

NORTHERN PACIFIC HEADS WILL VISIT CENTRAL OREGON

Special Train Leaves Portland Next Tuesday Morning; Newspaper Men From This City to Accompany Party.

Next Tuesday morning a special train conveying a large party of officials of the Northern Pacific railroad, half owner of the Oregon Trunk line, and heads of Portland newspapers, will leave Portland for a tour of the vast empire of central Oregon that is being opened by the Northern Pacific and Oregon Trunk railroad.

The party will go to Madras, Metolius, Culver, Opal City, Raymond, Laidlaw, Bend and Prineville, where they will be entertained by the commercial clubs and civic bodies of these bustling interior towns. From each point they will visit by automobile the surrounding country with a view to ascertaining the needs of the country from a transportation standpoint, and for the purpose of becoming acquainted with conditions generally.

From Prineville the party will cross the interior to Medford, visiting the towns and points of interest that lie between and will then take the Southern Pacific line to the north. They will stop at Ashland, Roseburg and Grants

Pass in southern Oregon, if time permits. They have also planned to visit Eugene, Albany and Salem, where they will meet and get acquainted with the citizens and commercial bodies. From Salem the party will return to Portland on the Oregon Electric, which is also owned by the Northern Pacific road.

This will be the first visit to central Oregon by most of the members of the party, and the Northern Pacific officials will take this opportunity of meeting their patrons in the newest Oregon country.

The party will be in charge of A. D. Charlton, assistant general passenger agent of the Northern Pacific railroad, who will spare no efforts to make the trip an interesting and valuable one both to the members of the party and cities and territory which will be visited.

Following are the names of those who will compose the party: Carl Gray, president Spokane, Portland & Seattle railway; Portland; H. C. Nutt, fourth vice president Northern Pacific railway; Tacoma; J. G. Woodworth, traffic manager Northern Pacific railway, St. Paul; A. D. Charlton, assistant general passenger agent Northern Pacific railway, Portland; Henry Blakeley, general western freight agent Northern Pacific railway, Tacoma; F. H. Fogarty, assistant general freight agent Northern Pacific railway, Portland; L. J. Bricker, immigration agent Northern Pacific railway, St. Paul; O. D. Wheeler, advertising department Northern Pacific railway, St. Paul; E. B. Piper, managing editor Oregonian, Portland; John F. Carroll, general manager Telegram, Portland; C. B. Jackson, Portland; B. S. Cook, official photographer and stenographer.

BARRETT FOUND GUILTY OF PASSING BAD CHECK

Charles Barrett was found guilty yesterday afternoon by a jury in the circuit court of passing a fraudulent check of \$12,000 on the Merchants National bank. James Wheeler, E. J. Wheeler and Orville Caviness are also under

indictment for complicity in the deal. Caviness is in jail in San Francisco, and will be brought to Portland for trial. Wheeler and Caviness will go to trial Monday. Caviness lived at Focattello, and advertised himself as a breeder of fine cattle. He went under the name of J. O. Ross, and sent Barrett a check for \$23,000. Barrett gained the confidence of Attorney Sidney Gordon, and through him established credit at the Merchants National bank. The check was deposited, and within a few days Barrett began drawing checks against it. He drew all the money out this way and left town. The four men are also under indictment in connection with the steamer Humboldt gold bullion robbery coming out of Seattle last year.

LAFFERTY IS BOOSTER FOR EASTERN OREGON

Congressman A. W. (Walter) Lafferty, as he now calls himself part of the time in his official correspondence, is becoming a strong champion of eastern Oregon. In addition to introducing a bill for a new federal judicial district, with a judge at Baker, he has recently displayed exceptional interest in eastern Oregon Indian tribes and the land questions peculiar to that part of the state.

Lafferty's activities, with an apparent centering of interest in eastern Oregon, is taken by the politicians to have peculiar meaning. In view of the impending division of the state into three congressional districts, and reports which have been heard as to the congressman's future plans, the exceptional interest in eastern Oregon is believed to have significance.

