

# FESTIVAL PLANS ARE GIVE IMPETUS

### California Cities Will Enter, Says General Manager After Coast Trip.

## FLYING SQUADRON COMES

### Big Meeting for Final Organization of Pacific Association to Be Held Here—San Francisco Men Plan Excursion.

George L. Hutchin, general manager of the Rose Festival and president of the recently formed Pacific Association of the Pacific Coast, returned yesterday from San Francisco, where he attended a meeting of the executive committee of the association. He announced that in all probability a special excursion of Californians will attend the Rose Festival in June.

The leading officials of the Pan-Pacific International Exposition will be here and a large number of business men of the Bay City expect at that time to return to the visit of the "Oregon First" excursion trip which was made two months ago to select the site of the Oregon building.

In connection with the visit of the Californians, a meeting for the final organization of the executive workers for the Pacific Coast Festivals will be held here, at which there will be from 50 to 75 delegates from all the leading cities of the Coast. Representatives at the meeting at San Francisco this week announced that fully a dozen Californian cities and as many more from Pacific Northwestern States would be on hand during the meeting here at Festival time.

San Diego and Pasadena enter. San Diego and Pasadena are arranging to have floats entered in one or more of the Rose Festival pageants and will send a group of young women to preside over these floats and to assist in various social functions which will be a part of the general week's programme.

San Francisco, Los Angeles and other Southern cities will be strongly represented at our next meeting at the Rose Festival," said President Hutchin. "The get-together movement which is being fostered under the auspices of the Coast Festivals' Association has served to bring the California cities which hold annual fairs and tournaments into much closer touch with each other and the suggestion that they all come to Portland for the big annual celebration here met with instant favor.

"We also expect to have here the famous 'Flying Squadron' of the San Francisco Commercial Club, which made such a hit on the 'Oregon First' excursion to San Francisco.

"The direct benefits derived for us from the get-together movement are evident from the fact that no celebration of any kind ever held outside the State of California has received half as much publicity as the San Francisco papers have given to the Rose Festival, and the Portland Rose Festival. They have taken the proposition up with great enthusiasm and are boosting the Rose Festival because the idea originated here in Portland."

**Rules for Vehicle Parade Out.**

The rules and regulations governing the horse and vehicle parade of the Rose Festival on Thursday afternoon, June 12, and the list of cups and trophies to be awarded to the prize winners were announced by Dr. Emmet Drake, chairman of the parade committee, yesterday. The rules in brief are as follows:

Nothing of an advertising character will be allowed in the parade unless it is a creation of flowers, and roses preferred.

No contestant can enter the same horse or vehicle or float in competition for more than one prize.

Each and every contestant for prize honors will be assigned position in the parade and must be at the point of starting designated by the committee at 1 P. M. sharp.

Only entries decorated with natural flowers will be eligible to compete for prizes.

First and second prize trophies will be awarded in the following classes:

Tally-ho, four or more horses; carriage and team; special float or feature; horse and buggy (four wheels); horse and track or speed cart (two wheels); pony carriage and pair; pony and carriage (four wheels); pony and cart (two wheels); saddle horses (tandem); saddle horse man rider; saddle horse, lady rider; saddle pony, girl rider; saddle boy, dog rider; trap (four wheels); English dog cart (two wheels); special prize best entry decorated with roses exclusively; special feature or float by school; best decorated fire apparatus.

**PLANS FOR PARADES GROW**

Horse and Vehicle Event to Be Elaborate This Year.

Committees on the horse and vehicle parade and the automobile parade which are to be held during the Rose Festival have met at work during the past week and many new features no doubt will be added this year.

The committee is in touch with a number of organizations and individuals in the valley towns and indications are that there will be many out-of-town entries in the horse and vehicle parade this year.

The Portland Hunt Club and the Riverside Driving Club have appointed committees to work out details for their respective events. They both are anxious to have a better showing than they had last year.

Lodges, societies, organizations of all kinds will be represented. This parade being a strictly floral event, barring anything but natural flowers and not allowing any advertising except that worked out with flowers, is always a leading feature of the festival.

Many people are under the impression that the automobile has taken the place of the horse entirely, and this is the time that the horsemen come out to prove that the horse still is supreme.

**WASHERS COMING TO FESTIVAL.**

WASHINGTON, April 20.—Representative Hawley has been advised that tentative plans for the presence of the battleship Maryland in Portland harbor for the week of the Rose Festival are being made and he confident a definite order will be issued shortly.

**POLITICS Y. M. C. A. TOPIC**

Titanic Pictures Will Also Be Feature at Today's Meeting.

"Politics and Religion" will be the timely subject of discussion at the

weekly men's meeting in the auditorium of the Portland Young Men's Christian Association this afternoon at 7 o'clock. The speaker will be Dr. J. S. Martin, of Pittsburg, president of the National Reform Association. Special music will be provided, including a duet by James Heay, on the clarinet, and Buford Roach on the violin.

