

EDITORS MEET AT ASTORIA FRIDAY Programme Complete for State Convention. SESSIONS LAST TWO DAYS Third Day to Be Given Over to Trips to Beaches, Swimming and Motor Jaunts.

CORVALLIS, Or., Aug. 7.—(Special.)—The president and secretary of the Oregon State Editorial association met in Salem Wednesday and put the finishing touches on the state association programme to be given in Astoria August 13, 14 and 15.

Many of the editors are planning to go to Corvallis and take the evening boat to Astoria, arriving there Friday morning, which will give plenty of time to get located before the programme starts at 10 o'clock.

Advertising to Be Discussed. The first address Friday forenoon is to be by Fred Wolflein of the Bend Bulletin on "The Confidence of Your Advertiser."

The afternoon programme begins at 7:30 o'clock with a paper by E. Brodie, vice-president of the national editorial association, on "Standardizing Prices in Printing and Advertising."

McNary to Give Paper Discussed. "The Print Paper Situation from the Jobber's Standpoint" will be discussed by William White of the Zellerbach Paper Co.

Senator McNary will tell "What Congress Discovered About Print Paper." He will digest the various findings of the committee.

"The Publicity Value of the Tourist to the State" will be outlined by Herbert Cuthbert of the northwest tourist association.

"Tell It Truthfully" will be the title of a talk by William P. Stramborg, vice-president of the associated advertising clubs of the world.

On Saturday at 5:30 A. M. sessions will be resumed by E. P. Hayward of The Oregonian, manager of the circulation department, will discuss "Intensive Circulation Development."

Convention Reporting is Topic. "A Code of Laws for Oregon Newspapers" will be the subject of a talk by Allen of the university school of journalism.

"The Non-Partisan League" will be discussed by George K. Alken of the Ontario Argus.

A dance will be given in American Legion hall tonight to raise money to pay the freight on the guns, which amounts to about \$100.

FUEL EMBARGO URGED Remedy for Gasoline Shortage Suggested by Senator McNary.

SALEM, Or., Aug. 7.—(Special.)—That an embargo on exportations may possibly be the remedy for the gasoline shortage is the opinion of United States Senator McNary after receiving from the federal trade commission figures applying to the gasoline and crude oil industry on the Pacific coast.

The figures show that for the first six months of the present year the export business was 4,600,000 gallons in excess of export trade for 1919, or about 33.3 per cent, enough to go a long way toward alleviating the shortage on the coast.

In view of the limited production of gasoline in California and the grant demand for commercial and

pleasure purposes. I believe congress should give serious consideration to the enactment of legislation placing an embargo on the sale and shipment of crude oils and gasoline to foreign countries," said Senator McNary.

CITY DOES RETAIL TRADE Electric Ranges Sold Cheaper, Dealers Enter Protest.

TACOMA, Wash., Aug. 7.—(Special.)—The city of Tacoma will not quit McNary.

COLORADO GIRL HEADS NEW NORMAL DEPARTMENT.



OREGON NORMAL SCHOOL, Monmouth, Aug. 7.—(Special.)—Miss Louise Syp, who is a graduate of Colorado State Teachers college, Greeley, Colo., has accepted a position as instructor in the commercial department of the Oregon Normal school, which department is being installed for the first time with the beginning of the fall term in September.

selling electric ranges although electrical appliance dealers made complaint. Commissioner Ira L. Davidson, of the light and power department, ruled that it was the right of the city to cut the high cost of living by providing ranges at a small charge over the wholesale price.

The city of Tacoma buys electric ranges cheaper than any concern on the Pacific coast, because of the volume of its business. Ranges are sold here from \$10 to \$16 below any other city on the coast.

BARBECUE TO BE HELD Portland People to Be Invited to Outing at Banks.

BANKS, Or., Aug. 7.—(Special.)—A barbecue and picnic will be held August 18 at Manning, four miles south of Banks, to which Portland people will be invited.

A splendid programme has been arranged by the Inland Highway association, which favors state highway from Portland to Astoria by the way of Forest Grove, Banks, Manning, Sutton, Sciofield and Vernonia—a route that is lower, straighter, shorter and which would accommodate 5 to 1 more people than any other route from Forest Grove to Vernonia.

Among the speakers expected at the barbecue will be Governor Owen, Senator Chamberlain and Highway Commissioner Benson.

