

MOTHERS GOVERN, THEY ARE DEFENDED

Vives Blamed for Unhappy Homes and Divorce Is Declared Better Than War.

CHILD WORK REVIEWED

Governor Explains That Preparedness Does Not Mean Military Spirit Is Aroused and Spleen for Training in Schools.

CORVALLIS, Or., Oct. 20.—(Special)—The Oregon Congress of Mothers and Parent-Teacher Association began their annual convention today with 100 visiting delegates and a like number of Corvallis women.

Presiding at 10 o'clock Mrs. Aristene V. Felts, president, called the convention to order. After an organ solo, Dr. Anna Louise Strong, of Washington, D. C., addressed the convention on "Children's Interest as Shown in Junior Expositions." Other papers of the afternoon session were a digest of Oregon "Widows' Pension Law" by Mrs. R. E. Bondurant, of Portland, and "Moral Character as the Foundation of Character," by Judge T. J. Cleeton, of Portland. Discussions followed the papers read.

The session of the afternoon was a defense of the men, made by Mrs. Millie Trumbull, one of the delegates, following Judge Cleeton's address.

Wives Blamed for Poor Homes.—She said the daughters are not taught home-making, that half of the girls who seek work consider themselves above going housework, and that fully half of the shiftless homes are due to bad wives. "Better a divorce than scrapping parents," she said.

Others followed Mrs. Trumbull in defense of the men. Mrs. Bondurant, in her discourse on the widows' pension law, said there are 25 states that have a widow's pension law. Of that number Oregon was the first and New York's was the most recent enacted.

Of the money devoted to the widows' pensions, Illinois spent \$200,000 in the past year, while Multnomah County, Oregon, has spent \$32,000 this year and all counties of the state, except Gilliam and Marion, have responded in proportion. Two hundred Oregon children have had free schoolbooks, a like number have had their teeth attended to, and 130 have had adenoids and tonsils removed. There are now 559 applicants for help, she said.

Domestic Relations Court Wounded. Judge Cleeton was the principal speaker of the afternoon session. He advocated a change in the divorce laws so that parents seeking separation shall be required to provide for the care and education of their children before the divorce is granted.

"Stepfathers," he said, "should be required by law to support the children of the women they marry, as they do their own." He discussed the juvenile court and condemned its narrowness in influence. He said it should be made a court of domestic relations, with an elected head. He advocated the creation of a bureau of which every schoolteacher is a member, and, thereby, he said, making it broad in its effect. He said that a juvenile court should be educational rather than punitive.

President Gives Address. The principal address at the night session was the annual address of the president, Mrs. Aristene Felts, of Portland. Other speakers were Governor Withycombe; President W. J. Kerr, of the Oregon Agricultural College; Mrs. Edward B. Fitts, president of the Corvallis Parent-Teachers' Council; Superintendent R. W. Kirk, of the city schools; Dr. J. R. N. Bell, president of the Corvallis Board of Education, welcomed the delegates; Mrs. H. H. Tate, Mrs. Alva Lee Stephens and Mrs. J. C. Elliott King made responses.

Mrs. Stephens, president of the executive board of the Oregon Mothers' Congress and Parent-Teachers' Association, presented a pearl sunburst to the president of the organization. In presenting the token of esteem Mrs. Stephens recited an original poem.

Governor Explains Preparedness. Governor Withycombe, in welcoming the convention, congratulated the women on the splendid educational work they are doing, and said he considers their work has had its part, and will have more to do with the moral and educational development of the state.

The Governor spoke also of preparedness and its effect on the mothers that military drill in the schools does not mean militarism. He explained the difference between militarism and preparedness, and said military drills mean better citizenship.

The Corvallis ladies were the recipients of much unstinted praise for the hospitality they accorded the visitors.

Election of Officers Today. Automobiles met the delegates at the train, took them to the Presbyterian church, where the Mayor and Mayor held and there assigned the delegates to the homes of Corvallis families, where they will be guests during their stay in the city.

