MACCABEES IN ANNUAL RALLY

First Gathering to Meet Here Next Tuesday Morning.

Tuesday, August 24, the ladies of the Maccabees of the World of Portland and suburbs will meet in a one day convention for the purpose of organizing permanently what shall be known as the Portland and vicinity Maccabee rally to be held annually at some fixed date. There are already two such rganizations perfected in the state, one known as the Willamette valley Maccabee rally and the other as the Columbia river Maccabee rally.

The coming convention, which will consist of representatives from each hive, will be called to order at 10 o'clock a. m. by Alice Porges, deputy state commander of Oregon. The morning session will be devoted to organization work, appointment of committees and class initiation, floor work of the initiatory degree being exemplified by the Guards of Queen Elizabeth hive No. 24.

During intermission from 12 to 1:30 o'clock luncheon will be served by the ladies of Queen Elizabeth hive.

Business will be resumed at 1:45. At this session will be heard the reports of all committees. Prominent workers for the order will be introduced and address the convention on general welfare of the order in different localities. Among these speakers are Mrs. Minnie Aydelotte, supreme chaplain, from Oakland, Cal.; Mrs. Alice B. Locke, deputy state commander of Colorado; Mrs. Nellie H. Lambson, deputy state commander of Washington, and Alice Porges, deputy state commander of Oregon. Memorial services for deceased sisters will be held and general business discussed pertaining to the order. Business sessions are for members of the order only.

In the evening a reception will be held to which the public is welcome. A program of literary and musical numbers will be rendered, after which the guard teams of Golden Rule hive No. 17 and Queen Elizabeth hive No. 24 will give competitive drills for a trophy. Captain Anderson's Uniform Rank of Portland tent No. 1, Knights of the Maccabees, will put on the floor the drill entered in competition at the Seattle fair on Maccabee day, August 19, 1909.

108 EXAMINED; 68 ARE PASSED

Doctors Are Licensed to Practice Profession in Oregon.

The 108 men who came up before the medical board for examination for licenses to practice in Oregon, only 68 passed and were admitted to practice, according to the report just made by Dr. R. C. Coffey, president of the board. The successful doctors were these:

Dellas E. Cornwall, Guy T. Vis, Murch Russell, Chester J. Stedman, James A. Darby, Leslie G. Johnson, T. W. Comings, R. F. Weeks, J. M. Edwards, D. L. Lucas, Clarence M. Murback, William D. Knox, George C. Knott, F. H. Thompson, Lynn E. Hewett, George A. Cathay, Levi G. Ross, Ralph F. Davis, Charles L. Rybke, James B. Norman, Robert W. Stearns, Malcom Bronson, E. W. Howard, Arvid Bursell, Austin V. Denman, Grove C. Bellinger, Abe N. Creadick, Floyd D. Lewis, R. T. Spurrier, W. C. Rebban, S. M. Kerron, George Parrish, Donald B. Jessup, James H. McSlidy, F. R. Wilson, V. C. Birney, E. J. Wainscott, W. C. Slusker, John M. Sifton, Edward Lieurance, H. C. Eastland, Roger Biswell, Smith J. Maun, L. S. Madden, J. C. Russell, W. C. Schultz, Charles T. Sweny, Virginia Laweaux, William Baker, Arthur Hoag, Edward L. Deucks, Louis L. Haight, David Young, Lena R. Hodges, Howard Z. Kimbly, John B. Gregory, John J. Keefe, Daniel Buckley, George W. Zimmerman, George H. Holt, Arthur J. Paucett, Adeline Keeney, George I. Wright, Alex T. Stevenson, Barney Ferrell, Charles M. Barbee, D. C. Phillips, E. D. Everett.

BAND CONCERT AT CITY PARK TODAY

Under the direction of Rosebrook a band concert will be given at 2:30 this afternoon in the City Park with the followin- program:

Overture to "Maritana" (Wallace); Two Short Pieces (a) Ocean Breezes (b) Badinage (Victor Herbert); waltz, "Tout Paris" (Waldteufel) (a) Salute d'Armour (Edward Elgar), (b) march, "Enterpriser" new (Lampe); Fantasie on Scotch, Irish and English airs (Bastens). Intermission of 10 minutes. From Donnizetti's operas (Arranged by Godfrey) Including theme from "Mary Stuart," "La Favorita," "Lucrezia Borgia," "Daughter of the Regiment," and ending with the famous "Cavatina," from "Lindi di Chamonni"; (a) "Thoughts of Love" (Mann) (b) "Amoureuse" waltz Lento (Berger); Airs from the "Prince of Pilsen" (Luders); Paraphrase on "The Palms." (Gruenwald); Medley of National Songs (Moses); Star Spangled Banner.

The Peninsula band under the leadership of R. C. Beach will give volunteer concerts alternate Sundays at Columbia and Peninsula Parks. Sunday, August 22, Columbia Park.

