

TAFT TO VISIT SOON

Address to Be Made at Bar's Meeting August 23.

BIG RECEPTION PLANNED

Press Club Committee Will Meet ex-President—Principal Appearance Will Be at Hellig Theater Session.

It will not be as a stranger that ex-President Taft will come to Portland on Sunday, August 22, to address the joint meeting of the Oregon and Washington State Bar Associations.

His prime object in coming here is to address the assembled attorneys. It will be the President's fourth visit to the city, and his reception, it is predicted, will be no less cordial than those accorded him when he was President.

Breakfast to Be Informal. It will be an informal affair, and Judge Taft will probably speak briefly. Three well-known Portland newspaper men will give brief addresses of welcome.

Judge Taft's principal public appearance in Portland will be at the Hellig Theater on Monday afternoon, August 23, when he will address the bar associations. He will speak on "Government and the Law."

Mrs. Taft and Miss Helen Taft, their daughter, will travel with him from the Columbia Pacific and join Judge Taft in Portland. From here the Tafts will proceed on Monday afternoon, to San Francisco, where they will attend the world's fair and where Judge Taft has promised to deliver another public address.

Last Visit Made in 1911. Ex-President Taft's last visit to Portland was on Wednesday, October 11, 1911. He was President at the time and was traveling to the Pacific Coast to participate in the ground-breaking exercises at the San Francisco fair.

Ex-President Taft spoke at the Armory on the evening of his last Portland visit. His address was devoted largely to an explanation of the arbitration treaties with France and England, successfully negotiated a short time before starting on his Western trip.

Mr. Taft visited Portland twice as President. His first visit was on October 2, 1909, when he likewise was accorded an enthusiastic reception. He also visited Portland in 1908 when he was Secretary of War. At that time he was on an official trip around the world.

ANARCHISTS ARE FINED

CITY OBJECTS TO PROPAGANDA ON BIRTH CONTROL

Emma Goldman and Manager Are Assessed \$200 and Admitted to Bail Pending Appeal.

Fines of \$100 each were levied upon Emma Goldman, the anarchist lecturer, and her manager, Dr. Ben Reitman, by Acting Municipal Judge J. E. Latourette Monday morning upon their conviction on a charge of distributing pamphlets outlining methods of birth control during the session of Emma Goldman's meetings in Portland.

The municipal courtroom was crowded to the doors during the trial by sympathizers and those brought by curiosity. A considerable wave of disappointment swept the room when Deputy City Attorney I. E. Latourette declined to read aloud the offending pamphlets.

Colonel C. E. S. Wood appeared for the defense and scored the City of Portland for its action in arresting Reitman and Mrs. Goldman. He characterized Portland as an "Anthony Comstock" and an old "Madame Grundy," and declared that the trial was a constitution of justice and that the city had been disgraced by the action.

In his testimony, Reitman personally took the responsibility for passing the pamphlets around among the few persons in the audience who received it. Emma Goldman said that she knew nothing of the distribution of the birth control pamphlet and would have objected had she known, as she desired to take all responsibility for any information given out at her meetings.

Reitman affirmed this testimony, but said that it was part of his work to pass about the literature, aside from his duties as business associate and manager for Emma Goldman.

After finding the pair guilty Municipal Judge Stadter fixed a bond of \$500 each, allowing appeal to the Circuit Court. This was furnished at once out of the \$500 cash bail of Emma Goldman.

Deputy City Attorney Latourette said that the city did not know the nature of the circular until late Friday. The pair were arrested while the woman was speaking at Turn Hall, Fourth and Yamhill streets, Friday night. Colonel C. E. S. Wood furnished bail for the Goldman woman, but Reitman spent the night in jail.

Among the witnesses that appeared for the defense were: H. C. Uihoff, president of the Birth Control League; Mrs. Flora Forman, the school teacher who was dismissed in Quincy, Or., last year because of socialistic teachings; Mrs. M. T. Oatman, Mrs. S. K. Black and Mrs. Pauline E. S. Somers.

Track Permit Approved

The Commission of Public Docks has approved the granting of a revocable permit to the Terminal Company for the putting in of a track connecting with the present track at Front and Seventeenth streets and running to the municipal dock No. 1. The matter came up before the City Council some time ago and was referred to the Commission of Public Docks.