Under the congressional redistricting bill passed by the last legislature eastern Oregon will be in a district by itself, and Multnomah county alone in another district. A. W. (Walter) Lafferty's home at the present time is in Multnomah county. The political weather vane in Multnomah forecasts stormy weather for A. W. (etc.) Lafferty if he tries to return to Washington by the Multnomah county route.

So it is thought the congressman may soon do what many have long predicted he will do, and move to some county in eastern Oregon. By moving his law office and establishing his residence to the east he will put himself in line for the new eastern Oregon district. True, he will there bump into other booms, notably that of John P. Rusk, who has just moved from Joseph to Union to be closer to the center of political activity, but Lafferty is supposed to regard eastern Oregon as a more favorable field than Multnomah.

\$5,546,333 IN TAXES COLLECTED BY JUNE 1

The report of Sheriff Stevens of the taxes collected previous to June 1 shows the amount to be \$5,546,333. There is still \$854,093 to be collected, as the tax levy was estimated to raise \$6,400,426. The amount collected this year has been turned over to the county treasurer and by that official is deposited in the various banks. The work this year of collecting taxes has moved along rapidly and economically and the department under the charge of I. D. Boyer is now giving considerable time to collecting delinquent taxes on personal property. While the taxes were higher this year than any previous there has been comparatively little complaint from property owners. The valuation was raised as well as the tax levy. The amount that has been turned over to the city is \$1,435,608. The port of Portland received \$408,429.

Electrician Killed. Santa Monica, Cal., June 8.—While working on an incandescent current in connection with the electric light plant here, W. J. Reid, an electrician, touched a live wire and was instantly killed.

SIX CANDIDATES LOOM FOR PLACE ON SCHOOL BOARD

Mrs. Sitton Denies She Will Seek Re-election; No Woman Has Thus Far Entered the Contest.

At least half a dozen candidates are expected to be offered to the taxpayers of the city for election to the city school board on June 19 to succeed Mrs. L. W. Sitton. So far the list does not include any woman candidate. A report that Mrs. Sitton may be induced to become a candidate for another term was vigorously denied by her today. She says she has made up her mind irrevocably.

Two announced candidates for the position are Jerry E. Bonaugh, an attorney, who resides on North Thirty-second street, and Ben Riedel, a real estate dealer, who has been prominent in east side push club work and lives in Sellwood. Petitions are to be circulated by friends of two others, A. F. Fliegel and William A. T. Bushong. Fliegel is an attorney and lives in Woodlawn. Bushong resides on Hawthorne avenue. It is believed both will be brought into the race. William M. Killingsworth, a prominent realty dealer of the northeast side, is

also being mentioned for the place. Still another name considered is that of George C. Mason, a resident of Irvington, and member of the firm of Hurley-Mason company, contractors. In announcing his candidacy, Mr. Bonaugh sent the following statement to the clerk of the school board: "For the information of the taxpayers and voters, I will say that I am 43 years of age and have resided in Portland 30 years; that I was educated in two of the departments of the Oregon State university, and have a child being educated in the Portland public schools; that in return for these favors from the state and the city of Portland, I am willing, if elected to this responsible office, to devote myself to the conscientious performance of its duties as I may see them."

The election for school director will be held June 19, in the afternoon. Women who are taxpayers are allowed to vote, as well as men.

CONGREGATIONALISTS CONVENE TOMORROW

The fifth Pacific Coast Congress of Congregational Churches will hold its first session tomorrow at 1 o'clock in the First Congregational church, corner of Park and Madison streets. The first business in order will be that of temporary organization. Mayor Simon will give an address of welcome on behalf of the city, and Dr. Luther R. Dwyer on behalf of the churches. Responses will be made as follows: By Rev. H. C. Mason, Seattle, for the state of Washington; Rev. A. J. Sullivan of Boise, for the state of Idaho; Dr. Willard B. Thorp, for the state of California. Many visitors are expected from different parts of the coast outside of Oregon. As tomorrow night is the last of the Rose Festival there will be no evening session. Sessions will be held daily until next Thursday, inclusive.

