

CHAMBER TENDERS FAREWELL TO CLARK

Good Wishes Go With Outgoing Industries Head.

D. C. FREEMAN WELCOMED

Incoming Manager Pledges Best Efforts in Fostering Work of Spreading Oregon Fame.

Farewell and good wishes were given to A. G. Clark, ex-manager of the Associated Industries of Oregon, and greetings to D. C. Freeman, his successor, at the monthly dinner last night at the Chamber of Commerce. Mr. Clark, who left the organization to go into business in Bend, was presented with a gold cigarette case by H. F. Frank, president, on behalf of the membership. It bore an inscription testifying to the good work of Mr. Clark and the sentiment voiced his devotion to the cause of made-in-Oregon goods.

Mr. Freeman was introduced and pledged his best efforts to carry forward the work of fostering Oregon industries through spreading the fame of products made in this state and introducing them to wider markets. A feature of the dinner was the presence of a delegation of purchasing agents, who spoke of means to increase the demand for articles of local manufacture. They gave constructive criticisms from the buying end, telling why in some cases Oregon-made goods are not bought and how to increase their popularity.

Mrs. R. C. Clark speaks. W. C. Reagin of the Bridal Veil Lumber company, S. E. Woodbury of the Willamette Iron & Steel company, A. W. Angell of the Northwestern Electric company, J. L. Dunlap of the Coast Shipbuilding company and W. C. Smith of the Northwest Bridge & Iron company spoke for the purchasing agents. It was developed, among other things, that local buyers are found to demand more from local manufacturers than they do from eastern firms making the same goods. Suggestions made led to the determination to have some subject definitely chosen for discussion at each future meeting in line with methods to increase sales of Oregon manufacturers' products.

Mrs. R. C. Clark of Eugene was present and made a rather witty speech on the subject of home industry. Mrs. Clark told how best to reduce the consumer demand, and she spoke from experience, as she took an active part in the recent home industry drive put on by the Home Science club of Eugene, which was an exposition of Oregon products. Seven thousand samples were distributed, and the result was that 26 new members had been added to the association since the last meeting.

COMPETITIVE CONTEST DESCRIBED

Mrs. H. C. Hodgkins of the Rose City Park Parent-Teacher association told of the unique competitive contest in the Rose City Park school, in which nearly 800 pupils were interested in labeling Oregon-made products. During five weeks 17,000 labels were collected, prizes being given for the most labels collected. J. C. English was chairman of last night's meeting. Dr. Stuart McGuire, accompanied by Miss Ida May Cook, and two speakers were present, and that 26 new members had been added to the association since the last meeting.

STOCK FRAUD CHARGED

TWO DECLARED INVOLVED IN \$75,000 SWINDLE.

Misrepresentation as to Value of Motor Stock Alleged in Case of Woman Purchaser. SEATTLE, Wash., April 21.—Paul D. Porter, salesman, and W. V. Moran, manager, said by local authorities to be connected with a San Francisco company, known as the Wall Street Securities company, were held in bonds of \$1000 each tonight under charges of grand larceny in connection with what prosecuting attorney Malcolm Douglas declared was part of an alleged coast-wide swindling scheme by which scores of persons are believed to have been defrauded of thousands of dollars.

Porter and Moran are alleged to have sold stock to at least five persons in Seattle who have been interviewed by the prosecuting attorney and are specifically charged with defrauding Miss Elsie Roberts Blakerly of Seattle of \$1200. The charge alleges that Miss Blakerly purchased stock in a motor car company at \$50 a share on the representation that it bore a par value of \$100. When the stock certificates were delivered, she declared, they had a par value of \$10.

Authorities said today documents in their possession show extensive negotiations along the Pacific coast by which, they estimated, sums procured aggregate from \$75,000 to \$100,000. Both men declared their innocence.

FLAX MEETING CALLED

STATE UNABLE TO PAY FARMERS HOLDING CONTRACTS.

