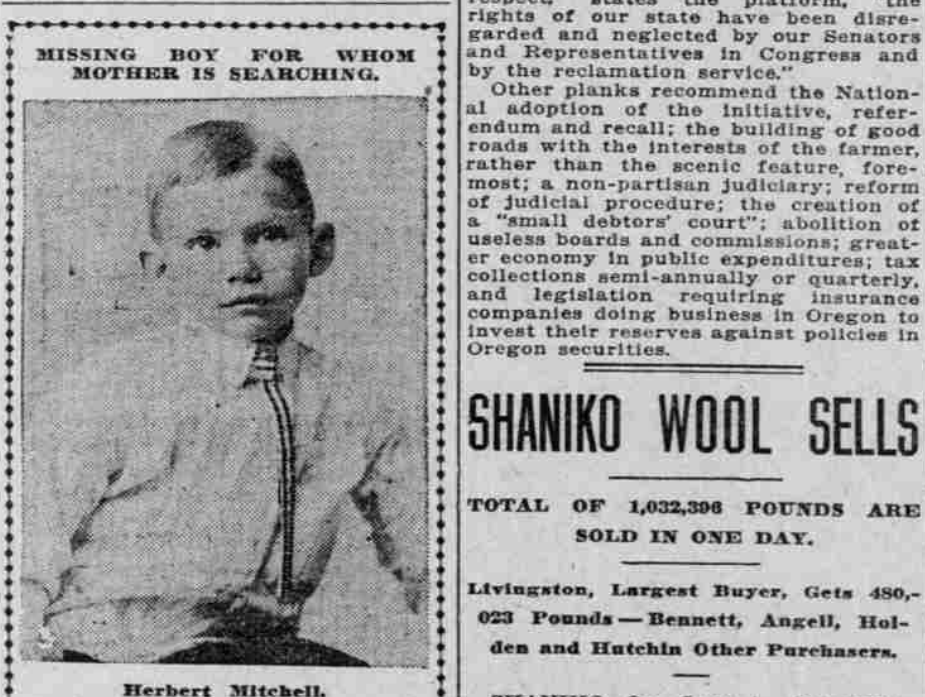
The Peninsula rose show and attendant features will be held in Peninsula Park June 9 and 10. June 9 the programme will start at 9 A. M., at which time the eugenics contest will begin. Dr. Mary V. Madigan in charge, and continue until 4 P. M. It will be held in the Peninsula Park recreation building. A number of assistant physicians and nurses will take care of the babies. The champion boy and girl each will receive a bronze medal awarded by the Woman's Home Companion. They will also be entered in the better baby contest at the State Fair by the ladies' auxiliary of the North Portland Commercial Club.

From 12 to 2 P. M. the roses and exhibits in the booths and tables south of the sunken gardens will be judged. Fifty-two prizes are to be awarded. One extra booth is being built from which roses will be distributed by young women to strangers visiting the park.

Programme Opens at 2 P. M.

From 2 to 3 P. M. the formal opening of the Peninsula rose show will be held. The programme will be: Selection by the official Rose Festival Band, welcome address in behalf of Peninsula Park rose show committee, E. M. Orth, president North Portland Commercial Club; welcome in behalf of the city, Mayor H. E. Albee; welcome in behalf of the women, Mrs. G. E. Lawrence, president ladies' auxiliary of the North Portland Commercial Club; band concert by the Portland Municipal Band and official Rose Festival Band. At 4 P. M.—Rose dance by children from the Peninsula, Washington, Kenilworth, Columbia, Sellwood and Brook-

MISSING BOY FOR WHOM MOTHER IS SEARCHING.



Herbert Mitchell.

Mrs. M. A. Mitchell, of Lucetta Court, is anxious to find her 11-year-old son, Herbert, who left home last Sunday. She describes the boy as about four feet high, inches tall, weighing about 70 pounds, with light brown hair and gray eyes. One of his front teeth is crowned with gold. He wore a brown and white striped suit, a brown felt hat and a red and yellow striped tie.

lyn parks and women of the Multnomah Club, under the direction of J. Lee Thompson, superintendent of playgrounds, assisted by Miss Degermark.

