PONDERED BY BOARD

Opinions Differ on Holding Festival Pageant.

PARENTS' WISHES RULE

Expression of Desires Will Be Sought From School Patrons Before Final Decision.

Shall there be a parade of school shall there be a parade of school children this year as a feature of the Rose Festival? The answer to this question probably will be given by parents of the city, for the school directors of Portland are marking time with apparent desire to hear from them before giving approval or disapproval of the idea.

Opposition of Frank L. Shull, director, prevented the matter from coming to a vote at the meeting of the directors last Thursday, though it may come up again at the next meet-ing, or as soon as School Superintendent Grout is ready with a report giv-

Parents Will Decide. The factor which will control our decision in the matter will be the attitude of the parents of children toward such a parade," commented W. P. Woodward, director, yesterday. Though I think the majority of the based clerity events he had a learn of the control of the based clerity. board clearly favors the holding of a school children's parade in connec-tion with the festival, there would be no desire to compel the youngsters to participate in such a march in epposition to the wishes of parents."

That the parades of past years have proved very detrimental to the physical well-being of the children and have disorganized school work generally is the belief of Director Shull.

"Always there are some children "Always there are some children who cannot stand the strain of three to four hours on their feet, sometimes during inclement weather, with the result that numbers every year that parades have been held have collapsed, and in several cases have been sick for months following," declared Mr. Shull yesterday.

"I do not believe that parents generally approve of such a parade, and

are weak physically should not be permitted in the line. If it rains or even threatens to rain, the parade should be called off immediately. It is essentially a sunshine parade, and would be a miserable, cruel farce if held in the rain.

schools, and this would only be a part of his instruction, and should not interfere with studies. The children usually enter into the plans with much rest."

Other directors are said to favor the parade in the bellef that it aids to inculcate civic pride in the young.

Obituary.

NEWPORT, Or., March 26.—(Special.)—Mrs. Joshua Mason, 71 years old, died yesterday, following several months' illness, from heart trouble. Mrs. Mason was a pioneer, having come to Oregon in 1852 from Marion, laws where was been She was lows, where she was born. She was a resident of Corvallis for many years and belonged to the Methodist church and Rebekah lodge. Her hus-band died 15 years ago. Two sons, Chester O. Mason of Portland, and L. Wayman Mason of Long Beach, Cal.; two brothers, Amos and William Kinor of Newport, and one sister, Mrs. C. G. Copeland of Newport, survive. Funeral services will be conducted by Newport Rebekah lodge tomorrow af-ternoon, interment following in Eureka cemetery, Newport.

MEDFORD, Or., March 26.—(Speeiah.)—George Clement Culy, who died here March 24, aged 68 years, was born in Ann Arbor, Mich., had been a resident of Jackson county for the past 37 years, and had resided in late years on his farm on the Facific highway between Medford and Phoenix. He leaves five sons and three daughters who are George A. Culy of Roseburg, Clement N. Culy and Mrs. Nellie Long of Grants Pass, Miss Mildred Culy of Ashland, Cary W. Culy of Jacksonville, Frank O. Culy of San Diego, Cal., and Mrs. Laura Owen and Allen B. Culy of Medford. Interment was in Mountain View cemetery, Ashland.

PRINEVILLE, Or., March 25,— (Special.)—R. M. Powell of this city was buried last Sunday in the local cometery. Mr. Powell was born in Polk county, Oregon, in 1871, and came to Crook county in 1873, where he had since resided. He is survived by two daughters, Mrs. Ida Mattson and Miss Ila Powell. and Miss Ila Powell. PRINEVILLE, Or., March 26.

