

CHRISTMAS CHEER ALL YEAR, IS AIM

In Making 1914 Appeal Associated Charities Says 'Don't Stop at Single Day.'

NEED GREATER THAN EVER

Scope of Work Last Year Is Shown and Hope Expressed That Compassion for Unfortunate Will Open Purses Strings Wider.

CONTRIBUTIONS TO ASSOCIATED CHARITIES CHRISTMAS FUND.

Donations of money for the fund may be sent to V. R. Manning, secretary of the Associated Charities, 411 Commercial block; to R. S. Howard, treasurer of Associated Charities, Ladd & Tilton Bank, or to The Oregonian.

Donations of clothing, groceries, etc., should go to the headquarters of the Associated Charities, 411 Commercial block.

To catch the glow of love for humanity that flames so strong in the Christmas season, and to conserve it so that its radiance may shine down to cheer and glorify the homes of hundreds of the poor through all the 364 days until another Christmas—this is the plan.

The Associated Charities is beginning to raise its third consecutive annual Christmas relief fund this week, with that aim in mind not only does the special Christmas relief fund contemplate furnishing relief and cheer for Christmas day specifically, but it aims to follow up the days succeeding Christmas with the relief for the poor and destitute that is just as necessary on other days as on Christmas day, and which humanity may forget to give, not through hardness of heart, but because of the rush of other events and interests that crowd in after the Christmas holiday season.

In 1912, a few weeks before Christmas, the Associated Charities raised its first Christmas relief fund, and the liberality with which the people of Portland responded to the call set a standard for many other cities of greater population. The total fund at the end of the holiday season had reached more than \$2000.

Post-Christmas Gifts Made.

Ladd's citizenship club, which outdressed themselves in the generosity with which they responded to the call from the Associated Charities for donations to its special Christmas relief fund. At the end of the holiday season the fund had reached a total of \$3700. On this fund additional contributions were built up by donations during the Christmas season in the year, until the Christmas relief fund in the past year represented a total donation of \$5780.12.

It means a whole lot on Christmas day to see every poor person in the city supplied with Christmas cheer and made happy for that one day at least. But the delight of the Associated Charities was in obtaining a Christmas fund that did vastly more. It was a fund that carried the generosity of the donor far past the merry rush and exuberance of the holiday season itself and made it possible for some poor family, weeks after Christmas day, when they were desperate with the hunger and need of the present moment, to receive like a blessed Christmas gift, just at the moment of greatest need, the relief and help that had been made possible by someone's Christmas donation.

Range of Activity Wide.

Here is a brief idea of what the Christmas relief fund did last year, long after the season of Christmas baskets and holiday spirit had dwindled down and the workaday season had returned.

Groceries were given to 1290 people, clothing to 1280, fuel to 130 families, rent to 102 families that otherwise would have been driven out of their homes, hospital care to 339 people, besides meals to nearly 1000 individuals in immediate need, and temporary lodging to many more.

Every penny of the Christmas relief fund went into actual relief work, and the relief work was rendered the more effective by being conducted through the Associated Charities, which has organization and machinery to make possible the most effective service. Every penny of the special Christmas relief fund collected this year will go into actual relief work, the task of carrying out the work being as heretofore carried on through the organization that already exists in the charities.

Need Greater Than Ever.

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Donations of clothing, fuel and grocery supplies are to be received also in the Christmas relief work, and notification of such donations should be sent to the Associated Charities, 411 Commercial block.

The need this season is, if anything, more pressing than ever before, and the Charities hopes, if possible, to provide an even greater Christmas relief fund than that of last year, so that the poor and destitute people of the city may be assured of "Christmas cheer, run through the year."

LAW IS AFTER TONGMEN

DISTRICT ATTORNEY TO WARN FRACTIONS WAR MUST END.

Officials to Force Deportation in Addition to Other Punishment if Fight is Renewed.

Representatives of the warring Chinese tong in Portland were warned this morning by District Attorney Evans and Deputy Ryan to keep the peace. In addition to being punished for the recent outbreak in Chinatown, the officials will threaten deportation of the ring leaders in the tong warfare if further outbreaks take place.

Representatives of the Hop Sing and the Suesy Sing tongs were notified yesterday by the District Attorney to appear this morning at the court. They will be impressed with the fact that tong wars must cease. Local members of the two tongs, peace envoys from San Francisco representing the rival organizations, attorneys for both sides and interpreters will attend the conference. All to be warned.

