

LABOR PICNIC IS REplete WITH FUN

Crystal Lake Playground is Filled to Overflowing With Merrymakers.

ADDRESSES ARE PATRIOTIC

Athletic Sports, Boating, Bathing, Dancing and Other Amusements Make Day Delightful for Adults and Children.

A fine thing it is that folks are arranged with a diversity of tastes when picnicking is to the fore...

Or, if you turned into the grateful shade of the big oaks, the nose was titillated by the teasing aroma from a hundred lavishly spread picnic tables...

The athletic contests began at 1 o'clock, and really opened the program for the day...

Winners' Names Given.

In the various events the winners were: Seventy-five yard dash, union men only, first, R. H. Henderson...

From the speakers' rostrum addresses were delivered by E. F. Irvine and Senator Gus Moser...

An estimate of the number in attendance at the picnic, which was the annual outing of Portland organized labor...

MASTER LISTS DELAYED

Governor Will Hasten Work of Draft When Documents Arrive.

SALEM, Or., July 29.—(Special.)—Governor Withycombe today had not received copies of the master list of numbers in the war draft for Oregon...

It is expected they may reach Salem in the mails tonight. Immediately upon their arrival, the Governor states today, the lists will be transmitted to Adjutant-General White at Portland...

As 14 of the 35 Oregon counties are exempt from the first draft, and only 717 men are to be drawn from this state, work of transmitting the lists to the boards in this state will be light.

SALEM TO CUT FIRE RISK

Recommendations of State Fire Marshal to Be Adopted.

SALEM, Or., July 29.—(Special.)—That State Fire Marshal Wells' inspections started in the state by the initial inspections in Salem, finished last week, are to bear fruit in the ordinance in the statement of Mayor Walter E. Keys today that an ordinance is being prepared to cover the salient features in the report.

The report included 23 recommendations covering water supply, fire department, school and general conditions.

It is expected that the ordinance will be passed at an early date.

Oregon City Men Off to War. OREGON CITY, July 29.—(Special.)—Robert Murray and A. J. Halbach, who have been employed in the mills of the Crown Willamette Paper Company for some time and formerly of Powell River, B. C., left Oregon City yesterday for Vancouver, B. C., where they will enter the Canadian army.

The trade name "Kodak" was coined in 1888.

SCENES AT FAREWELL PICNIC TO OREGON COAST ARTILLERY, AND AT LABOR'S "LIBERTY PICNIC," OUTING EVENTS OF YESTERDAY.



ERVIN IS NEMESIS

Automobile Speeders Watch for Motorcycle Cop.

NEARLY 1900 ARRESTED

Record Covers Little More Than Two Years and in Only One Case Has Charge Failed to Hold Good.

Probably the best-known man to automobilists in the city of Portland and surrounding country is Motorcycle Patrolman Frank Ervin.

Officer Ervin has been in the local police service since May 1, 1915, during which time he has made an enviable record.

According to the report of a large Eastern motorcycle concern who has investigated into the records of all motorcycle patrolmen throughout the United States, Mr. Ervin's record is not equaled by any other officer in the United States.

If he had kept a record of all the exciting arrests he has made in the past two years it would probably fill a big book.

MOTORCYCLE PATROLMAN, OF PORTLAND, WHO IS NEMESIS OF AUTOMOBILE SPEEDERS.



Frank Ervin, Motorcycle Patrolman.

APPLE MARKET IS OPEN

HOOD RIVER GETS ORDER FOR 25 CARLOADS OF FRUIT.

Price of \$1.25 Per Box for "C" Grade of Spitzberga and Newtowns and Growers are Pleased.

HOOD RIVER, Or., July 29.—(Special.)—The apple market is open with an order of 25 carloads of "C" grade Spitzberga and Newtowns placed by California distributing concerns with the Fruit Growers' Exchange and the Hood River Apple & Storage Company.

The situation in the banana and orange business most encouraging to the apple grower, said Mr. McKay.

The only fear of shippers at the present time is a car shortage. The agency has agreed to an increase in the minimum loads of refrigerator cars.

LAST CHERRIES SHIPPED

Hood River Sends Six Carloads of Black Variety to East.

HOOD RIVER, Or., July 29.—(Special.)—The sixth and last carload of Hood River cherries of the black varieties, Bings, Lamberts and Black Republicans, for the 1917 season, was shipped Friday.