EX-PRESIDENT WHO WILL VISIT PORTLAND SOON TO ADDRESS OREGON AND WASHINGTON BAR ASSOCIATIONS.



WILLIAM H. TAFT.

LAND LAW PROPOSED

Provision for Settling on Railroad Grants Made.

AID FOR SETTLERS URGED

Portland Attorney Completes Drafting Bill to Be Presented in Congress—Payment of \$2.50 an Acre Planned in Method.

A plan that will enable the Government to provide substantial aid to actual settlers on public lands is provided in a draft of a proposed Congressional enactment, just completed by H. H. Schwartz, an attorney of Portland.

Incidentally the measure would go far toward solving the perplexing problems growing out of the Supreme Court's recent decision in the Oregon & California land-grant case, thinks Mr. Schwartz.

One of the important provisions of the bill is that it authorizes the President to establish settlement districts on the public lands, including the lands within the forest reserves. While this is proposed as a general statute, it makes specific provision for the settlement of the Oregon & California grant lands by designating this property as "Settlement District No. 1."

The present owners of these grant lands will be required, if Mr. Schwartz' proposal becomes a law, to file with the Secretary of the Interior deeds of conveyance to the United States of all their unsoled lands, and the Treasurer of the United States will be required to remit them at the rate of \$2.50 an acre, in accordance with the court's decision fixing this sum as the

legal equity of the railroad owners in the property. In the event the railroads fail to file such deeds, the Government would have power to seek the appointment of receivers to take possession.

It is intended then to dispose of the land to actual settlers under terms and conditions usually governing in such cases.

Any settler, it is prescribed, may be entitled to make reasonable use of timber from his farm unit for fuel and for the permanent improvement of his place, but all the standing valuable merchantable timber and growing timber within a settlement district shall remain the property of the United States, to be sold under the direction of the Government.

10-Year Time Limit Is Set. But it is further provided that any timber not removed from the land within ten years after date of sale shall pass into possession of the settler actually owning the property at the end of the ten-year period.

All money received for land sold under the provisions of the act would be deposited by the Secretary of the Treasury in authorized banks within the district and designated as "special timber land reclamation fund" for use in the further development of Government lands. It is provided, however, that 15 per cent of the net proceeds from the sale of such timber shall be paid into the state school fund.

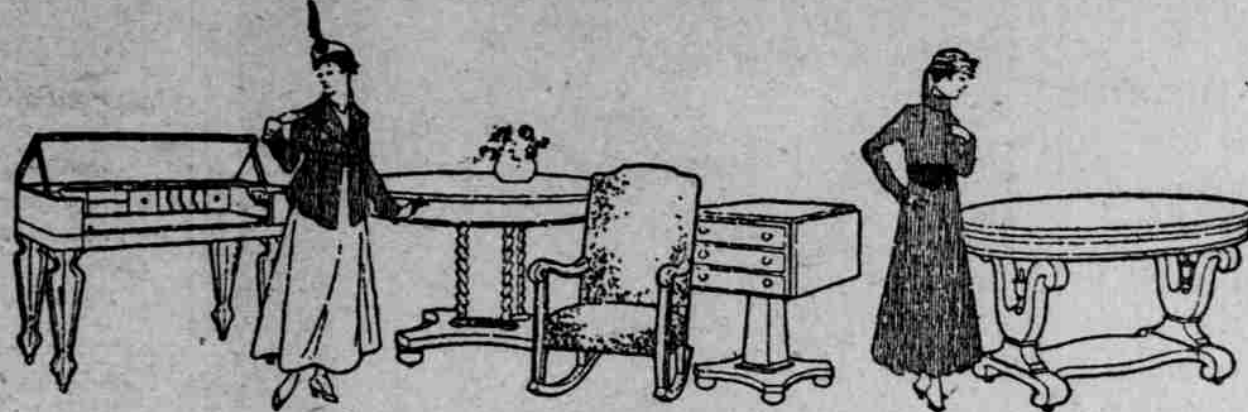
A commission of three members is to be created for each settlement district—one member, designated by the Secretary of the Interior, to be a lawyer; one, designated by the Secretary of Agriculture, to be skilled in lumber and timber, and the third to be appointed by the Governor of the state, to be an experienced farmer and a graduate of an agricultural college. This commission then is authorized to classify the lands and segregate the nonmineral lands from the mineral property. The nonmineral lands are to be divided into farm units, each containing acreage "sufficient to support a settler and family with additional reasonable savings returns when competently farmed or used."