It is District Attorney Evans' plan to make the Chinese realize that severe punishment is in store for them if they

again break the law by engaging in gun fights in this city. Some form of bond to keep the peace probably will be required of both organizations. The gun fighters arrested following the recent shootings will have a preliminary hearing in Municipal Court tomorrow. A bench warrant was issued yesterday for the arrest of a Chinese wounded in the recent outbreak, who is believed to be Louie Hing, alias Chung Shung, who is charged with the murder of Lum Fong, March 16, 1913. Louie Hing is a member of the Hop Sing tong, and might have participated in the recent war and received a bullet wound in the leg.

Murder Charge Filled.

He was removed to the hospital for treatment, and after his recovery was held in the City Jail. The warrant issued yesterday charges murder in the first degree, and will lead to his removal to the County Jail. His identification was made by the jury.

PORTLAND MAN APPOINTED TO GEOGRAPHIC BOARD.



Lewis A. McArthur.

One of the new members of the Oregon Geographic Board appointed by Governor West is Lewis A. McArthur, of Portland. Mr. McArthur is a younger member of one of Oregon's prominent pioneer families and has an extensive library of early Oregon literature. Mr. McArthur also has a large library on geographical matters and his collection of maps is one of the most comprehensive in the Pacific Northwest. He has been particularly active in the work of completing the detailed survey of Oregon. Mr. McArthur is a brother of Congressman C. N. McArthur, of Portland.

The Oregon Geographic Board was originally appointed by Governor Chamberlain several years ago. Its purpose is to settle all questions of disputed place-names, including their spellings and applications. It is also endeavoring to secure data on the origin of Oregon names and to compile a longer history and Indian legends. Other members of the Oregon Board are Will G. Steel, of Crater Lake; Lee M. Robinson, of Pendleton; J. B. Horner, of Corvallis; J. Q. A. Bowby and E. J. Kaiser, of Astoria, and George H. Himes, of Portland.

McArthur was appointed to the board today to establish the fact that he is the long-wanted Louie Hing. His alleged victim, Lum Fong, was a member of the Hop Sing tong, with which the Hop Sings were then at war, although in the recent Chinatown shooting affray the Hop Sing organization was not involved in any way.

Louie Hing was indicted following the shooting of Lum Fong last year, but was not arrested until taken from St. Vincent's Hospital recently by Detectives Moloney and Swennes to the hospital at the City Jail upon suspicion that he was the murderer of Lum Fong.

HOME RULE IS DESIRED

PORT RICAN GOVERNOR COMES TO URGE PASSAGE OF ACT.

Complete Independence Not Asked, but People of Island Want Larger Part in Its Government.

NEW YORK, Nov. 23.—Arthur Yager, Governor of Porto Rico, arrived here today from San Juan on his way to Washington, where he is expected to be able to induce Congress to pass a new self-government act for the island.

"During the year I have been in Porto Rico as Governor," said Mr. Yager, "there has been a notable progress in the political and industrial development of the island. Notwithstanding that the Democrats, by enacting the new tariff, caused a severe injury to the economic situation, President Wilson is exceedingly popular in Porto Rico. The people are tremendously interested in some form of home rule for their little island. They confidently hope that the Government will be able to meet them in some safe and sane form."

"Sensible Porto Ricans do not as a rule desire complete independence, but they do desire and feel entitled to a larger participation in their own local government than has heretofore been given them. In this direction, the present administration of the island has made a start by appointing as new members of the executive council two native Porto Ricans, thus giving them for the first time a majority of their own people in the upper house of the legislature. These appointments have been received in the kindest way and have produced an excellent political effect."

"The regular election took place November 2. Although keenly contested almost everywhere, it was said to have been the most orderly election ever held on the island. That in itself was one of the best possible signs of the capacity of the people for self government, namely, their ability to hold peaceful, orderly, satisfactory elections and cheerfully to accept the results."

BIRDS MAY BE KILLED

Pigeons at Stockyards Thought Carriers of Diseases.

PITTSBURG, Nov. 20.—Several thousand pigeons and sparrows making their habit in Union Stockyards probably will lose their lives as a result of the foot and mouth disease epidemic. It was said by officials of the State Livestock Sanitary Board that the execution of all stockyard birds is contemplated. They are suspected of carrying contagion in their feathers.

Unmistakable Evidence of Travel.

Uncle Ezra—Eph Hoskins must have had some time down in New York. Uncle Eben—Yep. Reckon he traveled a mighty swift pace. Eph's wife said that when Eph got back and went into his room he looked at the bed, kicked it and said, "What's that darn thing for?"

