

ROYAL THOUSANDS TO ADD RED CROSS

All Plans Are Completed for Benefit Entertainment at Oaks Amusement Park.

PORTLAND CLUBS TO HELP Gates Will Open at 11 o'Clock Tuesday Morning and Fun Will Continue Far Into the Night.

With all plans virtually completed and final reports in hand from all committees, Julius L. Meier, chairman of the Oaks Red Cross day committee, announced last night that the success of the benefit at the amusement park next Tuesday was assured.

Entertainment has been arranged for by committees representing the Elks, Rotary, Progressive Business Men's, East Side Business Men's, and Transportation clubs and the Portland Caterers' Association.

Here are a few high lights on the day: The gates will be open at 11 o'clock and the full programme will be under way at 1 P. M. It will continue until 1 A. M. Wednesday.

Portland Clubs to Help. An all-day show will be staged in the Auditorium by the Elks, the Armstrong Musical Comedy Company having donated its services as a feature attraction.

Out on the lawns will be Mrs. S. I. Marks, a remarkable palmist. The bathing and dancing concessions will be handled by the Rotary and Transportation clubs, while events on the Trail will be under the care of the Progressives.

CAMERA CATCHES AS PORTLAND BADE GODSPEED TO FIFTY-EIGHT COLORED MEN CALLED FOR ACTIVE SERVICE.



Upper—Mothers and Wives Proudly Marching Beside Future Fighters in Parade Friday. Middle—(Left) Mrs. Adaline Scott Bidding Good-bye to Her Son, J. H. Madley; (Right) "Good Luck" to Wife and Baby. Lower—Members of Rosebud Study Club March With Colored Selectives.

Fifty colored men of Portland and eight from the state at large composed the first contingent of colored men who have left Portland in a body since the selective service system has been in operation.

The men entrained Friday noon for Camp Lewis after a public reception and dinner given by the city at the Public Auditorium. The Multnomah Guard Band, members of the Police Bureau, members of the City Council and women identified with Mayor Baker's selective farwell committee accompanied the men in the line of march to the depot.

Mothers, wives, sweethearts and friends of the colored boys marched by their sides and 30 young women composing the Rosebud Study Club aided in the celebration and reception. The men went to Camp Lewis.

of the emergency fleet with books and magazines. These books are largely the donations made for the soldiers and sailors' libraries, with the addition of technical books on navigation, marine engineering, etc., which are being purchased for this special purpose with money from the American Library Association fund. No ship now leaves this port without this supply.

HOOD LOSES FIRST BOY. W. L. CARSON WILL BE BROUGHT HOME FOR BURIAL. Of an Inventive Mind, Young Man Contributes Several Airplane Safety Appliances to Nation.

HOOD RIVER, Or., Aug. 3.—(Special.)—The body of Lieutenant W. L. Carson, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Carson, will be brought here from Fort Sil, Okla., where he was killed yesterday in an airplane accident, for burial.

Another brother, Corporal John Carson, of Fort Worden, Wash., also will be home for the service. Lieutenant Carson, aged 24 years, was one of the most beloved young men in this vicinity and made a steady progress, following his enlistment early last year. Death, however, ended his ambition of getting into actual battle against the Huns.

While here on a furlough last month, he expressed hope of being sent to France soon. "He was engaged in a hazardous occupation," said the father today, "and he had tried to prepare ourselves for just such a shock. But parents can't do that. We grieve. His mother is heartbroken, but we are proud in the knowledge that our first child given in death answered his country's call."

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Former Residents Revisiting. Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Beach, of Stockton, Cal., former residents of Portland, are passing their annual vacation visiting old friends. They are accompanied by two grandsons. Mr. Beach was for many years in the printing business here and twice served Multnomah County in the State Senate.

Marines on Theater Stage. A full squad of United States marines in action on the stage of the Liberty Theater will be the unique advertising stunt introduced by the Portland marine recruiting station. The marines will participate in a realistic sham battle, the wounded being administered to by hospital men and Red Cross nurses.

NAVY SEEKING RECRUITS. Many Branches Open to Enlistment. Age Limit Raised to 40 Years. A traveling recruiting party headed by Lieutenant M. C. Kent, U. S. Navy, left the Eugene, Ore., Navy yard yesterday for a tour of Oregon, Idaho and Eastern Washington.

DEATH REPORT VERIFIED. Captain James D. Basey Formerly Lived in Portland. The death of Captain James D. Basey, former Portland boy, whose name appeared in Friday's casualty list, was verified yesterday by Dr. E. H. Heald in long-distance conversation with the Basey family at Olympia, Wash.

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NEW DANCES ARRIVE. Tangos and Fox Trots Said to Be Out of Date Now. OLD WALTZ COMES BACK. Among Latest Steps Are Pershing Trot, Camouflage Turn, Liberty Loan Trot, Rainbow Three Step and Tickle Toe.

Mark Wygant Succeeds Coalman. The district forest service has appointed Mark Wygant, of Hood River, lookout man on Mount Hood, to succeed Elijah Coalman, who was injured in a slide last week.

Secretarial School Closed. The Y. M. C. A. secretarial school at Camp Lewis closed Thursday afternoon. C. H. Mellor, of Stevenson, Wash., has been appointed business secretary for building No. 3 at Camp Lewis.

Navy Dentist to Complete Course. E. J. Corcoran, 573 East Main street, who has been doing dental work at Mare Island, Cal., has been given leave to complete his course at the North Pacific Dental College.

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