

THREE ARE NAMED FOR LIME BOARD

Benton Bowers, Ashland; B. G. Leedy, Corvallis, and John Simanek Are Chosen.

PRISON WARDEN MEMBER

Board Will Fill Remaining Place and Provide Soil Stimulant at Low Price in Limited Quantity for State's Farmers.

SALEM, Or., May 17.—(Special.)—Governor Withycombe today appointed the men who will serve on the State Lime Board under the provisions of chapter 197, enacted at the last session of the Legislature.

The appointees are: Benton Bowers, Ashland, recommended by the Taxpayers' League; B. G. Leedy, Corvallis, recommended by the State Grange; John Simanek, Crater, recommended by the Farmers' Union.

Each of the organizations mentioned made two nominations from which the Governor selected the three appointees. The board will consist of five members, the two additional members to be the Warden of the State Penitentiary, acting ex-officio, and the fifth member to be selected by the other four.

Prisoners to Be Used. Under the provisions of the act the State Lime Board shall acquire through lease, purchase, or by the exercise of the power of eminent domain, real property containing deposits of lime rock, calcareous shells, or any material practicable to transportation by rail.

The board shall cause such lime rock or shells to be manufactured into lime products best suited to agricultural use. Convicts at the prison are to be used as far as possible and practicable in the development of the lime deposits, and for this reason the Warden of the Penitentiary is made an ex-officio member of the board.

The board, under the act, is to dispose of the manufactured products to owners or tenants for use upon their lands within the state of Oregon, and shall provide for the equitable distribution of such products. Each purchaser shall be allowed to purchase lime products in quantities of one ton or more, and in the same locality may combine their orders to be distributed at destination.

Limit Is Set. No purchaser is to be allowed to receive more than one car in any one year. The law also requires that the board accompany each shipment with a statement giving the approximate analysis of the product as sold.

The board is to sell the output of the lime products at such price as will be sufficient to pay the expenses of operation, including a maintenance fund sufficient to meet depreciation on the plant and its equipment, and to add 10 cents a ton on all lime sold, to be placed as a sinking fund for the acquisition of new deposits of lime, or shell and the installation and equipment of new plants. The board also, in its judgment, may repay the state from time to time out of the sinking fund an amount sufficient to cover the \$20,000 which is provided for in the original appropriation.

GILL BILL IS REFERRED

Petition for Referendum on Measure Has 16,160 Names.

HARRY SLADEN IS FOUND

Missing Boy Writes to Mother That He Is Working on Farm.

INCOME TAX INCREASED

(Continued From First Page.) 4 1/2% and \$1,000,000 and over, 45 per cent.

Representative Fordney, of Michigan, protested vehemently today against additions to the income tax rates. He proposed a stamp tax placed on checks which he said would raise \$1,000,000,000 a year.

Efforts of Representative Curry, of California, to insert an amendment to increase the tax on single persons from \$1000 to \$2000 and on married persons from \$2000 to \$3000 failed by a vote of 100 to 50. During this debate it was pointed out by Representative Longworth, of Ohio, that England's present exemption is only \$850 for all persons.

In closing for his amendment to raise the surtaxes on incomes between \$40,000 and \$50,000, Representative Leet, of Massachusetts, proposed an amendment made to force the poor to pay their share of the war tax now while taxes on the wealthy were held in reservation.

Opponents Are Criticized. "What an argument," he said, "that they want to return to income taxes later! They now tax light and heat and other things that every poor man must pay, but they let the men who have made money out of this war escape taxes now. It is not fair to increase the income taxes and strike out the taxes on light and heat!"

An amendment by Representative Paige, of Massachusetts, that 45 per cent of the salary of each member of Congress be turned over to the Government during the war with Germany

was rejected, 147 to 42, amid howls of derision. I understand the gentleman from Massachusetts is a millionaire," shouted Representative Hoftin, Alabama, while another member yelled "millionaires' club" at those voting with Mr. Paige.

THEATER MAN FEARS WAR TAX

Present Proposed Schedule Will Handicap Business Says Klav.

LOS ANGELES, May 17.—At a meeting of the local theater managers, Max Klav, president of the Allied Theatrical Managers' Association of the United States, was present by invitation.

Expressing his views on the National war measure, Mr. Klav said if the bill is passed in its present form it will seriously handicap the theatrical business throughout the country. He said the tax on railroad tickets and berth reservations would be a serious menace to the profession, as it would force the traveling theatrical companies to demand a larger percentage of gross receipts. He asserted that this, taken with the proposal to tax boxoffice receipts 10 per cent, will operate to work such a hardship on theatrical men that fully half the theaters in the country will have to close.

A resolution was sent Senators Phillips and Johnson asking that they endeavor to have this tax eliminated or reduced.

