

WOMEN PREPARE FOR GLORIOUS DAY AT CHAUTAUQUA

Tomorrow Morning They Will Assemble at Gladstone Park to Talk and Listen; Dr. Fox on Program.

"Nothing like it before," "a record breaker," and broad smiles from the board of managers, is the greeting the visitor at Chautauqua receives from every quarter, when he asks: "How are things going?"

Then if you get a little nearer the throne, and ask a few direct questions you will learn that one of the causes of this glowing satisfaction was the 1870 adult tickets sold at the gate Sunday afternoon, and over 1500 Saturday evening. These figures do not include the season tickets, children's headquarters or complimentary, which would more than double the number admitted by single ticket at the gate, which will give some idea of the throngs that have been in attendance.

The same satisfaction prevails regarding the programs. The universal opinion is that they have never been as good. There have been no worn out hacks off on a vacation. The people who have appeared have been new and fresh, full of progressive ideas, and with the ability to present them. There has also been greater variety and far better music. And then the baseball must not be omitted in summing up the improvements. The teams have been well matched and have played fine, exciting games, with hosts of boosters for all the boys. Today's game is expected to be an exciting one, as it is between the Honeyman Hardware team and Eagle Creek, both having won a previous game from other antagonists. Monday one of the best games of the season was played between Gladstone and Chemawa, resulting in a score of 3 to 8 in favor of Gladstone.

Milton and Bunyan Today.

The class in English literature under Professor Frederick Berchtold will probably finish today the Elizabethan drama, "Milton and Bunyan." By request, has promised to furnish a list of 15 or 20 books that might be put into the hands of studious, ambitious, young people. The list was discussed by the class today.

Milton and Bunyan are the topics for today and Wednesday.

Mrs. Gillespie, of the Gillespie School of Expression is doing the best work that has ever been done on the grounds in the way of teaching. Frequent expressions of praise of her interpretation are heard and more of her wonderful ability in drawing out her pupils. A woman gifted with rare tact as a teacher, a wide experience in her special field of labor, a charming personality, she has won the respect and confidence of the large class who eagerly grasp the opportunity to secure, as one of the free advantages of Chautauqua, the benefits of Mrs. Gillespie's class in interpretation.

Yesterday the school of domestic science, under the auspices of the Y. W. C. A., studied sandwiches and invalids' trays. Today they were engaged upon vegetables. The leather workers continue to do good work, and are a unique class.

The sleeping capacity of the 10 tents is stretched to its uttermost, and last night more bedding was brought in to improvise "shakedown" for the accommodation of those who must be housed.

The class at W. C. T. U. headquarters took up the study of the prohibition amendment to the constitution, and the enforcing law which the temperance people are working for under the initiative. Mrs. Unruh led the class, as usual, and Clarence True Wilson and Rev. Mr. Handaker assisted. Rev. Mr. Wilson gave a fine talk on the amendment, answering many questions. Incidentally, the home rule amendment sought by the liquor men came in for some hard rap.

This amendment seeks to make the corporate cities independent of the rest of the county in the matter of local option, thus making it possible to keep saloons in the county seat against the wish of the county, while the taxpayers of the county are added, through taxation, with the expense of criminal litigation caused by the saloon.

The W. C. T. U. meetings are growing in interest and the white ribbons are congratulated with having the finest headquarters on the grounds.

Colonel Bain Still Ill.

Word was received from Ashland yesterday morning that Colonel Bain was still a very sick man and unable to fill his engagements for some time to come. His illness, however, has not become alarming, although his friends are much concerned about him. Professor Glen opened the Monday afternoon program with a solo, "Danny Deavers," superbly rendered. The Columbia Park boys fell to "banqueting" and supplied Colonel Bain's place most acceptably Monday afternoon. In the evening the Pasmores sisters gave a magnificent program of five double numbers. Two of the five numbers were by the trio, Mary Pasmore, violin; Suzanne, piano, and Dorothy, cello, and each gave a solo number. A musical artist of the theme: "One noticed the clean, polished execution of the pianist, the extraordinarily beautiful tones of the violinist and the intelligence and uncommonly careful blending of the ensemble playing." They will appear again this afternoon and evening and for the last time Wednesday evening.