Governor, However, Declares Arrangements Made Which May Prove Satisfactory.

conditions tomorrow, although their money will not be available in full until the latter part of next year. "The flax market has been hit by the slump which has forced the price of all agricultural products to bedrock," said the governor, explaining the reason for calling the meeting. The secretary of the board of control, in the budget submitted to the recent legislature, showed the value of the unworked flax products on hand at the penitentiary at that time to be \$75,000. This valuation was on the prevailing market price on the finished products. Acting on this information we entered into contracts with farmers to plant 731 acres for the 1921 season, which with a fair yield, it is estimated will cost the state approximately \$61,000 in buying from the farmers."

WAR STAFF IS CREATED

SKELETON HEADQUARTERS TO BE FORMED AT ONCE.

Function of Peace-time Organization Not to Be Interfered With. Strategy to Be Problem. WASHINGTON, D. C., April 21.—General Pershing will be appointed head of a skeletonized general headquarters of war staff to be organized at once to direct field operations of the nation's armed forces in time of war, Secretary Weeks announced today. In peace, the new staff will not interfere with the functions of the general staff, Mr. Weeks said, but will concern itself with problems of war strategy and tactics.

The new war staff, according to the plan, will not be hampered by peace-time details but will be free to perfect an organization capable of swinging smoothly into the control of a number of field armies in time of war. The chief of staff will continue to direct the peace-time administration of the military establishment, including the national guard and reserves.

While Secretary Weeks would not comment on the details, it was indicated General Pershing would immediately proceed to gather around him officers associated with him in France. Having perfected an organization along the lines of his general headquarters in France, it was said that the new staff would consider plans prepared by the war plans division of the general staff and of the chief of staff to select tentatively men to command armies, corps and other large units in event of hostilities.

DRIVER'S LEG IS BROKEN

Chauncy Crites Lies Helpless on Road for Hours.

COTTAGE GROVE, Or., April 21.—(Special.)—To lie on a little-traveled road for several hours suffering intensely from a fractured leg was the experience Friday of Chauncy Crites of Dorena. He was returning from a trip up a mountain road with a load of household goods for J. J. Edwards. A limb became entangled with the brake handle on his wagon and Mr. Crites either jumped to avoid the recoil or was braked to a stop. He was found five hours later by his father, H. D. Crites. It was necessary to carry the injured man a mile on an improvised stretcher.

BEND TO OUST OFFICERS

Council to Ask Welfare Executive and City Attorney to Resign.

BEND, Or., April 21.—(Special.)—Investigation of the conduct of the offices of the city attorney and the head of the woman's welfare department was ordered by the Bend council tonight. It charges that officials were responsible for the circulation of prejudicial and defamatory matter in connection with a statutory case which had previously ended in an acquittal.

The council will demand the resignation of Dr. Anna Elinx, who heads the welfare department, and of C. S. Benson, city attorney.

Man Is Beaten and Robbed.

John M. Cholech, 32, who lives at the Harrison hotel, last night was found in a semi-conscious condition at Twenty-ninth and Thurman streets. He was taken to the police emergency hospital where he related an incoherent story of having met two men at Third and Burnside streets, having taken a drink with them, having been invited for an automobile ride and then having been attacked, badly beaten and robbed of \$15.

Ex-Policeman Is Arrested.

Fred Harris, ex-policeman who was discharged by ex-Chief of Police Johnson, last night was arrested after he had removed the mark from the door of the Puritan cafeteria at 27 1/2 Stark street. Patrolman Arnold made the arrest. Harris was held on a charge of an attempt to commit a crime.

Moonshine Outfit Seized.

ESTACADA, Or., April 21.—(Special.)—Sheriff Wilson yesterday brought to the office of Justice S. E. Woodbury a moonshine outfit which he seized on the ranch of A. D. Thomas of Springwater, Thomas, who was in Portland at the time of the seizure, had not been apprehended.

DRIVE ON ILLEGAL FISHING IS OPENED

Speedboats and 10 Wardens to Patrol Willamette.

GAME COMMISSION ACTS

Multnomah Anglers' Club Begins Campaign to Close River to Net Fishing for Salmon.