PORT'S NEEDS ARE TOLD

PROGRESSIVE BUSINESS MEN'S CLUB HEARS STIRRING ADDRESS.

Portland Must Bend Its Neck to Regain Lost Shipping, Says L. B. Smith. Dock Engineer Speaks.

"If Portland ever is to amount to anything as a port she must be up and doing," emphatically declared L. B. Smith, lawyer and port expert, before the Progressive Business Men's Club yesterday at the meeting at the Multnomah Hotel.

"Pacifica, which do not lie, but which are official and given to me by Collector of Customs Burke, show that from July, 1915, to March, this year, Seattle imports averaged \$14,260,537, and her exports averaged \$13,945,889, while poor little Portland, in the same period of time, had a monthly average of business as follows: Imports, \$291,705; exports, \$164,571, and our port is our biggest asset. Gentlemen, we must awaken."

W. D. B. Dodson, of the Chamber of Commerce, also spoke along the same lines, and later G. B. Hegardt, engineer, of the Dock Commission, addressed the business men, aided by stereopticon views of the Portland port, the mouth of the Columbia and the harbors of various big ports of the world.

Little Dorris Phillips, candidate for queen of the Rose Festival, danced, recited and won the great applause of the business men. Her club will act on the suggestion that it work for the little miss as its candidate for queen.

The day was given over to "port development" matters and Walter S. Asher acted as chairman of the day.

PORTLAND MAN CHOSEN

E. H. MACNAUGHTON APPOINTED TO WELFARE COMMISSION.

Architect, Who Has Taken Much Interest in Social Service, Succeeds Father E. V. O'Hara.

MAILCARRIER QUILTS JOB

Harrisburg Man Meets Train at 3 A. M. for Seven Years.

TWO AMERICANS MURDERED

Engineers Reported Victims of Brutal Attack in Santo Domingo.

ARRESTS FOLLOW FAILURE

Portland Men Who Owned Store in Yamhill Face Charge.

Captain Schumaker Ordered Here.

OREGONIAN NEWS BUREAU, Washington, May 17.—Captain George H. Schumaker, Quartermaster, Reserve Corps, today was ordered to Portland as assistant to the Quartermaster.

MANY TALKS GIVEN

Portland People Prominent in Sunday School Convention.

DR. STANSFIELD ELOQUENT

Miss Nellie Cole, Resident of Asiatic Turkey, in Native Costume, Tells Story of Deportation and Massacre of Armenians.

NEWBERG, Or., May 17.—(Special.)

The evening of the second day of the Oregon Sunday School Convention was featured by addresses by James E. Ewins, of Portland, "Sunday School Business Methods," and William F. White, D. D., of Albany, "Standardized Bible Instruction." Capacity audiences continue to attend the daily programme.

The afternoon session was opened with devotional Bible study by Rev. H. E. Russell, of Dufur. Mrs. M. A. Danenhower, of Portland, gave a practical address on training for service, and Harold D. Griffin, D. D., of Portland, spoke inspiringly on "My Father's House." Miss Nellie A. Cole, of Trebond, in native costume and with great vividness and power, told the story of Armenian deportation and massacre. It was one of the most impressive things of the convention.

President Pennington Speaks. A general conference session was held in the afternoon, in which the following denominational leaders spoke: Dr. J. D. Springston, Baptist; Mrs. Clara G. Esson, Christian; Rev. G. A. Butler, Congregational; Rev. M. A. Farronagan, Methodist; Rev. Charles H. Hays, Presbyterian, and President Levi T. Pennington, Friends, while Rev. E. R. Martin spoke for the American Sunday School Union.

President Pennington, of Pacific College, presented in a brief address the aims of the League to Enforce Peace. Another feature of the afternoon's programme was a reminiscent address by Father Joseph Hoberg, the oldest Methodist minister in the Pacific Northwest, organizer of the State Sunday School Association and a worker in Oregon since the very early days. He was listened to with delight and spoke with power, in spite of his age.

Dr. Stansfield's Address Eloquent. The feature of the morning session was an address on "Our Text Book and Our Task," by Dr. Joshua Stansfield, of Portland. It was an eloquent call for its dissemination over the world. Elbert Charman, of Oregon City, president of the Oregon Christian Endeavor Union, spoke instructively on the church and her young people.

Three simultaneous conferences were held in the morning. The one on elementary work was addressed by Mrs. J. V. Guthrie, Portland; Mrs. Dora Gerardy, of Portland, and Miss Nellie A. Cole, of Trebond, Asiatic Turkey. The speakers for the teen age conference were Walter C. Moore, Seattle; Mrs. H. Danenhower, Portland, and E. Earl Felke, Portland. The adult and home conference was addressed by Dr. J. D. Springston, Portland; Mrs. Clara G. Esson, Forest Grove, and Dr. Frank E. Brown, Salem.

