PATRIOTIC COUNCIL NOW STATE AGENCY

Body Is Designated by Governor Withycombe to Direct Relief Work.

ORIGINAL PLANS CHANGED

Executive Committee of 12 to Be Appointed--Headquarters Opened in Chamber--D. A. R. and Other Bodies Active.

The Patriotic Council of Oregon, whose tentative formation is under way under the auspices of the Daughters of the American Revolution, the Chamber of Commerce and other civic organizations of the city and state, was designated yesterday by Governor Withycombe as the official agency of the state for the collection and administration of funds for the care and relief of families of enlisted men of the state.

The committee of three, consisting of E. L. Thompson, C. F. Berg and Mrs. C. S. Jackson, which was named Tuesday to work out plans for organization of the council, will hold a session at noon today.

The designation of the council by the Governor as the official state agency was accompanied by an outline of a general plan which will affect the steps that will be taken in organizing.

A. L. Mills Is Chairman.

Governor Withycombe announced that he would name an executive committee of 12, six to be appointed from Portland and six from the state at large.

A. L. Mills, president of the First National Bank, was named chairman, and the following members have been designated on the committee already by the Governor: Mrs. J. B. Montgomery, Mrs. C. S. Jackson, both from the Daughters of the American Revolution; E. L. Thompson and General Charles F. Beebe. The remaining members of the executive committee will be named by the Governor as soon as they can be selected.

Headquarters for the Patriotic Council will be available in the offices of the civic bureau of the Chamber of Commerce, according to the announcement yesterday of Jacob Kanzler, secretary of the bureau.

Pledges and contributions came in steadily at the headquarters of the Daughters of the American Revolution at 616 Journal building yesterday. The receipts up to the present time are $220 paid in and pledges which represent a considerably larger amount.

Comfort Kits Being Made.

Reports on the names and addresses and the condition of the families dependent upon enlisted men are being received and tabulated by the Daughters of the American Revolution committee, and the relief work is already going forward.

Members of the Portland War Relief Association who have been working on bandages and other supplies for European soldiers have turned their services to the manufacture of comfort kits for the soldiers enlisted for Mexico.

The Eastern Outfitting Company yesterday donated material enough to make 500 of these kits. Another sewing tea will be held by the women of Alexandra Court today, and a large number of new kits will be completed at this time. Information as to the work in this line can be secured from Mrs. J. V. Beach, at the Alexandra Court.

More Pledges Are Urged.

The executive committee in charge of the receipt of pledges and contributions will meet at the headquarters at the Journal building tomorrow morning at 10 o'clock, and hopes at that time to be able to report a substantial monthly income. More pledges are needed.

Donations and pledges were received yesterday from the following men and women:

Edwin Caswell, Mrs. J. H. Bagley, L. E. Amos, William Denby, Mrs. T. C. Harty, Leon Cohen, of Pendleton; Olive J. Guy, Mrs. H. M. Van Deurs, Mrs. George C. Dickey, of Hillsdale; D. Solis Cohen, Mrs. B. F. Martin, D. Clossner, D. K. Butler, Mrs. C. B. Nettleton, Mrs. H. H. Clark, Catherine Davis, C. D. Brunn, Mrs. H. P. McNary, Mrs. Almeda Johnson.

TWO SPEEDERS ARE FINED

W. K. Botsford and A. Serr Pay $50 Each Upon Pleading Guilty.

W. K. Botsford and Arthur Serr, who were in an automobile accident May 1, in which 13-year-old Esther Lindberg was injured seriously, were fined $50 each by District Judge Dayton yesterday for speeding, and three other charges brought against them were dismissed at the motion of Deputy District Attorney Mowry.

Botsford and Serr both pleaded guilty. Judge Dayton was lenient—though the fine was the maximum for speeding—in consideration of the payment of the hospital expenses of Miss Lindberg by the young men. These amounted to more than $300, and Miss Lindberg is not yet recovered. A sprained back and several broken ribs were her most serious injuries.

Serr's bond of $2500 remains in force, as he did not pay his fine yesterday. It will be cancelled upon payment of the levy.

What Does Your Food Cost? You could easily spend two dollars for a meal and not get as much real, body-building nutriment as you get in two **Shredded Wheat Biscuits,** the food that contains all the muscle-making material in the whole wheat grain prepared in a digestible form. Two Shredded Wheat Biscuits with milk or cream will make a complete, perfect meal, at a cost of not over five cents. A food for youngsters and grown-ups. Eat it for breakfast with milk or cream; eat it for luncheon with fresh berries or other fruits. Made at Niagara Falls, N. Y.

