

## LIGHT WINES, BEER, WILL REMAIN TABOO

Anti-Saloon League Is Told War-Time Act Will Stick.

### STRICT ENFORCEMENT SURE

Senator Jones and Representative Fess Declare Congress Will Not Modify Measure.

WASHINGTON, June 5.—Senator Jones of Washington, in an address here tonight before the national convention of the Anti-Saloon League of America, said he had been assured by many senators who were opposed to prohibition that inasmuch as it was now written into the constitution as an expression of popular will, they would oppose any legislation for the repeal of the provision against beer and light wines in the war time prohibition act. He said he believed, therefore, there was no possibility of the modification of the act in that respect.

Representative Fess of Ohio told the convention he believed it would be impossible to select a committee in either body of congress that would be "foolhardy" enough to make a favorable report on a measure providing for the repeal of the ban on beer and light wines in the war time prohibition act.

"The principle of self-determination rules congress nowadays," said Mr. Fess, "and it is not prepared to do the bidding of another."

## JUNE 12 IS FESTIVAL DAY

GOVERNOR SETS ASIDE DATE FOR GENERAL CELEBRATION.

All Are Requested to Observe Thursday in Honor of Victory in War and for Good of State.

SALEM, Or., June 5.—(Special).—Governor Olcott today issued a proclamation setting aside Thursday, June 12, as a day to celebrate the festivities arranged for in Portland in connection with the military features of the big Victory Rose Festival.

While the governor stated explicitly that the day is not to be a legal holiday, he made a personal appeal to employers of returned soldiers to give them a holiday on that occasion, as the day is primarily one set apart in their honor.

"In issuing the proclamation I also express the hope that every man who has a returned soldier in his employ will allow him to participate in the big military events of June 12 in Portland," stated the governor.

"The day is one particularly for the men who offered their entire services to the country in the great conflict and it is conceived to pay them some little share of the tribute which is their due. May they all be there to take part in the celebration in their honor."

The proclamation issued by the governor follows:

Whereas, The annual Rose Festival held in Portland was for many years one of the most widely known and widely heralded of the nation's celebrations, typifying the beauty of its climate; and

Whereas, War intervened and for a time its grim realities caused the famous Festival, while the people of Oregon threw their arms and money into the struggle for humanity's righteous cause; and

Whereas, As a result of the triumph of our armies, there is this year to be celebrated at Portland, Or., the Victory Rose Festival, significant of the fact that once more peace and prosperity is with us on every hand; and

Whereas, It is the hope and the wish not only that this Victory Rose Festival surpass any and all similar events ever held but that as nearly as possible all of Oregon will participate to make it such an event; Now, therefore, I, Ben W. Olcott, by virtue of the authority vested in me as governor of the state of Oregon, do hereby proclaim Thursday, June 12, 1919, as a day set aside for the festivities arranged for in Portland, Or., and I ask that members from every section of the state participate in these festivities, to assist in celebrating this great Victory Festival, with the hope that it demonstrates not only our love of the beautiful, but our devotion to the cause as well for our triumph over the dangers that have but lately beset our nation and our civilization.

## FRUIT MERGER PROPOSED

DOUGLAS GROWERS MEET AND APPROVE STATE BODY.

Orchardists Believe Organization Will Be Means of Great Saving in Marketing Products.

ROSEBURG, Or., June 5.—(Special).—A meeting was held here today and addressed by Robert Paulus of Salem looking forward to a merger of all fruit growers' organizations in the county and state.

Growers from all sections of the county were in attendance. The organization was appointed consisting of W. E. St. John of Sutherlin, E. P. Slack and S. S. Johns of Myrtle Creek, Alfred Wollenberg, J. H. Booth, Hugh Burton and R. S. Hutton of Roseburg, to attend a meeting of state growers at Portland Monday. The plan is to eliminate all possible overhead expenses in distribution of orchard products.

Growers here are enthusiastic over the prospect and believe the organization will be a great factor in marketing all sorts of fruits.

## At the Theaters.

Hippodrome.

It has been many seasons since a big electrical turn has been given at a Portland vaudeville house, and now it is the Hippodrome which has the distinction of offering a truly sensational electrical exhibition. Fred La Reine and his company, one of whom is a very attractive girl, present a demonstration in the power of electric currents. One demonstration is an amazing feat in which Mr. La Reine has electricity shot all through his body, appearing at his finger tips and flashing in a phosphorescent glow around his person. Another demonstration is when he lights a cigarette from an electric torch sparkling against a grapefruit held by the pretty girl. He calls upon the audience for volunteers and the act assumes a hilarious turn when, in response, several investigating souls ascend the stage and are filled full of minor electric currents which cause

them to hop and wiggle and writhe about.