An interesting feature of the meeting will be a brief talk on the wreck of the Titanic, illustrated with pictures of the vessel and other big Atlantic liners.

## SMOKER IS BIG SUCCESS

### 250 Attend First Event of Portland Transportation Club.

Members of the Portland Transportation Club gathered at the Multnomah Hotel Friday night to enjoy their first smoker and entertainment, which proved a source of much pleasure and goodwill for all of the 250 who

## UNIVERSITY SENIOR WHO IS TO TEACH IN THE PHILIPPINES



**Walter R. Bailey.**

**UNIVERSITY OF OREGON, Eugene, April 20.—(Special).—**In consequence of his success in the civil service examinations held in Portland recently, Walter R. Bailey, a member of the present senior class at the university, registered from Gladstone, left college this week to report at Manila, preparatory to teaching in the Government schools in the Philippine Islands.

Bailey's initial two-year commission carries with it a salary of \$1200 per annum, with prospect of a \$3000 ultimate stipend.

While at Oregon Bailey was prominently associated with the student literary publications and bore the distinction of being the youngest man in college. In his stockpiling feet he stood more than six feet, five inches.

attended. Election returns, speech-making and music were the principal features of entertainment.

L. P. Knowlton, president of the club, presided. He was assisted in carrying out the programme by W. Meerrman, Dorsey B. Smith and E. L. Cardie, members of the executive committee.

C. C. Chapman, of the Commercial Club, was the principal speaker—and story-teller. Others were A. C. Spencer, A. Morse, Colonel Eddy, Franklin T. Griffith, J. E. Wertlein and Harrison Allen. Frank Hennessy sang a number of songs and an orchestra played sweet music.

## TILLMAN, JR., TO LIVE HERE

**Son of Noted Southern Senator Will Reside in Portland.**

Benjamin Tillman, Jr., son of Senator Tillman, was a guest and one of the speakers at the luncheon of the Southern Association yesterday, announcing his intention of making his home in Portland in future and thanking the Southern men for their warm reception. Dr. R. C. Carter and P. D. Morrison gave speeches on the South, and Mitchell Carter, of Alabama, was honored again and again in his singing of the negro laborers' chant.

The meeting was to have been a Southern newspapermen's day, and Tom Richardson, the chairman, had planned

## WELL-KNOWN PORTLAND HEIGHTS WOMAN PASSES AWAY



**Mrs. Wilma M. Sturges.**

With the death of Mrs. Wilma M. Sturges, after an operation at Good Samaritan Hospital, Thursday evening, Portland Heights loses one of its earliest and best-known residents.

Mrs. Sturges, who was a native of Hanover, Germany, came to Oregon with her parents 21 years ago, locating first of all at Salem, but moving shortly afterwards to Ravensview, on Portland Heights, which had been her home ever since, except for a visit to her original home in 1911.

She was a woman of refined tastes and happy temperament, with a great love for good books and the beautiful in Nature. For some years she had been a sufferer, but was brave and cheerful to the last. Her loss will be deeply felt, not only by her immediate family and her many German friends, but by all those with whom she came in contact, and to whom she had endeared herself by many estimable qualities.

Her sister, Mrs. Robert L. Ball, together with her brother, George Sturges, has her two children, Ingo B. and Daniela Sturges, survive her.



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to have communications from Henry Watterson and other prominent Southern editors to her read, but probably owing to the floods that have interfered with the mail and telegraph service in the South recently, not all of the messages were received and they will be reserved for a future meeting.

C. Lombardi, formerly president of the Gordon Grain Company, in Portland, now manager of the Galveston and Dallas News, wired a message of greeting to his fellow Southerners, which was read at the beginning of the meeting. In response to a message from the Rose Carnival Committee, requesting the Southerners' Association to take part in the Horse and Vehicle parade on Thursday, June 12, in the Rose Festival, Mr. Richardson appointed A. King Wilson to select a committee of four to make arrangements for entering a representation from the association in the parade.

A resolution was unanimously passed expressing regret over the catastrophe in which the Titanic was lost with the greater portion of her crew and passengers, and condoling the survivors and the friends and relatives of those who were lost for the sorrows and hardships endured.

## GRENIER TO NEW YORK

**Pacific Power & Light Company Announces Changes.**

A. S. Grenier, for the last two years vice-president of the Pacific Power & Light Company of this city, left last night for New York, where he will be connected with the American Power & Light Company, which is interested in the Pacific Power & Light Company. Mr. Grenier is to become assistant to F. S. Ryan, now president of the American Power & Light Company and who formerly resided in Portland. As a result of Mr. Grenier's leaving, a number of changes have been announced in the organization of the Pacific Power & Light Company.

