

PLAN FETE FOR SECRETARY TAFT

Secretary of War Will Speak at Armory September Sixth.

William H. Taft, ex-war governor and present secretary of war, as well as Republican presidential possibility, will reach Portland on the evening of September 5, over the O. R. & N. from Denver. He will be accompanied by Mrs. Taft, Charley Taft, his 10-year-old son, General Clarence R. Edwards, Wendell M. Mischler, private secretary to Mr. Taft, and a colored messenger who cares for the baggage and other details of travel.

Arrived here the party will be met at the depot by Theodore B. Wilcox, who will escort Secretary and Mrs. Taft and son to his home, where they will be entertained by Mr. and Mrs. Wilcox during their stay in the city.

Extensive preparations are being made for the public entertainment of Secretary Taft during his stay in Portland. The only public function, however, will be the mass meeting to be held in the armory on the evening of September 6. Secretary Taft will be the principal speaker at this meeting, though short addresses of welcome and introduction will also be made.

Arrangements are being made to accommodate all the people who may desire to attend this meeting, and it is expected that a vast crowd will gather to hear the distinguished speaker. Announcements are coming to the various Portland commercial organizations telling of contemplated visits from every part of the state of prominent people who desire to be present at the meeting and hear the address.

Seats in front have been reserved for the presidents of the commercial and business organizations of the state and for the representatives of newspapers and other prominent public men.

Owing to the great popularity of Secretary Taft, his prominence as a Presidential possibility, and his utterances on the political topics of the day it is expected that the audience which will gather to hear him will equal any public gathering ever held in the city.

On the day following the arrival of Secretary Taft and his party, Mr. Taft will be entertained in the evening by Mr. Wilcox, while during the afternoon Mrs. Wilcox will receive in honor of Mrs. Taft. During the afternoon Secretary Taft, General Edwards and a party of Portland men will journey to Vancouver, where the secretary will inspect the barracks and review the soldiers stationed there. The return will be made in time for the meeting in the armory at 8 o'clock.

The party will resume its trip on the morning of September 6.

RURAL SCRIBES WILL GO ON ANNUAL JUNKET

Editors and Printers Leave Today to Attend Astoria Convention.

Members of the Oregon Newspaper association leave this morning for Astoria on the steamer's Telegraph to begin the annual convention. A number of features have been prepared for the session this year, which will be held at Seaside with excursions to points of interest about the summer resort. The members of the association gathered in Portland last evening and made ready for an early start down the river in the morning.

A meeting will be held at the chamber of commerce in Astoria Friday afternoon, followed in the evening with a reception by the Astoria commercial bodies. Saturday the organization will move on to Seaside, where headquarters will be established in the Moore hotel. All sessions in Seaside will be held in the Moore hotel.

Sunday there will be an excursion to Fort Stevens and a clam bake on the return home to Seaside Sunday evening. Monday the members will start on the boat trip and will spend the day in Astoria. This will be Labor day and the first day of the Astoria regatta. The return to Portland will be made the following day.

The Oregon Newspaper association is made up of the editors and printers in the smaller towns of Oregon. An annual convention is held each year to discuss problems that confront the editors and proprietors of country papers. It is also a social gathering and constitutes a vacation for many of the busiest editors.

NEW QUARTERS FOR HARRIMAN OFFICES

Within the next 10 days the general offices of the Harriman railway companies, now located in the Worcester building at the corner of Third and Oak streets, will be established in the new Wells Fargo building at Sixth and Oak, three blocks west. The moving will begin this week.

The passenger and freight departments will move tomorrow and open Monday in their new quarters. The entire force will vacate about 60 rooms in the Worcester building. Assignment of rooms for the railway officials in the Wells Fargo building will be as follows:

Fifth floor, auditor's storage, etc.; sixth floor, general freight agents and assistants, meeting rooms, mail room; seventh floor, general passenger department, tax and right of way department; freight claim department; eighth floor, freight accounting department; ninth floor, auditor of disbursements and general accounts; tenth floor, passenger accounting department, equipment service bureau; eleventh floor, legal department, general manager, purchasing agent, claims, directors; twelfth floor, general superintendent, telegraph department, car service agent, engineering department.

Enlarges Its Quarters.

The best evidence that a firm is prosperous is expansion. Ballou & Wright, the largest supply and hardware store in Portland, have found it necessary to have more space for their rapidly growing business and were fortunate enough to secure a long lease on their old quarters and the next storeroom, thereby doubling their floor space.

Ballou & Wright are deserving of much credit for the manner in which they have cared for the automobile business of the northwest. They began carrying a stock of auto supplies when there were not over a half dozen automobiles in Portland and have kept abreast of the times by constantly adding new lines as fast as the demand required, until at the present time they have one of the largest and best selected stocks of these goods to be found on the Pacific coast.

Many ills come from impure blood. Can't have good skin, feel dully, digestion, lazy liver and sluggish bowels. Burdock Blood Bitters strengthens stomach, bowels and liver, and purifies the blood.

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ENGLISH GARBAGE PLANT INEFFICIENT

Manager of Ohio Company Gives Health Board Valuable Information.

With the advent in the city of F. K. Rhines, general manager of the Dixon Engineering & Construction company, of Toledo, Ohio, the health board was yesterday given some valuable information concerning garbage crematories. Rhines is agent for one of the largest garbage crematorium establishments in the United States and one which, he says, has installed over half of the burning plants in this country.

For some time there has been research into the English garbage burning system, but arguments made by the Toledo man this morning caused a sort of revulsion of feeling on the part of some members of the health board. In his statements he was backed up by references to reports of garbage experts of international reputation.