HARRISBURG, Or., May 17.—(Special.)—W. H. Widener, who has had the transfer business of this city for the past 15 years and also the contracts for delivering the United States mail and express, has sold out to H. H. Baldwin, of Yoncalla, Or., who will take charge next Monday.

No man in Harrisburg has been as steadily on his job as has Mr. Widener to carry out his contract with the Government. He was for seven years required to meet the 3 o'clock morning mail, as well as late evening mails, and during nine years failed to meet the mail trains but twice.

Engineers Reported Victims of Brutal Attack in Santo Domingo. He was chairman of the commission that revised the wage and hour schedule for women workers a year ago, granting women in many occupations an increased minimum wage.

Mr. MacNaughton is a member of the Chamber of Commerce, the Multnomah, University and other clubs and lives at 464 Boulevard avenue.

"I appreciate the appointment and accept," said Mr. MacNaughton last night. "I have no plan or policy contrary to that which has been in force by the commission for the last four years and hope to continue the good work inaugurated by Father O'Hara and his associates."

Authentic information received here today from La Romana, Santo Domingo, says that the bodies of two American engineers, Stanley Miller, of Baton Rouge, La., and a man named Hawkins, first name not given, of Paducah, Ky., were found by marines tied to trees and hacked to pieces.

This was on the morning of May 14.

Portland Men Who Owned Store in Yamhill Face Charge. H. E. Leonard, 555 East Yamhill street, and W. C. Van Dersal, 809 East

Lincoln street, both Portland real estate men, were arrested yesterday afternoon by Deputy Sheriffs Beckman and Ward on warrants issued by the District Attorney at McMinnville and charging larceny by embezzlement.

Bond was fixed by Circuit Judge Belt at \$1000 each. They readily gave this and were released.

The two men previously conducted the Yamhill Mercantile Company, at Yamhill, and their arrest marks the growth of the failure of this concern. The men declared yesterday that they had lost about \$3000 as the result of their connections with the Yamhill Mercantile Company.

MCMINNVILLE, Or., May 17.—(Special.)—H. E. Leonard and W. C. Van Dersal opened a store in the town of Yamhill last July under the firm name of the Northwest Holding Company, incorporating about the middle of August under the corporate name "Yamhill Mercantile Company." In October Portland jobbers caused the attachment of the goods of the corporation and the affair was placed in the hands of H. L. Sabin for adjustment. At the time the store was closed by the Sheriff there was stock on hand amounting to about \$2000 or \$3000, which was sufficient to pay about 15 to 20 per cent of the indebtedness.

BISHOP SEAGER TALKS

REPORTS MADE ON OREGON CITIES AT MONMOUTH MEETING.

Elaborate Plans Being Made to Celebrate Portland Pastor's Half-Century Church Service.

MONMOUTH, Or., May 17.—(Special.)—Reports from seven of the largest cities of Oregon and Washington that the missionary work at home during the past year had been successful despite difficulties, a report that money had been raised to cover 1917 missionary work, the granting of diplomas to teachers completing the Bible training course, and a recommendation that teachers be educated for Bible teaching featured the third day's session of the 24th annual Oregon conference of the Evangelical Association in this city.

Bishop Lawrence H. Seager, D. D., of Naperville, Ill., president of the association, delivered his annual address before the conference and pointed out the work before the Evangelical body in 1917, and said the Bible message must be carried outside the church by the church itself as a body and by individual laborers.

Miss Della Brant and Cleore Childs, of Monmouth, were given diplomas certifying their ability to teach from the Bible properly.

The missionary fields of Seattle, Portland, Tacoma, Bellingham, Millwaukie, Albany and Oregon City were described and reports showed that missionary work during 1916 in these cities was fruitful.

Elaborate plans are being made by the members of the conference for the celebration of the half-century of the ministry of the Rev. N. Shupp, of Portland.

STUDENTS ANSWER CALL

Marcola Boys and Girls Enroll in Agricultural Army.

GIRLS TO SELL TICKETS

Honor Guard Today to Help Fund for Americans in France.

GOVERNOR SEES MANY GARDENS.

SALEM, Or., May 17.—(Special.)—"Gardens are being planted in backyards, sideyards and frontyards, vacant lots and everywhere in Southern Oregon," stated Governor Withycombe this morning, on returning from a trip of several days in that section of the

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state. "The general spirit of co-operation which I found indicates a patriotic factor that is good to see."

Aurora Crossing Bell Ordered. SALEM, Or., May 17.—(Special.)—The Public Service Commission today ordered the Southern Pacific to maintain an electric bell with flashlight attachment at its crossing at the main street

School, as originally announced. Dancing in the gymnasium will follow the vaudeville programme.

School Girls to Act Tonight. The vaudeville programme by the girls of the Benson Polytechnic School will be given tonight at the Girls' School, on Fourteenth and Morrison, instead of at Lincoln High

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