Farm Units to Be Classified. These farm units are to be divided into two classes. Class one shall contain at least 20 acres, in such condition that they can be farmed profitably. Class two shall consist of those units that cannot be farmed successfully until the timber has been removed.

Final proof shall be made after five years, and not after seven years subsequent to the original entry. All advance payments under the provisions of the act are to become first liens on the property, payable in ten annual installments.

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LABOR REFUSES TO JOIN

COUNCIL WILL HAVE NO PART IN HIGHWAY CELEBRATION.

Speakers Criticize Mr. Benson and Mr. Yeon and Day of Event Implore Bitter Attack.

Ruthlessly criticizing the Columbia Highway as a "disgrace," J. V. Hibbs, of the Carpenters' Union, one of the delegates to the Central Labor Council, Friday night, in weekly session, stoutly spoke against a motion that was placed before the Council for that body to accept the invitation of the Portland Ad Club to aid in the celebration and inspection of the highway on Labor day. Vilification of both S. Benson and J. R. Yeon was indulged in by Frank Hanson and others of the Council, and after a discussion lasting nearly an hour it was decided that the Central Labor Council would not participate in the celebration.

In speaking of the invitation that he had received from the Ad Club as the president of the Central Labor Council, Eugene E. Smith said: "I was invited by one of the committee from the Ad Club that has the celebration in charge, and the reason assigned for the celebration was that they wanted to make the people of Portland better acquainted with what they believed to be an asset to the city and county. The real reason for the celebration, I do not know, for I am not in their confidence. The Portland Ad Club may be innocent parties and the celebration may have been initiated by others who have ulterior motives."

G. A. Van Schuyt, one of the delegates, said that he believed that the Labor Council should not think of accepting the invitation. The fact that the Ad Club celebration comes on Labor day elicited positive expressions of disapproval of the Council's entertaining any thought of acceptance. "I will not stand for Labor day being exploited for such an affair," said William McKenzie. "Labor day is our day, and should not be desecrated in such a manner," said others. After similar sentiments had been expressed by other delegates, Vice-

President Jones said: "It is foolish for us to refuse to have anything to do with such men as belong to the Portland Ad Club. We have been trimmed, but we can't take a trimming we can never win a victory. I think we ought to be there and be represented. At no time has the Central Labor Council been opposed to good commercial roads. It is the plan and the method only that we oppose."

As a result of their refusal to join the Portland Ad Club in the celebration on Labor day a committee was appointed on motion to prepare some sort of entertainment for the members of the Council for that day, nothing having been previously arranged.

COLONEL POPE TO ARRIVE

Manufacturers' Association Head and Counsel to Be Visitors.

Colonel George A. Pope, of Hartford, Conn., president of the National Manufacturers' Association and of the National Automobile Chamber of Commerce, as well as head of the Pope Manufacturing Company, accompanied by James A. Emery, general counsel for the National Manufacturers' Association, will reach Portland Sunday, August 15, and will spend two days in the city.

Honors will be paid the visitors by local business and industrial men. On the day of their arrival they will be taken over the Columbia River Highway by the Automobile Club and dealers and a dinner will be given in their honor at the Automobile Club at night. Colonel Pope and Mr. Emery will be guests of the local Employers' Association while in Portland. A dinner has been arranged for them at the Chamber of Commerce on the night of Monday, August 16, when the Metal Trades Association of the city will join with the Employers' Association at the banquet. The visitors will discuss the industrial situation at this gathering.

Had a System.

Kansas City Journal. "I am writing my husband for money." "And does he always send it when you write?" "Not always the first time. But I have a series of follow-up forms that never fail."

