

# AD MEN TO MEET AT SPOKANE IN 1916

C. F. Berg, of Portland, Elected First Vice-President of Coast Association.

F. H. LLOYD, SPOKANE, HEAD

Inland Empire Metropolis Takes Chief Honors for Activity in Last Year and for Attendance at Convention This Year.

LOS ANGELES, May 29.—(Special.)—The delegates to the Pacific Coast Advertising Men's Association enjoyed a varied programme today. After a business session in the forenoon in the Normal Hall, the remainder of the day was devoted to pleasure. The visitors were taken for a motorcar ride early in the afternoon. At 5:30 P. M. they attended a Spanish barbecue at Scheuten Park, and attended the "Mission Play" at San Gabriel in the evening.

At the business session, Spokane was designated as the next meeting place for the convention, and these officers were elected: President, F. H. Lloyd, Spokane; first vice-president, C. F. Berg, Portland; second vice-president, T. A. Cody, Sacramento; third vice-president, Stanley Hall, San Diego; secretary, Dr. R. M. Emerson, Portland; members of executive committee: R. L. Bibby, of Los Angeles (chairman); C. H. Tallant, of San Francisco; R. A. Alken, of Seattle; W. W. Cribbens, of Oakland, and A. H. Wilkins, of Los Angeles.

Another interesting feature of the business session was the awarding of trophies. The Spokane Ad Club won the Coast trophy, donated by G. Herbert Paine and given by the Los Angeles Ad Club to the club showing the greatest activity during the past year. The committee on awards based their decision on attendance at the convention, work done in behalf of the profession of advertising, vigilance committee work and educational work among members.

The president's trophy, awarded by the president to the delegation that shows the largest percentage of attendance at the convention, was captured by the Spokane Ad Club. Delegation from the Sacramento Ad Club won the Hotel Clark trophy, offered to the delegation that registered the greatest mileage. The Los Angeles trophy, donated by G. Herbert Paine and awarded to the member of the Los Angeles Ad Club, or the Women's Ad Club of Los Angeles, for the best exhibit of advertising, was won by Miss Louise Porter, advertising manager for J. W. Robinson Company, and Miss Peggy Martin.

The delegates will leave at 10 o'clock tomorrow morning on a special train for San Diego. The excursion to the southern city is under the auspices of the San Diego Ad Club.

Charles F. Berg is an ex-president of the Portland Ad Club and director of athletic events in the Rose Festival. Dr. E. M. Emerson, chairman of the Portland delegation, telegraphed the news from Los Angeles yesterday and predicted that Mr. Berg would be elected president in 1916 and that Portland would get the convention in that year.

## BEACH ROAD STEPS TAKEN

Newport Appropriates Funds for Route to Otter Rocks.

NEWPORT, Or., May 29.—(Special.)—Initial steps have been taken to establish hard-surfaced or plank roads along the beach in Lincoln County, the coast line of which is unsurpassed in scenic beauty. Already the road has been planked leading from Waldport to the beach and from South Beach, across from Newport on the Waldport stage line, to the beach and around Seal Rocks, on the south shore of Yaquina Bay. North of Newport the road to Azate Beach will be completed by August 1.

The latter road eventually will lead to Siletz Bay. At present the section connecting the Oceanhill or Monterey property with Newport has been completed and the second section from Oceanhill to Azate Beach is fast nearing completion. Money has been appropriated for temporary improvements on the road to Otter Rocks and the Devil's Punchbowl.

## PENDLETON CLUB ELECTS

Current Literature Study of Year Is Completed.

PENDLETON, Or., May 29.—(Special.)—The Current Literature Club

has closed its year's work. The subject for study was "Modern American Literature and World Problems." The year-book committee, Mrs. James A. Fee, Mrs. E. B. Aldrich and Mrs. J. S. Johns, divided the subject into 16 meetings. The literature of other countries was sometimes used as a basis of comparison. The club will continue along the same lines next year.

The officers for the past year were: Mrs. James Johns, president; Mrs. A. C. Hampton, vice-president; Mrs. C. S. Jerard, treasurer, and Mrs. J. S. Johns, secretary.

The club has taken active interest in civic and social improvement. The club assisted in giving the library ball, sold 315 worth of Red Cross stamps, sent 45 to the Boy's and Girl's Aid Society, joined the National Peace Party and appropriated \$10 to the New Year Book committee.

At the annual business meeting the following officers were elected for the year beginning in October: Mrs. A. C.



Charles F. Berg, Portland Man, Chosen First Vice-President of Coast Admen's Association.

Hampton, president; Mrs. H. B. Bickert, vice-president; Mrs. C. S. Jerard, treasurer and Mrs. J. S. Johns, secretary. The New Year-Book committee comprises Mrs. James A. Fee and Mrs. F. C. Coleworthy; literature, Mrs. Norborne, Berkeley art, and Mrs. A. Carl Power, music.

## YOUNG CHURCH FOLK ELECT

Willamette Valley League Convention Is Opened at Eugene.

