

PORTLANDS PERKING UP IN BOTH CAMPS

Attention Is Turned Toward Spring Offensive.

IRVINE BOOM FEATURED

Special Legislative Session to Discuss Fair Financing Likely to Tackle Other Problems.

Politics began perkling up the past week in the republican and democratic camps. With the vacation season over, attention is now being directed toward the spring offensive and many persons are becoming busy.

Mr. F. Irvine Boom Started. Action by the women's democratic club in proposing E. F. Irvine for the democratic nomination for governor came as a surprise to the men of the party.

McNary Holds Conference. Charles L. McNary, United States senator, was in Portland two days and, naturally, had conferences with Ralph E. Williams, vice-chairman of the republican national committee.

Dr. Linnville Comes First. First of the new appointees to take office will be Dr. J. A. Linnville, as prohibition director.

Special Session Necessary. Wes W. Caviness of Vale, Or., probably will be recommended for surveyor-general.

SILVER FOXES ENTERED

Pack of 22 Animals Listed Among Yakima Fair Exhibits.

OLYMPIA, Wash., Sept. 10.—(Special.)—Among the exhibits at the state fair at Yakima the week of September 19-24 will be 22 silver foxes from a fox farm in Spokane county.

Three carloads of draft horses also have arrived at the state fair from Fallow county and will be placed on exhibition.

Mrs. Josephine Corliss Preston, superintendent of public instruction, will have charge of exercises in connection with the flag raising September 20, Children's day.

GAS MEN WILL CONVENE

Portland Men to Speak at Convention at Del Monte, Cal.

Several Portland men will speak at the annual convention of the Pacific Coast Gas association at Del Monte, Cal., beginning Tuesday, September 20.

Many Portland men interested in gas and allied lines will leave Friday night, September 16.

PORTLAND MAN IS BIG FIGURE IN RELIEF PLANNED FOR HUNGRY RUSSIAN CHILDREN

Major Philip H. Carroll, son of Mrs. Emma B. Carroll, 697 Flanders Street, to Direct Part of Work From Office in Hamburg, Germany.



Major Philip H. Carroll, chief, and his staff in American relief administration warehouse in Riga; From left to right—Kenneth A. Macpherson, draft department; Randolph C. Wilson, assistant chief; J. E. Seznora, insurance claims; Theodore S. Maerker, shipping, and Major Carroll.

HAMBURG, Germany, Aug. 18.—(Special Correspondence.)—A citizen of Portland, Or., is one of the most important figures in the great preparations that are now under way here, in anticipation of American relief in Russia.

Major Carroll's long experience in handling relief foods will prove a valuable asset in the quick and efficient transportation of food to Russia. With his West Point training and a really remarkable personality and capacity for organization, Major Carroll's record in relief work abroad has been a most brilliant one.

Mission Is Important. The Hamburg mission is one of the most important in the service, and calls for extraordinary executive ability, not only because it is the receiving point for the food for the German kitchens maintained by the Quakers, but also for other countries of central Europe, and in addition

that has shown up on the grounds this season. The full-sized bed is stationary, and the other equipments are cared for in various trays, bins, drawers or cubbyholes in such a way as to be always in easy reach.

AUTOMOBILE TRAVEL IS LESS AS FALL RAINS ARE FEARED

Tourists at Portland Camp Grounds Are in Hurry to Get Away—Many Looking for Business Locations.

BY ADDISON BENNETT. The automobile line of travel is thinning, and those who come to the grounds are in a hurry to get away "before the rains begin."

G. W. Van Derbin and his wife, accompanied by his brother, S. A. Van Derbin, from Denver, are on the lookout for a good location to open a grocery store. Under the firm name of S. A. Van Derbin & Brother, these gentlemen had a large store in Denver, but having a good chance to sell out, they are now seeking a location in the far west, Oregon preferred.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Fuller are from Placencia, Cal., which place they left July 15, since which time they have traveled through California, Oregon, Washington and British Columbia. They came to Oregon via Eureka, Crescent City, then across the Siskiyou to Grants Pass, thence through Portland to Seattle and British Columbia, being now on their way to California. They have a finely equipped White truck, which is about the latest traveling home for two

PROMINENT RESIDENTS CELEBRATE GOLDEN WEDDING.



MR. AND MRS. S. B. IRVINE.

An interesting event of last Sunday was the celebration of the 50th wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Irvine. The occasion also was the birthday of their eldest daughter, Mrs. W. H. Roy of East Twenty-eighth street. After a dinner for the family there was a reception at the home of another daughter, Mrs. J. S. Hanna. The couple crossed the plains in 1864. They were married in Independence in 1871. Their other children are: Mrs. N. Johnson of Terrebonne, Gladys Irvine of Astoria and S. E. Irvine of Independence.

COUNTY FINANCES IN VERY BAD CONDITION

Outstanding Warrants Far in Excess of Cash.

INTEREST NOT PROVIDED

Hospital on Hill Responsible for Year Being Started "In Red." State Grabs Toils.

Multnomah county's outstanding warrants aggregated \$321,603.83 on September 1. These warrants were drawn on the general fund. There was on hand in cash in the treasury on that date \$166,107.91, which shows that the finances of the county are in the red for interest on these warrants.

When the budget for the county was made up for 1921 no item was set aside for interest on these warrants. The county has had to pay \$10,000 on its outstanding warrants, and many thousands more in interest will have to be paid before the end of the year. Warrants draw 6 per cent interest.