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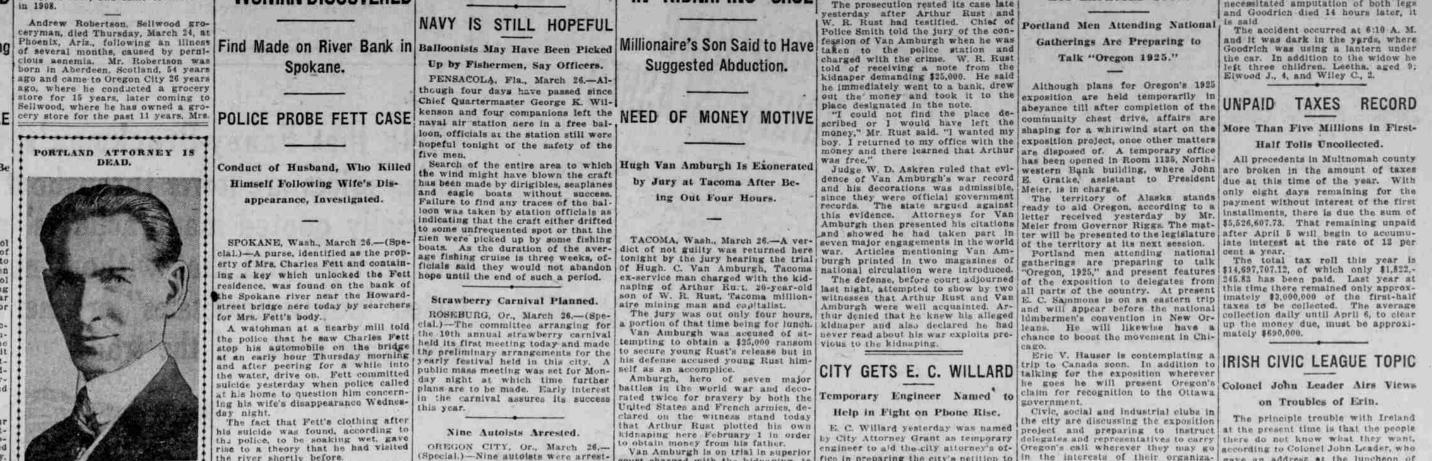
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(Special.)—Funeral services for the late Mrs. Anna M. Post, wife of Frank Post of Alfalfa, were held in this city on Wednesday. Interment was in the Prineville cemetery. Mrs. Post, who is survived by her husband and four children, was born in Eufort, Germany, in 1879, and came to America in 1908.

Andrew Robertson, Sellwood gro



I. J. Gordon.

I. J. Gordon, 632 Vista ave-nue, well-known local attorney, died at St. Vincent's hospital following an operation on March-24. Mr. Gordon was born in Kingston, N. Y., 46 years ago. He came to Portland in 1911 and had practiced law in this city since that time.

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Mr. Gordon is survived by his widow, Mrs. Ruth Gordon; a son, Richard, and daughter, Doris; his father, Joseph Gordon of New York, and three brothers, Sam Gordon, Portland; Mace Gordon, New York, and John Gordon, Philippine islands, and one sister. Mrs. Jennie Watkins, New York. Funeral services were held at

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"The Doughboys' Follies."

Rehearsals for the comedy feature.

"I learned that he was not divorced in Spokane." Mr. Gendreau asserted, "but he told me three months ago that he was divorced in Portland seven or eight years ago. I said he would have to prove it and he was been going forward rapidly, and Billy Foy. manager, promised that the production will prove one of the features of the spring theatrical season in Portland.

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The scene of the production is laid in France. The audicace will be given a chance to get some glimpses of soldier life as it was "over there" at the time of and immediately following the armistice. Leading roles in the production are taken by professional actors, and for that reason a finished production is promised.

The sale of tickets has been taken over by the federation of women's organizations, and Mrs. Alexander Thompson has appointed Mrs. George L. Williams chairman of the committee in charge of the sale.

The scene of the production is laid wife. That was some time ago."

"He certainly was a gentleman while at our home," said Miss Josephine Gendreau, the sister. "He could not have been more of a gentleman. We were surprised when we heard of the suicide—we were shocked "One thing is certain," she declared. "If he were baptized Louise would not have gone against the church or father's wishes."

"We know that Mary did not get along well with Fett," said Mr. Luecken, brother of the missing woman, in speaking of Mrs. Fett. "He seldom furnished her with money and

BRIDGE REPAIR SPEEDED Burnside Structure May Be Opened

for Traffic Tuesday Morning. If workmen can finish the task of epairing the Burnside bridge in time, t will be opened for traffic on Tues-tay morning, it was reported last

nont cars are routed over the Morri-son street bridge, but with resumption of traffic over the Burnside notified Representative Sinnott today structure, the Portland Rallway, that there would be little further delight & Power company will resume the old schedule on those lines, which is to visit the Deschutes irri-

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stop his automobile on the bridge at an early hour Thursday morning and after peering for a while into the water, drive on. Fett committed suicide yesterday when police called at his home to question him concerning his wife's disappearance Wednes-

The fact that Fett's clothing after his suicide was found, according to the police, to be soaking wet, gave rise to a theory that he had visited the river shortly before.

Police officers in charge of the

case were investigating today a state-ment of Miss Louise Gendreau, whom they reported as having told them that she had kept company for some arrested for turning his machine at the was a divorced man. She had agreed to marry him, she was declared to have said, if he was able to produce proofs of his divorce.

Every large city has one newspaper

Woman Drops From Sight. Fett reported to the police Thurs-day that his wife had disappeared the previous night. He said he had taken previous night. He said he had darent their 10-year-old daughter in an automobile to church for an Easter service rehearsal, leaving Mrs. Fett at home to take a street car later to the home of her mother on the opposite side of town. Mrs. Fett did not visit her mother's home, and has not been seen by relatives since, the police were informed. Fett had been working with the

"I do not believe that parede, and I do not think it is part of the school twork. From three to four weeks preceding the event there are drills to be held, always during school bourn, for no child desires to stay after school for such a purpose. This interferes greatly with their studies and luitial enthusiasm soon droops to that it is difficult to keep up their interest in the affair."

