

OREGON CAMPAIGN TO GATHER SPEED

Regional Director to Arrive Tuesday for Conferences.

CLUBS BEING FORMED

All but Three Counties of State Report Complete Organizations and United Front.

This week will see the Oregon republican campaign developing headway. Among the activities of the coming week will be the following:

Tuesday Eimer Dover, regional campaign director of the republican national committee with headquarters in San Francisco will arrive for a conference with officials of the republican state central committee and other republican leaders.

Tuesday night at the library R. N. Stanfield, republican candidate for United States senator, will open his campaign in Multnomah county by speaking before the members of the republican county central committee.

State Chairman Thomas H. Tongue Jr., Secretary Hotchkiss and County Chairman Day will make final arrangements for the Harding-Coolidge ratification meeting which has been scheduled for September 10 at the auditorium, Portland.

Plans will also be perfected this week for the organization of several bureaus in connection with the state campaign, the bureau of clubs and the speakers' bureau.

The republican national committee has asked that each state organization institute a bureau of clubs which will not only organize clubs throughout the state but also co-ordinate their activities.

The organization of republican clubs is already under way. The Harding-Coolidge republican club of Multnomah county, the Stanfield republican club, the Harding-Stanfield republican club of St. Helena, the Harding-Stanfield club at Rainier are recently organized republican clubs which have reported to and are working in co-operation with the state central committee.

Secretary Hotchkiss reports that all but three of the counties of the state have reported their county organizations complete. Twenty-three of the counties have committees appointed and at work on their county organization work is further along in the opinion of Mr. Hotchkiss.

Mrs. Taylor Marshall, Illinois clubwoman and leader in republican politics in that state, tendered her services to the state central committee yesterday. She will be in Oregon until after Christmas and pledged herself to speak at any time or place desired by the republican managers in the interests of the party.

James J. Donegan of Burns, secretary of the republican county central committee for Harney county, was a Portland visitor yesterday. He said that the application of the republican party which had interfered with two previous national campaigns has disappeared and that united republicans were backing Harding and Coolidge to the limit.

RAILROADS GET INCREASE

Intrastate Rates to Correspond With Interstate Schedule.

Information received by the Southern Pacific general offices in the Yeon building is that the California state railroad commission has granted the application of the railroads of that state for increased freight and passenger rates to correspond to intrastate business with the rates fixed by the interstate commerce commission on interstate traffic.

The Idaho public service commission has also granted the applications for increased rates on intrastate traffic, but with a limitation of 3.5 cents per mile as the maximum passenger fare to be charged on roads not now having a fare in excess of that amount.

"GHOST" SCARES COOKS

Lodger Dives Through Skylight When Room Is Found Afire.

THE DALLES, Or., Aug. 21.—(Special.)—Terrence O'Reilly went to sleep in a lodging house last night with a lighted cigarette in his mouth. Nearly an hour later he awakened to find his bed on fire, and dived head first from the window and through the skylight of a restaurant kitchen beneath him.

BENTON COUNTY MAN REACHES HUNDREDDTH MILEPOST TODAY

Friends and Descendants of Kreieno Kreins, Patriarch of Philomath District, Will Help in Celebration Unique in Annals of Northwest.

BY ADDISON BENNETT. I fall has gone well since Friday last there will be an unusual happening in the Philomath neighborhood of Benton county, for one of the old settlers of that vicinity today will reach the one hundredth anniversary of his birth, and the event will be celebrated at his home, four miles southwest of Philomath, by a gathering of friends and descendants, principally the latter.

On August 22, 1820, there was born in Bavaria, one of the provinces of Germany—at least it was for many years until the Kaiser scrambled the map, and I guess it still belongs to that unfortunate country—a man-child, later christened Kreieno Kreins, usually now set down on the tax rolls and such as K. Kraus, or Kerna. His father followed the sea, but young Kreins grew up in the open and received a partial education in the nearby schools. He worked on a farm when old enough to shift for himself, and was married when he was 18 years old. Two children were born there previous to 1855, a daughter, Almira, and a son, Herman, and in the year 1855, his little family came to the United States.