OREGON FIR FOR FINE BUILDING

Local Mills Will Supply Finish for the International Bureau.

Oregon fir, which has been used with such artistic success as an interior finish in the Portland Commercial club, in the new Harriman mansion near New York and other handsome structures, is to be used exclusively in finishing the reception and ballroom in the new building for the International Bureau of American Republics now nearing completion in Washington, D. C.

John Barrett, director of the bureau, has written the Portland Commercial club suggesting that Oregon fir would make a handsome finish for this room, and at the same time it would prove an excellent advertisement for this wood. The matter was placed before a meeting of the Oregon & Washington Lumber Manufacturers' association yesterday afternoon, and it was voted that 2000 feet of fir required to finish the room be furnished by the members of the association, and the requisite amount will be forwarded to Washington as soon as it can be got ready. F. C. Knapp, E. D. Kingsley and J. P. Keating were named on a committee to have the matter in charge.

"We will take special pains to select the best fir obtainable and finish it to the best advantage," said A. B. Wastell, secretary of the Oregon & Washington Lumber Manufacturers' association. "Special interest attaches to the matter as a means of advertising Oregon fir, in that the finishing will illustrate to the visitors to the building the desirability of using fir for finish on account of its adaptability and beauty.

"As an interior finish, this wood has a great future ahead of it. Specimens of fir finish in the building will show that the slash grain presents a wide variety of character from the broad, bold waves of the flat sawed stock to the beautiful curled and mottled effects of the finer and softer grains. Where care and judgment are used in the selection and the proper treatment given by the finisher, there is no hardwood known to science that will show more magnificent results.

"Our South American customers for fir use it for mining timbers and railroad structural uses very extensively, particularly in Peru. Mexico is also a good customer for railroad material, but its use as a finish in South America will be a new proposition."

EASTERNERS SEE APPLES

Visitors Are Taken to Hood River to View Great Orchards.

Agriculturists and horticulturists from every corner of the country who thought they knew how to raise fruits and vegetables and to till the soil, to say nothing of a half hundred or so expert orchardists who supposed they knew everything about orchards worth knowing, were treated to an eye opener yesterday at Hood River. The Commercial club's special train which took the delegates to the agriculturists' convention on an educational trip to the home of the apple returned at 6 o'clock last night. The expressions of delight and amazement heard on every hand demonstrated satisfactorily that the trip had been worth while.

The trip up the bank of the Columbia river in itself proved to be a revelation to many of those on the train and the stops that were made at points of interest and where the best views of Mounts Hood and Adams could be secured proved sources of pleasure to the eastern visitors. The train was taken directly to the Van Horn orchard, where a magnificent view of the entire valley was obtained. From there the party was driven about among some of the orchards and shown the methods of cultivation, pruning and planting that have made Hood River orchards the standard of the world.

At noon the ladies of Hood River surprised the party by serving them with a basket luncheon on board the train. In the afternoon the delegates were shown more of the valley, the city of Hood River itself and samples of the fruits and vegetables grown on Hood River land. Returning some of the party took the steamer at Hood River so as to make the river trip down while those who remained on the special train arrived in Portland at 6 o'clock last evening.

Tomorrow morning at 8 o'clock the special train for the Willamette valley will leave the Jefferson street station and the day will be spent in viewing the farms and walnut orchards of the lower Willamette valley district.

ART ASSOCIATION ESTABLISHES SCHOOL

An art school will be opened October 1 under the direction of the Portland Art association, with Miss Kate Cameron Simmons as instructor. The establishment of this school has been made possible by the cooperation of the Arts and Crafts society. The course of study has been arranged as follows: General drawing, color, design and a sketch class. The rates of tuition have been fixed at $60 for the entire course of the school year. For separate classes the prices will be as follows: General drawing, $30; color, $20; design, $20, and sketching, $10. Students are requested to consult Curator A. B. Crocker, curator.

WE OUGHT TO BUILD HOMES

German Commissioner Says Oregon Doesn't Live Up to Possibilities.

Baron N. Kauman of Berlin, special commissioner of the German government in agriculture and forestry, believes that the future of Oregon is so much brighter than that of Washington, that no fair comparison can be made between them. "But observation convinces me," he said while at the Arlington club yesterday evening, "that the men of Oregon could have done much more in the time they had for development.

Then in English, almost faultless, Baron Kauman explained why he thinks his assertion true. "Oregon," he said, "is balanced between the country where irrigation is necessary, and that there is sufficient rainfall to produce bountiful crops with even less than the usual effort. In this Willamette valley the possibilities are not yet measured. Only will you know the wealth of Oregon by intensifying farming methods and by encouraging your farmers to get their property out of the market and make homes. In this you might well learn a lesson from the Germans, even as we seek to improve some of our methods by a study of yours.