East Side Asks Feature.

Milton R. Klepper, Wilson Benefiel and others have been before the suchool board to urge the holding of the parade on the east side, preferably on Grand avenue, between Hawthorne and Holiaday avenues.

"Personally. I do not believe that the would be too much of a strain," it would be too much of a strain," it would be too much of a strain, it would be too much of a stra Divorce Question Raised.

seldom furnished her with money and she did considerable sewing. Not lik-ing Charlie, we did not have any more to do with him than we had to."

ENGINEERS COMING SOON

Settlement of Deschutes Controversy Expected Shortly.

THE OREGONIAN NEWS BUREAU, Washington, D. C., March 26.—Direct-or Davis of the reclamation service

hearing. This information was given in answer to a petition from residents of the south unit of the project, who urge that their unit be taken up first.

NAVY IS STILL HOPEFUL

day night at which time further plans are to be made. Early interest n the carnival assures its success this year.

Nine Autoists Arrested.

the preliminary arrangements for the yearly festival held in this city. A public mass meeting was set for Mon-self as an accomplice. his defense accused young Rust him-self as an accomplice. Amburgh, hero of seven major

battles in the world war and deco-rated twice for bravery by both the United States and French armies, de clared on the witness stand today that Arthur Rust plotted his own kidnaping here February 1 in order to obtain money from his father.

would like to make a big sum easily, tention to join retrieval in the light.

I told him 'Yes.' He then said his for a renearing of the telephone rate father was afraid of kidnapers, and he suggested a kidnaping plot.

The limit is a defective gon as the only real home be had brake when a signal to move the car ever had and to the Oregon people as backward was given by an Albina his only real friends.

nswered that all the Rust wealth would be his some day and that ket-ing a little in advance made no dif-

Archur Rust is the only son of Archur Rust is the only son of W. R. Rust, millionaire mining and whire with the smelting man, banker and real estate ECT EXPECTED SOON.

The prosecution rested its case late yesterday after Arthur Rust and W. R. Rust had testified. Chief of Police Smith told the jury of the con-

Temporary Engineer Named to Help in Fight on Phone Rise.

E. C. Willard vesterday was named OREGON CITY, Or., March 26,—
(Special.)—Nine autoists were arrested in this city last night for operating automobiles without tail lights. All were fined \$2 apiece by Judge Kelly of the city court. One man was arrested for turning his machine at the intersection of Seventh and Main streets in violation of a city ordinance.

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Van Amburgh is on trial in superior court charged with the kidnaping, to the kidnaping, to the public service commission for a rehearing on the telephone case. Frank 8. Baillie, chief engineer for the Grant Smith company, will serve as consulting engineer.

Fourteen of the largest of municipalities in Oregon have written to cliry Attorney Grant as temporary engineer to aid the city attorney's office in preparing the city's petition to the public service commission for a rehearing on the telephone case. Frank 8. Baillie, chief engineer for the Grant Smith company, will serve as consulting engineer.

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CITY GETS E. C. WILLARD trip to Canada soon. In addition to talking for the exposition wherever he goes he will present Oregon's Colonel John Leader Airs Views claim for recognition to the Ottawa

government, Civic, social and industrial clubs in the city are discussing the exposition The principle trouble with Ireland project and preparing to instruct at the present time is that the people delegates and representatives to carry there do not know what they want, Oregon's call wherever they may go according to Colonel John Leader, who

the Grant Smith company, will serve | WIDOW SUES FOR \$60,000

Action Result of Mishap in Railroad Yards in January.

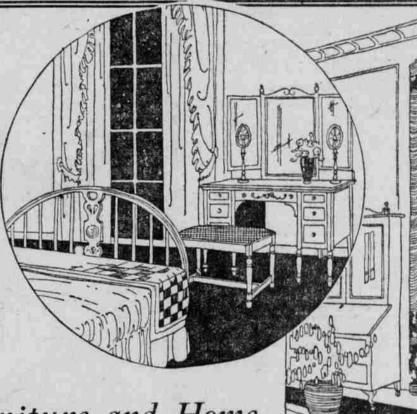
asserted in a \$60,000 damage suit filed against the Oregon-Washington Rallroad & Navigation company in the circuit court yesterday by Mrs. Cora L. Goodrich, widow and administratrix of the estate of her deceased husband. Injuries were received which necessitated amputation of both legs and Goodrich died 14 hours later, it is said

The principle trouble with Ireland n the interests of their organiza- gave an address at the luncheon of the civic league at the Benson hotel

yesterday noon.

Colonel Leader likened the Irish question to the story of 50 Protestants and 50 Catholics who were ship-wrecked on an island. At the end of ten years 90 of the 100 were Catholics, but the ten Protestants had possession of the island. of the island.





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