Hot Weather Cautions Drink Much Water Eat Little Meat

Keep the head cool, the feet dry, the bowels regular. Drink plenty of water. Cut down on the amount of food at least one-half. Eat little meat, but eat freely of raw, fresh vegetables, lettuce, celery, radishes, cabbage, onions. Fresh air night and day. A tepid bath every night. Always keep Peruna handy. At the slightest indication of cold, take a few doses. If the bowels become irregular, a few doses of Peruna will right them. If the appetite flags and digestion becomes poor, just a little Peruna at the beginning will save you much time and expense. Good habits to prevent disease, Peruna to correct disease if it comes in spite of all. This is the advice of an old, experienced physician, who is hearty and hale notwithstanding his extreme old age. The right arm of success is good habits. The left arm of success is a timely remedy like Peruna. No man can spare either arm in these days of strenuous activity. He needs both arms to protect himself, to protect his home.

MORE Y. M. C. A. BOYS LEAVE FOR ASSOCIATION SUMMER CAMP ON SHORE OF SPIRIT LAKE.



Photo by Pershin. First row—Dwight Norton, John Harrison, Earl Williams, Bradford Froude. Second row—Horace Foulkes, Harry Huggins. Third row—William Miller, Mowbray Tate, R. Johnson, Wesley McPherson. Fourth row—James Habb, C. Johnson.

Attracted by the reports from boys now on their Summer outing, 12 lads left last Monday for the Y. M. C. A. Summer camp at Spirit Lake for a stay of a month in the Columbia National forest. The final party will leave tomorrow for the cabin and the entire boy city on the edge of the lake will be deserted September 2. Harrison Huggins led the excursionists who embarked on the Steamer Kellogg for Kelso, Wash., where they took automobiles to Castle Rock and started on a 47-mile trip into the basin of the lake to the cabin. Reports of wonderful fishing, numerous hikes to peaks and lakes about the cabin and ascents of Mount St. Helens, at the foot of which the camp is located, have been received by the boys from those now in the woods. J. C. Meahan, boys' secretary, with a corps of assistants, is in charge of the lads. With the arrival of each party, the boys hold election of officers, enact new rules and regulations and generally manage the affairs of the camp.

OWNER OF MEDAL SOUGHT

Lost Award for Heroism Found by Dr. Hegele.

A medal of honor that had been awarded by the Humane Society of Massachusetts to William Whitcomb for bravery in rescuing the crew of the schooner M. L. Hall, on August 20, 1884, was found several weeks ago in Portland by Dr. H. W. Hegele.

No clew to the whereabouts of the possessor could be found and Dr. Hegele finally addressed the Massachusetts Humane Society in Boston, all of the society's records were lost in the "Boston fire" and the reply received from Secretary E. H. Clann said that only the bare facts of the rescue for which the medal was awarded were obtainable and but slight information as to the possible whereabouts of the present owner could be suggested.

Medals were awarded to five men who participated in the rescue, among them Harvey and William Whitcomb, of Scituate. William later moved to Kansas. He had five children, but could not be traced. A niece of William Whitcomb, named Mrs. J. Q. Merritt, is living in Scituate and signified a desire to have the medal if Dr. Hegele could not find any of the children of her uncle living.

The medal is of silver bearing a rescue scene in relief on one face. On the other side is inscribed: "Honor the rescuers of the schooner M. L. Hall, August 20, 1884, for gallant and heroic conduct in rescuing the crew of the schooner M. L. Hall, off the Glades House, August 20, 1884."

CONSUL'S SON-IN-LAW HERO

Severin Harkson Rescues Lads in Breakers at Gearhart.

Severin Harkson, 21-year-old son of the Portland Danish Vice-Consul, proved himself a hero at Gearhart Beach last Wednesday, according to word that reached Portland yesterday, saving two youngsters from almost certain death by drowning.

Mr. Harkson was rowing at the mouth of the Necanicum River, when he heard cries from out in the breakers. He rowed into and through the breakers, and found two little boys, the eldest 10 years old, clinging desperately to an overturned rowboat. The youngsters had thought to follow the example of some older boys and ride the breakers in their rowboat. The waves overturned their boat, and they were in dangerous plight.

Mr. Harkson, at the risk of his own life, got the lads into his boat and rowed them safely through the breakers. In the act, his boat was half-filled with water and nearly sank.

CARD OF THANKS.

We wish to express our sincere thanks to our many kind friends and neighbors for their beautiful floral offerings, especially the Bricklayers' Union, whose kindness softened our grief in the illness and death of our beloved husband and father, Watson Hayes. Human kindness could do no more than you did for us. MRS. W. HAYES, LUCILLE HAYES, MARIE HAYES, LILLIAN HAYES.