Election of officers takes place at the session tomorrow morning. Mrs. George W. McMann is the only candidate for president so far. The race and it is believed there will be no contest.

Tomorrow afternoon a number of papers on the work of the Congress will be read and at night the visitors will be the guests of the Corvallis Commercial Club at a reception.

ELK INCLOSURE INSPECTED

Game Commissioner Reports Herd in Wallowa Evidently Intact.

Marion Jack, a member of the State Fish and Game Commission, who was sent to Eastern Oregon to make a report on the condition of the elk pasture controlled by the state officials, reports to State Game Warden Shonover that the inclosure does not need extensive improving and that the elk had not escaped the winter, and although there were elk in the vicinity of the inclosure, they were undoubtedly native and not part of the herd imported from other states by William L. Finley a few years ago.

Mr. Jack stated that there were several calves in the state herd that would need care during the winter, and provision will be made by the state officials to buy feed.

Uncle 'Billy' Green Dies at Roseburg

ROSEBURG, Or., Oct. 20.—(Special)—Uncle "Billy" Green, aged 83, died at the Oregon Soldiers' Home here today, after an illness of three weeks. Mr. Green is survived by relatives living in West Virginia, California and Wisconsin.

Japanese banks recently lowered interest rates.

SOME PROMINENT FIGURES IN OREGON CONGRESS OF MOTHERS AT CORVALLIS.



(1) Mrs. Aristene Felts, President. (2) Mrs. W. J. Kerr, who will preside at Afternoon Session Today. (3) Mrs. Alva Lee Stephens, who will speak on "Juvenile Court Work" Today. (4) Mrs. Lewis Wilson, of Corvallis Reception Committee.

TENNIS PLAY FATAL

W. B. Hall, Head of Washington Blind School, Drops Dead.

EASY GAME BEING PLAYED

Vancouver Educator Gives No Indication of Illness and Is About to Serve When He Drops Dead.

Heart Trouble Is Cause.

VANCOUVER, Wash., Oct. 20.—(Special)—Professor W. B. Hall, aged 50, superintendent of the Washington School for the Blind, today dropped dead while playing a game of tennis. Heart failure was the cause.

Mr. and Mrs. Hall, in company with Rev. and Mrs. H. S. Templeton, called at the home of Donald MacMaster, and about 8 o'clock Mr. Hall, who has played tennis for several years, suggested to Mr. Templeton that he accept a challenge for a game. The singles match was played, and when Mr. MacMaster and Hugh Parcel appeared at the courts doubles were suggested.

The third game had been played and Mr. Hall had served twice when he walked toward the netting at the end of the court, and without a word to his partner or opponents in the match, fell to the ground with racket and balls in his hands. Mr. Templeton said later that Mr. Hall, though he won the high returns, nor had he served as hard as his custom, but he did not complain to anyone of feeling ill.

Mr. Hall was a native of Nova Scotia, but early in life became a resident of the Swains, where he received his education, finishing at the Kansas Normal School. Soon after his graduation he became the head of a normal school for the state, and later was made superintendent of the Kansas State School for the Blind, from which position he came to the Vancouver work in September, 1912.

Mr. Hall is survived by a widow, one daughter, Charlotte, and two sons, Andrew and Willard. He was captain-general of the Knights Templar, Vancouver Commandery No. 10. No funeral arrangements yet have been made.

PERSONAL MENTION.