Diamonds Have a Standard Value, But Our Prices Are Less!

YOU can surely buy diamonds at this store for less than importers' prices; which is to say, for less than other retail houses can buy them!

This house has the most exceptional and unusual facilities for buying diamonds, through which you may profit!

We are showing some exceptional bargains in very fine, first-quality stones, carat size, at only \$500.

For Diamonds Come to the House That Saves You Money!

ARONSON'S Washington Street at Broadway

The PORTLAND HOTEL Richard W. Childs, Manager C.D. Schroeder, Asst. Manager As a Pleasant Change from the daily routine, dine with your family or friends at the hotel. The service is food and courteous service will please you. Sunday Table d'Hote Dinner Weekday Noon Lunch 75c

NESTLES FOOD CHIEF JABS DAIRY LEAGUE Frank S. Glass Is "Brains" of Distributors, Charge.

PRICE FIXING IS DENIED Statement Charges Public is Disregarded and Object Is to Raise Prices High as Possible.

Discussion of the present milk controversy, the Oregon Dairymen's cooperative league, the Portland milk distributors and the Nestle company is made in the first statement issued by Frank S. Glass, representative of the Nestle company.

Mr. Glass has been charged with being the chief of the fight being waged by the milk distributors, although Mr. Glass has repeatedly stated that he is here in the interest of his company, which operates two large condensing factories, one in Boston and the other in Portland.

Mr. Glass' statement is in part as follows: "A peculiar misconception that I think was pretty thoroughly exploded yesterday was that in regard to the relations between the distributors of milk in a city and the public, the people should realize that it is not the distributors who regulate prices. This is especially true in Portland, where competition from farmers in the district right around Portland who are bringing their milk right in here and selling it from their own regions, is wide open.

"The public should realize that the fight that the distributors are making against domination of the city's milk supply by a small clique of interested promoters or high-minded irrigator holders, is the public's fight, because it would cost the distributors nothing to accept any demand made by the league and simply pass those demands to the public.

"I would like to comment on the most amazing action of the league officials yesterday, the significance of which I do not think those people 'ortland will fall to grasp. The hearing before the Taxpayers' league committee, was at the request of the so-called Oregon Dairymen's league, ostensibly so that a representative, disinterested body like the taxpayers committee, could learn the truth.

Truth Bottled Up. "And yet at that very meeting various speakers, including myself, who were opposed to the exploitation scheme of the promoters of the Oregon Dairymen's league, were actually served with a restraining order in an attempt to close their lips and prevent the truth from being told.

"This restraining order may effectively prevent my saying anything as to the relations between the league and the dairymen but I would like to make this comment—it is a sad organization that is so fearful of the

truth—so fearful of criticism that it has to rush into court and secure a restraining order to prevent the truth being told at a meeting called at its request to hear the truth.

"At untold sacrifices, the affect of which will last for hundreds and hundreds of years, the world has just gone through the greatest war of history to prevent Prussian autocracy becoming dominant on the continent of Europe, and it is the same kind of Prussian commercialized autocracy that the opponents of the Oregon Dairymen's league are fighting in the milk business.

"Just as the whole world became aroused to the menace of the Prussian idea in politics, so the public and all elements in the milk business are becoming aroused as to what the Prussian idea means when applied to the most indispensable food known to mankind.

FALSE SALE IS CHARGED Man Arrested Said to Have Obtained Signature Illegally.

Allen R. Simonson was arrested yesterday morning by Deputy Sheriffs Christofferson and Kendall on the charge of obtaining a signature under false pretenses. He is alleged to have given a false bill of sale to M. E. Lillis on September 10, 1919, of some property to be used in a dyeing and cleaning establishment, which he said he owned.

He obtained Lillis' signature to a note for \$400, but it is declared the bill of sale is worthless.

AGED MAN HURT IN FALL. John Unger, aged 60, of 308 1/2 Stark street, was taken to St. Vincent's hospital yesterday afternoon, suffering from a bad laceration on the back of the head, as a result of a fall at Twenty-first and Therman streets. The man is said to have suffered a dizzy spell and to have fallen, and it is believed that he may have suffered a fracture of the skull.

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SHRINERS ARE DUE TODAY Islam Party to Tour Highway as Al Kaders' Guests.

