

ALL OREGON ASKED TO VIEW BLOSSOMS

Annual Observance at Salem
Slated for Next Sunday.

ORCHARD TRIP OUTLINED

Cherrians and Other Organizations
Are to Provide Autos for
Occasion.

SUNSHINE AIDS BUILDING

Good Weather Stimulates Construction Work at Aberdeen.

SALEM, Or., April 29.—(Special.)—With a continuance of fair weather the orchards of the Willamette valley will be at their prettiest next Sunday, May 7, when blossom day will be observed here under the direction of the Salem Cherrians and other fraternal organizations of the city.

The "blossom route," as outlined by a committee of the Cherrians, will be the same as last year. It will extend from Salem south through the celebrated Liberty pruned district to the return to the city will be made over the newly improved Jefferson highway. Large placards, lettered to direct the visitors, are being printed and will be posted along the roads from which nature admirers will view the blossoms.

During the last few days the Cherrians have sent out hundreds of invitations to commercial and fraternal organizations in Oregon, urging their members to join with the people of Salem and the Willamette valley in observing the annual event.

Letters Also Are Mailed.

There also have been mailed several thousand personal letters, which are expected to be the means of attracting many visitors to Salem. As in previous years the Cherrians, attired in their attractive white suits, will meet all incoming trains on blossom day, and visitors will be provided with free transportation over the blossom route. Nearly an entire day will be required to cover the loop.

In the afternoon there will be a band concert in Wilson park, and the local theaters have arranged special programmes for the occasion. The statehouse will be open throughout the day, and the elevators will be in operation for the convenience of those who wish to climb to the dome in search of a panorama of the entire city. It is likely, officials said today, that some inexpensive souvenir will be prepared and presented to all visitors at the statehouse.

Plan Begun Three Years Ago.

Blossom day was launched in Salem three years ago, and since that time has become popular with people residing in many parts of the state. Last year it was estimated that not less than 35,000 visitors enjoyed the day in Salem.

Added attractions this year will be automobile drives through the flower-covered lawns at the state hospital, inspection of the new dormitories at the state industrial school for girls and the state home for the feeble-minded, and other improvements of state properties during the year.

The local hotels and restaurants have agreed to have special menus for the day, and at least at two of these resorts radio programmes will be arranged for the visitors.

All Roads Is Paved.

Portland people who wish to make the trip by automobile will find pavement the entire distance, while the same conditions apply as far south as Eugene. Prospective visitors who do not come by automobile can make the trip either on the Oregon Electric or southern Pacific railroads.

Letters received here today from Portland indicated that the commercial club there had accepted the invitation of the Cherrians, and that less than 200 members of the Portland organization would make the trip. Besides the public entertainment, there will be many home gatherings and private dinners.

The Portland caravan will be met at the state fair grounds by Mayor Halverson, Governor Olcott and Sam A. Kosar, secretary of state, and will be escorted to the orchard district by the state traffic squad. Mayor Baker of Portland will speak here, as will other members of the visiting delegations.

The British, Chinese, Japanese, Italian and French consuls, with headquarters in Portland, will be among the visitors. It was reported today.

HELP MAY BE EXTENDED

Limit in Aid of Injured Workmen Held Not Reached.

OLYMPIA, Wash., April 29.—(Special.)—More than 60 per cent of the persons injured in hazardous employment in the state of Washington can be cured and returned to duty at a cost of less than \$50 a case, records of the department of labor and industries show. A large number of the injuries are so trivial that after treatment the men promptly return to work. In other instances many are back at work within less than 10 days.

That medical aid has not done all that is possible for the 46 per cent more seriously injured is the belief of Director Clifford. The specific injury may have been cured, but Mr. Clifford believes it is possible more thoroughly to rehabilitate men who are found, when under care of doctors, to be unfitted by other causes.

To determine what it is possible to accomplish in the direction of correcting this deficiency in the service of the medical aid division, Director Clifford has ordered a thorough study of the problem.