Many came today to hear Dr. Fox, who makes his first appearance this afternoon. He comes with the high commendation of Dr. Hillis and Dr. Gunzins, and Chautauquans need no more assuring recommendation that he will be acceptable and entertaining.

Tomorrow morning will be club women's hour at the Forum. The state president will give a brief resume of the Cincinnati biennial. Mrs. Sadie O. Dunbar, who did such splendid public health work, particularly along the lines of the fight against the great white plague, will speak on public health, and what the club can do. Mrs. Clara French, a well known educator of the state, will talk on what club women can do for the educational interests of the state. These will be profitable subjects and a large attendance of club women is expected.

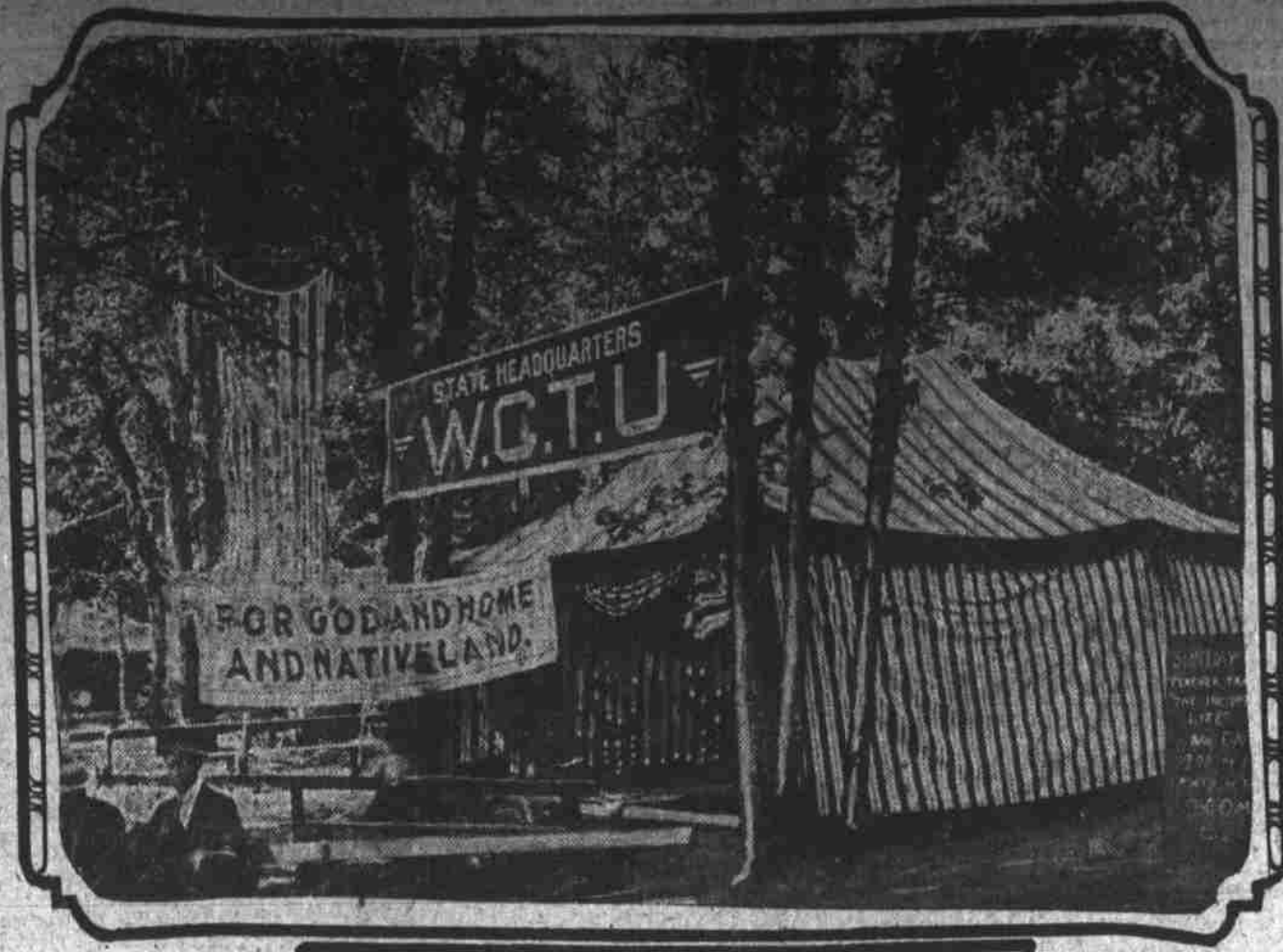
Days to Entertain.

