

TREASURER BURKE  
PORTLAND GUEST

North Dakota's Popular Son,  
Visiting Brother, Honored  
at Chamber Luncheon.

VAST WEALTH IS GUARDED

Loyalty to President Wilson at  
Baltimore Convention Recalled  
When Ten Steadfast Votes  
Are Swung Into Line.

If North Dakota alone had to elect the President of the United States, the President at the present time would be John Burke, ex-Governor of North Dakota, Treasurer of the United States and brother of Judge Thomas C. Burke, collector of Customs in Portland, whom he now is visiting.

TREASURER OF UNITED STATES AND EX-GOVERNOR OF NORTH DAKOTA WHO IS VISITING IN PORTLAND.



U.S. Treasurer John Burke and his brother Thos. C. Burke

Strength Swung to Wilson. While John Burke didn't exactly refuse the nomination, he fixed it so that the nomination could not be offered to him. He went to the Baltimore convention in 1912 with his 10 delegates, all of whom insisted upon voting for him "first, last and all the time."

And on the first ballot and on each subsequent ballot North Dakota's 10 votes went to Woodrow Wilson. It wasn't surprising then that soon after Mr. Wilson became President John Burke should be appointed to the lucrative and responsible position of Treasurer of the United States.

Treasury Balance Growing. That was more than two years ago when he signed that receipt. Since then the size of his responsibility has been fluctuating a great deal. It is growing bigger and bigger. This is the significant part of his discussion yesterday concerning the details of his job.

The gold that comes into New York in payment of these trade balances—most of it—is in the shape of bars which are deposited in the sub-treasury vaults. Gold certificates are then issued against them.

Gold Coins Kept in West. But so far as the real gold coins—the kind that are used in ordinary circulation—are concerned, they are kept in greater quantity in the United States mints in San Francisco and Denver than in the East. People in the West prefer to do business with gold, while the East prefers paper money.

Mr. Burke's official presence on the Pacific Coast is now being accounted for by the fact that the sub-treasury recently moved into a new building and he went there to see that they didn't lose any small change in transferring the money. He has a crew of experts at work now counting over the cash.

Auto Party into Chuckhole. Chauffeur Regains Solid Road, Then Waits Until Daylight to Discover Turning Place Just Behind.

It was such a nice, smooth road, the moon was so bright and the scenery all around was so delightful. So the chauffeur just wheeled to the right and the motor car clogged faithfully up the long, steep hill.

about and the mud deposit marked the place where the fixing had started. They all could see that. But how to get the car back out onto the unfixed part—that was the problem.

There were only two men in the party—Edward Holman, who owned the car, and the chauffeur. The mud was so thick that they couldn't use a jack. Search far and wide could produce no plank or pole. They didn't have a block and tackle.

Maybe the women could help. Of women there were Mrs. Holman, Dr. Clara I. Day and Dr. Margaret N. Quigley. But the men didn't want to ask the women. It wouldn't be very gallant. So finally they did manage to get a pole and a board and pry the car loose.

Worse troubles. Once more on dry land, they found the road too narrow to turn the car around. The moon had ceased doing business, and only the glare from the headlights illumined their path.

Presently from the east a great light descended and spread all about. It revealed a place, just a few yards back, where they could turn around.

So in the dim hours of early morning they rode triumphantly, albeit dejectedly, to an early breakfast and bed.

Judge Morrow Ill in San Diego. News was received yesterday afternoon by City Auditor Barbur that Judge Robert S. Morrow is ill in a hospital in San Diego. The telegram that brought the news did not state what the nature or extent of the illness is, but it is known that he is under the care of a physician and trained nurse.

Funds for New Club Site Sought. I found that the platform had been erected by the Irvington Park Community Club upon lots owned by that club, the site being in the center of the entire addition. The dance was being given by the club and one is planned for practically each Tuesday and Friday night throughout the summer.

By ADDISON BENNETT. IRVINGTON PARK is situated in the extreme northeastern portion of Portland, the site being as beautiful as that occupied by any of Portland's suburbs. It is with great pleasure that I often visit the place and am now able to write about it, for the reason that I was the first person to write about it when the tract was placed upon the market in the early Spring of 1911.

seated around were perhaps 200 happy people, of all ages from the wee infant to the aged men and women.

A dozen or more automobiles waited on the adjacent streets; in some of these passengers were reclining and listening to the music and the glad voices of the dancers and the air. It was a lovely Summer night with just breath enough in the air to soften the heat—and in the heavens, overlooking and apparently jarring all, a full moon looked down upon the happy scene, which was really a picture taken from some story of fairy land.

Resolutions and eulogies on the life of Thomas O'Day, ex-Circuit Judge, who died last March, were heard in the courtroom of Circuit Judge Davis yesterday morning. Many attorneys and judges who had known Judge O'Day intimately during his life and who had been associated with him in legal practice attended the meeting, and a number of them addressed the court.

Community Spirit is Loyal. But that statement really gives the ruling and dominating object of the club—to uphold a community spirit, to speak in talking over the work of the club I found it had revolutionized the society of the section. Now acquainted, all have one common object—the upbuilding of their part of the city. These men, in their pioneer feeling in a community that now exists in Irvington Park—and their community club has done it and its work will be to bring them closer and closer together.

It may be that results are being achieved that had not been reached in a less intelligent community, in a place where the average standing is not so high. For this reason I feared that Irvington Park has been successful in bringing together a community that each one must be proud of.