HIGH WATER LANDING IN USE AT HOOD RIVER

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.) Hood River, Or., June 8.—With the rapid rise of water in the Columbia at Hood River, steamers will soon be able to land near the O.W.R. & N. company's depot. The Underwood-Hood River ferry is making regular landings at the Hood River high water landing.

30-Mile Macadam Loop. (Special Dispatch to The Journal.) Hood River, Or., June 8.—The contractors who have in hand the macadamizing of six miles of Hood River valley wagon road, are hauling crushed rock for the road bed. It is expected that with next year's work on the road the Odell loop will be completed and a macadam road extending over 50 miles will loop the valley, passing through the most picturesque section of the county.

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Dyspepsia may be completely eradicated if properly treated. We sell a remedy that we positively guarantee will completely relieve indigestion or dyspepsia, or the medicine used during the trial will cost the user nothing. This remedy has been named Rexall Dyspepsia Tablets. Certainly no offer could be more fair, and our offer should be proof positive that Rexall Dyspepsia Tablets are a dependable remedy. Inasmuch as the medicine will cost you nothing if it does not benefit you, we urge you who are suffering with indigestion or dyspepsia to try Rexall Dyspepsia Tablets. A 25-cent box contains enough medicine for fifteen days' treatment. For chronic cases we have two larger sizes, 50 cents and \$1.00. Remember you can obtain Rexall Remedies only at The Owl Drug Co., Inc., cor. 7th and Washington sts.

Try Our Delicious \$1 Saturday Night Dinner From 5:30 to 8 o'Clock—Music Furnished by Rosebrook's Heilig Theatre Orchestra Store Will Close at 8:30 Saturday Night, in Order to Let Our Employees See Electrical Parade—Great June White Days in Progress

Eastman Brownie Cameras at \$3.00
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IT'S wonderful what splendid pictures are taken with these No. 2A Brownie Cameras! Exactly as illustrated, taking pictures size 2½x4¼. Priced **\$3.00**
25c M. & F. General Developer for 19¢
50c Oil Dark Room Lamps, special at 39¢
25c Printing Frames, including 4x5 size, 20¢
\$3.25 Collapsible Tripods, 4 sections, \$2.59

THE MEIER & FRANK STORE

Children's Reg. \$1.25 to \$2.00 Straw Hats for 85c
MEIER & FRANK'S—2D FLOOR
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CHOOSE from two big tables of Children's Summer Hats at 85c which sell regularly for \$1.25, \$1.50 up to \$2.
Mushroom and Sailor effects of peanut and chip braids, trimmed in gaily colored ribbons. Saturday, each **85c**

900 More Suits From A. B. Kirschbaum (Philadelphia) at \$15

Entire Surplus Stock of "Nufangl" PRESENT MFG. CO. Trousers on Sale at Nearly Half Price

OUR clothing manager made this big purchase on his last Eastern trip! Present & Co., 596 Broadway, New York, had just 1800 pairs of their famous "Nufangl" Trousers left after all the season's orders were filled. We bought every single pair at a splendid discount. Snappy Trousers for young men, full peg style, with or without turn-ups. Also semi-peg and medium styles of fine all wool Worsteds, Cassimeres, Velours, in scores of the latest patterns—grays, browns, tans, black. All sizes, 30 to 42 waist measure and 34 to 44 length. The entire purchase goes on sale at 8 o'clock tomorrow morning. See Morrison street windows.

\$4 and \$5 "Nufangl" Trousers Tomorrow Only \$2.85	\$6.00, \$7.00 and \$7.50 "Nufangl" Trousers Tomorrow Only \$4.45
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ORDER BY MAIL

TAILORED BY A. B. KIRSCHBAUM & CO. WORLD'S BEST TAILORS

Boys' \$4 to \$5 Suits Tomorrow at \$3.65

EIGHT big stacks of these splendid Knickerbocker Suits on sale Saturday at \$3.65, though there's not a one marked less than \$4.00 and the greatest proportion \$4.50 and \$5.