"We live, father, son, grandson, on the same land. We enrich all the ground carefully to make it produce the most possible. We let nothing go to waste because all is needed. Our farmers work harder than those in Oregon. They have not so much ground, but they give it closer attention.

"But especially in these western states every man's property is for sale if he can get the price he asks. He does not value the property as a home, but for the money he can secure for it. He does not enrich the ground so much as he tries to get out of it all that he can while he stays.

"The home is the beginning of all, the farmer the foundation of all wealth. So if your farmers make homes that their children will add to, and make the most of what they have, they will have the best thing, a home, and they will make the country more prosperous as they become more prosperous."

Baron Kauman is especially interested just now in irrigation. His visit to the Pacific northwest at this time has as a special object the study of reclamation methods. On a smaller scale, in his own country, he says, are irrigation possibilities considered immensely valuable because of the need of more land. "Our people," he explained, "stick to the soil, and they are anxious to make every bit of it productive. You would call it not farming but gardening."

The German commissioner was careful to explain that he did not make the remarks quoted as destructive criticism. The point of this though is that the farmers should organize as capital organizes, the exclusive purposes of such an organization being to protest each other, and to learn from each other how best to work. The German people, he says, have their eyes on America, not so much for the purpose of emigrating here, as to see just how the big results are reached.

In talking of his country Baron Kauman said that his people are contented as never before. "That is because," he said, "we have an emperor who is every inch a man, who has gotten a hold on the hearts of his subjects, such as no ruler ever did before. One of our first learned lessons is real obedience. At the emperor's call we come, at his word we go, but the service is easy and pleasant, even if the work be hard, because we believe so much in him and in his good will toward us."

Baron Kauman expressed great admiration for President Taft. He became enthusiastic while lauding the work being done by Secretary of the Interior Ballinger and Chief Forester Pinchot. "I had the pleasure of knowing both well," he said. "I do not concern myself with the differences said to exist between them, because we from another country do not feel it right to criticise the officers of the United States. I stand in great admiration of the results they have brought about, and I think each has made but a beginning."

The baron will remain in Portland several days. Later he will make a tour of that part of the northwest where irrigation projects are being pushed. He was invited to accompany Secretary Ballinger on his tour of the west, but found it impossible to accept the invitation at the time it was made.

PREPARE TRACK FOR RACE MEET

Force of Men Engaged to Clean Up at Country Club.

Taking advantage of the fact that the track at the Country club is practically deserted, the management of the Portland Fair and Livestock association yesterday started on the task of getting the big grandstands and bleachers ready for the coming races. A force of men are at work already and will clean up the whole grounds before the time for the races.

Practically every horse that has been working out at the track has now left for points along the coast to engage in the races which come preliminary to the big events here in the fall. McMinnville, Scio, Everett, Centralia and other like towns are now claiming the attention of the horsemen and all the local horses are out doing this preliminary work.

While the horses are gone the cleaning up is being done. The area inside the track is being raked and the rubbish burned, the rocks hauled away, the cattle barns fumigated and the grandstand and bleachers put in first class condition. Turnstiles are being put in place, concessions planned and within a week or two the booths will be built. Altogether an air of real preparation has come over the place.

BRITISH SOLDIERS DEDICATE ARCH

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)

Seattle, Wash., Aug. 21.—With shriek of fife and roll of drums, several hundred of the flower of British Columbia's soldiers invaded Seattle today to take part in the exercises incident to the dedication of the beautiful arch erected by the city of Vancouver, B. C., at Third avenue and Marion street. At the head of the army of peace was Mayor Charles Douglas, of Vancouver.

The visitors from the enterprising city that has contributed so much to the success of the fair, were given a rousing reception at the Arlington dock. They were informally welcomed by Mayor John F. Miller and uniformed members of the local Scottish societies.

The exercises were opened by Mayor Douglas in a felicitous address, in which he referred eloquently not only to Seattle's magnificent work, which has attracted thousands to the northwest, but to the corresponding enterprise of the hustling city across the line. He was frequently interrupted by applause.

In responding, Mayor Miller of Seattle, said that he was glad of the opportunity to receive the arch both as a token of the respect of the city of Vancouver and as an evidence of the enterprise that was making it one of the greatest cities on the continent.

