RECREATION AIM OF COMMUNITY SERVICE

Wholesome Amusement for All Needing It Assured.

NEW AGENCY IS LAUNCHED

Definite Programme of Development According to Needs of Various Communities Is Adopted.

Community service, the new leisure-time agency which was adopted by a group of Portland men and women last Tuesday, will proceed on a definite programme, announced last night by H. W. Arbury, executive secretary of the new organization. It will be a co-ordinate agency to help Portland people with recreation needs to find the organization that can supply it, and to initiate such work where it cannot otherwise be provided.

The new recreation programme is to be two-fold, covering industrial and home districts. Music, athletics, dramatics and dancing will be the primary base of the plan.

"If investigation of the recreation situation in any neighborhood or factory shows that there are organizations to cope with the problem, the work of the Community service will be to learn the needs of that community and serve as a co-ordinating body by bringing these needs to the attention of existing agencies," said Mr. Arbury. "If, however, there are no agencies ready we will then initiate our own recreation programme. But we shall be careful never to duplicate or compete with the work of another organization."

Development Is Proceeding.

Development of a permanent citizens' committee for Community service of 50 members, an executive committee and executive chairman is proceeding under the guidance of the organization committee appointed at Tuesday's meeting. This committee is headed by Charles Berg. Marshall N. Dana is vice chairman, Frank O. Bates treasurer, Frank H. Hilton assistant treasurer, and the other members are George L. Baker, Eugene E. Smith, Harold Wendel, Mary Francis Isom, Estes Snedecor and Otto Hartwig.

The present executive staff of Community service is composed of H. W. Arbury, executive secretary; Miss Kathleen Cockburn, associate secretary; Walter Jenkins, community song leader, and his assistant, Miss Grace Brown. The offices are at 436 Northwestern Bank building.

"The dual programme of Community service may be illustrated by two examples," said Mr. Arbury. "In neighborhood work our activity at the Thompson school will serve as a model. Here, at the request of the Parent-teacher association of the school, we have assisted in the organization of the community surrounding the school for recreation and closer association. Meetings are held weekly in the schoolhouse, at which entertainment is furnished entirely by the community.

Success of Plan Shown.

"Whether the entertainment be musical, dramatic or athletic, the participants are the people of the community. Thus they are developing themselves, amusing themselves, and becoming better acquainted. That the plan is successful is indicated by the fact that in this small district 250 people are regular attendants at the meeting and the number is constantly growing. To the present features will be added dancing, it is hoped, and other amusements the community may desire."

All communities are free to call upon Community service for assistance in such self-organization, Mr. Arbury announced. The service of the entire staff, including Walter Jenkins, the dynamic song leader, will be placed at the disposal of any community. In this way it is hoped that Community service may assist in hastening the enrichment of community life, and furnish the city with more vital amusement than that of the commercial theater or dancehall.

W. J. Bryan Thanks Boy Singer for Picture.

Fatherly Advice on Use of Musical Talents and Value of Education Are Given.

ABERDEEN, Wash., Dec. 6.—(Special.)—"The heart is more important than the head. Out of it issues life. Character is the power of endurance in man. It is built upon religion. It requires more than 100 books to train the mind; one, the Bible, is sufficient to train the heart."

So says William Jennings Bryan in a letter which he wrote to Loren Davidson, young son of Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Davidson, formerly of Aberdeen, now living at Montesano. Young Davidson sang at a banquet given to Bryan here last summer. Bryan was greatly pleased with the lad's voice and requested Eldridge Wheeler, superintendent of the Montsano schools, to obtain a photograph of the lad. This was done and the statement quoted was one of those contained in the letter. The letter, dated at Hot Springs, Ark., November 26, says:

My dear young friend:

Mr. Wheeler has been kind enough to send me your photograph, as I requested, and I hasten to thank you for it.

It recalls the pleasure you gave me by your singing. Your voice, trained as it is, gives you a rare power to add to the happiness of others, and I hope you will find your talent a source of profit as well as enjoyment.

If I may be pardoned for giving a word of advice, prompted by my interest in your welfare, I venture to suggest that you do not allow your enthusiasm for music to lead you to slight the fundamental things.

First, take exercise. The body must be strong and youth is the period during which strength is accumulated.

Second, do not neglect your studies. No matter what special talent one has he needs a broad education for it to rest upon. A talent is but a hill if it stands upon a base of ignorance; it is a mountain peak if it rises from a high intellectual level.

Third, the heart is more important than the head; out of it issues life. Character is the power of endurance in man. It is built upon religion. It requires more than a hundred books to train the mind; one, the Bible, is sufficient to train the heart.

In return for the compliment you paid me in sending me your picture, I shall send you a little volume of my own, "The Making of a Man" may give you some suggestions of value. With every good wish I am very truly yours,

W. J. BRYAN.

FIRE HAZARDS LOCATED

Storage of Gasoline Menaces Oregon City Property.

OREGON CITY, Or., Dec. 6.—(Special.)—The deputies from the state fire marshal's office here to conduct a fire survey of the city said they have found risky gasoline and electric fire hazards. They said several persons are storing on their premises as much as 50 gallons of gasoline on top of the ground, whereas the state law will permit only the keeping of five gallons of gasoline in such exposed condition. They state also that they have found a good many houses which are exposed to fire risk through faulty electric wiring.

Deputy Harold Sykes is visiting various schoolrooms and giving talks to the children on fire protection and fire prevention. As a result of this work the high school has organized a fire team, Principal W. L. Arant announced.

WELFARE HOTEL OPENED

'RED SHIELD INN' DEDICATED AT CAMP LEWIS.

Building Erected at Cost of $107,000 Has All Modern Conveniences; Dining-Room Unique.

