

OREGON WILL JOIN SAFETY PROCESSION

State Council of National Organization to Form.

O. W. PRICE TELLS PLANS

Advantages of Education to Prevent Accidents Is Outlined at Dinner to Visitors.

Oregon is to have a state council of the National Safety Council. Organization will be perfected at a meeting to be held at 4 o'clock Monday afternoon in the room at the Chamber of Commerce, and will be followed by a meeting in the evening at the public library for plant foremen, superintendents and safety engineers.

C. W. Price, general manager of the National Safety Council, was the guest last night of a dinner tendered by Oregon manufacturers in the crystal room of the Benson hotel, and delivered an address showing what has been accomplished in other sections of the country in the prevention of unnecessary accidents. He gave statistics showing that during the 19 months of the war, 1918, 56,227 men in battle and some 200,000 were wounded. In the same period here in America, he said, 126,614 were killed through accidents in factories, on the street or in the home, and more than two millions were injured permanently, or sufficiently to necessitate the loss of four weeks' time.

Movement Shown Effective.

Mr. Price declared there never was a time in the history of the country when employers were working more diligently for the welfare of their employees and coming to a realization of what the loss in human factory equipment means to industry. He touched upon the situation in England and then took up a number of factories in which the safety campaign had been inaugurated, citing figures to show the effectiveness of the movement.

Briefly he reviewed the progress of the National Safety Council, its programme for the conservation of humanity and the great benefit that industry is realizing through the efforts now being made to place every possible safeguard about its workers.

Education, he said, is being found far more valuable than mechanical devices in preventing accidents and every company inaugurating the campaign has been rewarded by extraordinary dividends.

The St. Louis car shops, Mare Island shipyard, Omaha smelter, Wisconsin paper mills, steel corporation and the railroads were held up as examples of accomplishment in the prevention of needless accidents and loss of life.

Local Results Cited.

Representatives of Portland and Oregon plants affiliated with the national safety council delivered short addresses in support of the organization of a state council, among these being J. J. Levins of the Portland Gas & Coke company, Manager Hawley of the Oregon Pulp and Paper mill, Manager Martin of the Northwest Steel company, J. F. Grodzki of the O. W. R. & N., the Southern Pacific, Northern Pacific terminal and other railroad lines; E. K. Stanton, manager of the Crown-Willamette Paper mills, Oregon City, and Harry Coffin, of the public safety commission, Portland.

William A. Marshall of the state industrial accident commission acted as toastmaster at the dinner, and Commissioners Beckwith and Allen also were present, as was State Labor Commissioner Gram.

An effort will be made to have a large representation of Oregon manufacturers present at Monday afternoon's meeting, while all workmen, foremen and superintendents are to be urged to attend the evening meeting in the library, to hear Mr. Price's address.

PANTAGES DEFENSE GOOD

60-CENT SUIT AGAINST THEATER COSTS MERCER \$14.70.

Patron's Claim of Poor Seats Is Refuted by War-Tax Reports and Testimony.

Pantages theater was vindicated when the jury found for the defendant in the 60-cent suit of Mercer, tried before District Judge Dayton.

Mercer started things rolling when he instituted an action for the smallest amount ever made the cause of suit in Multnomah county. He asked that the 60 cents be paid for two tickets to Pantages vaudeville on the evening of April 2 be returned, alleging that he and his wife were unable to find seats in the show except in "nigger heaven" when he had paid for good seats, and that the return of his money was refused him.

In its defense the theater company maintained that the night in question was a stormy one, and that federal tax receipts showed that it house had not been full at any time during the evening, and that the plaintiff could easily have secured 30-cent seats. An employee testified that Mercer had refused to stay, although informed there were good seats unoccupied.

The court action cost Mercer \$14.70, exclusive of attorney's fee.

PHILOMATH GRADUATES 3

HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS HEAR SUPERINTENDENT CHURCHILL.

D. U. Stovall Presents Diplomas. Baccalaureate Sermon to Be Preached Tonight.

PHILOMATH, Or., May 31.—(Special).—The sixth annual commencement exercises of the Philomath high school were held at the J. O. Q. P. hall here Thursday evening. The graduates were: Wave Lesley, Viva Green, Cora Pimm, Misses Green and Lesley gave orations. The principal address was given by State Superintendent J. A. Churchill. The college scholarship was awarded to Miss Wave Lesley. The high school diplomas were presented by D. H. Stovall and the eighth grade diplomas by County School Superintendent Cannon.