But none of them knew it until they had this club established and in running order. Then they began to rub shoulders, exchange ideas, get acquainted—now it is one for all and all for one when it comes to anything that better their community with the Irvington Park people.

Why is it that every section of our city has a community club? Of course, some of them have, thickly settled portions like Irvington, with its celebrated Irvington Club. But communities of six or seven hundred people, like Irvington Park, have just as great need and can have as much for their community. Go out there and learn more about it.

Alleged Check Passer Arrested. Wanted in Portland on a charge of passing eight fraudulent checks from which he is said to have realized about \$250, James Barranger was arrested in Los Angeles yesterday by Sheriff Cline on information furnished by C. R. Nicholson. Descriptive warrant was dispatched to Los Angeles with which to hold Barranger, who it is said, will fight extradition. Mr. Nicholson will leave at once to bring the prisoner back to Portland. The checks are alleged to have been passed Saturday, July 2, at a time when merchants could not discover their true character until the banks opened the following Tuesday morning.

One Tuesday night I went out to find just at the end of the streetcar track, on the northeast corner of East Thirtieth and Almsworth avenue, in a lovely grove of pines, cedars and dogwoods, a grand dancing floor, with rows of seats within and surrounding it, the trees a-sparkle with electric lights, a piano and trap-drum playing a twosome and about 40 couples upon the floor, while

the way. The trip takes about 20 minutes by auto, about 25 to 30 by streetcar.

IRVINGTON PARK, AFTER YEARS, IS IDEAL REALIZED

Addison Bennett, Recalling Prediction Made for Forest-Covered District, Describes Impressions of Visit to Now High-Class Community.



C. E. Condon, Pres. Irvington Park Club



Harry M. Cummings, Secretary



Frank Waddell, Treas.

PARTICIPATE IN THIS GREAT SPREAD of BARGAINS

Advertisement for Simon Salvage Store. Features a list of groceries, hardware, and dry goods with prices. Includes a central graphic for '50 Ladies' Summer Dresses' priced at \$1.95. The store is located at 131-133 First St., Near Alder.

HIGH TRIBUTES PAID

Life and Services of Late Thomas O'Day Eulogized.

RESOLUTIONS ARE ADOPTED

Departed Judge is Described as 'Faithful to Trusts, Devoted to Friends, Patriotic to Country, Useful to Profession.'

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Justice should be subject to a more rigid examination and a severer test as to righteousness of life than that of any other human being.

"I know of no one," said Charles J. Schnabel, "who is more entitled to the sobriquet of 'the great Commoner of Oregon' than this uncompromising believer and advocate of the rights of the plain people, a respecter of their judgment, who lent his talents and force to the defense of the jury system and never wasted time or opportunity to make more sacred that splendid heritage of our Anglo-Saxon forefathers."

"The sufferings of his fellow man ever appealed to him," said Samuel White, "his abhorred injustice and resentment it with righteous indignation at all times. His sense of justice was so keen that was eminently fitted for a judicial position."

Many others followed, with remarks of similar nature. Among them were: W. W. Cotton, J. B. Kerr, J. W. Haddock, Alexander Bernstein and Judge George N. Davis.

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COLLEGE HEAD IS HOST

ROCHESTER GRADUATES GUESTS OF REV. A. B. STRONG. Advancement Made by Baptist Church During 40-Year Period is Discussed.

An event of special importance to the graduates of Rochester Theological Seminary was the banquet tendered by A. B. Strong, president emeritus, and Mrs. Strong, Monday night at the Portland Hotel. After the reception 24 guests gathered in the blue room for the banquet. Rev. O. C. Wright, superintendent of missions for Oregon, was master of ceremonies, and President Strong, Mrs. Strong, Dr. C. A. Wooddy and Dr. James A. Clark, editor of the Pacific Baptist, occupied seats of honor.

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PORTLAND CHAMBER TO AID

Why Columbia Is Not Carrying Fair Share of Commerce to Be Probed.

To ascertain why the Columbia River is not securing and holding its fair share of the commerce of the Northwest, the Astoria Chamber of Commerce will receive the active cooperation of the Portland Chamber of Commerce. The investigation will be held at such time and place as may be agreed upon between committees representing the two organizations, and may be extended to give representation to other points along the inland waterway.

Astoria initiated the investigation a few days ago, and asked the Portland Chamber to send a representative delegation. Portland will be represented by Harry L. Corbett, Guy W. Talbot, C. E. Currey, L. Allen Lewis, F. C. Knapp and Nathan Strauss.

Astoria has built a municipal dock at the mouth of the river, and with feet of water over the bar at most tide, this opportunity to do simple facts for handling cargoes.

Harmon Goodsell Ogden. Harmon Goodsell Ogden, who had resided in Oregon since 1853, died at Forest Grove July 9 at the age of 77 years. Mr. Ogden was born in Havana, N. Y.

In 1851 he joined Company K of the First Minnesota Regiment, Artillery. After the war he married Miss Alice Case, the only daughter of Captain Henry B. Case, of New Suffolk, N. Y. To them were born nine children, seven of whom reside in Oregon. In 1853 he moved with his family to a farm in Eastern Multnomah County, where he lived until 1897, when he took up his residence at Forest Grove, where he had since lived. His wife, Mrs. Alice Ogden, and seven children—Mrs. Minnie R. Prosser, Mrs. Alice Hickey, Charles Ogden, Mrs. Winona Ramsey and Mrs. Irene Stewart, all of Portland; Mrs. Ruth Cameron, of McMinnville, and nine grandchildren—survive him.