## OPTION ON TRACT FOR SECOND INDUSTRY IS TAKEN BETWEEN SLOUGH AND BOULEVARD IS RUMOR—TOTAL COST \$2,000,000.

Definite announcement of plans for the big packing plant to be established at Maesly Station, on the Peninsula, by the James C. Good Packing Company will be made this week, according to a report yesterday. In the absence of Mr. Good from the city, details relative to the company's plans are being withheld.

It is expected that the proposed plant will be fully as large as that of the Union Meat Company. It will represent an investment of more than \$200,000. Associated with Mr. Good in the project are several Portland business men. Mr. Good until recently was secretary of the Union Meat Company. For a number of years he represented the Swift interests in the Portland field.

In addition to the Good project, it is understood that plans are being formulated by Chicago packing interests to establish another plant on the Peninsula of a much greater magnitude than either of the plants of the Union Meat Company or the Good

## MODEST DANCER IS SUED

**Actress Refuses to Show at Rehearsal, Claiming Improper Costume.**

**FARIS, April 20.—(Special).—**Mlle. Vanora, a dancer, was billed to appear in a music hall sketch, but failed to turn up at the dress rehearsal or afterwards, and is sued for \$200 damages by her manager. She replied that he asked her to dress, or undress, in garments in which her modesty forbade her appearing. The court has accordingly decided that:

Whereas the spinner Vanora maintains that the gauze robe which she was to wear was an improper costume, whereas her manager, on the contrary, maintains that the costume was supplemented by divers accessories, such as veils and ornaments, of such a kind that neither the modesty of the spinner Vanora nor that of the spectators could be offended.

Whereas in the circumstances the court does not possess the needful elements for pronouncing judgment in the matter, but must have recourse to an inquiry.

For these reasons, therefore, the court authorizes the spinner to appear to offer proof of the following alleged facts:

(1)—The part allotted to her consisted merely of a simple exhibition of herself.

(2)—The gauze robe which she was to wear included no accessories as alleged, neither veils nor adventitious ornaments.

It is not stated when these proofs will be offered by Mlle. Vanora.

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concern. A representative of the Chicago people has been in Portland several days and it is understood that he has secured options on a large tract between Columbia boulevard and Columbia Slough. It is also rumored that a Puget Sound packing company is negotiating for a site on the Peninsula on which to establish a packing plant. It is declared that the two proposed plants will involve an investment of \$2,000,000.

## SALMON PACKERS CONFER

**Fishing Interests Fail to Agree on Price for Coming Season.**

ASTORIA, Or., April 20.—(Special).—Columbia River salmon packers, canners and cold-storage men held a meeting today to fix prices to be paid for raw salmon when the season opens, May 1.

No agreement was reached, however, and the only prices thus far fixed are those set by the Fishermen's Union of 6 1/2 cents a pound for fish weighing less than 25 pounds and 7 1/2 cents a pound for the large or cold-storage fish. Some of the packers want to discontinue the practice of buying fish from the independent buyers and also to stop the cutters purchasing small fish from the cold-storage men. This prevented an agreement at today's meeting.

## ENGINEERS' MEETING ENDS

**Delegates Enjoy Trip to P. R. L. & P. Plants.**

The Pacific Coast meeting of the American Institute of Electrical Engineers came to a close yesterday with a tour of inspection of the city and the plants of the Portland Railway, Light & Power Company.

The meeting was the most successful of any held by the division heretofore. Tuesday, Wednesday and

**ONE BLOCK FROM THE BELGIAN—**May Robson in "A Night Out."

**ACROSS THE STREET FROM THE ORPHEUM—**Vaudeville.

**FOUR BLOCKS FROM THE BAKER—**Baker Stock Company in "The Spoilers."

**ONE BLOCK FROM PANTAGES—**Vaudeville.

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Thursday were devoted to business, with the exception of the entertainment of the visiting women and a trip to Oregon City on Thursday afternoon. Friday and Saturday were given up to sightseeing in places of interest to electrical engineers. The speakers included some of the leading authorities on electricity in the United States.

## PROHIBITION CLUB TO MEET

The Prohibition Party Club will hold its regular weekly meeting at the Modern School hall, Behrke-Walker building, Fourth and Yamhill streets tomorrow evening. All persons who believe that the liquor traffic should be destroyed are urged to be present and take part in the discussion of "ways and means."

## REWARD FOR THIEF OFFERED

Seeking to recover heirlooms and jewelry stolen three weeks ago from his home at Evergreen Station, on the Oregon City carline, D. M. Lloyd has

## SAFE DEPOSIT VAULTS.

Private boxes \$2.50 and upwards per year; storage, Chamber of Commerce building.

Casey Funeral Is Held.

The funeral of the late Melton H. Casey, who died April 17 at St. Vincent's Hospital, was held yesterday from Finley's chapel, interment being at Mount Scott Park Cemetery.

Except around the first of the month, very few people get as much mail as they think they should.

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