The act has an educational feature inasmuch as Mr. La Reine cleverly explains interesting phenomena. The Bijou circus is made up of pups and cats and kittens and older canines about a dozen dogs and three beautiful felines.

They are sagacious and have been nicely trained, so that their act is entertaining in a marked degree. The audience waxed enthusiastic over their antics.

Plunkett and Romaine are a clever pair of funsters who dance exceptionally well and sing delightfully.

Their songs and steps are strung together with smart patter along new ideas.

Eugene and Kindler are a couple of happy chaps, who play cheer-up tunes on the violin and the piano accordion. They introduce character and a personal magnetism into their playing, which proves extremely charming.

The Aerial De Lora have a trapeze specialty quite above the average run. The De Lora have introduced new and original adventure in their act. One of the pair is a very dainty, pretty girl. The photoplay features Lillian Walker in a new drama called "The Embarrassment of Riches." It is a story of what one little, poor girl does when her ship comes in laden with riches, and it's a delightfully told romance, too.

## FAIR PRIZES TOTAL \$16,000

GRESHAM PREMIUM LIST APPROVED BY BOARD.

Plans Laid for New Grandstand at Race Track and for New Poultry House.

GRESHAM, Or., June 5.—(Special).—The 1919 county fair premium list was approved by the board of directors at a meeting held here yesterday afternoon. The book will be issued in about ten days and will carry a list of awards to the amount of nearly \$16,000, apportioned as follows:

Races, \$500; county displays, \$2100; cattle, \$3575; horses, \$1965; sheep, \$834; hogs, \$861; grange displays, \$750; agricultural displays, \$475; poultry, \$1500; art, \$225; canning, \$222; floral displays, \$200; poultry, \$351; manufactured displays, \$1000; goats, \$148; milk test, \$54; honey, \$19; individual farm exhibits, \$100.

In addition to these the industrial clubs of city and country schools will receive extra premiums.

County School Superintendent Alderson submitted plans for an industrial building, which will be 40x80 feet in size. The school districts will pay labor costs. The fair association is to furnish material.

Plans are under consideration for other improvements, including a new grandstand at the racetrack and a new poultry house.

## PROBE COMMITTEE NAMED

TEN REPUBLICANS AND FIVE DEMOCRATS INCLUDED.

House Members Prepare for Probe of War Department Expenditures in World Conflict.

WASHINGTON, June 5.—Fifteen members of the house, ten republicans and five democrats, were appointed today by Speaker Gillett to conduct five investigations of war-time expenditures of the war department. Representative Graham, republican, of Illinois, was selected as chairman of the general committee, and the division of sub-committees, one for each investigation, will give the republicans two members to one for the democrats. The investigations will cover expenditures for aircraft, ordnance, camps and cantonments, quartermaster supplies and purchases abroad.

The committee personnel announced by the speaker follows:

Representatives Graham, Illinois; Hamilton, Michigan; McKenzie, Illinois; Johnson, South Dakota; Keefe, Nebraska; Magee, New York; McCulloch, Ohio; Bland, Indiana; Jeffries, Nebraska; and MacGregor, New York, republicans; and Representatives Flood, Virginia; Garrett, Tennessee; Doremus, Michigan; Donovan, New York, and Lea, California, democrats.

## OLCOTT REFUSES DEMANDS

Labor Council Members on Inquiry Committee Opposed.

SALEM, Or., June 5.—(Special).—Governor Olcott will not accede to the demands of the Central Labor Council of Oregon that the members of the committee to investigate the industrial accident commission be appointed from their organization. The governor, in a letter addressed to Otto Hartwig, president of the labor council, told the Portland labor leaders that he will still insist that the labor delegates be named from the state federation of labor rather than the Central Labor Council of Oregon.

In refusing to grant the demands of the labor council the governor calls attention to the fact that the forthcoming investigation is one of state-wide importance and that the investigating committee must represent the entire state rather than any one community.

## VETERAN POISONED BY IVY

Overseas Man Nearly Defeated by American Plant.

HOOD RIVER, Or., June 5.—(Special).—Boyd Owens, fossil sheepman, just back from France, where he braved Hun shells and cooties, fell victim to poison ivy while starting a band of sheep on national forests just west of here, and so serious was his affliction that he narrowly escaped death.

