

MEN IN NORTHWEST OUTNUMBER WOMEN

Census Shows 46,970 Excess in Oregon.

26,154 WIDOWS IN STATE

5000 Married Men Appear to Be Living Apart From Wives in This Commonwealth.

THE OREGONIAN NEWS BUREAU

Washington, D. C., Jan. 25.—Women with the desire and daring to venture into matrimony enjoy a vast advantage in Oregon, Washington and Idaho over those of their sex in the middle west, the south and the effete east, according to a report issued today by the census bureau.

The reason is that there is such a large surplus of men over women in the population of those states, as shown by the 1920 census, as to justify the feminine folks in being just a little independent.

While it was stated that there is a large excess of men, it should be understood that there is no particular short crop of women, or girls, as they may prefer to be known.

For the purpose of the statisticians, the report, which purported to deal with the marital status of men and women in all the states, took in all of the male and female population above the age of 15 years.

Why in treating such a grown-up subject as marriage the census bureau included both sexes down as low as 15 years is inexplicable, except on the theory that the bureau desired to make sure that all eligible women were considered, taking into account that in these times a girl's age is apt to become stationary at a very early period in her life.

Statistics Are Quoted.

There are 268,127 males in Oregon and 261,517 females; 546,013 males and 438,367 females in Washington, and 166,157 males and 122,287 females in Idaho. Single, and the majority of them presumably eligible to marry, are 112,181 males in Oregon, 215,021 in Washington and 109,795 in Idaho. Eligible women and girls, ranging from 15 years up to heaven knows how old, include 60,142 in Oregon, 169,353 in Washington and 25,174 in Idaho.

A glance at the figures indicated that there were approximately 5000 men in Oregon, 11,000 in Washington and 2000 in Idaho married but for some reason separated from their wives when the census enumerator came around, there being no such differences in the number of married men and women in the three states. Oregon had 176,423 married men and 170,969 married women; Washington, 238,956 married men and 237,871 married women, and Idaho 87,969 married men and 84,554 married women. Failure of the enumerators to state otherwise left it to be inferred that all these married persons are happy.

Oregon Has 26,154 Widows.

The widowed persons, including only those who reached that state without resort to matrimony, are as follows: Oregon, 14,474 men and 26,154 women; Washington, 23,215 men and 41,858 women; Idaho, 6469 men and 9391 women. These figures are interpreted to mean that a larger per cent of men than women take another chance when deprived of their first mates.

Divorced persons in the three states are: Oregon, 5693 men and 4935 women; Washington, 8602 men and 7816 women; Idaho, 1667 men and 1145 women.

In most of the older states the women outnumber the men, but in one state, New Hampshire, there is almost an even division, there being 169,131 men and 161,208 women.

DRAMATIC RECITAL GIVEN

"Away to Fairyland" Is Presented at Pacific University.

PACIFIC UNIVERSITY, Forest Grove, Or., Jan. 26.—(Special.)—Attended by the largest crowd of the year, the final semester recital of the school of dramatic expression was given here last night under the direction of the new instructor, Mrs. H. H. Story. The programme was made up of 14 numbers, which included readings and plays and several special musical numbers furnished by the conservatory of the university.

GLEE CLUB IS ON TOUR

Willamette University Singers to Visit Oregon, Washington Towns.

WILLAMETTE UNIVERSITY, Salem, Or., Jan. 26.—(Special.)—The University Men's Glee Club left this afternoon for a three weeks' tour through Columbia river towns and cities of

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eastern Washington. Beginning at Sherwood the club's itinerary will continue up the Columbia river, across the Oregon line into Washington, going north as far as Spokane and across the state to Tacoma. The last concert will be given in Portland on February 13.

The Itinerary: Sherwood, January 26; Oregon City, January 27; Hood River, January 28; The Dalles, January 29; Goldendale, January 31; Pendleton, February 1; Athena, February 2; Walla Walla, Wash., February 3; Kennewick, Wash., February 4; Spokane, Wash., February 6; Cheney, Wash., February 7; Davenport, Wash., February 8; Wenatchee, Wash., February 9; Tacoma, Wash., February 10; Klaber, Wash., February 11; Portland, February 13.

