

BRITISH CRUISERS MAY COME HERE

Rose Festival Association Re-
ceives Suggestion for
Naval Pageant

TWO FLEETS IN HARBOR

English Warships on Way to Vic-
toria Will Be Invited to As-
cend Columbia With the
American Squadron.

If a suggestion made to the Rose Festival Association, yesterday, and which will be acted upon, bears fruit, Portland will witness a naval pageant next June the like of which has never been seen on the Pacific Coast. The suggestion is that in view of the fact that a squadron of British cruisers is to be ordered to proceed to North Pacific waters, some time during the early Spring, and make Victoria, B. C., its headquarters, the British government be requested to have the squadron pay a formal visit to Portland during Festival week.

The suggestion came in the form of a letter sent yesterday to the Chamber of Commerce, and it was at once turned over to the Festival Association, for such action as it might see fit to take. The letter follows:

Gentlemen: As you contemplate having the United States warships in Portland during the Rose City Carnival, may I ask if your services can obtain permission from the British government to have the cruiser squadron come down from Victoria, B. C., and take in our Festival?

I have heard from good authority that a cruiser squadron is to be dispatched from England to the Pacific, making its headquarters at Victoria, B. C. Portland has never seen the visit of an English man-of-war and I am sure the public will appreciate it very much if your efforts succeed in having them here during our Festival. Yours very truly,
ARTHUR B. BONNER.
Comes From Englishman.

Mr. Bonner, though of English birth, is an American citizen, a resident of Portland, and since writing the letter has advised the Association of his willingness to do all in his power to work out the suggestion. He is manager of the Seaside Display Company, and his suggestion is that if the British sea-fighters come here and Admiral Evans' great fleet also is here, there could be nothing more attractive or more interesting to people of this part of the country than the international contests that might be held between the "jackets" of both navies.

The executive committee of the Festival Association has not had time for formal discussion of the ways and means of handling this matter, but it is altogether likely that the Chamber of Commerce will be asked to assume the responsibility of forwarding the official invitation to the British government to have the squadron sent to Portland.

Inasmuch as the officials of the Chamber have expressed their readiness to do all in their power to assist the Festival people, it will probably be left entirely in the hands of this organization. Just how much red-tape will have to be unwound, whether there will be any perplexing international knots to be untied, to whom the request should be made and other details, are matters that will have to be taken up by the Chamber of Commerce trustees.

That no time may be lost in laying plans to have the British ships come here, the executive committee of the Festival Association will hold a special meeting within a day or two and formally request the Chamber of Commerce to take up the matter. Whatever action the Chamber takes will have the approval of the Festival people.

Redoubles Its Efforts.

When the suggestion came up for discussion at a meeting of the officers of the Festival Association, yesterday afternoon, it was the unanimous opinion that the presence here of the American Navy during the Festival would materially assist in securing the consent of the British Admiralty to ordering the English cruiser squadron here, and for this reason efforts to persuade the powers that be at Washington to have the "Uncle Sam" fleet here in full strength at that time will be redoubled, as will the movement to have President Roosevelt be the city's guest on that occasion. In such case, with the two fleets here, a review by the President of the United States and a representative of the British Admiralty of the monster sea-fighters would be one of the drawing cards of the festivities.

The ways and means committee feels confident that the coming week will witness some splendid contributions to the Festival fund, which, while gradually mounting upward toward the coveted mark of \$100,000, has not much more than reached one-third of that sum as yet. Unrelenting prosecution of the financial campaign is to continue this week, chiefly among the large industrial, commercial and financial interests, capitalists and corporations, from whom it is anticipated pledges will come easier now that a number of the larger concerns have announced quite liberal subscriptions.

It is the present intention to announce the names and the amounts pledged, of all of those who have so far given their "mites," big or little, to the fund, the last of this week, or the first part of next, not only to show the public how widespread the interest in the Festival already is, but how generously a great many people have been in responding to the appeal for financial support.

Following the example of the Wholesale Grocers' Association, which holds its session next Tuesday night, a number of other large organizations of the city will meet to decide upon the amount of their pledges to the fund. This plan has been adopted by some concerns and classes of business in place of signing pledges with the committees who were sent out to solicit, for the reason that it will be easier to arrive at a more equitable basis of giving, where all firms in the same line of business can get together and talk the matter over, than to have each one contribute irrespective of what all the others have given.

Another good feature of this system is that under the canvassing method some concerns were overlooked, while in this way, none will be allowed to "escape."

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WOMAN DOCTOR'S ADVICE

How Physicians Should Act Towards
Patients' Statements.

LONDON, Oct. 26.—The London press is seeking interviews from members of the medical profession on certain passages in an address recently delivered by Dr. Sarah Gray before the London School of Medicine for Women. The passages upon which comment is made read as follows:

"It is legitimate to pay reasonable attention to the opinion of patients, because the profession exists not, indeed, to please patients, but to serve them."

"The patient should, if possible, be heard through, at least at the first visit. No matter how much better we know or believe we know than she does what is wrong, she feels that the most salient facts have been missed if we do not listen."

"To something, if possible, to evince a scientific interest may show learning, but the patient and her friends want relief."

"If a cheering verdict can be given, never fail to give it, and in plain English."

"Doctors should know where and whom to frighten. Sometimes it is all important to alarm friends; sometimes almost criminal to do so."

"Nothing excuses betrayal of panic on a doctor's part. For the patient's sake a demeanor of calm courage must be assumed in the worst emergencies."

"We are expected to distinguish with certainty between real and imaginary invalids."

"Many mistakes can be made, but also much valuable work may be done in giving counsel on the general conduct of life."

"Patients are mostly not idiots, and we help them best when we respect them."

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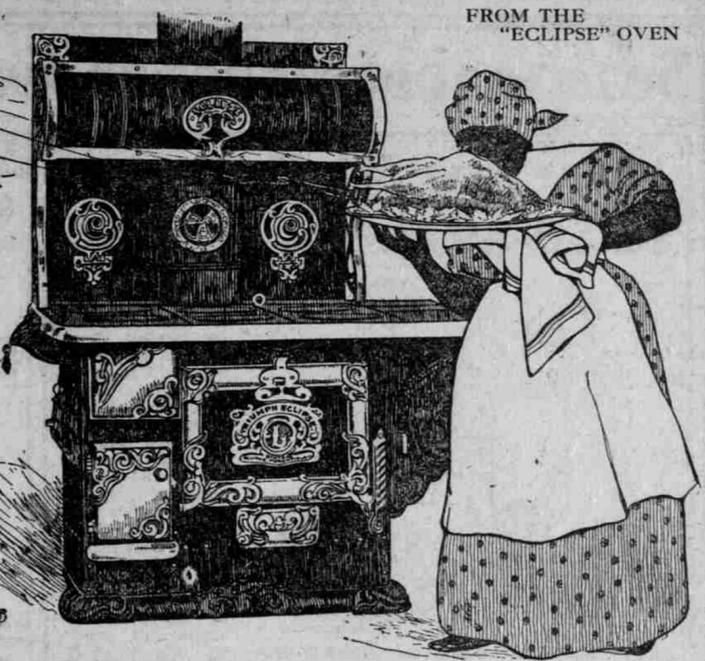
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