At 8 P. M.—Open air concert by the chorus of 100 voices under the direction of Rev. D. V. Poling, with the following programmes: "Beautiful W. J. Amette," "Song of the Vikings," "Hail Smiling Morn," "The Miller's Wooing," "Good Night, Beloved."

At 10 P. M.—Rose exhibits opened for inspection during the day; 8 P. M. band concert; 9 P. M. grand illumination of the sunken gardens.

3200 Lights Are Used. Wires have been stretched for the illumination of the park surrounding the sunken gardens. More than 3200 colored lights will be used. A searchlight will play. All concerts will be held in the open air. Business men have arranged to decorate Killingsworth and Albina avenues, the entrance to the park and the grandstands.

District rose exhibits will be placed in the 12 booths now being built, and will be under the supervision of separate neighborhood committees of women. Competitive rose exhibits will be placed on the table under canvas south of the sunken gardens.

The East Side Business Men's Club has completed arrangements for a Rose Festival ball to be given June 9 in the hall of Multnomah Camp No. 77, Wood-

CORONER TO PROBE WATERFRONT FIRE

Why Men Were Cut Off and Why They Drowned Are Two Answers Sought.

ORIGIN STILL IN DISPUTE

First Estimated \$200,000 Loss Corroborated by Door and Dock Companies—Insurance Is About \$75,000.

The origin of the fire Wednesday, which destroyed the Northwest Door Company's factory, at Albina avenue and River street, which damaged the Irving dock and about 700 tons of grain and resulted in the death of William Sterling, 705 Second street, and Alex Balogh, of Orenco, will be investigated by a coroner's jury, according to Deputy Coroner J. J. Dunning. Why the men were unable to escape from the mill without jumping into the river, and why they were not rescued from the water will be another subject of investigation, Mr. Dunning says.

The total loss is estimated at about \$200,000. This is covered by about \$75,000 insurance.

The Northwest Door Company was the principal loser. Oscar Banta, secretary of this company, estimated the company's loss yesterday at about \$150,000, with about \$50,000 insurance.

M. H. Houser, lessee of the Irving dock, yesterday estimated the dock loss at about \$25,000, fully covered by insurance, divided between about 40 companies. He estimated the damage to the dock and its machinery at about \$15,000. The grain loss, he thought, is \$10,000.

The Stevenson Company, 234 Front street, lost about \$2000 worth of quana wood, which is used to make a spruce for hops. About 40,000 pounds of this wood, which sells at 5 cents a pound wholesale, was piled about 100 feet from the Northwest Door company's mill. Firemen mistook it for ordinary wood and made no special effort to save it. Three years ago this kind of wood sold for 17 cents a pound.

Other losers were about 40 residents of Lower Albina, whose homes suffered slight damage from the fire. The Albina Fuel Company, the Portland Railway, Light & Power Company, the Southern Pacific Railroad Company, the Edgemoor Fuel Company and the Montgomery estate.

Opinions as to the cause of the fire still are conflicting. "I do not think the fire started from the Columbia dock," said M. H. Houser. "Of course, am not in a position to make a definite statement, but I have talked with a number of persons who were around there at the time. There is a possibility that the fire was started by a spark from the Columbia dock, but I do not think so."

"Columbia Dock" Still Installed. Oscar Banta holds the opposite opinion.

"I am satisfied that the fire was started by a spark from the Columbia dock," said Mr. Banta. "I do not know whether we have caused for action against the Lewis estate or not. We have had no time to discuss such matters. However, I do not think any action will be taken."

An echo of the fire was heard in the Police Court yesterday morning. John P. Dillon was arrested at the scene of the fire by Sergeant Harms for refusing to "move on." Harms testified that the man picked up a rock, with the evident intention of making a fight. Judge Stevens fined Dillon \$10. The fine was increased to \$25 when Dillon made vociferous objections. Dillon says he will appeal.

William Gabel, 14 years old, broke his arm when he stumbled over a fallen wire on Williams street while running to the fire. He was taken to the Good Samaritan Hospital.

Fire Chief Dowell, who dislocated his elbow at the fire, is recovering fast at the St. Vincent's Hospital. His injuries were not serious.

PRESIDENT AT ANNAPOLIS

Diplomas to Be Given Graduates at Naval Academy Today.