Summer Clearance Sale

This sale, lasting until September 1st, is to close out all summer goods. Gas Ranges one-fourth off; Gasoline Stoves one-third off; Refrigerators at cost; Porch and Lawn Furniture and Hammocks reduced one-third; Dressers reduced one-fourth, and radical reductions on many other things

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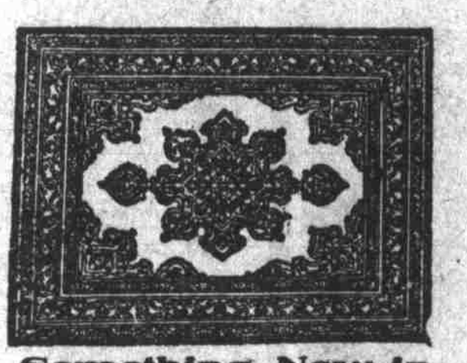

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This week we put on sale 50 Ingram's Eight-Day Clocks, accurate timekeepers, golden oak frames, worth $3.50 each, at the exceptionally low price of $1.95

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A GOOD PLACE TO TRADE

LUMBER MEN WILL PLAY BALL

L. J. Wentworth Chosen Captain—G. A. Griswold Manager.

Prominent lumber manufacturers of Portland yesterday organized a baseball nine to play a Seattle lumbermen's team at Seattle on Hoo Hoo day at the A.-Y.-P., September 9. The challenge came from Seattle a couple of days ago and was accepted with much enthusiasm, because the Portland lumbermen believe they can beat the Seattle contingent easily at every stage of the game.

G. A. Griswold of the Falls City Lumber company, one of the most popular young men in the lumber business, was selected manager of the Portland team, and L. J. Wentworth of the Portland Lumber company was named captain. Mr. Wentworth is not only popular, but is also a crack baseball player, having won an enviable reputation as such in his college days. And it is said he has not yet forgotten how to make a home run.

Others on the team will be J. P. Keating of the Spaulding Logging company, W. B. Mackay of the North Pacific Lumber company, John T. Thompson and F. A. Sullivan, with the Portland Lumber company; R. R. Hessemer, with the North Pacific Lumber company; A. Vaugn, with the Clark & Wilson Lumber company, and Mr. Blair of the Chehalis Lumber company.

While every one of those above mentioned is expected to be able to play to the finish of the game, a few utility men will be chosen during a series of tryout games that will be pulled off at the Multnomah club grounds during the coming week.

Effort will be made to have Secretary A. B. Wastell of the Oregon & Washington Lumbermen's association selected umpire.

ALONE IN DESERT SEEKS WIFE'S GRAVE

San Diego, Aug. 21.—After wandering several days in the desert near Otay Dam searching for the grave of his wife, James Malone, an aged and feeble man, is being cared for at the county jail. Malone asserts that he buried his wife in the Otay section years ago and he intends to find the tomb if it takes all his remaining days.

Malone was found yesterday by a Telegraph Canyon rancher lying exhausted beneath a clump of sage brush. He had evidently been wandering for days, with little food or water, and was in a pitiable condition.

After being brought to the county jail the old man was examined by the authorities. He is thought to be mentally unbalanced.

Figures on Wheat Crops.

Portland, Aug. 15.—To the Editor: Will you please state through the columns of The Sunday Journal the wheat yield of the state of Kansas as compared with that of the states of Oregon, Washington and Idaho? And is it not true that the state of Kansas alone produces more wheat than the states of Oregon, Washington and Idaho together? This to be taken from the records of the past four years, and oblige.

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In 1907 the wheat crop of Kansas was 65,609,000 bushels. In the same year Oregon's crop was 15,265,000 bushels; Washington's 35,045,000 bushels, Idaho's, 8,639,000 bushels.

MOORE SEES WATERWAYS

Pennsylvania Congressman Inspects Western Rivers and Harbors.

Honorable J. Hampton Moore, member of congress from Pennsylvania and Honorable Nikola Kaumanns, imperial special commissioner in the United States, were guests at luncheon yesterday of some members of the Commercial club.

Mr. Moore is a leading advocate in this country of waterway improvements. He is president of the Atlantic Deep Waterways association, but his vision and range of thought are not circumscribed by the Allegheny mountains. He has always been a good friend of the coast. He was called on for remarks and made a brilliant 10 minute address enlarging in the necessity for improvement of waterways and for the Pacific and Atlantic coasts to unite to this end. He predicted a car shortage and a succession of them until relief is found through the waterways.

Mr. Kaumanns, who is an expert on forestry, and Mr. Moore both made informal talks to the lumbermen present.

This morning Mr. Moore left for the seaside whence he will return tonight. Tomorrow morning he leaves for the east over the North Bank.

Congressman Moore's trip has not been made for pleasure, but to inspect the waterways and improvements. Last year he visited Europe on the same errand.

Independence hall in Philadelphia is in Mr. Moore's district and he is considered one of the strongest of Pennsylvania's representatives in congress.

POWER SITES IN UTAH WITHDRAWN

(United Press Leased Wire.)

Washington, Aug. 21. — The interior department has announced that in pursuance of the policy of the present administration and at the direction of Secretary Ballinger, acting Secretary Pierce has withdrawn temporarily fewer sites including 2,950 acres along the White river in Utah.

It will be reported to congress that these withdrawals have been made in order that proper legislation may be enacted to preserve power sites to the government, and to prevent monopolies, it was stated.

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