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BRIDGE COMPLETION WILL UNITE CITIES

Boosters From Portland to Visit Vancouver Friday at Club Meeting.

BUSINESS TALK SCHEDULED

Washington Town to Revivify Chamber of Commerce and Work for Development of Prospects Afforded by Spanning River.

Three piers of a bridge may not make two cities kin, but the completion of the portion of the Oregon-Washington Interstate bridge over the Columbia River has started such a splendid feeling between Southwestern Washington and Oregon that the City of Vancouver and representative citizens of Portland will unite in the formation of an organization of business men at Vancouver on Friday night, October 23.

Vancouver proposes to "cash in" on the advantages which that city will enjoy as a suburban residence district when this great bridge is ready for service.

Portland business men recognize the splendid value of the trade district which will be more available when easy, rapid and cheap transportation facilities are ready for use.

Joint Meeting Planned.

That these objects may be consummated and that a more thorough understanding of the co-operative spirit now existing on both sides of the river may be had, a representative delegation of members of the Portland Chamber of Commerce will visit Vancouver Friday night and join with the business men of that city in a dinner. A. L. Mills, George L. Baker and Charles F. Berg have been invited to speak on behalf of Portland on that occasion.

At the same time plans will be discussed for the reorganization of the old Vancouver Commercial Club. Portlanders present will be asked for suggestions that might be helpful in this work. Vancouver has employed P. E. Poindexter, of New York City, to take charge of the membership and reorganization campaign. Mr. Poindexter is understood to have had wide experience in this line of work and he will submit plans fitted to the peculiar location of Vancouver in relation to Portland, which plans are intended to prove a strong stimulant to business in that city. As the principal city of Clarke County, Vancouver is enjoying a splendid business, and her far-sighted citizens believe that the completion of the Interstate bridge will mean a distinct advancement along many lines.

Location is Desirable.

In the vicinity of Vancouver are hundreds of beautifully located and otherwise desirable tracts of land, which might become available for suburban homes for business men of Portland. With the bridge completed, and by the use of either streetcars or automobiles, Vancouver will be only a few minutes' ride from the heart of Portland. This fact, added to the beautiful view of the Columbia River available from the rolling hills back of Vancouver and east and west of that place, opens up a new prospect for advancement to which the business men of Vancouver are fully alive.

Completion of the bridge offers an easier and better method for land products to reach Portland markets than any that is now available to the growers of Clarke County.

The business men of Vancouver are understood to be enthusiastically behind the movement to reorganize, revivify and put a "punch" in their new chamber of commerce organization that will deliver some of the hopes upon which the future of the city is founded.

FORMER PUPILS ORGANIZE

Alumni of St. Mary's Academy Form "Loyal Legion."

St. Mary's Academy and College was the scene of a gathering October 20, when many devoted pupils of former years met to organize a permanent association. Since the golden jubilee celebration in 1909 this matter has been under consideration, and last year it took definite form in a series of reunions held at St. Mary's Academy and College.

This Fall a constitution was drawn up and the purpose of last Wednesday's assembly was to effect a permanent organization by the ratification of these laws and bylaws.

Officers elected were: President, Mrs. D. J. Sullivan (Nellie Green); first vice-president, Mrs. J. W. Sully (Matilda Allen); second vice-president, Mrs. Bernard Abers (Ida Wascher); financial secretary, Mrs. Ben Bodley (Marie Van Beurden); corresponding secretary, Mrs. D. Fellows (Minnie Williams); treasurer, Mrs. Dan McGill (Mamie Mann).

The official name of the organization is St. Mary's Loyal Legion.

PHYSICIANS ARE WARNED

City Health Officer Says Doctors Must Register Under State Law.

Physicians are warned by City Health Officer Marcellus that they must register in his office under the state registration law before October 31. The registration books have been opened for some time and the majority of midwives and undertakers and some of the physicians have registered. The great majority of physicians have failed to register.