IDLE ARMY POSTS CITED

Idaho Senator Would Have Boise Barracks Put to Use.

OREGONIAN NEWS BUREAU, Washington, July 29.—Senator Brady contemplates introducing a resolution calling on the Secretary of War for a statement showing the use, if any, to which it is proposed to put various Army posts which are not now being utilized by the Army.

SEA POWER USE URGED

TIME HELD RIPE TO CURB GERMAN CONTROL IN BALTIC SEA.

With America's Aid London Observer Believes Naval Offensive Could Be Undertaken Effectively.

LONDON, July 29.—A more resolute use of sea power by the allies is urged in an article in the Observer by its naval correspondent. The writer says: "The fact that Admiral Sims joined with Admiral Jellicoe and the naval representatives of France and Italy in the conference with the allied statesmen in Paris is the most hopeful sign we yet have had of any intention to use the allies' sea power to the full."

MISSIONS NEED MEN

Physicians and Farmers Can Be of Service.

FOREIGN FIELD HAS WORK

Message of Essential Needs Delivered by Rev. Ernest F. Hall, of San Francisco, at Kenilworth Presbyterian Church.

"The demand today is for trained men in the mission field—men who are religiously teachers, and more; men who are physicians; men who are expert farmers," said Rev. Ernest F. Hall, of San Francisco, Western agent for the Presbyterian board of foreign missions speaking yesterday morning at the Kenilworth Presbyterian Church.

Continuing his illustration of the demands of the mission field, Rev. Mr. Hall cited the work of Sam Hingston in India, where, continuing his duties as a missionary, on a missionary's salary, he is preaching the gospel of the plow, putting into practice the expert agricultural knowledge he acquired in the United States, and refusing the offers of high pay from the British government of India.

"The dead pay the expenses of administering the funds of the foreign mission board," continued Rev. Mr. Hall, "but let me tell you that a large portion of the dollar given for missionary purposes is spent in this country. The administrative expenses of the Presbyterian foreign mission board is 7 per cent, and this amount is paid from the income of the \$3,000,000 that has been bequeathed to the board in its 80 years of existence."

"More than that, the gifts of the native converts are such that the amount expended in the maintenance of the foreign mission stations is \$1.25 for every dollar given by the church people of America."

Rev. Mr. Hall reviewed the success of missionary work of the past half century, citing Korea as a nation in which Christianity has had a rapid growth, beginning 30 years ago and continuing until now, with 2000 organized churches. Presbyterian churches with 100,000 adherents are scattered all over the world, and this is making easier the task of evangelizing the world in this generation."

STRENGTH FOUND IN JOY

Text of Nehemiah Made Applicable to Present War Conditions.

Rev. E. Olin Eldridge preached yesterday morning at the Mount Taber Methodist Episcopal church on "Joy in the Lord a Source of Strength."

"The joyful man is a strong man, because he has a confident rest. The dejected man is weak because he distrusts his cause. Joyful confidence assures triumph. The world is sadly in need of a religion of joy. Life on this earth is too short to permit one to be a growler. Frowns on the face indicate unforgiveness in the heart."

"Great injustice is done to the Christian religion when we regard it as a religion of merit. Some people conclude that to be a saint one must be miserable. So far from this being true, some of the best lives that have been lived in the world with ministries of kindness have carried faces of sunshine and joy."

"In the midst of our world commotion, joy is needed. The cause of democracy is the cause of God, and is bound to prevail. It is our duty and privilege, in the spirit of gratefulness and joy, to be the foundation of our Christian joy. Anything that makes salvific confidence undermines the Christian's hope."

"He who is drifting on a sea of doubt cannot know tranquility of spirit. The joy of the Lord removes anxieties. There is might in calmness. Joy gives clearness of vision, so that we see our conflict ending in victory. The joyful person has the power to concentrate his life force upon the task he has in hand."

DR. MORNING GREETINGS FRIENDS

Former Pastor of Taylor-Street Church Again Preaches Here.

Rev. Benjamin Young, of St. Louis, formerly of the Taylor-street Methodist Church of Portland, occupied the pulpit of the First Methodist Church yesterday morning. Dr. Young made a flying visit to the city, leaving at 7 P. M. yesterday for Spokane on his return home.

