

ROSE FESTIVAL HAS SURPLUS OF \$2889

Managers Report 1915 Show Greatest on Record and Cost Lowest of All.

1914 DEBT OF \$1414 PAID

For Next Year, Total of \$5667 Expected to Be Available—Financial Dealings Are Detailed in Final Report to Chamber.

It required \$26,917.87 to conduct the annual Rose Festival last June, and after paying this sum and absorbing a deficit of \$1414.59 in the 1914 festival fund, the board of managers was able to report last night a surplus of \$2889.92 to apply on next year's festival.

Despite the fact that the 1915 festival has been conceded the best of the series of nine annual events, it is estimated that the cost this year was the lowest of all.

Besides the actual cash surplus of \$2889.92, the festival managers have available a balance of \$2778.05 from the fund guaranteed by the Chamber of Commerce.

After submitting a detailed financial statement of the year's transactions, the firm of Whitfield & Whitcomb, certified public accountants, who made a professional survey of the association's books, made the following comment:

From a close and continuous observation of all transactions of your association from the date of its organization to the present time, we have been impressed with the efficient and economical handling of its affairs, which factors, combined with a considerable amount of hard work by your president, secretary and board members, resulted in such unqualified success for the 1915 festival.

The 54 more or less-elvic and fraternal organizations that named the 12 governors of this year's event, to name only nine of the 12 governors.

School Representation Urged. In view of the fact that the Chamber of Commerce has guaranteed \$25,000 a year, the governing board of members' council of the Chamber should be permitted to name one member of the board of festival governors.

On account of the prominent part taken by the school children, the Portland School Board should be permitted to name one member.

Because the City of Portland has supported the enterprise liberally, the Mayor and City Commissioners should be empowered to appoint the 12th member of the board.

It is proposed, however, that on account of the Chamber of Commerce's heavy financial support, the secretary of the city bureau of the Chamber shall be the business manager of the festival.

The Chamber of Commerce has not yet acted on these suggestions, but it is understood that they will be brought up at an early meeting of the directors. The detailed report of the public accountants shows that the total receipts of the Festival Association this year from all sources were \$41,232.38, including \$434.88 net proceeds from the operation of grandstands.

Expenditures Total \$38,917.87. The total expenditures of \$38,917.87 were itemized as follows:

Table with 2 columns: Item, Amount. Includes Salaries, Office expenses, Advertising, etc.

The gross surplus on the year's transactions—not including the \$2778.05 due from the Chamber of Commerce—was \$4884.51. After paying the 1914 deficit of \$1414.59, the association has a net surplus of \$2889.92.

Besides this the association has on hand flags and bunting, received from the 1914 festival, valued at \$250, and street decorations of various kinds paid for out of this year's funds valued at \$2804.47.

Included under the item of "city beautiful competition" is an expenditure of \$700, which has not yet been paid, but which is to be awarded on decisions of judges yet to be made.

This item, however, already is charged against funds of the association, so that the net surplus remains \$2889.92.

same position as an old school teacher I used to have. He used to say, 'I can either beat you or not beat you, just as I please.' Now, I can either try this case or not try it, and I'm not going to try it. I don't think you should be too quick to foreclose."

LAW AIMS AT "SPOTTERS"

Mr. Dieck's Measure to License Chimneysweeps Before Council.

Outing of burglars and sneak thieves who "spot" houses by getting work as chimneysweeps is the purpose of the proposed new license ordinance, aimed at the chimneysweep business, according to City Commissioner Biggerlow, author of the proposed measure which is now before the Council. He

KNIGHTS TEMPLAR DRILL TEAM CAPTAIN ENTERED IN CONCLAVE.



Dr. Sard Weist, U. S. A.

The Washington Commandery, No. 15, Knights Templar of Portland will contest for the drill banner at the annual conclave which opens in Portland September 23. Dr. Sard Weist, United States Army, is captain of the team which is preparing to give the other contestants a keen race for first honors.

The conclave contest will bring out a large and picturesque array of drill teams and the contest promises to be an auspicious event in the conclave programme.

The measure is favored by the majority of permanent chimneysweep concerns of the city.

The measure requires the chimneysweep to get three property owners to certify to his good moral character, must pass an examination given by the fire marshal; must pay a license fee of \$5 a year and must wear a badge.