A new welfare hotel was added to the camp establishments at Camp Lewis, Wash., yesterday when the "Red Shield Inn," Salvation Army building, was formally dedicated and opened for service. The ceremony was performed by Commissioner T. Estill of Chicago, officer in charge of all Salvation Army activities west of the Mississippi river. Military and civil authorities were represented in the ceremony, Major-General J. E. Morrison, commanding Camp Lewis, and Mayor C. M. Riddell of Tacoma, making addresses. The band of the 35th infantry played martial airs.

The "Red Shield Inn" was erected to meet the demand for additional accommodations at Camp Lewis for the troops and for visitors at the camp. It will offer facilities to the military authorities and to the general public.

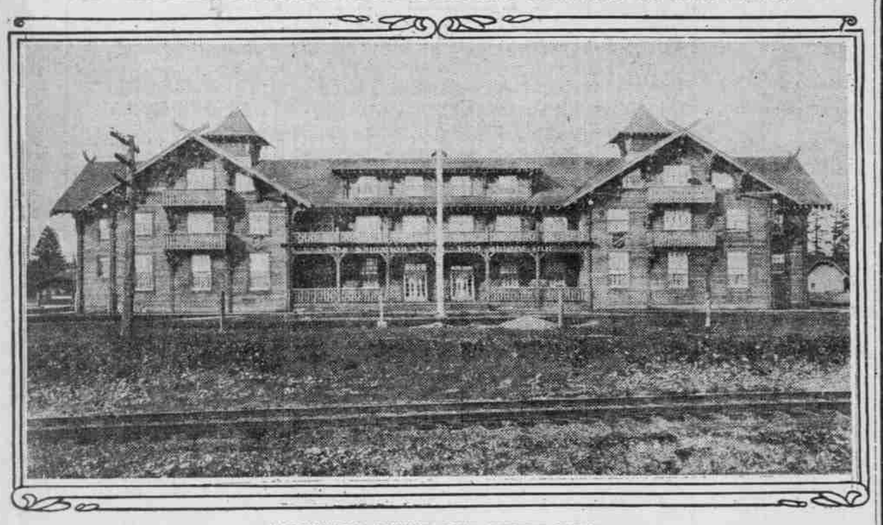
The building was erected at a cost of $107,000, exclusive of furnishings. It is nearly square, 155 feet long and 140 feet wide, with a court 60 feet square, in which is a very attractive fountain lending to the charm of the place. The building is modernly equipped, with electric light, steam heat, hot and cold water and telephones in each room. It has 22 connecting bathrooms in addition to general lavatories.

The women's parlor and the men's smoking room are features of the hostelry, and the lobby has an inviting appearance.

Home cooking is the feature of the unique dining room and kitchen, which are fitted with modern facilities. Prices of rooms and meals will be moderate.

The Salvation Army is arranging for tennis courts and croquet grounds near the inn, and expects to make the "Red Shield Inn" one of the most attractive places in the northwest.

NEW HOSTELRY DEDICATED TO SOLDIERY AND CITIZENRY AT CAMP LEWIS.



SALVATION ARMY'S "RED SHIELD INN."

SEATTLE PARK BONDS UP

Proposal for $750,000 Issue May Go Before Voters.

SEATTLE, Wash., Dec. 6.—Seattle voters will ballot next March on a proposition to issue $750,000 in bonds for park purposes, if the city council acts favorably on a petition to that effect adopted by the board of park commissioners today. The entire fund which would be raised by the issue, with the exception of $45,000, would be used solely in improvement of existing park property, it was explained.

No park bonds have been voted in Seattle since 1910.

Councilman to Pay Bill.

SALEM, Or., Dec. 6.—(Special.)—Because he directed the construction of several sewers in Salem which the council refused to sanction, Councilman A. H. Moore yesterday announced that he would personally compensate the workmen and pay for the material needed in the jobs. Mr. Moore says he expects, however, that the city will sooner or later come to his relief and authorize warrants covering the work.

CARD OF THANKS.

I wish to extend my heartfelt thanks to our many friends, both in Portland and Albany, for their kindness during sickness and death of my beloved wife, Mattie E. Case.

H. A. CASE.

Adv.

Ladies see M. Sichel's ad. page 5.-Adv.

2 HURT WHEN CARS HIT

Goldendale, Wash., Visitors Are Struck by Portland Car.

Mrs. George W. Brown, 25, of 698 East Fifty-eighth street North and Miss L. Condon, 22, and Richard Condon of Goldendale, Wash., were thrown from the automobile in which they were riding yesterday, in a collision with a car driven by Mrs. Fred Robins, East Seventy-eighth and East Ash streets.

Miss Condon and Mrs. Brown were badly bruised and were sent to St. Vincent's hospital. Mr. Condon also received a bruised hip and cuts from flying glass resulting from a broken wind shield.

According to report of Motorcycle Officer Gouldstone Mrs. Robins was driving at a high rate of speed.

Mr. Condon is a rancher living near Goldendale, Wash. Miss Condon is his daughter. They have been visiting in the city.

Dr. R. B. Miller Heads Physicians.

ALBANY, Or., Dec. 6.—(Special.)—Dr. R. Bruce Miller of Lebanon will serve as president of the Central Willamette Medical society, composed of the physicians of Linn, Benton and Lincoln counties, for 1920. He was chosen in the annual election held at the quarterly meeting of the society in this city Thursday night. Dr. R. A. Jayne of Philomath was elected vice-president and Dr. R. L. Wood of Lebanon secretary-treasurer. Dr. B. R. Wallace of Albany was elected on the board to consider applications for membership.

Professor Coleman Speaks Today.

Professor Norman F. Coleman will be the speaker at the vesper service in the Reed college chapel at 4 o'clock today. There will be special organ music. The service is open to the public.

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