

CONCESSIONAIRES WILL MAKE FIGHT

Astoria Men Court Arrest and Plead Games Are Contests of Skill, Not Chance.

MORE TO BE APPREHENDED

Other Attractions Not Disturbed. Fishing Boat Race Is Water Feature—Weather Is Cooler.

ASTORIA, Or., Aug. 31.—(Special.)—Notwithstanding the vicissitudes through which they have passed in the last two days, the regatta features proceeded today without interference, and the carnival grounds were open with practically all the concessions running during the entire afternoon.

This morning the operators of three of the concessions, one of them the president of the Soldiers' Sailors' and Shipbuilders' Club, were arraigned before Justice of the Peace Carney on complaints filed by District Attorney Judd charging them with "conducting a gambling device." Demurrers to the complaints were overruled by the court and the defendants were released under \$100 cash bail each to appear for trial on next Tuesday morning.

Defense Denies Charge. Counsel for the defense contends the concessions to which the officers are objecting are games of skill, not of chance, and, hence are not forbidden by law. Under his advice, the operators courted arrest in order to bring a test case and proceeded to open the games this afternoon. On the other hand, District Attorney Judd asserts that these ball and ring-throwing concessions are games of chance, operated in violation of the state act commonly known as the "nickel-in-the-slot law," and says they will not be permitted to run.

More arrests are expected this evening, if the games are open. The side-shows and other attractions at the carnival grounds have not been interfered with.

The weather was grand today, being several degrees cooler than yesterday, with a strong northwest wind that made the bay a little choppy for fast racing.

Fishing Boats in Race.

While a number of water stunts were staged this morning, the only race of note was one between Columbia River power fishing boats, a distance of six miles, for prizes of \$40, \$20 and \$10. There were 10 entries, and the contest was a battle from start to finish. Carl Johnson won the first prize, with Ole Johnson a close second and Conrad Stennesson third.

The senior swimming race, a distance of 100 yards, was won by Jack Joell, with Jack Allen second.

Tomorrow's programme will be strictly of a patriotic nature. A concert will be given by the Coast Artillery band, with patriotic addresses at the Courthouse Square. The principal water events and boat races will take place on the morning of Labor day and the celebration will close with a Labor day parade and an address by Judge McGinnis, of Portland on Monday evening.

INDUSTRIAL INQUIRY ON

QUERIES SENT OUT TO ALL MANUFACTURING PLANTS.

War Board Plans to Bring All Operators Into Working Agreement With Federal Authorities.

Steps are being taken by the local bureau of the War Industries Board, of which Charles H. Carey is head and W. H. Crawford secretary, to obtain information as to the capacity of all manufacturing plants in the territory covered by the board, which consists of all of Oregon except the counties of Morrow, Umatilla, Baker, Wallowa and Union, and includes the counties of Clarke, Skamania and Klickitat in Washington.

The aim of the War Industries Board is to bring manufacturers into close working agreement with the war requirements contracting heads at Washington. D. C. Questionnaires have been mailed to all known manufacturers in the district.

The interests of all industries will be looked after by committees appointed by Judge Carey for that purpose, the chairmen of which are: Wood products, Philip Buehner; machinery, A. G. Labbe; castings, C. E. Grelle; forgings, E. B. McNaughton; foodstuffs, H. M. Heller; textiles and clothing, Nathan Strauss; rubber and leather, George Lawrence; clay products, Blaine K. Smith.

SOLDIERS TO BE ADVISED

Board Named to Look After Many Interests of Boys.

OREGON CITY, Or., Aug. 31.—(Special.)—A local "board of instruction," whose business it is to see that conscripted men leave for cantonments in proper mental and physical condition, has advised the War Industries Board, the Government and their families, has been appointed by the local draft board.

The men selected are Walter A. Dimick, H. E. Crook, A. C. Howland, John Lader, Rev. W. T. Milliken and J. E. Hedges. They will personally meet with draft boys from time to time just prior to their mobilization, to see that the young men leave for Government service "willing, loyal, intelligent, clean and sober."

