

EDITORS' SESSIONS CLOSE AT BANQUET

Oregon Viands Constitute Courses at Commercial Club Dinner.

CO-OPERATION VOW TAKEN

New President of Association Pleads for Less Community Jealousy.

- 'MADE-IN-OREGON' MENU EATEN BY OREGON NEWS-PAPER MEN. Yaquina Bay Oysters, Heppner Short Horn Bouillon, Willamette Valley Celery, Oregon City Baby Chinook Salmon, Pommas au Reitz, Umpqua Valley Fed Turkey, Clatsop County Cranberry Jelly, Crook County Potatoes, Klamath Falls Asparagus, Hood River Fruit Salad, Neapolitan Ice Cream, Tillamook Cream Cheese, Demi Tasse.

Oregon-made viands were eaten and enthusiasm for Oregon was made at the banquet given at the Commercial Club last night by the Oregon Manufacturers' Association for the members of the Oregon State Press Association.

Mr. Bede struck a responsive chord when he urged more community co-operation and less community jealousy in the state as a whole.

Other speakers were: Colvin B. Brown, director of the department of domestic exploitation of the Panama-Pacific Exposition, who made a stirring appeal for co-operation of the states of the Pacific Coast in the big Fair and who opened the eyes of his hearers by his statistical summing up of its magnitude; ex-Senator Jonathan Bourne, who told of 'The Relation of Good Roads to Our Industries'; Edith Tozier Weathered, who told 'What Women Are Doing for the State's Progress'; and C. S. Jackson, vice-president of the Commercial Club, who appeared in the 'clean-up' role, speaking on 'What the Rest Forgot.'

Douglas Muller, 15 years old and youngest publisher in the state, took the money and issued a receipt for subscription to his paper, the Redmond Enterprise, across the table just before the triple-striped ice cream was served.

At the afternoon session Colonel E. Hofer, of Salem, (Arleta) News, secretary, 'How to Make a Practical Success of Daily and Weekly Journalism.'

University Is Backed. At the executive session in the afternoon the editors adopted resolutions in which they went on record in support of the campaign to sustain the appropriation for the State University.

The proposed interstate bridge was endorsed, as was also the movement for Oregon-made goods and the proposal to bid good roads by means of 50-year Government Improvement bonds, Congress being urged to pass a measure making such bonds possible.

The State Legislature was commended for its work at the last session to compel railroads to publish time tables in all local newspapers. The campaign for clean billboard advertising was endorsed.

Officers elected were: President, Elbert Bede, of the Cottage Grove Sentinel; vice-president, E. H. Flagg, of the Mount Scott (Arleta) News; secretary, Phil S. Bates, of the Pacific Northwest, re-elected; members of the executive committee, with the other officers, C. L. Ireland, of the Moro Record, and W. J. Clark, of the Independence Enterprise.

Monument Move Grows. The movement to erect a monument over the grave of Homer Davenport at Silverton, which has gained momentum by reason of the prominence given it in the affairs of the convention, was furthered by the adoption of the following resolutions:

'That the newspapers of Oregon give publicity to the movement and accept subscriptions from their communities. 'That the newspapers of Oregon be requested to forward the movement by giving for one year 25 cents a month on each thousand of their circulation. 'That the newspaper men of the state be requested to write their newspaper friends in other states giving them opportunity to contribute to the fund but in no way impugning them to do so. 'That the proposition of selling clippings from the paper of Homer Davenport's mother be given consideration, and used if practicable. 'That all further methods be left with the general committee now having the matter in charge, consisting of Governor West, State Treasurer Kay and Secretary of State O'Connell, as custodians of the fund, and Shad G. Knuts of the Oregonian, and H. E. Hodges, of the Silverton Appeal, as advisory members.'

ARMSTRONGS ARE INDICTED County School Superintendent and Brother Held by Grand Jury.

Indictments were returned yesterday by the Multnomah grand jury against A. P. Armstrong, County School Superintendent, for furnishing special information relative to a civil service examination to Robert H. Craddock, and against Robert Armstrong for aiding his brother in furnishing the information. The alleged offense was committed while A. P. Armstrong was a member of the Civil Service Commission of Portland. He is under an indictment also for accepting a bribe while a member of the Civil Service Commission.

The furnishing of special secret information regarding examination questions under civil service regulations is a state offense, although apparently only a crime against the city because the city charter was granted by an act of the Legislature, thus making its violation a state offense.