CITIZENSHIP MEET SET

SOUTH PORTLANDERS WILL ASSEMBLE FEBRUARY 1.

Programme of Music and Speaking Provided Under Leadership of J. C. Henderson.

A citizenship meeting for the native and foreign-born population of South Portland will be held Wednesday, February 1, at 7:30 in the auditorium of the Falling school under the sponsorship of the Portland Americanization council, J. C. Henderson, acting as chairman.

In arranging the programme Mr. Henderson has been materially assisted by Miss Ida Loewenberg, head worker of the Neighborhood House, Miss Bess Seagie, chairman of the Americanization committee of the Council of Jewish Women; Miss Fannie Porter, principal of the Falling school, and Mrs. Ida H. Beyer, president of the Falling Parent-Teacher association.

The programme will include music by an Italian orchestra led by G. Berardanelli; a speech by a member of the Italian colony; a chorus of girls from the Neighborhood House, directed by Miss Loewenberg; an address, "What America Has Meant to Me," by Jacob Weinstein, a student at Reed college; address by John Heitkeuper, president of the South Portland Community club on "South Portland's Place in the Proposed Zoning System"; a showing of the community chest film; address on "Portland's Americanization week, February 16 to 22," J. C. Henderson; community singing, athletic drill by 15 boys and girls of the Falling school, directed by Miss Seagie; this last number 11 nationalities will be represented.

The meeting will be open to the public, but a special invitation is extended to the foreign-born mother and her children.

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COMMUNITY CHEST campaigns have a distinctly educational value for the public, in the opinion of J. Teuscher Jr., superintendent of the Boys' and Girls' Aid society. He said the people generally are realizing more and more the value to the community of organized chest operations.

"Thousands of people have already changed their minds regarding child-caring organizations," he said. "Many looked upon them as a set of beggars' meetings, but are beginning to realize that these organizations instead of being beneficiaries are in reality contributors.

"Fifteen child-caring organizations have an investment of about \$2,500,000 in buildings, real estate and endowments. The public has the use of this large sum of money absolutely free of charge for the community chest, not allowing any money for depreciation. Depreciation at 5 per cent on \$2,500,000 is \$125,000; interest on \$2,500,000 at 6 per cent is \$150,000, consequently these 15 agencies are in reality giving to the public each year the sum of \$275,000.

"Institutions are in reality only asking for money to carry on certain definite, well-defined work, which is ultimately for the benefit of the public at large.

"If the state were suddenly to take over the work of these various agencies it would have to duplicate all the plants and equipments of existing agencies and then support them by taxation. Realizing this, many people are willing contributors to the chest because in doing so they are actually saving money."

LAKE DRAINAGE PLANNED

Farmers in Coast Range Apply for Permit From State.

EUGENE, Or., Jan. 26.—(Special.)—In order to make a large acreage of land now under water the farmers owning property bordering on Triangle lake, in the coast mountains 35 miles northwest of Eugene, have made application to form a drainage district.

The plan as outlined by the farmers, according to Ira P. Whitney, county agricultural agent, is to lower the surface of the lake to a considerable extent by deepening and straightening the outlet.

Grand Jury Indicts.

KLAMATH FALLS, Or., Jan. 26.—(Special.)—The grand jury which has been in session during the past week, adjourned today after bringing in nine true bills. Six of these were secret, the accused not having been apprehended. Dean Upton, aged 21, was accused of having betrayed his 18-year-old bride, less than a month into the arms of other men. He was indicted on two counts, each being fixed at \$1200 on each count. Watkins Davis, the young Indian boy accused of killing another Indian, Oliver Jefferson, with a blizzard gun, was indicted on a charge of degree murder and admitted to bail in \$8000.

Montana Governor Accepts.

SALEM, Or., Jan. 26.—(Special.)—Joseph W. Dixon, governor of Montana, has written Governor O'Leary that he will join in a conference of executives of the western states to consider means for combating the illicit sale and distribution of narcotic drugs. It has not yet been decided when the conference will be held. Governors who thus far have expressed a willingness to attend include Louis F. Hart of Washington, Ben W. Olcott of Oregon, D. W. Davis of Idaho, and Joseph Dixon of Montana.