Extraordinary precautions to prevent illegal fishing in the Willamette river will be taken by the state game commission, according to an announcement made yesterday by A. I. Burghdoff, state game commissioner. The action was decided upon yesterday at a conference between I. N. Fishner and George H. Kelly of the executive committee of the game commission, following numerous complaints by sportsmen that poachers had been using nets, foul hooking and gigning.

Anglers Fight Net Fishermen.

Besides the action taken by the game commission, it is expected that the state fish commission will also take preventive measures to stop illegal fishing. Commercial fishing in the river is allowed after May 10. Open war on the net fishermen of the Willamette river, who it is claimed by local anglers are destroying the salmon fishery, is being waged by the Multnomah Anglers' club. The executive committee of the club was called together yesterday afternoon to prepare an entertainment for the monthly meeting of the organization next Friday, but the original business of the meeting was soon forgotten when the salmon question was brought up.

Drive to Be Launched.

After a heated discussion it was decided by the members of the executive board to enlist the co-operation of sportsmen throughout the state in launching a campaign to close the river to net fishing for salmon and to also prohibit the possession of nets on the stream. This will be attempted by initiative law at the next state election. The entire matter will be threshed out at the next meeting of the Multnomah Anglers' club, to be held Friday, April 23, at the clubrooms in the Oregon building. In addition to discussion of the proposed measure the entertainment committee has lined up a unique programme for the evening. One of the features will be an initiation of several new members. There will also be a demonstration of rod wrapping, fly tying and other methods of rod and line repair work.

TACOMA CO-EDS VICTORS

WILLAMETTE WOMEN DEFEATED IN DEBATE AT SALEM.

Annual Contest Between College of Puget Sound and Salem School Is Held.

WILLAMETTE UNIVERSITY, Salem, Or., April 21.—(Special.)—The college of Puget Sound co-ed debate team defeated Willamette representatives, 2 to 1, in the annual debate contest, held tonight in the chapel of Waller hall. Helen Brace and Florence Maddock upheld the negative for the Tacoma college, with Lorelei Blatchford and Lucille Thomas, both juniors of Salem, on the affirmative side. The question was: "Resolved, That Japanese immigration except students and diplomatic cases be restricted." Judges of the debate were Judge McBride, Judge Bingham and Joseph Albert.

Myrtle Mason, a senior, of Boise, Idaho, and Ruby Rosencrans, a sophomore, of Colfax, Wash., met the Tacoma debaters in that city on the negative of the same question.

The Willamette team will meet Whitman college in debate both in Salem and in Walla Walla tomorrow night.

Obituary.

Funeral services for Margaret J. McAyeal, who died Tuesday at the family residence, 358 Benton street, will be held this afternoon at 2:30 o'clock at Holman's chapel. Interment will be at the Greenwood cemetery. Mrs. McAyeal was 65 years old. She is survived by four children—Dr. C. R. McAyeal, James A. McAyeal, Mrs. Florence J. Nicholson and Roy A. McAyeal, all of Portland. There is

also a brother, Charles Mayger of Hubbard, Or.; and two sisters, Mrs. J. J. McGinnis of Clatskanie, Or., and Mrs. Minnie Haas of Portland.

OREGON CITY, Or., April 21.—(Special.)—Funeral services for the late Mrs. Anna Watkins Johnston, wife of Richard Johnston of Clackamas, was held from the Congregational church at Clackamas this morning, with interment in Clackamas cemetery.

EUGENE'S FUTURE BRIGHT

COMMERCIAL EXPERT URGES COMMUNITY BUILDING.

W. D. B. Dodson Tells Business Men of Oregon's Possibilities in Trade of World.

EUGENE, Or., April 21.—(Special.)—A glowing picture of possibilities in Oregon and the northwest with the shifting of commercial traffic to the shores of the Pacific, was painted by W. D. B. Dodson, secretary of the Portland Chamber of Commerce, tonight, when he addressed the local body at its weekly dinner at which were assembled 150 or more members. The keynote of the address was community organization.

FLEET REFUSED OREGON

Secretary Says Maneuvers Make Trip Impossible Now.