S. Hirsch, of Seattle, is at the Carlton. J. A. Gass, of Seattle, is at the Oregon. A. G. Wilhelm, of Seattle, is at the Seward. O. Q. Jennings, of Roseburg, is at the Seward. J. A. Wakefield, of Seattle, is at the Carlton. M. M. Gibbons, of Seattle, is at the Oregon. W. P. Gordon, of Spokane, is at the Carlton. E. D. Frock, of Seattle, is at the Carlton. J. M. Baker, of Cornucopia, is at the Portland. E. E. Stone, of Medford, is at the Imperial. Ralph Chatham, of Seattle, is at the Portland. T. C. Stockwell, of Dallas, is at the Imperial. H. M. Crooks, of Albany, is at the Cornucopia. E. F. Reeves, of Mosier, is at the Multnomah. R. S. Torrington, of Salem, is at the Multnomah. J. L. Hanna, of Independence, is at the Seward. A. B. Packard, of Independence, is at the Perkins. J. L. Makernon, of La Grande, is at the Imperial. James E. Hackett, of Pendleton, is at the Perkins. J. D. Shedd, of Shedd, is registered at the Perkins. N. F. Haas, of Astoria, is registered at the Oregon. S. Henson, of Newberg, is registered at the Multnomah. Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Flavel, of Astoria, are at the Portland. T. S. Billensley, of Salem, is registered at the Seward. Mrs. J. P. Pape and Mrs. L. C. David-

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Millions of men and women now eat their favorite foods without fear—they know Pape's Diapepsin will save them from any stomach misery.

Please, for your sake, get a large 50-cent case of Pape's Diapepsin from any druggist and put your stomach right. Don't keep trying miserable pills—life is too short—you are not here long, so make your stay agreeable. Eat your food and digest it; enjoy it, without dread of rebellion in the stomach.

Pape's Diapepsin belongs in your home anyway. Should one of the family eat something which don't agree with them, or in case of an attack of indigestion, dyspepsia, gastritis or stomach derangement at daytime or during the night, it is handy to give the quickest, surest relief known.—Adv.

entrants finished with the first 40 out of more than 700. They were Sergeant L. C. Tennis, of Cottage Grove; Lieutenant O. A. Stevens, of Portland; Sergeant Steve Pearson, of Roseburg; and Ensign L. S. Spooner, of the Oregon Naval Militia of Portland.

NATIONAL SOCIETY AIDS

FATHER SCHOENER TO BE HELPED IN RECOVERING FROM LOSS.

Rose Cultivation Organization Offers to Lend Hand in Establishing Plant Wizard in Portland.

The National Rose Society, in recognition of the ability of Father Schoener and his wife in planting life, has written promising to offer him assistance to repair his recent losses in the fire at Brooks and to have him established on an experiment farm in Portland. The letter was received by J. A. Curry yesterday from Robert Pyle, vice-president of the society.

The society has sent letters to its members setting forth the condition and urging them to contribute to the help of their fellow-craftsmen who has met with misfortune and to send contributions to Philadelphia to the offices of the society.

Father Schoener is expected to arrive in Portland tomorrow morning and confer with the Chamber of Commerce on the plans that have been made for bringing him to the city and securing his discoveries to the State of Oregon permanently.

FEDERAL WRIT THREAT

OREGON CITY JITNEYMEN PROMISE SUIT TO CHECK COUNCIL.

Drivers Allege Regulations Deprive Them of Constitutional Rights to Earn Living With Care.

OREGON CITY, Or., Oct. 20.—(Special)—"I'm not driving a jitney. I was hired to come here by these five men," A. E. Cumins told Chief of Police Shaw today when the officer accosted the driver on his arrival. Cumins had no jitney signs on his car, and argued that the five men had chartered the machine and directed him to come to Oregon City. Cumins was released after Chief of Police Shaw explained the new regulations laid down by the Council.

Cumins declared today that attorneys for the Portland association of jitney-men are preparing to institute an action in the Federal Court for a temporary injunction, which would be served on local authorities tomorrow morning. He said that the jitney-men would allege that their constitutional rights had been violated, inasmuch as they had been deprived of their method of earning a living by the restrictions of the City Council. He said that all the drivers had contributed to a fund to fight the case.

In dismissing an appeal from the Federal court in Portland in the case of John L. Bisher, Jr., against the Cornucopia Mines Company of Oregon the Supreme Court of the United States has laid down the law that a judgment for injuries sustained by a man against property, which takes precedence in time and is superior in right to a mortgage, even though the injury complained of was suffered after the sale to the trustee for the bondholders under a foreclosure decree.