"Before you buy an English plant," said Mr. Rhines, "it will stand you in hand to investigate closely into the different conditions in the two countries. English refuse is made up in a large portion of ashes. Of the total refuse in an English city, statisticians tell us, not more than 12 per cent is garbage. By garbage we mean the food refuse from the markets, hotels and residences.

"English plants are constructed to care for refuse under these conditions. Here in Portland the percentage of garbage is from 85 to 90 per cent. In other words there will be nearly nine times as much garbage, containing a large amount of water, than other rubbish. It is patent that these great differences in the character of the refuse to be burned will make a difference in the construction of the plant.

"It would be impossible for an English plant to operate in Portland without extra fuel, and an auxiliary grate. The English is all right in its own field and is probably the best plant for that purpose constructed.

"A 100-ton plant will cost approximately \$75,000 fully equipped. To advise the building of a fireproof building for you do not want to have the experience Los Angeles did, when the wooden structure there burned to the ground after a month of service. Now they have a fireproof building. We

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"I tried all kinds of blood remedies which failed to do me any good but I have found the right thing at last. My face was full of pimples and blackheads. After taking Cascarets they all went, and I am now free from the use of them and recommending them to my friends. I feel fine when I rise in the morning. Hope to have a chance to recommend Cascarets."

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Physical Culture.

Professor Ringler's gymnasium classes open for the season next week.

Expert instruction for men, women and children in physical training, swimming and dancing. Membership limited. Enrollment now open. Entrance fee dropped till October 1. New building, Grand and East Morrison. East 5670.

Ringler Dancing Academy.

Professor Ringler will open his dancing classes on Tuesday evening, September 3, at his hall, Grand avenue and East Morrison. Children Saturday, 2 p. m. Enrollment now open. Miss Buckenmeyer and Miss Stockton, assistants.

DISCHARGE OF PISTOL COSTS OWNER TEN

In the parlance of the new baby, "It's a cinch" that the next time Sidney

Leach wants to test a revolver he will select a nice secluded spot somewhere near the top of Mount Hood.

Leach was arrested by Patrolman J. J. Murphy at Fifth and College streets for discharging firearms within the city limits. Desiring to try out a new revolver, Leach went into his backyard and fired one shot into the ground. Unfortunately Officer Murphy was in the vicinity and the arrest followed. In the police court yesterday the defendant entered a plea of guilty and was fined \$10.

LAW REPORTS OF FAR OFF LANDS COME HERE

Reports of the decisions of the supreme courts of the Philippines, Hawaii, Alaska and the new state of Oklahoma have been received by Librarian A. H. McCurtain for the Multnomah law library at the courthouse.

Only for a short time have the decisions of the supreme court of the Philippines been reported while the reports from Hawaii and Alaska cover a slightly longer period.

In addition to these new reports a large number of volumes have been added to the library within the past few weeks, among them three encyclopedias of the law contained in 84 volumes, the federal statutes and the federal and United States digests. The latest editions of 150 of the leading text books are among the new volumes.

ONE-FARE-ROUND TRIP VIA



SARATOGA, N. Y. and RETURN GRAND ARMY OF THE REPUBLIC

Tickets on Salt Sept. 6-7-8—Good to Return to Sept. 17—Extension to Oct 6 secured by deposit and fee of \$1.00.

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STOPOVERS: Tickets on sale DAILY until Sept. 30; limited to October 31.

CHAUTAQUA and RETURN Fare from CHICAGO, \$17.50; PEORIA, \$22.50; ST. LOUIS, \$27.50

BOSTON and RETURN AUG. 6, 10, 20, 24; SEPT. 10, 14, 24, 28. Fare from CHICAGO, \$24.00

New England Resorts AUG. 6, 10, 20, 24; SEPT. 10, 14, 24, 28. From CHICAGO or ST. LOUIS, One Fare Plus \$2.00 for the Round Trip.

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Final Offer of \$20, \$22.50 and \$25 Suits at This Price

Saturday night at 10:30 o'clock this sale will be an event of yesterday. Tomorrow will positively end this gigantic summer clearance. It will be your last opportunity to buy the best merchandise the market affords at cost price and less. Each department has joined in this final selling effort with its quota of new bargains. Many of the articles we offer will be suitable for early fall wear. You will profit by making your selections early.

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\$15.00—This special price sacrifice enables you to choose from hundreds of styles in men's \$27.50 to \$30 Suits, with a saving of half and more on your investment. These garments at their regular prices were very worthy values. Your choice during this sale at only **\$15.00**

Here is another remarkable garment offer, including all the latest effects in several different kinds of fabrics. They have been selling previous to this sale at \$12.50 to \$18.00; to close at, only **\$7.50**

All Hosiery Lines Greatly Reduced
7½¢ for regular 15c grades, 10¢ for regular 20c grades, 12½¢ for Fancy Hose, regular double, 19¢ for regular 35c grades, 29¢ for regular 50c grades

All Underwear Greatly Reduced
19¢ for 50c extra ribbed, 29¢ for 50c blue sabbirigan, 35¢ for 50c Egypt. Bal., 35¢ for Conradie & Friedman's 50c gauze, 85¢ for all 1.50 grades. Pink, blue, flesh, etc.

Men's Shoes at the Lowest Prices Ever Offered
\$2.35 Thousands of \$3.50 to \$4.00 values at this price.
\$3.45 For all \$5.00 Patent Oxfords; Bal. or Blucher cut.

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