LUMBER WORKERS GET RISE

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arranged to be held only quarterly. The designated times are each third Wednesday in January, April, July and October. They will be held in Portland. Minutes of the Local Legion council sessions cover 80 typewritten pages, giving in detail the proceedings. An outstanding feature is the fact that all votes, with but two or three exceptions, were passed by unanimous voice of the council members present.

Wage Scales Promulgated.

Four separate wage scales were promulgated. These embrace operations of logging, camps and mills in the two recognized districts—that east of the Cascades and that west of these mountains. In the mill scale of the east division are also included allied businesses such as sawing, box factory, kiln and pond.

It would be difficult to give a comparative summary to show what variations are kept at old rates and what are accorded rises. In the mill scale

alone 120 different occupations are listed. In this regard the new scale is an improvement over the old, promulgated by Colonel Disque as Bulletin No. 21, where differentiation into occupational groups was not carried far. Advances of 5 cents an hour are given to a large number of occupational groups, including common mill labor. Here the range is fixed at 40 to 50 cents an hour, while the old scale of the west division, at least, placed the maximum at 45 cents an hour.

Investigating Committee Named. The matter of having timber falling done by contract was discussed at the meetings. It was considered of such importance that a committee was appointed to investigate and make a report at the next session. Committee members named were A. C. Dixon, T. A. McCann, C. T. Early, E. Mitchell, J. L. Hudson and J. E. Rioridan.

Employers and employees who served on the general committee on organization were: Employers, George Geringer, C. T. Early, H. F. Brown and R. H. Burnside; employees, J. E. Rioridan, W. E. Linnhan, L. G. Wellington and W. S. Mitchell.

The local took cognizance of the criticism of Colonel Disque embodied in resolutions adopted by Northern labor organizations and by a group of timber workers.

Colonel Disque Indorsed. The council adopted resolutions expressing "complete confidence" in Colonel Disque and pledging to "support him to the limit." Colonel Disque, appearing at the closing session, voiced appreciation of this expression and deep satisfaction over achievements of the council.

"I can't understand," said the Colonel, "why some labor organizations have gone as far as they have toward condemning my actions. Personally I don't care anything about it. I do what I think is right after careful thought, and having done that I am unconcerned personally as to what anyone thinks of it. The greatest thing in the world to me will be to be able to leave here when the war is over with the satisfaction in my own conscience that I have done what is right."

The new regulations will be regularly promulgated in official bulletins of the Spruce Production Division. They become effective September 1, and supersede all previous regulations transmitted to the lumbermen and their employees.

FAIR TO LAST 4 DAYS

CLACKAMAS GROUNDS PROMISE TO HAVE MANY ATTRACTIONS.

Despite Fact That Crops Are Not as Good as Hoped For, Farmers Plan to Enter Good Exhibits.

OREGON CITY, Or., Aug. 31.—(Special.)—The gates of the Clackamas County fair grounds at Canby will open on the morning of Tuesday, September 17, and will continue open for four days, closing Friday evening, September 20. It is the intention of the management of the Clackamas County Fair Association to specialize on entertainment of a patriotic nature and agriculture this year.

The crops have not been as good as desired in Clackamas County this year, owing to the continued dry weather, and the grain exhibit will not be as large as in former years, but many farmers have decided to enter their best. Corn is looking somewhat better than was anticipated earlier in the season, and many farmers have decided to enter corn, especially boys and girls, who are to enter in the club work of the juvenile department. Judge Grant B. Dimick, one of the best-posted men on corn growing in the state, is offering his usual prizes for the juvenile department for the best corn. This is for the best exhibit of 10 ears of field corn, grown and selected by club members (boys and girls). The first prize will be \$10, second \$5, third \$3, fourth \$2, fifth \$1. There will also be special prizes for vegetable gardening in the juvenile department.

The prizes for best gardening contest will be the same as the corn. From the present indications more than 300 students of the schools of Clackamas County will have entries in the juvenile department this year.

The following is the programme for the four days with many attractions to be filled in:

Tuesday, September 17—Agriculture, dairymen's and Canby day; 10:30 A. M., demonstration of milk and cream testing; also general lecture on dairymen by dairymen; 1 o'clock, automobile parade and ball game; 7 o'clock to 8 o'clock, band concert.