Illinois Homestead Taken. They went to the vicinity of Freeport, Ill., and selected a half-section of land and the young German walked to Iowa City and back to file on it, agreeing to pay \$1.25 an acre for the 320 acres. On that farm nine more children were born and the family resided there until 1850, when a removal was made to Barton county, Kansas, where they purchased a farm near the county seat, Great Bend. They remained there until 1857, when they came to Oregon and purchased the farm where they have resided ever since. The old gentleman and what little livestock he saw was in good condition. We learned from the daughter that up to less than two years ago her father did the lion's share of the work on the place.

Patience Tired Out. But now the old gentleman is rather poorly; not sick, not complaining, just tired out. The wonderful machinery that has run almost a hundred years is showing signs of wear, but not so much physically as mentally. I got him to go out on the lawn to try and get a picture of him and when he found what was wanted he trotted along as nimbly as any of us. But he is quite deaf and his memory is shattered. It will more than likely be but a short time until he goes to his final sleep.

Today it is expected that far more than a majority of the 74 members of the family will be present at the old gentleman's home. Only a few of them live far away, one or two in Kansas, one in Washington, but nearly all in Oregon, mostly within easy reach of Philomath.

What a celebration! In some respects there never was anything like it in Oregon. The nearest I think was on the 100th birthday of Captain Blakely. He, of course, was almost a native Oregonian and had cut a big figure in Oregon history, and his descendants are all well-known people; but when it comes to the number of descendants it is not likely that the case of Mr. Kreins has ever been equaled in Oregon or in the northwest, nor is it likely that it ever will be.

Recall in a certain way the glorious feats of certain regiments or units that have been cited in army orders. Marines remaining in the service are receiving their awards now. Those not in service are to be reached through local recruiting offices. In those cases where the marines fell in action the awards will be made to their nearest relatives by Major-General John A. Bejeune, now major-general commandant of the marine corps.

The local marine recruiting office is at Third and Alder streets.

CARD OF THANKS. To friends and neighbors who so graciously gave loving sympathy and service during our recent bereavement of husband and father we extend sincere thanks.

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Preparations have been completed for the public excursion to Crater lake to be conducted under the supervision of the Oregon bureau of mines and geology in co-operation with the American Association of Engineers, the northwestern highway section of the American Association of Engineers and the Portland Press club.

The trip, which is open to any who care to attend, will cover September 4, 5 and 6, thus including Labor day. The automobile party will start from the Oregon building, Portland, Friday morning, September 3, stopping over night at Roseburg and arriving at the lake Saturday evening, September 4. The state highway engineer is desired to return by way of the Pacific highway in good condition and furthermore promises a car to pilot the party over all new grades, some of which are not yet open to daily traffic.

Those going by rail will leave Portland Friday evening at 8 o'clock, arriving in Medford at 9:30 o'clock Saturday morning, from whence automobiles will be obtained for the 80-mile drive to the lake.

The automobile tour of the lake will be made on Sunday, September 5. Since accommodations at the lake are limited, it will be necessary for all who desire to participate in this excursion to notify the bureau of mines, 417 Oregon building, telephone Broadway 1809, not later than September 1. Tickets will be provided at the lake, by each individual must furnish his own blankets.

The fare from Portland to Medford and return, including war tax, is \$17.11. Pullman fare, Portland to Medford and return, \$8.10—upper berth \$6.48, drawing room \$14. The regular fare by automobile from Medford to the lake and return is \$16.50. It is desired to return by way of Bend, special arrangements can be made by notifying the Bend-Crater lake stage at Bend, Or. The fare from Bend to Portland is \$9.70; sleeper (lower berth), \$4.05.

AWARDS GIVEN MARINES. French Fourrageres Now Being Distributed Among Veterans.

Former Portland members of the 5th and 6th regiments and 6th machine gun battalion, United States marines, will receive this week their fourrageres, awards of the French government. More than 400 of the shoulder cords of the French uniform will be distributed from the local marine recruiting headquarters.

Authorization cards for all men who were with the marine infantry regiments at Belleau woods, Soissons and in the Champagne sector, or with the machine gunners at the two former actions, have been prepared.

To quote the French army regulations, the fourrageres are awarded to



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