The only other indictment returned yesterday by the grand jury charged H. W. Harrison with contributing to the delinquency of his wife. Harrison is in jail awaiting a trial.

AGRETTE DEALERS HOPE

Price Maintained, Despite Federal Prohibition.

PARIS, Oct. 18.—(Special.)—Holders of stocks of agrettes, which are no longer allowed to be imported into the United States, although dismayed by the prompt action of the American customs authorities in enforcing the law, have not as yet reduced their prices. They are hopeful that some arrangement can be made by which they can sell their stock to Americans. Otherwise they will face heavy losses.

Much money has been sunk in expeditions in search of agrettes for this

SYNOD HEAD YOUNG

Rev. David H. Hare Former Portland Pastoral Aide.

MOSCOW MINISTER WINS Newly-Elected Moderator of Washington Church Body Assistant Here to Rev. Edgar P. Hill, 1905-07.

VANCOUVER, Wash., Oct. 18.—(Special.)—Rev. David H. Hare, newly elected moderator of the Synod of Washington

ton, which includes all the States of Washington, Idaho and Alaska, is pastor at Moscow, Rev. Mr. Hare was formerly assistant pastor of the First Presbyterian Church, of Portland, Or., under Rev. Edgar P. Hill, from 1905 to 1907.

Mr. Hare is a graduate of the College of Emporia, at Emporia, Kan., of the class of 1899, and of the Princeton Theological Seminary, of the class of 1902. He came West the first year of his ministry, going to the Presbytery of Southern Oregon, being pastor at Myrtle Point, LaSater, he went to Portland, and about five years later went to the Synod of Washington. He is a young man.

Elder Robert Rutherford, of Oak Point, Wash., is 87 years old and was mistaken many times during Synod, for James J. Hill, the Empire Builder, whom he resembles.

Elder N. W. Templeton, though but 67 years old, was here in 1847, and has lived in either Washington or Oregon continuously since. He was three years old when his father, Presbyterian minister, came to Oregon. His son, H. S. Templeton, is Vancouver pastor of the Presbyterian Church.

Two More Tax Suits Filed. ABERDEEN, Wash., Oct. 18.—(Special.)—Two more tax suits have been brought against the County. The plaintiffs are the Federal Mill Company and W. C. Cameron. The Federal mill was assessed on a 40 per cent valuation of \$48,530 and asks that the valuation be reduced to \$26,273. The claim is made that all the information and lists of property were given the Assessor that were asked for, and that the valuation is greatly in excess of the true valuation. It is also contended that Assessor Wiley and Treasurer McGillivuddy were not legally members of the Equalization Board.

Chehalis Wants Better Mail Service. CHEHALIS, Wash., Oct. 18.—(Special.)—Residents of Riverdale, a growing suburb of Chehalis to the southwest, have petitioned the Postoffice Department to extend the free city carrier service to that portion of the city. Building of a new concrete roadway to Riverdale, new walks and other improvements are cited as reasons why the service should be extended.

OREGON PIONEER DIES NEAR COLVILLE, WASH. Charles Alexander Charlton. COLVILLE, Wash., Oct. 18.—(Special.)—Charles Alexander Charlton, who died at his home in Echo Valley, near Colville, Oct. 18, was born at Lousberg, Va., March 23, 1829. He crossed the plains to Oregon by oxteam in 1850 and settled near Lebanon, Or. He made annual excursions to the mines of Southern Oregon and California. He served through the Rogue River Indian war in 1855-6 as a private in Captain Rice's volunteers.

On January 20, 1858, he married Miss Fernella C. Newlin. His widow survives him. His parents were John and Charlotte Charlton. His brother, Joseph J. Charlton, at one time Sheriff of Linn County, Oregon, now lives at Kettle Falls, Wash. Only three months ago he received \$100 as pay from the State of Oregon for the loss of a horse and saddle in the Rogue River Indian war.



PROMINENT SYNOD DELEGATES POSE FOR PHOTOGRAPHS AT VANCOUVER MEETING, WHICH CLOSED FRIDAY.