Sixty members of Islam temple, Mystic Shrine, and their wives will arrive in Portland this morning at 8:30 o'clock. The party, composed of about 60 men and about 70 women, will be taken over the Columbia river highway to Al Kader park, near Hood River, as guests of Al Kader temple.

The visiting Shriners will be served with luncheon at the park, the luncheon plans being in the hands of Chef Thiele of the Benson hotel.

Members of Al Kader temple who have been notified to appear at the station with their cars are requested to obtain gasoline supplies at the service station of the Standard Oil company at Fifth and Davis streets at 7:30 o'clock.

The party from Islam temple are returning from a trip through Yellowstone park and will leave tonight for their homes in San Francisco.

"HEROES ALL," NEW BOOK 38 OREGON MEN IN PAGES AS CITED FOR BRAVERY.

Portland Men Total 15, Ranging From Private to Colonel; Volume in Library.

SALEM, Or., Aug. 7.—(Special.)—"Heroes All" is the title of a new book that has been received at the state library, containing the names of all American soldiers who were cited or decorated for distinguished service during the war.

The names of 36 soldiers and sailors are in the Oregon list, 15 from Portland, and 21 from other parts of the state.

The Oregon names from outside Portland follow: Corporal Charles Auer, Bandon; Major K. J. Swanson, Beaverton; Private Clyde Brandson, Bend; Captain L. C. Beebe, Cottage Grove; Pharmacist's Mate Second Class H. F. Rogers, Creston; Private K. H. A. Koehler, Hillsdale; Corporal D. L. Spaulding, Hood River; Private G. W. Wilcox, Linnton; Sergeant First Class F. T. Collins, McMinnville; Captain James P. Growden, McMinnville; Corporal H. C. Van Amburgh, Milwaukie; First Lieutenant A. T. Lee, Newberg; Captain Ward M. Ackley, North Portland; First Lieutenant R. M. Wilcox, North Portland; Corporal H. Dakin, Freewater; Private Helmut Dewitz, Salem; Sergeant A. C. Preley, Salem; First Lieutenant E. J. Price, Salem; Major Alexander Rasmussen, Sherwood; Private J. H. Womack, Walhalla; Private Chester Haven, Woodburn.

The Portland list follows: Sergeant H. M. Bird, First Lieutenant Hugh D. Broomfield, Major S. E. Brett, Colonel A. L. Bump, First Lieutenant J. C. Burgard, Sergeant First Class E. E. Ely, Corporal William Hansen, Corporal D. B. Hunt, Private E. C. Kyle, Private Eugene Mc-

Entes, First Lieutenant H. L. McLeod, Private H. E. Pearson, Private R. E. Read, First Lieutenant T. W. Saul, Corporal C. W. Sitka.

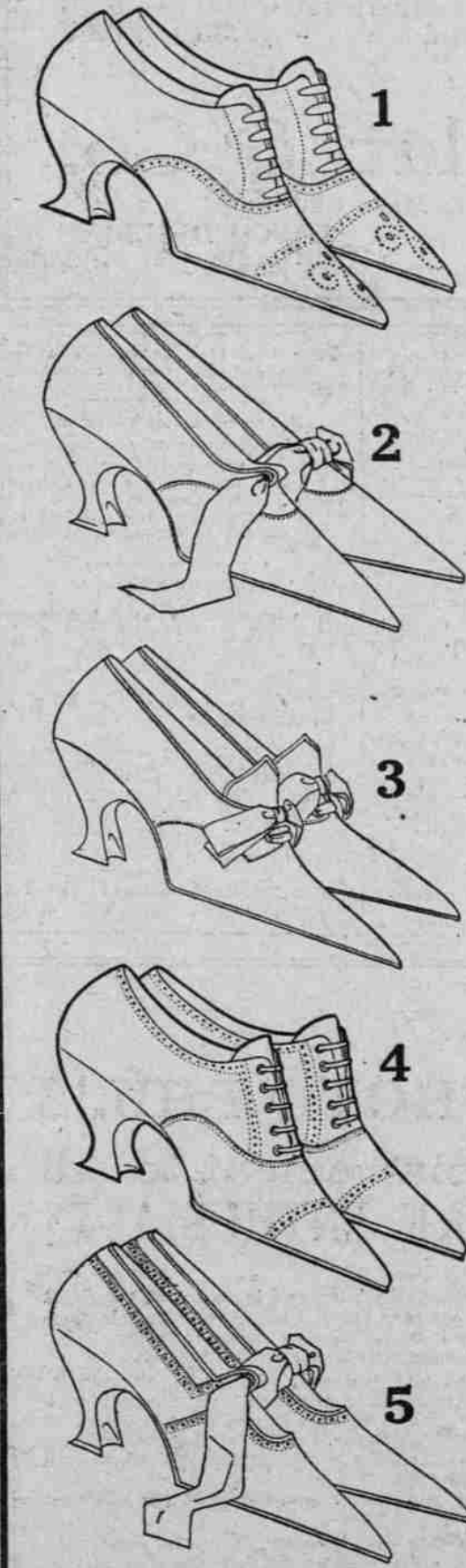
MASONS TO HAVE PICNIC Social Groto to Stage Special Gard of Fun and Feasting. One of the big fraternal picnics of the summer is promised for Saturday afternoon and evening, August 14, when Master Masons and their families will be the guests of Gul-Ressie Groto No. 65. This organization, and a local chapter of the national-wide social order among Master Masons, is holding a membership campaign this summer, and the picnic is one of several features which they have planned in connection with the drive.