Phone Improvements Promised.

KLAMATH FALLS, Or., Jan. 26.—(Special.)—The Pacific Telephone and Telegraph company today announced that plans had been completed for the immediate expenditure of \$17,000 for improvements in the local service. Among the improvements contemplated will be the laying of seven miles of underground cable, which will eliminate the use of poles in the business district.

BUSINESS MEN VIEW EAST SIDE'S GAINS

George P. Eisman Is Elected President of Club.

ANNUAL MEETING HELD

Dinner Is Served by Women of First Presbyterian Church. Oregon Products Featured.

Sixteen years of activities for the development of Portland, and especially the district lying east of the Willamette river, stand to the credit of the East Side Business Men's club, which held its annual banquet and election of officers last night at the club rooms, 114 1/2 Grand avenue. The club, as indicated by last night's reports, is "travelling to sea" for further developments and public improvements during 1922.

Nearly 200 members and guests participated in the gathering. The banquet at 6:30 o'clock was served by the women of the Central Presbyterian church. Later there was dancing. The dinner featured Portland and Oregon products.

Vocal selections were rendered by Miss Winifred Laird, with Earl J. Roach as accompanist, and by the Portland Exposition quartet. Officers of the club were elected as follows: H. E. Judge, president; George P. Eisman, vice-president; L. M. Lepper, secretary-treasurer; Hiram L. Camp, E. A. Clark, H. D. Underwood, H. B. Cattan, George W. Weatherly and T. J. Rowe, directors.

A. H. Averill Toastmaster.

A. H. Averill acted as toastmaster, and Captain J. W. Gorby, director of research for the Cyclone Fence company, Waukegan, Ill., spoke on "How to Build Your Business." "Putting the 'Port' in Portland and Our Shipping Progress" was the theme of W. D. B. Dodson of the Portland chamber of commerce, and H. L. Hudson, general traffic manager for the Port of Portland, presented the subject of "Our Port's Growth," showing pictures of facilities for handling commerce on an extensive scale. W. A. Carter spoke on behalf of the Community Chest.

The annual report of U. D. Maxson, retiring president, covered a general review of the material progress of East Portland in matters wherein the club has been especially interested.

The public work projects attained during 1921, the report showed, included the paving of East Third street, from Hawthorne to Division streets; paving of East Madison street, from Grand avenue to East Water street; widening of the Clay street approach to the Hawthorne bridge; paving of East Alder street, from East Seventh to East Tenth streets; paving of East Davis street, from East Third to East Tenth streets, thus giving a paved outlet directly from Sandy boulevard to Roseway to the Burnside bridge without congesting Burnside from East Third to East Tenth, which has been a great relief to traffic.

Building Growth Reviewed.

Reviewing the building growth of 1921 in East Portland, the president's report mentioned the completion and operation of the federal hospital, the new Portland sanitarium at East Sixth and Belmont streets, and the four-story nurses' home for Emanuel hospital on Stanton street. There was a summary also of the commercial projects and buildings, and a brief review of the development of shipping interests and the east side waterfront.

The report of the auditing committee, H. B. Cattan, T. J. Rowe and E. A. Clark, showed the financial affairs of the club to be healthy.

OFFICIALS TO MAKE TOUR

Federal Agricultural Experts to Visit Oregon City.

OREGON CITY, Or., Jan. 26.—(Special.)—C. W. Pugsley, assistant secretary of the United States department of agriculture; Dr. C. B. Smith, chief of the department office of extension work and Dr. W. B. Ball, director of scientific research for the department, will visit Clackamas county February 2 as part of an inspection tour over the state in conjunction with the western states exposition conference in Portland January 29 to February 3.

Arrangements for their trip were made by County Agricultural Agent Hoyt.

Tillamook Woman's Club Formed.

TILLAMOOK, Or., Jan. 26.—(Special.)—A representative gathering of women belonging to the women's organizations in this city was held yesterday and organized the Tillamook Woman's club, when Mrs. R. B. Hays was elected president, Mrs. C. J. Edwards vice-president, Mrs. R. N. Hinkle secretary and Mrs. Alfred Anderson treasurer. The board of directors consists of Mrs. E. G. Anderson, Mrs. L. W. Edwards and Mrs. G. C. Esch. As the federated women's clubs will hold their annual gathering in this city the last of May or early in June, the new organization, after electing its officers, took up the matter of arrangements for the annual event.