Charles A. Johns, attorney for Bisher, who recovered judgment for \$12,500 in Federal Court a few years ago, yesterday received word of the dismissal of the appeal by the Supreme Court, which thereby affirms the judgment of Judge Wolverton, of the local Federal Court and the judgment of the United States Circuit Court of Appeals at San Francisco, which sustained Judge Wolverton. Mr. Johns states that the decision sets a precedent in law.

In December, 1911, the Hamilton Trust Company, of New York, trustee for bondholders, took a decree of foreclosure on the property of the Cornucopia Mines Company, in Baker County, to satisfy principal and interest on \$600,000 worth of bonds, which the company had issued in 1905. Robert M. Betts was appointed receiver, and continued operating the property in the interests of the bondholders. While in his employ young Bisher was badly injured and sued to recover, getting judgment for \$12,500.

Pending appeal, attorneys for Bisher filed a bill of intervention in the original foreclosure suit, asking that the judgment be made a lien against the actual property prior to that of the mortgage. After trial Judge Wolverton granted this demand and ordered the property to be sold to satisfy the amount of Bisher's judgment. This is the decision affirmed yesterday.

HONORS WIDELY SOUGHT

SERGEANT PEARSON, OF OREGON, VICTOR OVER 755 RIFLEMEN.

Lieutenant O. A. Stevens, of Portland, Snatches Third Place in Rapid-Fire Matches.

Sergeant Steve Pearson, First Artillery, Oregon National Guard, and a resident of Roseburg, who stood third in the National individual matches that were held on the rifle range at Jacksonville, Fla., was one of 156 entrants in the match, and all the best shots in the regular Army, Navy, Marine Corps, military and naval academies were entered, besides many civilians. As a result of his prowess, Sergeant Pearson receives a gold medal and \$50 cash.

A report of Sergeant Pearson's achievement was made in the Oregonian yesterday, but no official confirmation came until a telegram from Captain Buchanan reached Adjutant-General George A. White.

Sergeant Pearson's score was 314 out of a possible 325, and he was beaten by only one point, two men, one of them from the Marine Corps, tying in their scores with 315 points each. The ranges at which the shots were fired were 200 and 300 yards, rapid-fire, with ten shots for record, and 200, 300, 400 and 1000 yards, slow-fire, with 15 shots for record.

Sergeant Pearson's feat marks the first time that such an honor has come to an Oregon Guardsman.

In the rapid-fire matches another Oregon entrant, Lieutenant O. A. Stevens, of Portland, ran off third out of more than 700 entrants. His score was 492 out of a possible 500. The scores in this event broke the world's record up to the 1913 match. He receives a cash prize.

In the President's match four Oregon



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Stewing the Sponge

Coffee may be likened unto a sponge saturated with honey, the "honey," or very essence of coffee, being the volatile oils; the "sponge," or fiber, being merely the container. It is this fiber or "grounds" which carries the tannin and caffeine, and therefore the boiling of coffee brings out the heaviest proportion of these properties.

The mistaken argument of economy in favor of boiling is proven by the fact that it does not produce more "honey," but simply brings out bitterness, caffeine and tannin. The problem, then, of proper coffee making is to first get a coffee that contains the most "honey," and then to extract the "honey" without stewing the "sponge." The simplest, easiest and most effective method will appear over my signature in this paper tomorrow.

Incidentally it should be remembered that a pound of high-grade 40-cent coffee will produce from 38 to 40 smooth, rich and delicious cups, a cost of 1 cent per cup—the cheapest and best enjoyed article on one's table—providing it is fresh roasted and properly brewed.

Its efficiency decreases in twofold ratio with each cent that you pay under 40 cents per pound; as for example, at the rate of 20 cents per pound, less than a dozen cups may be secured by the "honey-extracting" process, which represents a cost of about 2 cents per cup.

Moral—Get your coffee fresh roasted; and to secure highest efficiency in the cup at the lowest cost, DO NOT PAY LESS THAN 40 CENTS PER POUND.

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