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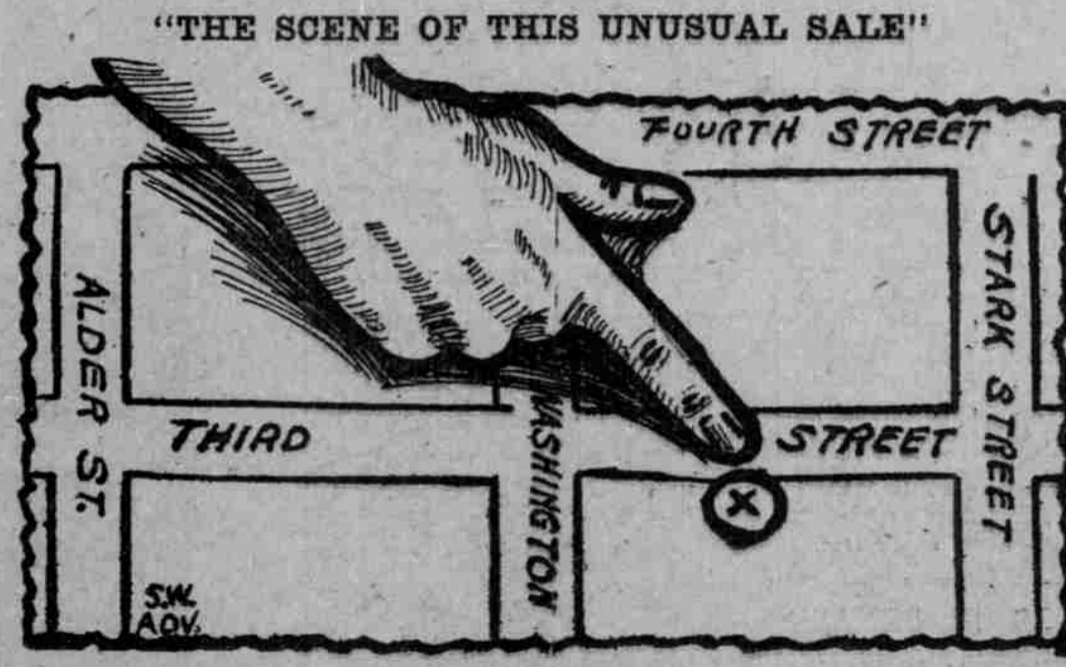
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REDISCOUNT RATE SET

RESERVE BOARD WILL MAKE NO CHANGE UNTIL SURPLUS KNOWS.

Decrease Might Cause Exportation of Gold, Which Body Will Try to Prevent.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 23.—Until the Federal Reserve Board has accurate information on the surplus reserves held by member banks, it does not expect to change the present rates for rediscount of commercial paper.

Present information indicates about \$200,000,000 of surplus reserve in the member banks in the North and East. The Board fears that a lower rate of rediscount might lead to an exportation of gold, which they don't wish at this time. Until this reserve stock has been lessened, the rates probably will be unchanged in these sections.

In the South and West, where much of the pressure for changed rates originates, the Board's information shows less surplus reserves, and it is thought that changes will be made there in the

FIRE HIRED GIRL, IS ADVICE

Professor Tells Women How to Reduce High Cost of Living.

PHILADELPHIA, Nov. 20.—"To reduce the cost of living, let every woman get back on the job, fire the hired girl and do the work herself."

This statement by Professor Scott Nearing at a meeting of the Sisterhood of Keneath Israel summed up his opinion of the economic situation as it affected middle and better-class families. Professor Nearing expressed contempt for the woman unable to do anything except "blossom and shine, and

SQUIRRELS ARE PROPHETS

Small Stores of Nuts Indicate but Mild Winter in Sight.

PITTSBURG, Nov. 20.—Weather prophets of the Lower Allegheny Valley announce that an unusually mild winter is indicated.

Their prediction is based upon the statement that squirrels are not laying up stores of nuts as is their custom, who squanders time and wastes energy to get clothes to fulfill the demands of fashion."

"To the average middle-class family," he said, "the increased cost of living means cutting the luxuries. We take the necessities of life for granted. It is keeping up with our neighbors which makes life so expensive for us. Five cents from the price of eggs or butter does not materially affect our household budget."

OREGON MAN SAYS THAT STOMACH REMEDY SAVED HIM FROM DEATH

After Treatments Failed He Found Proof in First Dose of Mayr's Remedy.

Thousands of such letters prove the merit of Mayr's Wonderful Stomach Remedy. It is known and used all over the United States. The first dose of this remedy is proof—no long treatment.

W. H. Gerrish, of Albany, Or., long suffered from general ill health as the result of stomach derangements and digestive troubles. He tried many remedies and treatments with but little result.

Then one day he discovered Mayr's Wonderful Stomach Remedy. He took it and got results right away. Long after he had been assured of the success of this remedy he writes:

"I commenced taking your medicine last May, and since then have passed thousands of accretions. If it had not been for your medicine I feel sure I would have been dead by now. I feel like a new man; my stomach troubles and my liver and nervous troubles are all considerably improved."