Eastern Star Initiates.

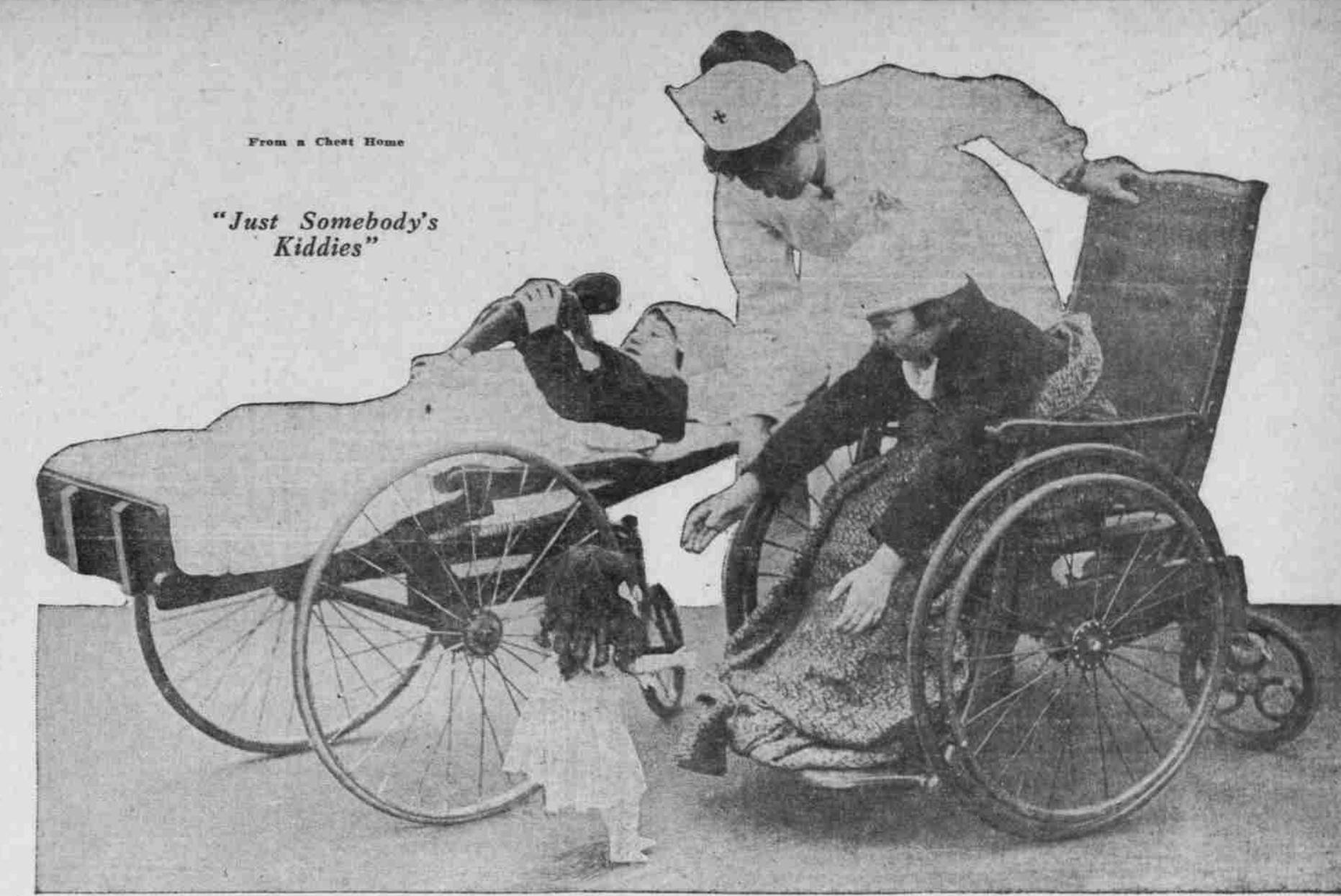
FOREST GROVE, Or., Jan. 26.—(Special.)—Mrs. C. L. Letson, worthy grand matron of the Oregon Grand chapter, order Eastern Star, was last night the guest of Forest chapter, of this city. The degree of the order were conferred upon a candidate by the new officers and the chapter was inspected by the worthy grand matron. There were visitors present from Portland and Yamhill chapters.