At 2 p. m., the Days will make their first appearance. They have been at the Ashland assembly where the audiences went wild over them. Their line is elocution and caricature. The entire program for Wednesday is:

8 to 10:00—Classes.

11:00—Vocal solo, Mrs. E. S. Miller, Portland. "The Cincinnati Biennial." Mrs. Sarah A. Evans, president State

ONE OF SHADY NOOKS OF GLADSTONE PARK



Where members of W. C. T. U. are doing excellent work.

Federation of Women's Clubs. "Public Health." Mrs. Sadie O. Dunbar, Portland. "Educational Work of Oregon Federation." Mrs. Clara French, French.

AFTERNOON.
1:15—Chemawa Indian School Band.
2:00—Elocutionary and Caricature

Entertainment. Elies Day and Oranne Truitt-Day.
3:30—Baseball. Clackamas vs. Chemawa.

7:15—Chemawa Indian School Band.
8:00—Concert, the Pasmores of San Francisco.

Steel and Copper Plate Printers.
Ottawa, Ontario, July 12.—The International Steel and Copper Plate Printers' union convened in annual session here today with an attendance of delegates from many of the chief cities of Canada and the United States.

WARNINGS BASED ON FOREST FIRES

Western Forestry and Conservation Ass'n Counsels Caution of Dwellers in Woods.

"Fire! Fire! Fire!"
"This is an alarm of fire."
"Do you hear it?"
"Will you heed it?"
"If the fire has not come yet it soon will."
"You may prevent it."
"You can scarcely stop it."
"Although July has hardly begun, a dry spring, followed by hot weather, has resulted in terrific forest fires throughout the coast states. The tinder-like condition of the woods so early in the season threatens us with one of the worst fire years in history. With the situation already extremely serious, and the usually dry months still to come, the Pacific northwest faces great danger of uncontrollable sweeping fires, before which all effort will be powerless to prevent great destruction of resources if not of human lives. It is a time to appeal to every citizen for vigilance to avert disaster and distress to the community."

In these words the Western Forestry and Conservation association begins a statement issued today as the result of reports upon the unusually critical forest fire situation received from its subsidiary fire-fighting organizations throughout the northwestern states. All authorities agree that the unusually early arrival of dangerous conditions warrants grave apprehension. Great destruction has already resulted in Montana, Idaho and California. In Oregon

and Washington many fires have broken out and although most have been successfully handled, every day is increasing the danger of conditions which prevent control.

The association calls attention to the fact that very destructive forest fires come in cycles, due to abnormal years. While in ordinary seasons countless fires smolder without serious effect, and even the more important ones can usually be checked by sufficient effort, every few years comes a combination of protracted dry weather and wind, during which any fire once started becomes almost instantaneously beyond influence of human endeavor. Such fires burn furiously until checked by rain or lack of fuel, and sweep vast areas with great rapidity. The last of these "fire years" was 1903, when many lives, besides resources worth nearly \$80,000,000, were destroyed in Oregon and Washington in a day or two. It is a return of such a catastrophe which is feared if heavy rain does not soon relieve the early dryness of 1910.

In the meanwhile the association appeals to every traveler and resident in forest regions to exercise the greatest precaution with fire, and to all timber owners to maintain vigilant patrol. In some states the governor has legal power to forbid hunting, fishing and camping during a period of great fire danger, but in the northwest there is no insurance but the care exercised by the individual.

