

UNION OF CHAMBERS IN WEST ADVOCATED

State Body Held for Common Interests.

BOOSTERS AT SMOKER

Western Federation Also Considered Essential to Increase Support Back of Any One Section.

PORTLAND BANKER CALLED

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ger lines to and from San Francisco and Portland from a possibility in the near future, according to P. F. Barnes and Lawrence Brown, who arrived in Portland from Tacoma in two airplanes last evening at 8 o'clock. They barely escaped smashing their planes through having to make forced landings at Oswego because of inability to see the markings of the Eastmoreland field.

This trip was a scouting expedition to find good landing sites on the route from Portland to the sound cities with a view of getting a regular mail service contract from the government.

On their return, Barnes will go direct to Tacoma, while Brown will take the Yakima route. Pictures of all landing fields will be taken on the way and will constitute the first complete aerial route of the northwest, if successful, the men said.

W. W. Butler of Yakima accompanied Brown as observer. Barnes is general manager of an aviation company of Tacoma. They expect to make their return trip today.

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avan will leave Stockton for Yosemite valley.

Election of officers is scheduled for Thursday. The office of district vice-president of the Advertising Clubs of the World is the most sought-after honor. Rollin C. Ayres of San Francisco, who holds the office, is being backed by the Bay City delegation and Los Angeles delegates are urging Harry S. Carroll. Portlanders are also in the race and present W. P. Strandberg, who organized the northwest caravan, for the office. Spokane delegates are working to put Thomas S. Keen in the chair of president of the coast association.

Alvin K. Matthews of Stockton, local convention manager, is in the field for a newly created office of Pacific coast convention manager for the next year. He is being opposed by a Portland man.

Tacoma seems destined to be chosen as the next convention city, delegates said.

APPRAISAL REPORT LOST

SEATTLE, Wash., May 25.—(Special)—Mayor Carl E. Beebe, superintendent of the department of public utilities, today advised Mayor Hugh M. Caldwell that certain appraisals made of the municipal street railway property before it was purchased by the city cannot be located.

The reports, Mayor Beebe said, are the only papers which would contain in dollars and cents information regarding the actual value of the street lines at the time they were bought by the city.

The information was furnished by Mayor Caldwell in connection with Mayor Reeves' investigation of possibility of bringing suit against the Puget Sound Traction, Light & Power company for recovery of a portion of the \$15,000,000 the city stipulated to pay for the railway system.

The valuation reports referred to were to be included in the purchase of the railway property and records, and were mentioned in the original purchase ordinance.

STATE LODGE ELECTS

R. F. Kirkpatrick of Pendleton, Chosen Grand Patriarch.

BAKER, Or., May 25.—(Special)—R. F. Kirkpatrick of Pendleton was chosen grand patriarch at the state encampment of Oddfellows being held here tonight. Five hundred delegates are in attendance.

Other officers elected were: K. J. Nolan, Portland, grand high priest; W. E. Wadsworth, Harrisburg, grand senior warden; E. E. Sharon, Portland, grand scribe; W. W. Francis, Albany, grand treasurer; P. P. Light, Lakeview, grand junior warden; R. J. Henderson, Salem, grand marshal; J. C. Critch, Astoria, grand sentinel; R. W. Watson, Tillamook, grand outside sentinel; P. A. Hantz, Baker, grand representative sovereign grand lodge for two years.

At a banquet of the Patriarchs Militant tonight 65 candidates were given the decoration of chivalry. Following the banquet was a reception at the local theater and after the reception the decoration of chivalry. Following the banquet was a reception at the local theater and after the reception the decoration of chivalry.

PROWLER IS ARRESTED

Man Caught in Hotel Corridor and Pal in Apartment.

Walter Bicknell, 20, was arrested last night by Inspector Craddock after he had been prowling about the hotel corridors. He was held in the city jail pending investigation of the charge that he had been running a distillery.

OIL COST TO NAVY MORE

Contracts Awarded This Year.

WASHINGTON, May 25.—Contracts covering 5,000,000 barrels of fuel oil for the navy have been awarded at prices that average more than 150 per cent above contracts for this year, despite modified grade specifications, the department announced today.

Liquor-Making Suspected.

William Crawford, 33, was arrested yesterday at Gervais, Or., by United States revenue officers, and brought to Portland and locked in the city jail pending investigation of complaints that he had been running a distillery. The officials seized parts of a still as evidence.

RAIDS IN ERIN CONTINUE

Appearance of Cavalry Expected to Arouse Sinn Feiners.

DUBLIN, Ireland, May 25.—A flying column of cavalry has arrived in the district of Westmeath to protect the farms in the region from raiders. Several cattle drives have occurred there during the week. It is stated on what seemingly is good authority that the Sinn Feiners will take action in view of the arrival of the military.

Pur Prices Show Decline.

ST. LOUIS, Mo., May 25.—Prices continued to show a falling off from the February market at the spring exchange here today. The top for 2,500,000 moles was 60 cents, a decline of 25 per cent, and colts and fitch at 47 and 56, respectively, in lots of 150,000, were 20 per cent off.

Pilgrim Lecture Tomorrow.

Dr. W. T. McElveen gives the second lecture in the course of the Pilgrims, "Who They Were and What They Did," in the parlors of the First Congregational church tomorrow evening. These lectures aim to commem-

We Haven't So Much Money that We Can Afford to Give Up Our Profit to the Public, But Present-Day Conditions Compel Us to Convert Our Great Stock Into Cash as Soon as Possible, Hence

The Sacrifice of Profit This is no odd-and-end sale, but a bona fide sale of our entire STOCK OF MEN'S and WOMEN'S FINE READY-FOR-WEAR APPAREL.

Table with columns: SALE PRICE, SPECIAL SALE, SPECIAL SALE. Items include Chesterfield Clothes, Men's Fine Shirts, NECKWEAR, Ladies' Suits, Coats, Dresses, Silk Shirt Special.

R. M. GRAY 366 Washington at West Park

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AFTER TENNIS

A hard fought battle develops stiff, sore muscles. Rub them with BAUME ANALGESIQUE BENGUE.

BODIES OF RED CROSS MEN TO COME

WASHINGTON, May 25.—Bodies of Red Cross and other welfare workers who died in France will be returned on the same basis as those of the soldier dead, it was announced today at the war department.

Worn Out In Mind and Body

Your child is quick to observe disturbances in your mental attitude or physical condition. And when he asks: "What's the matter, Daddy?" there's a tone of solemn anxiety in his little voice.

THE GREAT GENERAL TONIC

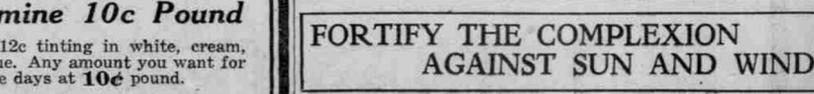
It will banish that "tired feeling" and dispel that worn-out look. It will renew your strength and vigor, overcome the ravishing effects of overwork and worry, revive your spirits and increase your hold on life.

FORTIFY THE COMPLEXION AGAINST SUN AND WIND

MANY a lovely complexion has been marred through neglect of its owner, so protect the skin against the changes wrought through unusual exposure to sun and wind.

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burn, windburn, tan and freckles; it keeps the skin soft and cool, imparting to it a wholesome, velvety texture. Sensitive skin also suffers from itching in cases of rash, prickly heat, mosquito bites, etc. Now that the season of outdoor play and recreation is at hand, every woman should protect her skin with the most delicate, luxurious, which affords absolute protection to the most delicate complexion. Summer suns and strong breezes have no terrors for the woman who uses Santalocin. It gives absolute protection from sun-