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STAMP CASE IS REOPENED

Injunction Plaintiffs Are to Be Made Defendants.

Attorney-General Brown and District Attorney Evans have filed suit in the United States District Court, making the previous plaintiffs in the trading-stamp case defendants in a new action, reopening the issue.

Originally L. I. Cottrell, Woodard, Clarke & Co., John H. Cowls, Edward McBurney, B. F. Cunningham, P. J. Peterson, C. H. Reed and Woolach prayed for an injunction preventing the Sperry & Hutchinson Company from discontinuing its trading-stamp service, which the plaintiffs had engaged.

The injunction was granted by Federal Judge Wolverton and while the case was not appealed similar decisions on cases instituted in other states were appealed to the Supreme Court of the United States and in each of these cases a reversal of the Oregon view was given, it is said. The new suit has been filed to reopen the issue and invite concurrence with the Supreme Court view.

WILL YOU HELP TO SUPPORT FAMILIES OF OREGON SOLDIERS?

The advisory board of the Daughters of the American Revolution appeal for co-operation in looking after the families of men who have responded to the call of their country, leaving their usual occupations and foregoing their regular salaries. We must have 1000 pledges of 25 cents, 50 cents, 75 cents, $1, $3 and $5 a month for three months. Fill out the blank below and send to D. A. R. patriotic headquarters, 616 Journal building, or bring pledges personally between 10 A. M. and 4 P. M. any day.

Name .....
Address .....
Amount .....

POLICE CONCERT TONIGHT

Band Will Render Patriotic Programme in Parkway.

The Portland Police Band will render a patriotic programme in the South Parkway, Park and Jefferson streets, this evening, commencing at 8.

Souvenir programmes of the annual police picnic, to be held at Estacada on Sunday, July 2, will be distributed. The programme contains much interesting information concerning the city's police bureau.

The programme to be given tonight in the South Parkway is as follows:

"Lewis and Clark Centennial March".....E. A. Barnes
"Grand American Fantasia".....Theodore Bendix
(Tone pictures of the North and South)
"In Poppyland," a novelette..Fred G. Albers
"Comin' Thro' the Rye," humoreske.....Shipley Douglas
Intermission.
"Maryland".....T. V. Short
(With variations for different instruments)
"Red, White and Blue Waltz".....Theodore M. Toban
(American airs.)
"American Patrol".....F. W. Meacham
"The Stars and Stripes Forever," march.....(Sousa)
"Star-Spangled Banner."

CHINA PHEASANTS DYING

Young Fowl Along Columbia River Destroyed by High Water.

Reports received at the office of the Fish and Game Commission indicate that young China pheasants, of the first and second Spring hatchings, are dying by the hundreds along the Columbia River. High water has been responsible for their destruction.

Deputies Clark and Lloyd, of the game department, have been working for several days to rescue the birds from their perilous locations and getting them to higher ground.

It is asserted that the birds' nests have all been destroyed, and the birds of the second Spring hatching almost entirely drowned. The birds from the first Spring hatching are able to fly.

CASES ARE DISMISSED

Unlicensed Distributors of Circulars Are Not Fined.

The cases against Gus Kuble, William La Brance, John Le Gath and George Meyers, charged with distributing circulars on the streets, were dismissed by Municipal Judge Langguth after a brief hearing yesterday morning.

The four men had left Union Hall bearing circulars advertising a meeting to be held by Margaret Sanger, on "Birth Control," at the Baker Theater. One of them passed a circular to Patrolman Mallon. Judge Langguth instructed the defendants as to the necessity of procuring a license to distribute circulars.

OREGON SCENERY STUDIED

C. L. Higley to Lecture in East After Visiting Beauty Spots.

Representing Leffingwell's Travel Bureau, of Chicago, Clarence L. Higley, formerly an attorney of Tacoma, is a Portland visitor familiarizing himself with the attractions of Oregon from a tourist standpoint. He will include his findings in a series of lectures he will deliver throughout the East.

Mr. Higley was the guest yesterday of William McMurray, general passenger agent for the O.-W. R. & N. Company. Mr. McMurray will arrange for Higley to have every facility for seeing everything in the scenic line that the state of Oregon has to offer.