NOTED ROSEGROWER HERE

Indiana Expert Advises Heavier Pruning and Lauds Portland.

E. G. Hill, a celebrated rose grower of Richmond, Ind., originator of the famous Richmond rose, visited Portland yesterday. It was his first trip to Portland in 12 years.

"I have only one suggestion to make to Portland rose growers," he said. "Although there are many people here who understand every feature of rose culture, a great many bushes could be improved by heavier pruning."

"Rose growers all over the East know of Portland's roses growing on the one called 'the something that is seen nowhere else.'"

SUPERFLUOUS HAIR REMOVERS ARE DANGEROUS

Don't Use Poisonous So-Called Superfluous Hair Removers.

You may escape permanent injury if you use so-called hair removers, but you cannot escape an increased growth because after each removal the hair is bound to grow out more bristly and time it will become so coarse that nothing will remove it but a razor.

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Advertisement for Sale Extraordinary! 1200 Sample Sweaters At Manufacturer's Cost. Wool Sweaters for Women and Misses, Wool Sweaters for Girls and Children, Wool Sweaters for Men and Boys.

Advertisement for Boys' \$5 Suits \$1.98. Basement—100 BOYS' SUITS to be closed out in one day at above price.

Advertisement for Men's \$1 Shirts. 63c Men's \$1.50 Union Suits 89c. Basement—Prudent men will profit by this sale and buy shirts enough to last them throughout the winter.

Advertisement for Children's Fall Coats \$12.50 \$5.45 Grades. Basement—Children's School Coats in latest Fall and Winter styles at practically HALF PRICE!

Advertisement for Fairy Pajamas At 63c. Basement—Give your child comfort with the one-piece Pajamas. No strings to tighten or come loose.

Advertisement for \$1.50 Longcloth 12-Yd. 98c 12 1/2c Outing Flannels 9c Yard. Basement—Fine grade English Longcloth put up in 12 yards to the piece.

Advertisement for Girls' Rain Capes \$1.29. Sizes for Girls 6 to 14 Years. Basement—Only 200 of these Rain Capes to go at above price.

Advertisement for Great Sale Black Silks 98c. 36-Inch Taffetas, Faille, Duchesse, Peau de Soie and Pekin Stripes at. Basement—For dresses, waists, petticoats, linings and countless other uses Black Silks are decidedly the vogue.

Advertisement for 300 Women's New Fall Coats In a Remarkable One-Day Sale. Manufacturer's Sample Coats and Duplicates for Fall and Winter season 1915-16, purchased at about 1/2 maker's cost of production.

Advertisement for \$1.00 Fancy Silks at 59c Yard. New Designs and Colorings. Basement—Silks of dollar quality at 59c a yard—a clear saving of 41c for every yard you buy here today.

Advertisement for Women's Knit Underwear. Specials. On Sale Center Circle First Floor. Women's Fall and Winter-weight Underwear in several of America's best makes on sale today at these big reductions.

Advertisement for 52-in Wool Broadcloths 98c Yd. 50c Silk Poppins 39c. Basement—Broadcloth, the fabric de luxe for Fall and Winter suits, coats and skirts.

Advertisement for Bargain Circle 1st Floor. Notions and Small Wares At Reduced Prices. Supply Your Fall Sewing Needs Now and Save.

Advertisement for Sale of Dinner Sets. WHITE SEMI-PORCELAIN DINNER SETS in fancy shapes, offered at special low prices.

Advertisement for Kleinert's Dress Shields For Less. Ask the demonstrator to show you the correct Shields for your new Fall dress.

COOL OFF, ADVISES JUDGE

Foreclosure Action Is Deemed Too Hasty and Trial Is Refused.

"You people are too hot-headed, too impulsive. You should drink ice water," was the advice of Circuit Judge McGinn to some litigants yesterday morning.

S. Barbagellata had sued R. C. Busse and others to foreclose a \$1200 mortgage. Judge McGinn didn't think Busse had had enough time in which to pay.

"I'm going to pay this case over for a while. Give them time to pay up," said the judge.

"If courts decide like this, what will become of the credit business of the country?" protested Albert Ferrera, attorney for Barbagellata.

"Well," replied the judge, "I'm in the