Wednesday, September 18, Oregon City day—A. M., judging in all departments; 1 o'clock, ball game. Thursday, September 19, Molalla, juvenile and farmers' day—10 A. M., stock parade; 1 o'clock, farm team parade and ball game; 7:30 to 8 o'clock, band concert.

Friday, September 20, all county day—11 o'clock, livestock parade; 7:30 to 8 o'clock, band concert.

Special features are to be announced each day, and some novel stunts are being planned.

SEATTLE BUILDING FALLS

NO LIVES LOST IN COLLAPSE OF THREE-STORY HOTEL.

70 Persons Warned Out of Russell House by Police in Time; Damage Is \$8000.

SEATTLE, Aug. 31.—Through the quick work of a dozen police officers, 70 lives were saved when the Russell Hotel, 1510 Sixth avenue, a pioneer three-story frame structure, collapsed tonight and crumpled in ruins.

The building, which had been washed away by water from a hydrant broken by an automobile accident. Every room of the hotel was occupied, and the 70 inmates are said to have lost all their personal effects in the wreckage.

When the first signs of the building's settling, however, policemen forced all occupants of the hotel to leave, thus saving, it is believed, possibly a large loss of life. Telephone, light and trolley wires carried away by the building in its fall endangered pedestrians for hours, compelling the police to close the streets nearby to all traffic.

The Russell Hotel was built in 1888 and was said to have been valued by its owner at approximately \$8000.

SOLDIER HELD BLAMELESS

Coroner's Jury Returns Verdict in Case of Vancouver Street Accident.

VANCOUVER, Wash., Aug. 31.—(Special.)—A verdict finding that both Private William C. Stoll, driving an Army automobile, and Charles Cates, 12-year-old son of G. C. Cates, of this city, disregarded the traffic laws, was returned by the coroner's jury which investigated the accident in which the Cates boy was instantly killed yesterday at Tenth and Washington streets, this city.

The verdict, however, removes all blame from the soldier. Testimony showed that Private Stoll, though on the wrong side of the street, was there in a vain attempt to avoid the collision.

EDITOR'S DAUGHTER LOST

Miss Florence Moe, of Hood River, Drowns in Columbia Slough.

HOOD RIVER, Or., Aug. 31.—(Special.)—Miss Florence Moe, the 17-year-old daughter of A. D. Moe, publisher of the Hood River Glacier, and a popular girl here, drowned today while swimming with her twin sister and a party of chums in the Columbia Slough.

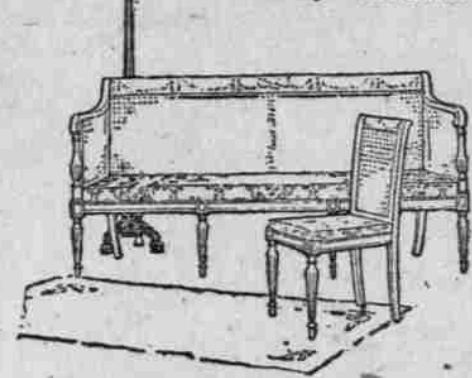
Miss Florence and Miss Frances Moe and a party of small children were bathing at a distance from a large party of swimmers when she stepped

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Eighty Residents of Portland Take Examinations and Majority Will Probably Be Successful.

Every American citizen between the ages of 22 and 42 years who is actively engaged in engineering and is in good physical condition, who has not already sent to the office of the Chief of Engineers at Washington, D. C., an application for a commission as First Lieutenant or Captain in the Engineer Corps, United States Army, is urged to do so immediately. There is need for qualified engineers.

This is the statement of Major Edward H. Williams, head of the examining board of engineer officers which examined 80 applicants for commissions yesterday. Not all were accepted, but it is expected the majority will be commissioned. The examining board will leave today for San Francisco.

Examinations were conducted at the office of the Military Training Camps Association, Room 417 Corbett building, where applications can be obtained. The examining board expects to return to Portland for further examinations in October.

AUTO AND CAR COLLIDE

DEPUTY SHERIFF JOHN STITES SEVERELY INJURED.

Mrs. Sarah Young, of Oak Grove, Passenger in Auto, Cut and Bruised. Machine Badly Damaged.