THE OREGONIAN NEWS BUREAU, Washington, D. C., April 21.—An account of the maneuver requirements of the coast of southern California, also prohibit the possession of nets on the Pacific fleet to the lower Columbia river at this time, Secretary Denby of the navy department advised the Oregon delegation today.

Senators McNary and Stanfield and Representatives Sinnott and McArthur accompanied the delegation of farmers and farmers' representatives today to plead for longer freight rates.

75 MOTORISTS ARRESTED

One Shows Evidence in Talk of Previous Detention.

Increasing activity yesterday of traffic police resulted in the arrest of 75 Portland motorists, the majority for minor violations. At least one of the drivers had been arrested before, for Patrolman Scott stopped him by raising his hand.

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POTATO RAISERS TO MEET

Clarke County Growers, Called to Discuss Problems.

VANCOUVER, Wash., April 21.—(Special.)—The Clarke County Potato Growers' association will hold a special meeting over the Washington Exchange bank at 7:30 o'clock next Tuesday. The call has been made by R. E. Gerrard, the president. All efforts of the association will be concentrated at present on the selection of desirable market varieties and proper planting methods.

MR. MARSHALL SPEAKER

Ex-Vice-President Makes Address at Albany College.

ALBANY COLLEGE, Albany, Or., April 21.—(Special.)—Thomas Marshall, ex-vice-president, addressed the student body of the Albany college this morning on the subject of "Who is Going to Lead American Life in the Future?" His address was a continuation of his previous speeches on education and organized self-control. This morning he laid special emphasis on the need of Christian leadership in all social activities. He declared Christian ideals were a vital part of the equipment social and political leaders should possess and that a people so self-sufficient that it could get along without God was on the sure way to downfall.

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"Val G" is a masterpiece! It's the sort of a hat that makes you hold your head high.

CANCER SUFFERERS ATTENTION!

W. H. Saultz, president of the Washington Cancer Institute, Inc., of Centralia, Wash., will be at the Palace Hotel, Twelfth and Washington Sts., today only (Friday), 10 A. M. to 5 P. M. Evening 7 to 9. Come early. Valuable information free on treatment of external cancer without the knife (a killing ointment used).

NEURASTHENIA—NERVE STARVATION

A Disease of the Down Hearted—Practical advice on how to do.

Many a man is broken down and discouraged without having any actual disease in his organs and tissues—he has lost his grip, feels weak and nervous and everything looks dark. He is suffering from the great American disease—Neurasthenia, or nerve starvation, due to overwork, worry, continual hurry and nervous strain. The longer this continues the more certainly will it end in real disease of his organs, his nerves or his mind.

Such a man should live on the simple foods, eat plenty of fresh fruits and green vegetables, sleep nine hours at night if he can, an hour in the sun, and give his starving nerves and weak, thin blood, a good nerve and blood food, like Nourish Iron. Nourish Iron contains a product brought to the attention of the French Academy of Medicine by the celebrated Doctor Robin, which represents the principal chemical constituent of active living nerve force; it also contains genuine organic iron like the iron in your blood and like the iron in spinach, lentils and apples.

Nourish Iron may therefore be said to be a real nerve and blood food since it supplies the principal ingredients demanded by your nerves and blood to give you strength, energy, force and endurance. It is not a stimulant, it does not give you vigor of weak, worn-out, down hearted and nervous folks in two weeks' time. Your money will be refunded by the manufacturer if it does not produce perfectly satisfactory results. For sale by all druggists.—Adv.

Aspirin

Warning! Unless you see the name "Bayer" on package or on tablets you are not getting genuine Aspirin prescribed by physicians for twenty-one years and proved safe by millions. Take Aspirin only as told in the Bayer Package for Colds, Headache, Neu-

ralgia, Rheumatism, Earache, Toothache, Lumbago and for Pain. All druggists sell Bayer Tablets of Aspirin in handy tin boxes of 12, and in bottles of 14 and 100. Aspirin is the trade mark of Bayer Manufacturing of Monacoeitacidester of Salicylicacid.—Adv.