WASHINGTON, June 4.—President Wilson and Secretary Daniels boarded the Presidential train at 10 o'clock today and left for Annapolis to attend the graduation exercises tomorrow at the naval academy.

The Mayflower is fitted with wireless, and, if necessary, the President may be informed en route of any important developments in the Mexican situation. The President will present the diplomas to the graduates at Annapolis and probably will make a brief address.

Tabor Heights Club to Meet.

The Tabor Heights Improvement Club will hold a special meeting tonight at its clubroom at Sixty-ninth and Belmont streets at 8 o'clock, when the working of the Sommers system will be explained.

The following purchases were made by Livingston: Thomas Brogan, 50,336 at 19 1/2%; L. L. Jones, 44,413 at 18 1/2%; D. T. McRae, 20,916 at 18%; McRae estate, 21,931 at 17%; E. McLennan, 77,063 at 18%; M. Osborne, 10,909 at 17%; W. R. Keeton, 446 at 17%; Patjens, 39,720 at 16 1/2%; J. W. Fisher, 40,843 at 20%; R. R. Hinton, 70,832 at 19%; T. S. Hamilton, 47,739 at 18 1/2%; J. E. Asher, 16,511 at 16 1/2%; W. G. Asher, 16,555 at 17%; Wallace Faragher, 21,709 at 18 1/2%.

The following purchases were made by Bennett: Hilton & Burgess, 65,575 at 18%; Bridge Creek Stock Ranch, 25,588 at 19 1/2%; M. J. Finlayson, 45,783 at 17%; Alex McLennan, 15,943 at 17%; Malone Estate, 23,446 at 17%; A. C. Benton, 6458 at 17 1/2%; M. M. Deer, 2295 at 19; B. P. Woodard, 5194 at 17 1/2%; Donald McKay, 12,174 at 17%; Wharton Brothers, 23,754 at 17%; Tom Fitzgerald, 15,083 at 19 1/2%.

The following were made by Angell: R. Rosenbaum, 10,885 at 17%; N. C. Shown, 12,777 at 19; P. D. Baker, 10,382 at 19%; J. McLennan, 16,235 at 17%; J. E. Hinton, 40,244 at 19%; F. Knox, 16,790 at 17%; A. J. Conroy, 15,322 at 19%; S. P. Davis, 9987 at 17%; J. Kaser, 33,774 at 19%; H. C. Roper, 28,000 at 19%; R. W. Johnston, 13,000 at 18 1/2%.

The following were made by Hutchins: J. Karlon, 18,355 at 17 1/2%; James Base, 6336 at 15%.

The following were made by Holden: E. C. Brock, 17,010 at 18 1/2%.

Advertisement for S. S. Bear Big 3 Bear Rose City. Includes text: 'Sells 9 A. M. June 6, for SAN FRANCISCO LOS ANGELES' and a list of agents and prices.

Advertisement for 'Rheumatism No More' medicine. Includes text: 'Compounded by E. P. DAVIS, Louisville, Mo. For sale by all druggists.'

Large advertisement for 'The Wall Flower' and 'Ball Flower' music. Includes an illustration of a man sitting at a desk, text about 'The old saying is REVERSED nowadays', and the logo for 'The Wiley B. Allen Co. ESTABLISHED 1873'.

Troutdale Man and Youth Held. Claud Coons and Allan Tiller were brought from Troutdale by Sheriff Word late Wednesday night and lodged in the County Jail. Coons is charged with selling liquor to minors. Coons and Tiller were captured on an island in the Columbia River about two miles above Troutdale, where they were fishing and camping. Tiller is 18 years old. It is said that Coons had been in the habit of drinking whisky at the camp and giving it to Tiller. It is only two months since he was discharged from the rockpile for a similar charge. Pool Sold at Seilo. ALBANY, Or., June 4.—A wool pool of approximately 30,000 pounds was sold at Seilo today to M. Sanders & Co., of Albany, at 22 1/2 cents a pound.

Advertisement for 'Rose Festival Oregonians' magazine. Includes text: 'Will be the most interesting and complete issues ever published. You will want to send these copies to your friends.' and a subscription form with fields for Name, Street, Town, State.