HEARING AGAIN DEFERRED

Case of E. Estabrook, Charged With Attempt to Kill, Up Today.

Eldon Estabrook, charged with assault with attempt to kill, was granted another continuance of his hearing before the Municipal Court, from yesterday afternoon to this morning. The defendant represented that he had not yet completed arrangements for the defense.

The case arises from the shooting of M. A. Powell, a rancher of Woodland, Wash., on Monday afternoon, following a jealous quarrel at Estabrook's home in Montavilla.

Powell is progressing rapidly toward recovery at St. Vincent's Hospital.

Centralia Has Auto Stage.

CENTRALIA, Wash., June 28.—(Special.)—An auto stage line has been established between Centralia and Tacoma by Louis Lamken and H. C. Kohler, it being the longest line out of this city. The men will make their headquarters in Centralia.

COURT SCORES RATE HE HAS TO ALLOW

Railroad Wins in Action It Prosecutes Unwillingly, Fearing to Be Fined.

CONDITION NOW REMEDIED

Shipment of Two Cars of Flour on Basis of Mill Stuff Is Found to Be Error and Company Is Sued for $371.

"It's an outrageous robbery!" declared Circuit Judge Morrow, indignantly, yesterday, supplementing "outrageous" by a descriptive adjective of force, when he ruled, against his desire, in favor of the plaintiff in a suit of the Oregon-Washington Railroad & Navigation Company to collect exorbitant freight rates from the Columbia Milling Company, of Portland.

The action grew out of the shipment of 68,600 pounds of flour from Sprague, Wash., to Portland over the Northern Pacific and O.-W. R. & N. Railroads.

$5 a Car Charged for Switching.

Prior to the shipments of these two carloads of flour in November, 1912, the Sprague Roller Mills had shipped flour to the Columbia Milling Company at Portland, over the Northern Pacific and Spokane, Portland & Seattle roads. This arrangement brought the flour into the West Side at the North Bank depot. This entailed an extra freight haul to the mill on the East Side at a cost of $5 a carload. The Northern Pacific and North Bank roads had a joint tariff covering flour shipments at 15½ cents a hundred pounds.

To eliminate the switching charges after the arrival of the flour in Portland, the Columbia Milling Company conceived the idea of shipping over the Northern Pacific and O.-W. R. & N. from Sprague through the junction at Wallula, Wash., to Portland. The flour would then arrive on the East Side.

Road Forced to Sue.

The flour was shipped and four months later, after it had been paid for and receipted "in full" by the railroad, someone nosing about the books of the O.-W. R. & N. Co. unearthed the fact that the flour should not have been listed under mill stuff, but should have been shipped under the existing tariff of 50 cents a hundred pounds.

The flaw was in the lack of a joint tariff covering flour, between the O.-W. R. & N. and the Northern Pacific.

There was no recourse for the O.-W. R. & N. but to sue for difference between the 15½ cents paid and 50 cents. If the railroad did not begin the action, it would be liable to a fine from the Interstate Commerce Commission. The Interstate commerce law compelled the railroad, on pain of fine, to make the full charges and collect them. So, realizing the unfairness of the proceeding, the railroad was forced to sue to save itself.

Immediately after the discovery of the discrepancy in rates, the Interstate Commerce Commission took steps to remedy the matter, it was reported, so that the condition does not exist today between the points at issue.

After asserting in his findings that the assessment was clearly unreasonable and confiscatory, Judge Morrow proceeded to give judgment in favor of the plaintiff for the full amount, $371.89, demanded.

Attorney Blain Halleck argued the case for the O.-W. R. & N. and Attorney Arthur I. Moulton conducted the defense.

AMERICAN HELP DELAYS

COMMITTEE CALLS FOR GREATER EFFORT FOR STARVING.

$11,700 Still Needed to Meet Oregon's Share of Relief Fund and Each Day of Delay Costs Lives.

The fact that the impending war with Mexico has turned attention toward local relief activities does not relieve the pressure that is upon the Armenians in Turkey, although it may distract attention from it. Realizing this, the committee in charge of the Armenian relief fund is making a renewed appeal to the people of Oregon to give even to the point of sacrifice.

While local relief work is of importance, they point out, it is not concerned with a situation under which a whole race of people is being gradually exterminated because of the slowness with which the funds that will save it are coming in. The situation in Armenia is just such a situation, and every day's delay in the raising and forwarding of the relief funds is paid for in the lives of starved men, women and children.