WORKER HURLED IN AIR

Electrocution Burns Hair Off Head and Dislocates Shoulder.

TACOMA, Wash., April 29.—Shocked with 2800 volts of electricity and hurled 20 feet into the air from the top of an electric locomotive, the hair of Ralph Holmes, machinist, was burned off his head, his shoulder dislocated and his body badly burned today.

He was working on a Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul railway electric locomotive when he accidentally touched the pantograph trolley.

MOVIE CONCERN FILES

West Coast Distributors Incorporated at Olympia.

OLYMPIA, Wash., April 29.—(Special.)—To engage in the production and distribution of moving-picture films, the West Coast Distributors, Inc., filed articles of incorporation with Secretary of State Hinkle yesterday.

CORVALLIS REVIEW MILITARY SUCCESS

Partello Cup Is Captured by
Infantry Division.

HIGH OFFICERS PLEASED

Army Evolutions, Spectacular Day
Parade and Big Tournament
Features of Maneuvers.

OREGON AGRICULTURAL COLLEGE, CORVALLIS, OR., APRIL 29.—(Special.)

The most successful and most extensive military programme tournament ever staged on the campus came to a close Thursday night with the explosion of the last star rocket lighting the field of the sham battle at 11:30 o'clock. The huge army was packed with 6000 spectators during the tournament, and as every person present was supporting one of the five units in competition for the Partello cup, plenty of hard "rooting" took place.

The infantry unit was declared winner of the cup, after showing the highest rating in work throughout the year, was department inspection and tournament scores.

The most impressive group of high military officials ever gathered at the college were entertained by President Kerr and Lieutenant-Colonel J. K. Partello all day Thursday and Friday evening.

Excellent Showing Made.

Admiral H. T. Mayo, who commanded the north Atlantic squadron during the world war, was intensely interested by every event of the day, he says. The cadet officers were put on their mettle by the great number of stars, spread eagles and gold and silver leaves on the shoulders of the high ranking army officers, and put the cadets through their paces with fine dash, according to Colonel Partello.

C. Funston Palmer of Portland, lieutenant-colonel of cadets, led the parade through the streets of Corvallis. As the cadets passed the reviewing stand, explosive rockets were hurled into the air, releasing American flags suspended by parachutes. As many as 25 of these flags were in the air at one time.

A motor truck loaded with college girls dressed in Red Cross uniforms proved one of the attractions of the parade. They carried baskets of peas, popcorn and ice cream bars.

which they hold for the benefit of the local Red Cross. Gaily-dressed crowds contributed along to the enjoyment of the hundreds of tiny school children grouped along the curb—every man, woman and child in Corvallis turns out for this annual parade.

Sham Battle Big Feature.

The sham battle after the tournament was a full half hour of blinding flashes, deafening roars and pungent odors of gas, gun powder and some other new substances impossible to describe. The attack on the French village, and the capture after being repulsed repeatedly, showed every method of offensive warfare the infantry possessed.

One of the most spectacular events of the tournament was the human flag drill of the department of physical education for women. More than 400 girls in gymnasium suits carried red, white and blue parasols out on the armory floor. They drilled in a style worthy of veteran army men, and as a finale grouped into a perfectly outlined human flag.

Four groups of 25 girls wound four maypoles, in a dance that was immensely popular with the spectators. They were dressed in Greek ballet robes, and the steps were intricate.

SUSPECT HEAD OF TONG

Chinese Youth, Accused of Robbing Father's Safe, Released.

YAKIMA, Wash., April 29.—The police today announced they had found evidence that Fred Lee, Chinese youth, released yesterday after being held on a charge of attempting to rob his father's safe, was the president of the Hip Sing tong in this district and that they had located Lee's tong headquarters in the city.

According to the alleged tong records the Hip Sing of this district sent \$5000 to Butte by Wong Foo in an attempt to settle the tong war, which was in progress in Butte. Toppish and paid automobile fare for Chinese presumably fleeing from Yakima to other cities in a number of instances.

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