Mr. Owens was alone when stricken from head to foot. The rash was so violent that his body was frightfully swollen and he was thrown into a high fever. Unattended, his sheep wandered out to ranches, raising an alarm.

A scouting party found Mr. Owens in a serious condition. Sufficiently recovered to travel, he passed here today en route home.

## MAN AND WIFE BOUND OVER

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Phillips Face Grand Jury Charge of Larceny.

ALBANY, Or., June 5.—(Special).—Wilbur C. Phillips, former police officer in Salem, and his wife, Myrtle Phillips, today bound over to the Linn county grand jury on a charge of larceny.

It is alleged their little boy found a package containing currency and liberty bonds, which the parents kept. John A. Carlson of Newport, owner of the property, today introduced evidence tending to show that the bonds were his naturalization papers, receipts and other documents showing ownership and that Mrs. Phillips was informed by a neighbor after the bonds were found that Carlson, the owner, was sick in a local hospital.

## HOTEL MEN INDORSE CITY HOUSING BUREAU

Association Approves Plan to Handle Festival Visitors.

### CIVIC PRIDE IS AT STAKE

Citizens Are Urged to Throw Open Homes to Care for Throng of Sightseers Next Week.

Formal action was taken declaring their united support of the housing bureau of the Rose Festival now located in Liberty temple and an appeal made to the civic pride of Portland house-holders to open their homes for the accommodation of out-of-the-city guests during the Ad club convention and Victory Rose Festival by the Hotel Men's association at a meeting yesterday.

Hotel men have agreed to send guests they cannot accommodate to the Liberty temple housing committee, where rooms in private homes are being listed. The housing committee announced yesterday through its chairman, H. W. Arbury, that a man has been engaged who will devote his entire time to visiting the small hotels and rooming houses to compile a list of vacant rooms.

Private citizens who open their homes will not be interfering with the legitimate interests of the hotel men, and every hotel and rooming house in the city will be given preference over homes volunteering accommodations, declared Mr. Arbury yesterday.

Those who for patriotic reasons would like to open their homes have deferred for this very reason, it is believed. It was to refute this idea that men of both large and small hotels have publicly appealed for the listing of private rooms at Liberty temple.

### Public Must Help.

"The public must help us in housing guests of the Victory Rose Festival if next week is to be a success," said E. W. Price, president of the Hotel Men's association, yesterday. "The Hotel Men's association has definitely put itself on record as co-operating with the housing bureau in Liberty temple to obtain rooms in private homes. Our association is composed of 30 of the largest hosteleries of the city, but we are making special efforts to co-operate with the owners of smaller hotels so that they may have every room in their houses filled during the festival week."

That every person who comes to Portland next week will be comfortably accommodated, if Portland men and women care enough about the reputation of their city to open their homes, is the opinion of Mr. Price. Children of the Portland hotel, and chairman of the special festival housing committee of the Hotel Men's association.

"The greater the number of rooms opened throughout the residence district for the accommodation of the visiting public, the greater the number of persons from out the state and north-west that will attend the Victory Rose Festival," said Mr. Childs, "every visitor who is comfortably housed will be a booster for the city forever afterward. Every visitor who is uncomfortably housed will be a detractor, and will continue to knock."

### City Will Profit.

"The best ad Portland ever had was the way she opened her finest homes for the accommodation of the Grand Army veterans and their friends during their national convention last summer. People all over the country started talking of Portland's hospitality after that and they are still talking it. We must keep that reputation, for it is a valuable asset."

Glen H. Hite of the Washington hotel has pledged his co-operation with the housing bureau. "We will gladly take the list of persons who apply to us for rooms and for whom we have no accommodations and send them to Liberty temple," he said.

The management of the Clifford hotel, 411 East Morrison, has already listed the names of 40 persons who cannot be accommodated at the hotel during next week and yet who are desirous of obtaining rooms in Portland during Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday.

Shortage Is Serious.

"I consider the situation so serious that I have personally hired a man to comb the city for rooms to accommodate our party," said Mr. McEachan Jr., of the Imperial hotel. "It is simply a matter of civic pride and I think every hotel man should be a loyal citizen should come through and what he can to help relieve the situation."

S. Benson of the Benson hotel has pledged his personal support to the housing bureau at Liberty Temple as well as the active co-operation of the Benson hotel management.