Deputy Sheriff John Stites, of 1711 East Thirteenth street, received severe cuts and bruises about the head, and Mrs. Sarah Young, of Oak Grove, was severely cut about the head and bruised late last night when the automobile Mr. Stites was driving collided with a Bridge Transfer car at Grand avenue and East Clay street. Mr. Stites received a deep gash in his right cheek and his left ear was almost torn off by the glass from the broken window. Both the injured occupants of the car were taken to the Good Samaritan Hospital.

It was reported to the police that the streetcar was going north on Grand avenue and the automobile east on Clay street when the crash occurred. The machine was badly damaged. Mrs. Young had been visiting at the Stites residence and was on her way home when the accident took place.

Two Injured in Collision

Joe Molinari and Daughter Harried From Wagon Struck by Car.

Joe Molinari, of 1563 East Eleventh street North, received a severe gash over the right eye, and his daughter Marguerite was cut about the head and severely bruised when Alberta car No. 5 came into collision with his vegetable wagon at Union avenue and Knott street late yesterday. The wagon was turned over and Molinari and his daughter were thrown heavily to the pavement.

It was reported by Motorcycle Officer Nelson, who investigated the accident, that the streetcar was southbound on Union avenue, in charge of Motorman C. H. Knudsen. Molinari was driving north on Union avenue, and when he attempted to turn into Knott street the crash occurred.

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WHISKY CACHE RAIDED

Washington County Sheriff Co-operates With Multnomah Officials.

Deputy Sheriffs George Hurlburt and Schirmer yesterday raided the home of R. Postill, 808 Kelly street, arresting Mrs. Postill and seizing 18 quarts of whiskey. Learning that the woman's husband owns a farm near Hillsboro, the officers telephoned to Sheriff Alexander of Washington County and asked him to raid the farm. Here 15 gallons of whiskey was found. Louis Smith, who has been employed by Postill to operate the farm for the past

three years, was arrested. Postill, who was not at the farm at the time of the raid, appeared to furnish bonds for Smith's liberty, and was also arrested.

Major Logus Will Speak.

OREGON CITY, Or., Aug. 31.—(Special.)—Major Will Logus, just returned from France, and now enjoying a 10-day furlough before taking up his new duties at Camp Lewis, is to make a public address to the people of Oregon City who have relatives and friends "over there."

The meeting will be held under the Elks' auspices at the Liberty Temple on Seventh street Wednesday evening, as it is anticipated an extra large crowd will be on hand to hear Major Logus' message from France.

Major Logus was formerly exalted ruler of the Elks, who will give him a reception after the meeting.

Jews Plan for Celebrations.

Great preparations are under way for the celebration of the Jewish holidays, September 7, 8 and 14, in Novah Zedek, Talmud Torah Synagogue at Sixth and Hall streets. Rabbi A. Rosencrantz, who comes from a family of great cantors, will preside, and the music by a choir of 15 will be unusually attractive. Two of the rabbi's talented ones are among the young choir singers.

RELIGION, ACTIVE AND PASSIVE

EFFORT ESSENTIAL TO SALVATION.

BY DR. JAMES E. TALMAGE.

Of the Council of the Twelve, Church of Jesus Christ, of Latter-day Saints, Salt Lake City, Utah.

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There's something intuitive about faith—you seem to "know" things are so and people are true, even though all the world says otherwise. You see faith in the eyes of your dog—faith in the smile of a child—faith in the trust of a woman, and faith in the handshake of your friend. Better a man lose all than lose his faith in himself and in his friends. The measure of success I have made in my profession I owe to faith. I had faith in my ability to serve the public well, and faith that my HONESTY OF PURPOSE would stand between me and the envious critics and turn back the shafts of slander hurled at me. I have faith in the people—I feel that the wise appreciate my efforts to give them BETTER DENTISTRY AT LOWER PRICES—and not confuse this office with the nameless, irresponsible concerns who use cheap prices merely as a "bait" or "LURE." People who must count the cost of dental work in these days of high prices should look for RESPONSIBILITY FIRST—and prices afterward. If my very low fees were the ONLY inducement I offered I should not expect—or should I deserve—the patronage of the people who think for themselves.

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