The high school baccalaureate sermon will be preached next Sunday evening at the First United Brethren church by the pastor, Rev. A. S. Henderson.

Auto Backfire Dangerous.

Mrs. B. A. Hood, 42, 1125 Senate street, is in St. Vincent's hospital with a fractured leg as a result of being struck by the crank of an automobile which backfired while she was trying

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to start it. James Blasso, 19, had a similar accident in the Palace garage. He is in the Good Samaritan hospital.

KELSO SCHOOL A SUCCESS

Largest Class Graduated This Year in History of District.

KELSO, Wash., May 31.—(Special).—Kelso's school year, which came to an end Friday, was one of the most successful in the history of the schools despite the handicaps resulting from the influenza epidemic. The enrollment this year was the largest in the history of the school, and Kelso high school graduated its largest class with a membership of 30, although a large number of the boys dropped out of school the past two years to enter the service. The high school enrollment exceeded that of previous years by a considerable number.

Two months vacation on account of influenza and a large number of absences by pupils as a result of the epidemic were made up by teaching longer hours and on Saturday, the classes were brought to standard so that there were no more than the average number of failures and the full year's work was completed.

NORMAL SOCIETIES ELECT

Portland and Oswego Girls Chosen to Be Presidents.

OREGON NORMAL SCHOOL, Monmouth, Or., May 30.—(Special).—The two literary societies of the Normal, the Delphians and Vesperines, held special meetings recently and elected officers for next year. The Vesperine officers chosen are: Shannon Patterson, Oswego, president; Mrs. Ethel Brown, Monmouth, vice-president; Mabel Edmeades, Portland, secretary; Helma Hendrickson, Astoria, treasurer; Varena Puntanen, Camas, Wash., reporter; Mildred Jones, sergeant-at-arms.

The following will govern the Delphians: Helen Peck, Portland, president; Winifred Nelson, Portland, vice-president; Esther Booth, Lebanon, secretary; Nathalie Selling, Portland, treasurer; Addie Quisenberry, Portland, sergeant-at-arms; Amy E. Coleson, Lakeview, reporter.

U. S. Naval Radio Reports.

(All positions reported at 8 P. M. yesterday unless otherwise indicated.)

CITY OF TOKYO, A. Portland for San Francisco, 28 miles south of Cape Blanco.

ADRIAN, P. Astoria for San Francisco, 115 miles south of Cape Blanco.

CHICKEN, S. Monterey for Linton, 310 miles north of Monterey.

WILLAMETTE, S. San Francisco for Seattle, 240 miles north of Point Arena.

WILLIAM F. HERRON, Linton for San Francisco, 475 miles south of Linton.

ATLAS, towing Barge 94, Richmond for Seattle, 145 miles from Richmond.

CELENO, St. Helena for San Francisco, off Cape Blanco.

STANWOOD, Westport for San Pedro, 118 miles south of Astoria.

FRED BAXTER, San Francisco for Seattle, 280 miles from Seattle.

GOVERNOR, Seattle via Victoria, for San Francisco, 106 miles south of Umanilla.

KORRIGAN THIRD, Vancouver for San Francisco, 325 miles north of San Francisco.

WASHINGTON, Port San Luis for Portland, 715 miles from Portland.

STRAHER BUCK, San Pedro for Everett, 205 miles north of San Pedro.

YOSEMITE, San Francisco for Seattle, 140 miles north of San Francisco.

PRESIDENT, San Francisco for Seattle, 47 miles north of Point Arena.

PROVIDENCIA, Aberdeen for San Francisco, 50 miles north of San Francisco.

ADMIRAL SCHLEY, San Francisco for Wilmington, 85 miles from San Francisco.

HUMBOLDT, Los Angeles for San Francisco, 50 miles from San Francisco.

LYMAN STEWART, Seattle for San Luis, 25 miles south of San Francisco.

ANYOK, for Tacoma, ahead of Point Willson.

STORACE BAXTER, Tacoma for San Pedro, 5 miles from Tacoma.

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United States government office have been consolidated, the purpose being to reduce expenses. The labor board had previously occupied rooms in the Coke building, but will meet hereafter in the employment office on Front street. While the labor board has maintained its organization, members had been absent frequently, so that business could not be conducted.

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