"We are in a period of unusual business activity," said Mr. Benson. "In normal times hotels are having more guests than they can take care of. That we will have unprecedented crowds in Portland next week is undoubted, and that those crowds must be comfortably housed is just as certain. It will require the combined efforts and good will of the entire city to complete the job satisfactorily."

Registration of rooms may be made by calling personally at Liberty temple or by telephoning Main 313 and asking for the housing bureau. There is no stipulation as to the prices which may be charged for private rooms, but the housing bureau is anxious that no profiteering will take place.

## THE "SOFT" DRINK THAT "TURNETH AWAY WRATH"

Evans' Ale

NON-INTOXICATING

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### FESTIVAL WILL BE FILMED

Executive Committee Willing to Buy Space for the Movies.

Beauties of the Portland Rose Festival are to be presented to the world through the medium of the film on a more elaborate scale this year than ever before, if plans of the executive committee held yesterday at a meeting held Wednesday in the green room of the Chamber of Commerce, Sol Baum, district manager of the Universal Film company, was asked to submit a price from his company for furnishing 1000 feet of parade scenes, in addition to the space that will be allotted to the Universal weekly, and his report will be submitted to the board of directors within the next day or two.

Details of the parade big parades were discussed by those present at the conference and the big floral pageant. It was said, would move promptly on time, regardless of difficulties that may be encountered in bringing it about.

### WAR BRIDES REACH PORT

More Than 1000 Officers and Men Arrive at New York.

NEW YORK, June 5.—Several casual companies, numbering 1600 officers and men, arrived here today on the transatlantic liner, the *Massachusetts*, from Minneapolis, Iowa, Virginia, Texas, Ohio and Pennsylvania.

Fifty French war brides of American soldiers and sailors were on the Chicago.

WASHINGTON, June 5.—Organizations assigned to early return today included Troops A, B, C, D and I of 1st squadron, 2d cavalry headquarters; field remount squadrons 317, 319, 329, 345, 324, 331 and 326 240th military police company, depot service company 9, laundry company 521, regiment supply depot, 1st army headquarters, headquarters detachment 321 service battalion; transportation corps companies 117, 119, 120, 149, 145, 146, 157, 828, 830, 845, 874 and 286; hospital No. 111; 321st service battalion.

### Military Training Turned Down.

SPOKANE, June 5.—A proposal to establish military training in the high schools of Spokane was rejected by the school board today by unanimous vote.

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For the Home

Six-quart Galvanized Sprinklers.....95¢

Ten-quart Galvanized Sprinklers.....\$1.45

Galvanized Wire Screen, square foot.....4¢

Adjustable Window Screens, priced at 50¢, 65¢ and .....75¢

## DOWN-TOWN SHOPPERS SAVE AT SIMON'S

Boys' Corduroy Suits

\$8.98 Values \$6.48

Just the suits for vacation wear; made of good corduroy, in the best style of workmanship. One of these will stay with your boy right through the summer. Ages 6 to 18 years.

Boys' Blouses 49c to 98c

Neat styles in percale and chambray. Buy your summer supply now at these prices.

Women's and Misses' White Footwear

Some typical bargains from Simon's shoe department that will bring throngs here today! No matter what you buy—no matter what you pay—you save money! Note the styles and the prices:

Women's White Canvas Oxfords \$2.49

All sizes in these; medium weight soles, military heels.

Women's White Nilecloth Oxfords \$3.98

These are very special values. They have French heels and light soles. Very smart for summer wear.

Women's White Reigskin Pumps \$3.49

A rare bargain at the price! Made with French heels and light soles. Neat and dressy.

Women's White Reigskin Strap Pumps \$2.49

Regular \$3.50 pumps, these! They have light turn soles, either military or French heels. See them!

Misses' White Canvas Shoes \$1.49

Worth \$2.75! They have hand-turn soles, plain toes. We show them in sizes 12 to 2. A very special price!

## Looks Just Right

YOUR back is just as important as your front, so far as your clothes are concerned. You don't see it very often, but other folks do. Better have it look just right.

Hart Schaffner & Marx Clothes

The line from shoulder to waist is a very important one, so far as the looks of a coat are concerned. The curve of the lapel, the placing of the pockets.

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No. 6 Tea Kettles for only .....\$2.19

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Heavy weight, well made; garments of thorough service.

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Take your choice today from these exceptionally beautiful skirts at the lowest price of the season. Twelve colors from which to select! They are made with sashes, fancy pockets, waist shirring, in medium and wide yoke effects. We'll venture that you have never seen skirts of such good materials and so well made at such a price! Choose early.