The programme, which is under the charge of Clyde E. Lewis, director of the membership campaign, will consist of races and games during the afternoon, a basket dinner and dancing and music in the evening. The Groto uniformed guard will give an exhibition drill, and music will be given by the Groto band and the Groto quartet.

BANK EMPLOYEES PICNIC 160 Motor Up Highway and Have Barbecue at Bonneville. Employees of the United States National bank enjoyed a sight-seeing trip up the Columbia River highway and a picnic at Bonneville yesterday as guests of the bank. More than two dozen big machines were engaged to take care of the 160 employees of the bank, and the officers and their wives acted as hosts for the occasion.

A feature of the afternoon was a barbecue at Bonneville park, which had been decorated for the occasion, followed by a dance. The party left the bank at about 3 o'clock yesterday afternoon, returning in the late evening.

CLEARANCE SALE SIDE SALE

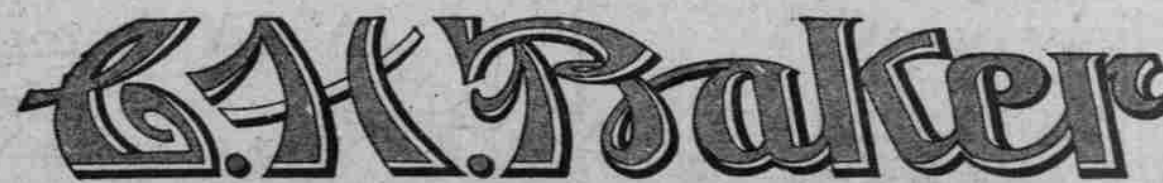


The few items listed here are but "a little spray caught from our great ocean of values," but demonstrate most forcibly and conclusively the importance of this Clearance Sale to those of Portland and vicinity. Just think---100 complete lines, not one priced over \$10.85.

11 Extraordinary Shoe Values

- 1 A1612—Brown Kid Oxford, light welt sole, leather French heel..... \$8.85
2 G1005—Dainty one-eyelot Tie in patent colt, turn sole, French heel..... \$9.85
3 A1631—Two-eyelot Tie in dull mat kid, light welt sole, leather French heel..... \$6.85
4 A1612—Street Oxford in fine brown kid, sturdy welt sole, leather French heel..... \$8.85
5 C1203—New Theo Tie in soft brown suede, turn sole, covered French heel..... \$9.85
6 1220—Black kid, French heeled pump with metal buckle attached. Turn sole..... \$4.85
7 B1212—Attractive Theo Tie in soft brown suede, turn sole, cov'd French heel..... \$7.85
8 B1219—Dainty opera pump in soft black kid, turn sole, covered French heel..... \$6.85
9 D1612—Two-eyelot Dixie Tie in fine black kid, welt sole, leather French heel..... \$8.85
10 1884—White Nubuck Sport Oxford, welt sole, white military heel..... \$6.85
11 D1207—Soft black kid tongue Pump, turn sole, French heel..... \$9.85

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