EUGENE, Or., May 29.—(Special.)—More than 50 delegates from Portland, La Center, Washington, Silverton, Canby and other Willamette Valley points took part in the sixth annual convention of the Willamette Valley Young People's League here today in the Norwegian Lutheran Church. Rev. P. Thorpe, of St. James, Minn., was special representative of the church for the East. He spoke tonight before the social gathering.

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## SMITH MILL IS DAMAGED

Chiphouse of Plant at Marshfield Is Burned With \$10,000 Loss.

MARSHFIELD, Or., May 29.—(Special.)—Fire which caught from the large C. A. Smith mill-burner today destroyed the chiphouse, an auxiliary of the mill, causing a loss of between \$8000 and \$10,000.

The flames were prevented from communicating to other large buildings by the mill water system, and the full force in the industries turned out to fight the fire. The first chiphouse built for the mill, causing a loss of between \$8000 and \$10,000.

## TWO MORE CAMPS TO OPEN

Daniels Creek and Coos River Work to Give Jobs to 110 Men.

MARSHFIELD, Or., May 29.—(Special.)—The McDonald and Vaughan Logging camp, employing 80 men, will open on Daniels Creek next Monday and the Coos Bay Mill Company will open a camp on Coos River to employ about 30 men in the next two weeks. Local milling concerns say the lumber business is showing marked activity and several mills have received good prices for large orders recently.

## Aberdeen to Have Cleanup Week.

ABERDEEN, Wash., May 29.—(Special.)—A cleanup week in which each of the city wards will have one cleanup day has been ordered by the Council and will begin June 7. The city will furnish wagons free to haul away garbage.

# AMERICAS LEAVE SHIP ISSUE OPEN

Conference Agrees Transportation Is Essential, but Avoids Politics.

M'ADOO PROMISES ACTION

Congress to Be Urged to Continue Work—Latin-American Visitors to Make Tour of Middle West and East.

WASHINGTON, May 29.—The Pan-American financial conference came to an end here tonight after six days' discussion of problems which have confronted the two Americas as a consequence of the European war.

The concrete results of the conference may not be apparent for months to come, but none of the representatives

of the United States or the 18 Latin-American republics which sent delegates were inclined to overlook its sentimental value, and the apparent fact that through the agency business men of the United States and its sister republics have come to a better understanding of each other's views.

Transportation Question Left Open. What the results of the conference may be, so far as the United States is concerned, probably will not be apparent until Congress meets next Fall and receives the report of Secretary McAdoo, presiding officer of the conference, and the suggestions he may make.

Of first importance, politically and commercially, is the question of improved transportation facilities between North and South America. The conference took no definite stand today on how transportation could be best developed, and left the question of ship subsidy or Government ownership exactly where it was when the deliberations began. Mr. McAdoo indicated, however, his purpose to make some concrete proposal to Congress, saying he expected to urge the President to press for adequate legislation.

The report of the committee on transportation was adopted today without a dissenting vote. The only sign of a disagreement came when William Legendre, of New York, proposed to amend a resolution offered by ex-Governor Francis, of Missouri, approving the report; the amendment, urging changes in the navigation laws of the United States, was overruled by Secretary McAdoo.

Political Issue Avoided. "We are not here," said Secretary McAdoo, "to discuss Government ownership of ship subsidy. We have desired above all to keep the political aspects out of this conference. Questions of

Government ownership of steamships or of ship subsidies have assumed a political aspect in this country, and I think this conference should avoid them."

Secretary McAdoo said he would urge on the President the need of continuing the work of the conference. He pointed out that the delegates had no power to take affirmative action on the question of transportation, but that each country must be left to deal with the matter in its own way. The "group committees" of the conference which have done the real work would be replaced, he added, with permanent committees in the United States to continue the work.

The conference ended tonight with a banquet in the Pan-American Union building. Secretary McAdoo was host. On Monday the delegates will start on a two weeks' tour of the Middle West and East, and will wind up in New York about the middle of June.

## TAX LEAGUE BEING FORMED

La Grande Folk Are Told to Make Intelligent Investigation.

LA GRANDE, Or., May 29.—(Special.)—Preliminary steps were taken here today to create a tax league to lower taxes. Robert E. Smith, of Roseburg, and secretary of the State Tax Association, attended.

"There is too much talk about high taxes and not enough intelligent investigation on the part of the taxpayer," said Mr. Smith. "As an example of what I mean, taxes in Union County, exclusive of state taxes, have increased 141 per cent in nine years. This does not mean that

all taxes have increased 141 per cent. County taxes have increased 31 per cent, school taxes have increased 309 per cent and city taxes have increased 450 per cent. In order to reduce taxes you have got to look for the place where the taxes are the highest."

## 5 ON FERRY ARE DROWNED

Horse Backs Party Going to Church Into Cowlitz River.

TACOMA, Wash., May 29.—Five persons were drowned in the Cowlitz River about eight miles from Martin, 40 miles south of Tacoma, today, when a horse attached to a vehicle in which they were going to mass at a Catholic church backed off the Hiffe ferry.

The dead are: Mrs. Hienaelman, Miss Anna Bergen and Frank Bergen's three children, all of whom were under 10 years of age. Miss Ella Bergen and Bart Bergen were saved.