Printer Seeks Legislature Seat.

SALEM, Or., Jan. 26.—(Special.)—"Apply business principles to state legislation" is the slogan of Arthur R. Carlson, Portland printer, who filed his declaration of candidacy for state representative with the secretary of state. Mr. Carlson will make the race in the eighteenth representative district, which comprises Multnomah county.

Roseburg Has \$23,391 on Hand.

ROSEBURG, Or., Jan. 26.—(Special.)—Roseburg had \$23,391 on hand January 1, 1922, over and above all expenses, according to the annual report of City Recorder Whipple filed yesterday. The city during 1921 paid all general fund warrants with cash and increased its balance from \$11,697.68 on January 1, 1921, to the amount indicated above. The amount of city tax received approximated \$20,000 in 1920 and \$26,000 in 1921.



From a Chest Home

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Through the Community Chest you can share in the good work of all the forty-five agencies that are helping where help is needed. No more drives—no more tag days—just one big generous pledge—then the good work can go on and you will know that the money is being wisely spent under careful supervision. Last year proved the value of the Chest. This year the need is still greater—so MAKE YOUR GIFT LARGER THIS YEAR.

8000 men and women, your neighbors, will go out next week among the people of Portland in behalf of the Community Chest. They are giving their time and effort willingly and without compensation. They, like yourself, are also subscribing to the Community Chest.

Don't keep them waiting --- Don't put them off DO YOUR PART---QUICKLY---CHEERFULLY

Organizations Assisted by the Community Chest

- Albertina Kerr Nursery Home
- Americanization Committee
- Boy Scouts
- Baby Home, Waverly
- Boys' and Girls' Aid Society
- Camp Fire Girls
- Catholic Charitable Societies (local organizations)
- Co-operative Infant Welfare Society
- Federated Jewish Societies (local organizations)
- Florence Crittenton Home
- Louise Home
- National Safety Council
- Near East Relief
- Oregon Prisoners' Aid Society
- Oregon W. C. T. U. Home
- Pacific Protective League
- Parents' Educational Bureau
- People's Institute and Free Dispensary
- Pisgah Home Colony
- Portland Commons
- Portland Community Service
- Portland Fruit and Flower Mission
- Portland Settlement Center
- Public Welfare Bureau
- Red Cross
- for disabled soldiers of Portland
- Salvation Army
- Visiting Nurses' Association
- Volunteers of America
- Winter Relief Committee
- Women's Protective Division
- Working Girls' Home
- Y. M. C. A.
- Y. M. C. A. (International)
- Y. M. C. A. (State)
- Y. W. C. A. (Home Work)
- Y. W. C. A. (Northwest Field Work)

Community Chest

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Campaign Headquarters Multnomah Hotel

The city received \$52,900 cash during the year and expended from the general fund \$43,000. During the year city improvements amounting to \$34,819.41 were made, a large part of this being bonded under the Bancroft act. Bancroft bonds in the sum of \$18,000 were redeemed during the year.

Highway Directors Called.

TILLAMOOK, Or., Jan. 26.—(Special.)—B. P. Jones, president of the Roosevelt Memorial Coast Highway association, has called a meeting of the directors at the Imperial hotel, Portland, for next Monday morning. The association is not satisfied with the decision of the state highway commission in designating the Roosevelt highway a road of secondary importance. The matter is to be discussed with the forest service officials in Oregon, and if their indifference is not obtained the matter will be taken up directly with the secretaries of agriculture.

Fire Destroys Grange Hall.

CORVALLIS, Or., Jan. 26.—(Special.)—The Willamette grange hall was burned to the ground last night, entailing a net loss of about \$2000. The hall was four miles south of Corvallis and the fire is believed to have been started by tramps sleeping in the building, as the grange had had no meeting there. This is the second time the Willamette grange has lost its hall by fire and it had just cleared the debts on the recent structure.

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