The former Portland clergyman was greeted by a record congregation of old friends and admirers when he stepped to the pulpit, his address was punctuated by applause.

The subject was "Vision, and What It Means to the Individual and to the Nation," suggested by Acts xxv:19, "I was not disobedient to the heavenly vision."

Dr. Young traced the life of the cultured, influential and wealthy Jew, Paul, from the time he began his misguided efforts to stamp out the new cult of "Christianity, until, on the Damascus way, Jesus Christ appeared to Paul in a vision."

"In this terrible yet necessary war," said Dr. Young, "America has caught a vision, and therein is the sign of our success. Woodrow Wilson has clearly voiced that vision: 'We are in this war to make the world safe for democracy.' The power of this vision is well demonstrated by the manner in which the young men of the country are rushing to the flag. The world does not want a Prussianism; it wants democracy. What a majority of the people want they eventually get. We will win. 'It will cost us pain and anxiety."

Post Toasties



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REST IS GOD'S GREAT GIFT

Sermon of Rev. D. A. Thompson Tells of Christ's Promise to Labor.

Rev. D. A. Thompson, who for the past two weeks has been preaching at Vancouver Barracks, again occupied the pulpit at the Mizpah Presbyterian Church yesterday morning, and delivered a sermon on "The Value of Rest."

Dr. Thompson's text was taken from a verse often referred to as the most beautiful in the Bible: "Come unto me, all ye that labor and are heavy laden, and I will give you rest." (Matt. xxii:28).

Extracts from the sermon follow: "Christ's appeal to the laboring classes is sympathetic and direct. He was a laboring man himself, and all his life he was associated with the laboring people. Remember, in the very first part of the New Testament we learn that Jesus Christ was a carpenter."

"When he took up his great mission in life he still remained a working man. At times, the Bible tells us, he was so busy he did not stop to eat."

"Once, when he and his disciples were very weary, he called them out into the quiet wilderness for rest and conference. But five thousand hungry men, who believed implicitly in him, followed upon opening hills, to find him to feed them. Their faith was rewarded; Jesus fed them. But his invitation extended even farther; he has offered rest and protection to all who will come to him at any time."

"Henry Van Dyke says: 'Heaven is blessed with perfect rest. But the blessing of earth is toil.' 'The ability to rest, as the result of labor well performed, is God's great gift to man.'"

NEW POTATOES SPROUTING

Cause is Attributed to Abnormal Climatic Conditions.

LEWISTON, Idaho, July 29.—(Special.)—Byron Fry, who has been in the portion of the Inland Empire who this year planted home gardens for the first time have been perplexed and dismayed upon opening hills, to find potatoes about half developed, yet sprouting new vines.

Professor O. M. Osborne, head of the agricultural department of the Lewiston State normal school, states that there is no known remedy. He attributes the cause to abnormal climatic conditions and advises digging the potatoes even though not fully developed. The sprouts should be removed and the potatoes placed in cool cellars.

COUNTY ROADS SPRINKLED

Gasoline Engine and Pump Takes Water From Irrigating Ditches.

NORTH YAKIMA, Wash., July 29.—(Special.)—With the hope that they may be able to stay in measure the threatened destruction of graveled roads in this county by heavy automobile traffic during the dry season, the County Commissioners have bought three large sprinkling wagons with which the sections of roads most traveled will be moistened during the remainder of the summer and fall. Each sprinkler is being equipped

RIDGEFIELD MAN ACCUSED

Fry Held on Charge of Contributing to Delinquency of Minor.

RIDGEFIELD, Wash., July 29.—(Special.)—Byron Fry was arrested here yesterday on a charge of contributing to the delinquency of a minor. He was taken to Vancouver, Wash., and admitted to bail.

Fry is accused in connection with the disappearance several weeks ago of Edna Popoway, a 14-year-old orphan, who lived with her grandparents here. She was located in a Portland hotel, where she was living under an assumed name.

Fry is manager of a local garage. He is married and the father of two children. Other arrests are expected.

Oregon City Officials Sued

OREGON CITY, July 29.—(Special.)—Oregon City and Mayor E. C. Hackett and ex-Chief of Police L. E. Hanchard are named as defendants in a suit for \$2500 for false arrest instituted in the Circuit Court here Saturday by Arna Christenson. Christenson claims in his complaint that he was arrested without cause on January 14, 1917, and lodged in the city jail for three hours.

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