Under the new state law all physicians, midwives and undertakers must register between October 1 and October 31, if they continue in practice. Notices were sent recently by Dr. Marcellus, but many still have neglected to comply with the law.

Woodmere School Shows 700 Articles

At the "back-to-the-home" movement display made in the Woodmere School fully 700 different articles were shown Friday to one of the largest crowds ever gathered in the building. One of the interesting features was the animal display, there being many different entries, consisting of five birds, two geese, three ducks, 25 rabbits, 12 cats, six guinea pigs, three chipmunks and four dogs. There were 340 individual exhibits. The domestic science, doll, art and miscellaneous departments were all well represented. Decorations of the restroom were especially effective and beautiful. The three-legged rooster shown by Elsie Lewis attracted much attention. Teddy Douglas showed a motor of so much merit that it will be included in the Central Library display. A squash raised by a Woodmere boy weighed 50 pounds.



Announcing the Complete Readiness of the Greater New Meier & Frank's

The last workman has laid down his tools. The mighty task of building and equipping this vast new store is complete. Each department is now in its permanent quarters.

As we place this on paper, our thoughts hark back to the pioneer days of Oregon when Meier & Frank Company was the trading place of the community, just as it is today.

During this week we shall present in a series of expositions, the different features and inner stores of Meier & Frank Company that make this store unexampled in all the west.



PENSION VALIDITY IN DOUBT

Charles Eatchel May Be Listed as Indigent in View of Decision.

In view of the decision of the Supreme Court in the case of Charles Rapp against the County of Multnomah, in which it was held that a county cannot be sued to recover for personal injury, the County Commissioners have asked District Attorney Evans whether they may continue legally to pay Charles Eatchel a pension of \$32 a month.

HANSEN PAROLE REVOKED

Houseboat Burglar Held in Hope of Recovering Stolen Goods.

When complaining witnesses yesterday protested that they had not recovered stolen goods of the value of several hundred dollars, Judge Gantenbein revoked a parole which he gave Friday to Hans G. Hansen, the houseboat burglar. Hansen had been allowed to plead guilty to simple larceny, and after a sentence of a year in the County Jail, had been paroled on condition that he leave yesterday morning as a sailor on a Finnish bark.

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Evans hopes that by keeping Hansen in jail the goods may be recovered. Annie Kasper's Married Life Short. Annie Kasper became Mrs. Walters, the wife of Max Walters, at St. Helens, Or., on June 14 last. Yesterday she filed suit for divorce in Portland, alleging cruel and inhuman treatment, including physical violence. She asks a share of her husband's realty, the value of which she fixes at approximately \$5000.

BISHOP BELL IS VISITOR

Several Addresses Scheduled for Today and Tomorrow.

Bishop W. M. Bell, of Los Angeles, head of the United Brethren Church on the Pacific Coast, will be in Portland today and tomorrow. This morning at 10:20 o'clock he will occupy the pulpit of the Second United Brethren Church, East Twenty-ninth and Alberta streets. At 3 o'clock Bishop Bell will preach at Vancouver, Wash. Returning to Portland he will occupy the pulpit of the Third United Brethren Church in South Mount Tabor. The bishop's most important address will be given tomorrow at 10:30 before the union United Brethren-Evangelical Association of Portland in the Y. M.

CIVIL WAR VETERAN DIES.

Suttif Bates, a veteran of the Civil War, died at his home in Eastern Multnomah County early last week at the age of 74 years. He enlisted in a Michigan regiment when he was 21 years of age and served two years and one month, making a creditable record. He moved to this county in 1858. He is survived by his widow, Mrs. Etta Bell and Mrs. Alla Crowston, who reside at Springdale. Mrs. Anna Thomas, another daughter, lives in Kansas. Two sons, Frank E. and Harley A. Bates live at Springdale. Mrs. Adella Hewitt, a sister, resides in Portland. There are 20,000 kinds of butterflies.