From the beginning of the year the amount of outstanding warrants has steadily increased. On February 1, 1921, outstanding warrants aggregated \$293,123.75. In the following seven months the warrants issued amounted to \$1,803,351.38, but in that period warrants paid amounted to \$1,077,752.25.

County Still Short. Total collections made by the county in seven months were \$1,569,922.65, and total payments in that time were \$1,403,824.74. The receipts were as follows: General and road fund taxes, \$968,144.45; balance on hand, February, 1921, \$100,447.39; delinquent taxes and other sources, \$284,401.77; motor vehicle license, \$162,251.90; county market roads, \$54,887.74. The estimated receipts for the budget were \$2,726,529.88.

Deducting the receipts from the estimated revenue shows that the county is still short of receiving \$1,156,597.23 of the estimated revenue. There is still to be received the second year of the tax money from motor vehicle licenses, about \$100,000 from the state market road fund and, in addition, miscellaneous receipts.

A year ago, the county had \$254,838.36 in cash on hand to meet \$166,794.43 of outstanding warrants.

Year Started in Hole. The general fund started out the year with outstanding warrants resulting from the new county hospital now being built on the hill. There was borrowing from the interstate tolls fund for the hospital, and this "borrow" had to be made good to the bridge fund, and then the state stepped in and insisted on being paid its share of the tolls, which the county commissioners were holding back.

As a result of the board of relief fund, long since exhausted, the entire appropriation for the year having been expended in half that time, the budget for the year will have to be coming out fairly well, with a few minor exceptions, such as indemnity for stock.

ARMY STAFF ANNOUNCED

Officers for Corvallis Training Unit Experienced in Duties.

OREGON AGRICULTURAL COLLEGE, Corvallis, Sept. 10.—(Special.)—Who is who among six army officers added to the staff of the college military department this summer has been announced at the army camp.

Major Henry Terrell Jr., infantry, comes from the west Texas military academy, San Antonio. Major Russell P. Hartle, infantry, is from the Utah Agricultural college, Logan.

Captain George F. Bloomquist, infantry, holds from the infantry school at Camp Benning, Georgia. Major Walter F. Winton, field artillery, comes from the 21st field artillery stationed at Camp Bragg, North Carolina.

Major John M. Kelso, infantry, is a retired officer, and Captain Glenn P. Finley, cavalry, is from the 11th cavalry, Presidio of Monterey, Cal.

NURSES APPEAL TO CITY

Association Fighting Tuberculosis Asks Council for Money.

Officials of the Visiting Nurse association have appealed to the city council for an appropriation to aid the organization in handling its work of caring for tubercular patients. The city has appropriated \$5000 or more each year, and by so doing has been relieved of the necessity of handling

In presenting its request for financial assistance attention is called to the fact that from December 1, 1920, to August 31, 1921, 2549 cases were handled by the association and that 488 visits have been made. The cost of this work has totaled \$25736.

It is stated that an additional \$1800 will be required to complete the year's work. This money will be obtained from the Oregon Tuberculosis association, it is said.

Damages Asked for Death.

Damages of \$15,000 for the death of her son, Harry C. Clinton, are demanded in a suit filed in the circuit court yesterday by Mrs. Harriet E. Olin against the Columbia Contract company. Clinton, who was 22 years old, was drowned near St. Helena, Cal., last week.

Mrs. Clark to Lecture.

"Practical christianity as taught by unity will be the subject of lectures to be given every Sunday night at 8 o'clock in the story hour room of the central library by Mrs. M. Cary Clark. Tonight's lecture will be the first of the series. The public is invited.

His Hearing Restored.

The invisible ear drum invented by A. O. Leonard, which is a miniature megaphone, fitting inside the ear entirely out of sight, is restoring the hearing of hundreds of people in New York City. Mr. Leonard invented this drum to relieve himself of deafness and head noises, and it does this so successfully that no one could tell he is a deaf man. It is effective when deafness is caused by catarrh or perforated, or wholly destroyed natural drum. A request for information to A. O. Leonard, Suite 113, 70 Fifth avenue, New York City, will be given promptly.—Adv.

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TANGLED RELATIONS SEEN

MARRIAGE OF COUPLE BRINGS UP QUESTIONS. Groom May Be Uncle of Own Children and Other Interesting Relationships Are Possible.

Can a man be the uncle of his own children? It would seem likely, judging from speculation over the marriage of Roy R. Roberts, a Portland contractor, and Ruth Roberts, the adopted daughter of Grant Roberts, a brother of her husband.

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SCENERY IS SAFEGUARDED

Forest Service Will Regulate Advertising in Reserve.

EUGENE, Or., Sept. 10.—(Special.)—In line with Governor O'Connell's recent plea for the preservation of the scenic beauties of the state along the highways the forest service has decided to adopt a similar policy toward

posting advertising signs on the right-of-way, says N. F. Manduff, supervisor of the Cascade national forest.

According to orders received at the local office, no advertising may be erected on the roads in the national forests except by formal permit. Officials of the forest department have been instructed to remove all advertising signs on the roads in the forests that are there without permits.

Sixty million barrels of oil were taken in ten years from the valley of Oil Creek, Pa., in the first great oil boom.

Advertisement for 'I Give You Absolute Dental Insurance' featuring a portrait of Dr. E. G. Ausplund and text about dental services and insurance.

Advertisement for 'I Was Bald Found True Hair Grower' featuring a portrait of a man and text about hair restoration products.

Advertisement for 'Electro Painless Dentists' featuring text about dental services and contact information.