Some even have two pairs of knickerbockers—think of it, for \$3.65!—practically doubling the wear. They're our famous Sampson Suits, double-stitched and reinforced throughout. Light, medium and dark grays, browns, tans. All sizes, 7 to 17 years. Take your unrestrained choice tomorrow at **Only \$3.65**

We're Out for the Biggest Clothing Business in Our History Tomorrow! \$20, \$25 and Even \$30 Suits \$15

Men's Clothing, 3rd Flr. 7 Direct Elevators

IF YOU men will just realize what an unprecedented opportunity this really is, we'll beat every clothing record in the store's history tomorrow!

Another huge Eastern purchase of 900 smart new Summer Suits from A. B. Kirschbaum of Philadelphia, just down from the receiving-room for tomorrow's selling. Our clothing chief bought every single surplus and sample suit they had on hand.

And the purchases from other country-famous makers include the Adler-Rochester System. Splendid All-Wool Hand-Tailored Blue Serges, new grays, browns, tans, in every possible shade and pattern of the season. Models distinctly for young men, for the more conservative. All sizes for men of all builds. Not a suit in the lot is worth less than \$20, many of them \$25, and some are worth even \$30. Take your choice of them for tomorrow's big sale at, the suit **\$15**

6000 Men's \$1.50 Soft Shirts 95c
MEIER & FRANK'S—FIRST FLOOR
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MEN will buy these comfortable, new soft Shirts by the half dozen and dozen lots tomorrow! Only our enormous quantity buying brought them to sell for less than \$1.50.

Made of fine, silk-finished soisette, in plain white, gray, cream, lavender, blue, tan, also with fancy stripes. Coat style, with smart French turn-back cuffs. Full cut and splendidly finished. Regular \$1.50 Shirts in all sizes. Special tomorrow at **95c**

Panama & Straw Hats Are Reduced
\$2.00 Straw Hats for **\$1.79**
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\$3.00 Straw Hats for **\$2.79**
\$3.50 Straw Hats for **\$3.15**
\$5.00 Straw Hats for **\$4.49**
\$6.50 Panama Hats at **\$5.89**
\$8.00 Panama Hats at **\$7.35**
\$10 Panama Hats for **\$8.95**

Men's 50c to 75c Neckwear at 25c
Over 5000 beautiful Ties to choose from. New silk Four-in-Hands, French Folds, Batwing Bows, Flowing Ends, etc. In every imaginable color and pattern. These are positive 50c to 75c grades priced at **25c**

Men's \$1.50 Underwear Only \$1.15
For Saturday, 100 dozen men's fine mercerized listé Shirts and Drawers, in blue, flesh, ecru and white. Long or short sleeves, ankle length. \$1.50 Underwear in all sizes, each **\$1.15**

Men's 50c Silk Plaited Socks, Three Pairs for \$1.00 or a Pair 35c
10,000 Men's 50c and 75c Fancy Imported Handkerchiefs at Each 35c

Another Great Purchase of Child's \$4 to \$7 Dresses, Tomorrow \$2.52
MEIER & FRANK'S—SECOND FLOOR
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EIGHT o'clock tomorrow morning won't be any too soon to come for these charming little Children's Dresses, if you want to secure the pick of the purchase.

The daintiest of white lawns, linens and batistes, trimmed in fine laces and embroideries. Also sturdy chambrays, madrases, gingham and percales, in solid colors, plaids, checks and stripes. Dozens of the prettiest models (see illustration) in jumper and Russian blouse effects, cool low necks, kimono sleeves and full plaited skirts. All sizes, 6 to 14—\$4, \$5, \$6, \$7 Dresses **\$2.52**