Ben Selling, W. D. Wheelwright and A. L. Mills, the original subscribers to the fund, each of whom gave $100, have doubled their contributions, recognizing the need, for while the Oregon fund, according to estimates, ought to be $15,000, only one-fifth of that amount has been raised.

To complete the necessary fund the following subscriptions will be needed: Twenty-five subscriptions of $100 each, 50 subscriptions of $50, 100 subscriptions of $25, 200 subscriptions of $10, and $440 subscriptions of $5, making a total of $11,700.

Milwaukie Elects Councilman.

MILWAUKIE, Or., June 28.—(Special.)—H. N. Hopkins resigned as a member of the Milwaukie Council because of some dissensions in the Council. Leo Shindler, son of ex-Mayor William Shindler, was elected to take Mr. Hopkins' place. It is said that there may be another resignation soon. The waterworks are nearing completion. It is understood that the water rate will be reduced from 30 cents to 15 cents per 100 cubic feet, and a minimum rate will be established as soon as the municipal system is finished.

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Silk Petticoats Special $5.00

—AT **$5.00** there are Silk Petticoats in wide range of styles. Extra good grade taffeta, silk, Jersey and messaline. Fancy flare flounces. Plain colors, plaids, changeables. Priced special now **$5.00**

Headquarters for Bathing Suits

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—OWK IMPERIAL COFFEE of very fine flavor—grade equal to the regular 40c Coffee. Priced special, the pound **29c**
—OWK TEA, Uncolored Japan, Ceylon or English Breakfast—50c grades, the lb. **39c**
—BAKER'S Chocolate, 3-lb. can, special only at **75c**

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—Window Screens, hardwood, adjustable. Priced 25¢ to 40¢
—White Mountain Ice Cream Freezers. At $1.65 to $3.50
—Tin Watering Cans for the garden. Priced 15¢ up to 75¢
—Ice Cream Dishes 15¢ to $2
—Ice Picks from 15¢ to 40¢
—Lemon Squeezers 15¢-$1.50
—Lemonade Shakers—a very handy article—35¢ to $2.50
—Hammock Hooks, each at 8¢

50-ft. length Cotton Garden Hose with nozzle for $3.98
Aluminum Cooking Utensils, special lines, 40% OFF.
$22.50 Refrigerators on sale at very special price $17.75
Gas Hot Plates, nicely finished, priced very special $2.43

MR. BAKER IS ROILED

COMMISSIONER DIECK ACCUSED OF INTERFERENCE.

Official Objects to Mr. Baker's Ordinance Changing Classification of Park Employes.

Commissioner Baker hopped onto Commissioner Dieck yesterday on a charge that Mr. Dieck was interfering with the economical administration of Mr. Baker's department. The near row come up over Mr. Dieck's opposition of an ordinance presented by Mr. Baker changing the classification of park employes so that a different division of work might be made from that allowed under the present classification.

"It's ridiculous," said Mr. Baker when Mr. Dieck voiced his opposition. "It's a funny state of affairs if a Commissioner cannot run his own department so as to give the most economical service for the taxpayers just because of some technical quibble by another Commissioner. It's none of his business and I warn you Mr. Dieck that the same thing will be done against you if you get started on that policy."

Commissioner Dieck did not reply, but Mayor Albee said he believed the same thing had happened in Mr. Dieck's department and that he had taken his medicine. "Well," snapped Mr. Baker, "you know my position and you know the reason for the change. I've said my say. If you want to run my department go to it."

PIONEERS' BUILDING URGED

Plans for Raising Funds for Memorial to Be Considered.

To discuss the feasibility of raising funds for the erection of a permanent home for housing records of pioneer days, the Native Sons and Daughters of Oregon will meet tomorrow at the Imperial Hotel. The building, according to tentative plans, will mean the expenditure of $100,000. The plans will receive full discussion at the meeting Friday.

The building, if constructed, would receive the exhibit of the Oregon Historical Society, now housed at Second and Taylor streets. Assembly rooms also would be provided so that the pioneer association would have permanent headquarters.

Hansen in Charge of Trains.

EUGENE, Or., June 28.—(Special.)—Fred Hansen, trainmaster of the Roseburg division of the Southern Pacific system, has been chosen to handle the troop trains over the road from Camp Withycombe to the Mexican border. John Enger, chief dispatcher at Roseburg, will take Mr. Hansen's place as trainmaster and R. C. Harding will succeed Mr. Enger.

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