BUSINESS AGENT GOES ON PAROLE

C. M. Haybi, former business agent of the local union of painters, decorators and paperhangers, pleaded guilty to a charge of embezzlement in the circuit court yesterday and was placed on parole by Judge Morrow. He had been sentenced to serve two years in the penitentiary. He was indicted on the charge of converting to his own use \$775 of the funds of the union in September, 1907. As he had long eluded arrest by remaining out of the state, the statute of limitations did not run against his offense. He will be given his liberty on good behavior.

253 PASSENGERS KILLED LAST YEAR

One in Every 3,500,000; 4944 Trespassers Died; Railway Values \$17,500,000,000.

(United Press Leased Wire.)
Washington, July 19.—Railroads of the United States killed 2723 persons and injured 95,628 during the year ending June 30, 1910, according to a synopsis of the annual report of the interstate commerce commission given out today.

The report shows that 253 passengers were killed and 10,000 injured; 1444 trainmen met death and 29,000 were injured. The number of trespassers killed was 4944. One passenger was killed to every 3,500,000 carried.

The total number of passengers carried was 891,000,000.

The par value of outstanding railroad stock is given at \$17,500,000,000.

PLANNING FOR UNION OF ALL CHRISTIANS

(United Press Leased Wire.)
New York, July 19.—Details of the plans of 24 Episcopalians for an organic union of all Christians are being awaited with much interest by churchmen. It is expected that incorporation papers will be filed at Albany today. According to one of those interested Protestants and Catholics alike will be urged to join the movement, which will be called the Christian Unity Foundation, patterned after the Sage foundation.

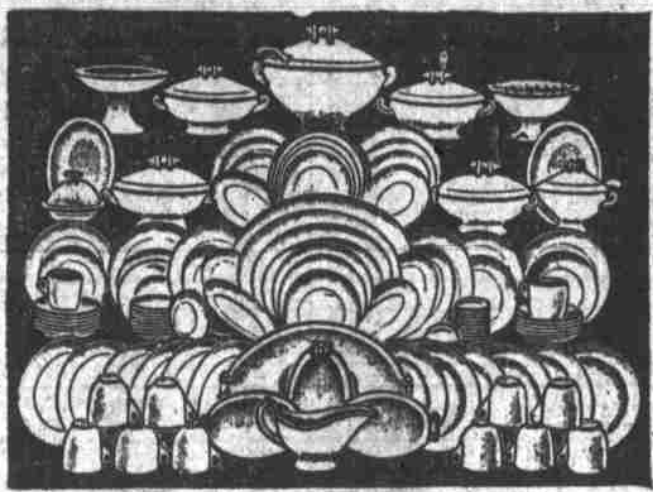
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\$40 Diamond \$30.00
\$35 Ready Gold Coin \$28

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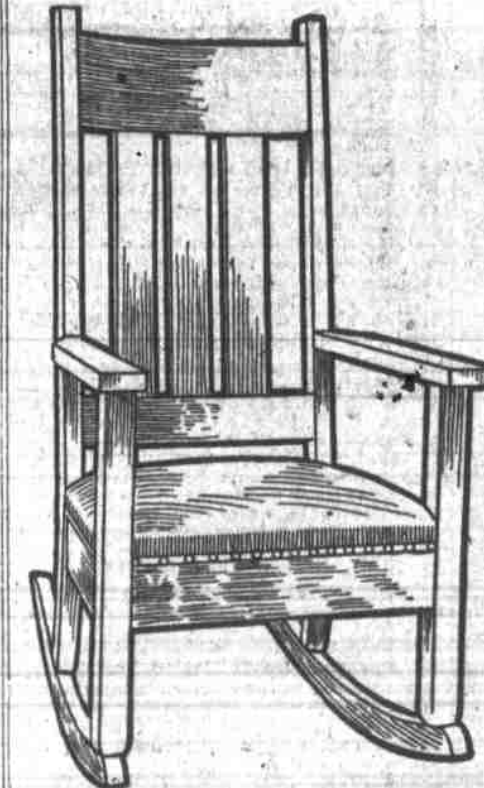
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