J. G. MACK & CO. FIFTH AND STARK. From the Leading Eastern Makers and Importers the New Furniture, Carpet, Rug, Drapery, Upholstery and Decorative Stocks Are Arriving Here Daily. Many of the new selections, especially in Furniture and Floor Coverings, are already displayed to advantage. Many New Arrivals Noted on the Furniture Floors. Among them are: Writing Desks in mahogany from \$14.75 up. A collection of Gift Pieces, in mahogany, such as Candlesticks, Book Blocks, Serving Trays, Sewing Tables, etc. Mahogany Sewing Tables as low as \$8.50. Piano Benches and Music Cabinets, also in the mahogany. Mahogany Library Tables at present as low as \$33. Mahogany Wall Tables with folding tops. Luxurious Overstuffed Pieces—Easy Chairs, Rockers and Davenport. Overstuffed Chairs and Rockers, matched pieces, as low as \$28 each. Also new arrivals in handsome Bedroom Sets, in mahogany, Circassian walnut and in the enamel.

New Creations in Fine Wilton Rugs, Direct From the Looms of Whittall, Bigelow and Other Nationally-Known Makers, at \$40 and to \$60. Introductory Sale of 9x12-ft. Axminster Rugs, Special at \$24.75. Fifth and Stark J. G. MACK & CO. Fifth and Stark.

OREGON STUDENTS 74. Beaver State Folk Organized at Berkeley. PORTLAND GIRL PRESIDENT. Organization at University Includes Earl Crabbe, Who Lowered Two-Mile Record, and Other Students Noted in Activities. OPERA HOUSE DESTROYED. Drugstore and Residence Also Burn With Loss of \$2000. STOPS TOBACCO HABIT. Elders' Sanitarium, located at 993 Main St., St. Joseph, Mo., has published a book showing the deadly effect of the tobacco habit, and how it can be stopped in three to five days. TO PUT ON FLESH AND INCREASE WEIGHT. A Physician's Advice. Most thin people eat from four to six pounds of good solid fat-making food every day and still do not increase in weight one ounce, while on the other hand many of the plump, chunky folks eat very lightly and keep gaining all the time.

J. C. ENGLISH CO. 128 Park Street. CROXONE SAVES ELDERLY PEOPLE FROM KIDNEY AND BLADDER MISERIES. Sleep-Disturbing Bladder Weakness, Backache, Stiff Joints, Rheumatic Pains, Disappear After Few Doses Are Taken. While people along in years are naturally more subject to weak kidneys, they can easily avoid the tortures of backache and rheumatism, and be saved the annoyance of getting up at night with disagreeable bladder disorders.

FATHER GETS GIFT BACK

Sons Compelled to Disgorge Box Factory Deeded as Precantion.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Oct. 18.—Samuel Inman, 67 years old, who on starting a trip to Europe two years ago and leaving something might happen to him before he could return, turned over his controlling interests in a local box factory to three sons, will not lose his control of the business. This was decided by Circuit Judge Bird here today.

When he went abroad Inman divided his 27 box factory shares, valued at \$50,000, among the sons equally. These and the State Legislature was commended for its work at the last session to compel railroads to publish time tables in all local newspapers.

This is an exceptional case, the court said in his decision. 'I will not see this old man who spent his lifetime building up a business dispossessed by three young men who believe they know more than he.'

NATATORIUM IS PLANNED

Seaside to Have \$30,000 Plant With Modern Equipment.

SEASIDE, Or., Oct. 18.—(Special.)—Work will be commenced about January 1 on a \$30,000 natatorium in this city by J. E. Oates, who owns the site opposite the Moore Hotel. The building will be first class and provided with facilities for hot and cold bathing in salt and fresh water. The main swimming tank will be 50 by 100 feet and will range in depth from three to eight feet. One of the prominent features of the natatorium will be a lounge-room.

An electric pumping plant will be installed to supply salt water and a heating plant will be used to keep the tank at the proper temperature throughout the year as well as to supply hot water showers.

AMBULANCE KILLS WAITER

John Schneider, Recently From Seattle, Heedless of Siren.

John Schneider, a waiter, was run down and killed by an ambulance driven by Ben Buck last night as it was answering an emergency call to a Third-street restaurant. Schneider stepped in front of the machine at Third and Ankeny streets and it is said paid no attention to the ambulance siren and the warning of the police touring car, which was proceeding on its way to an East Side call.

Schneider is said to have recently come to Portland from Seattle. The body was taken to the morgue.

The call for the ambulance was for Charles Clark, who had become unconscious in a restaurant at Third and Alder streets.

50 MAKERS' PIANOS

and player pianos represented in the Graves Music Company Removal Sale. See adv. page 10, section 2.—Adv.