## Summer Normal Open June 21

CENTRALIA, Wash., May 29.—(Special.)—Professor E. J. Klemme, of the Ellensburg State Normal School, who will head the Centralia Summer Normal, was in Centralia Thursday making arrangements for the opening of the school on June 21. Professor Klemme expects an enrollment of more than 100 here this summer and an even greater attendance next year. In the future the school will be operated as a permanent branch of the Ellensburg institution. J. M. Laybue, superintendent of Centralia schools, will assist Professor Klemme in directing the summer school work.



LOOKING FOR TROUBLE AND HUNTING FOR BARGAINS ARE ONE AND THE SAME THING!

Don't search for clothing bargains. The usual clothing bargain shrieks aloud and tells the passerby what it is and where it came from.

Come to the shop that has respect for your appearance.

We will sell you a suit of clothes that parallels the most expert tailoring the world has ever seen at a price that will make you feel friendly toward us.

Ask to see our \$15, \$20 and \$25 specials.

Phegley & Cavender  
Cor. Fourth and Alder Sts.

**Cost**  
AND  
**Below**  
**Cost!**

SEE WINDOW DISPLAY

# Final Week

**3 AND 1/2**  
**Off!**

Your Credit Is Good

# Edwards' Removal Sale Positively Closes Saturday, June 5

## A Quick, Sensational Clearance of Furniture!

Beginning Tuesday Morning at 8:30 and Continuing All Week

The reductions in hundreds of instances are positively startling, as we have disregarded profit and cost entirely. Where only one, two or three pieces of a kind remain, the price-cutting is simply absurd. However, as great as the bargains are, this does not prevent you from buying on our usual easy credit. Take your own time to pay, but be sure to come here this week if you would share in the great bargains now offered. FOLKS HAVING GOODS ON HOLD ORDERS, KINDLY ORDER THEM SENT THIS WEEK.

### Reed Rockers For the Porch

**\$1.95 \$2.90**

**\$3.75**

Sample of Reed Rocker's worth \$4.40 and \$7. One each of a pair. Only a few left. If you get one you are fortunate.

### This Beautiful Dining Table

Going at **\$7.95**

Pay the **Easy Way**

**\$1.00 Per Week Will Do**

Beautiful polish finish 6-foot extension dining table. Made just like cut. A great bargain at the regular price. Going this week or while any remain before removal at the especially low price of \$7.95.

### Apartment Owners and Hotel Folks Will Do Well Here This Week

Hundreds of yards of carpets and drop-pattern rugs to be sold this week without any regard to first cost. Also a number of odd chairs, dressers and rockers going at one-third to one-half off regular price.

### Beautiful Dinner Ware

100-Piece Sets for Final **\$11.90**

Clean-Up

**\$1.00 WEEKLY**

Dinner Sets of new, handsome designs in assortment of patterns and regular \$15.00 value, for the last week of this great removal sale you may buy them for \$11.90 on special terms of \$1.00 cash and \$1.00 per week.

### \$6.50 Mattresses Go This Week Or While They Last

**\$2.95**

Cash or Credit

We believe this to be the equal of any \$6.50 mattress sold in the city, and it has sold for a number of years at even \$10. They are full size, quilted cotton top and bottom over clean, dry excelsior, closely tufted to prevent bunching and lumping. Covered with fancy blue art ticking. We have never offered anything to compare with these in mattress value before.

### \$12.00 Wool Fiber Rugs, 9x12 Feet, on Sale at

**\$8.75**

**\$1.00 Weekly**

One of the greatest rug bargains ever offered. Think of getting a beautiful design in the newest colorings large enough for your biggest room, and rugs that are wonderful values at the regular price, \$12.00. Positively the last week they will be sold at this extremely low price—\$8.75.

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SEND ME YOUR 80-PAGE FREE CATALOGUE. Also your list of terms and your prices for out-of-town buyers.

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A GOOD PLACE TO TRADE

**EDWARDS CO**

185-191 FIRST ST. ESTABLISHED 1877.

### This Elegant Steel Range During the Last Week

**\$27.50**

**\$5.00 Cash \$1.00 Weekly**

This Fame Steel Range is a marvelous value at the price for which we are offering it this last week of removal. If you are needing a range, you will do well to see this one.

### \$3 Leather Seat Dining Chairs Now

**\$1.45**

A few Solid Oak Dining Chairs, upholstered in Spanish leather. Possibly one-half dozen sets left which will go to the first comers at \$1.45 each.

### Hundreds of Pieces Will Be Sold This Week at Any Price in Reason to Save Moving.

CASH OR CREDIT

### \$9, \$10, \$12 and \$15 Fumed Oak Rockers

Your Choice to Close Out

**\$5.85**

About twenty Assorted of fine oak rockers in a beautiful fumed finish. Some upholstered in real leather. A few auto-seat. Just the style and sort of chair that is in most demand, but samples which we wish to close out in order to have new samples for our new store. Values worth up to \$15.00. Your choice, while they last, at \$5.85.

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STORE CLOSED MONDAY DECORATION DAY

AFTER THIS WEEK AT FIFTH AND OAK