

SOCIETY WILL HONOR BIRTHDAY OF LINCOLN

Mass Meeting at Armory and Exercises in the Public Schools Planned.

The program for the celebration of the one hundred and fifth anniversary of the birth of Abraham Lincoln, which will be held at the armory, Thursday afternoon, February 12, under the auspices of the Lincoln Memorial society, was completed at a special meeting of the society's program committee today.

It is believed that there will be a large attendance of citizens at the exercises in the armory.

The program as arranged today includes the reading of the instrumental addresses by well-known speakers, and in addition, reminiscences of Civil war veterans and others who knew Lincoln personally. A message from Mrs. Sarah Ford of Eugene, 102 years of age, and a sister-in-law of Mrs. Lincoln, will be read.

D. Lee, president of the society, will preside. Music will be provided by the Musicians' union volunteer band under the direction of G. Tigano; by the Veterans' quartet, solos will be sung by Arthur Harbaugh and Miss Grace Dawson, and the drum corps of sons of Spanish American War Veterans will play martial drum music.

WITNESS TESTIFIES HE HEARD FATAL SHOT

John O'Bryan, one of the three men in a room at Troutdale when an unidentified member of the party was shot November 7, was the principal witness for the state in the murder trial of Joe Mossel this morning in Circuit Judge Kavanaugh's court.

O'Bryan, John Law and the man who was killed formed the party at the cabin and he said they had been there for about 24 hours prior to the shooting.

He testified that they had eaten a dinner of boiled potatoes and he had gone into a sleeping porch where he was asleep when the shot aroused him. The two men in the cabin with him went through a window over his head and he saw the man who shot Mossel.

PENDLETON CLUB WILL HAVE SAME OFFICERS

Pendleton, Or., Feb. 4.—J. V. Tallman was last night re-elected president of the Pendleton Commercial association, and the other officers were likewise retained. They include C. K. Crandall, secretary; John H. McKee, treasurer; A. J. McAllister, vice president; Directors are: George Hartman, Fred Judd, Clarence Bishop, W. J. Clarke, Sam Thompson, Wesley Matlock and R. Alexander.

PORTLAND ATHLETE FINISHES HARVARD

Cambridge, Mass., Feb. 4.—Harvard loses a great athlete in the severing of connections with the university by Lewis Hunt Mills of Portland, Or., who has finished his academic course in three and one half years. He played against Yale in football last fall and rowed two years in the varsity shell which beat Yale. Besides being a member of several college fraternities, he is president of the student council.

NEW DEPUTY FEDERAL ATTORNEY APPOINTED



John J. Beckman.

Announcement of the appointment of John J. Beckman, a young Portland attorney, to the position of assistant United States attorney, was made yesterday afternoon by United States Attorney Clarence L. Reames. Telegraphic confirmation of the nomination came yesterday. Beckman's name having been submitted last week to succeed Jesse L. Sumrall, resigned to take up the private practice of law.

Following confirmation, Beckman was sworn in, and his first work was to present evidence in a white slavery case before the federal grand jury.

Beckman has been practicing in Portland almost four years. He is a native of Indiana and was educated at Notre Dame and Georgetown Universities. He is a member of the law firm of Beckman & Rondeau.

ELECTRIC CARS RUN OUT OF UNION DEPOT

Difficulties in Getting Up Fourth Street Hill Are Obviated.

Electric trains were operated out of the Union depot direct this morning for the first time, following the completion yesterday of the electrification of the Southern Pacific tracks to the terminal. Previously, since inauguration of the Portland, Eugene & Eastern electric service on the McMinville loop, trains were pushed with a switch engine from the depot to the terminal.

General Superintendent D. W. Campbell said today that a new time card probably will become effective February 15, with the completion of the electrified loops at Newberg and Hillsboro. This will give the people a more prompt service through the business district.

Early difficulties in getting up the Fourth street hill have been overcome by the extension of the low tension wires to the top of the hill before they change to high tension. A "dead" section is necessary to separate the low from the high and this originally was placed at Jefferson street, right at the beginning of the 4 per cent grade. Sometimes the momentum was not sufficient to carry the train over this "dead" section and since the change no trouble has been experienced.

The cars formerly were taken to the east side for charging and sometimes when trains started out in the morning the electric heat had not been on long enough to warm the cars throughly. With the electrification of the tracks in the terminal yard the current is "on" all the time and heat can be turned on in plenty of time.

NORWAY TO INCREASE NAVAL SERVICE LENGTH

Christiania, Feb. 4.—It was admitted in government circles today that a request would shortly be made of parliament for an increase in the length of service in the navy from 6 to 12 months, with a view to preparation against possible hostilities with Russia. There has been much uneasiness throughout Norway for some time over the increasing concentrating of the czar's troops in Finland and the strengthening of his fortifications along the frontier.

GENERAL STRIKE NOW PLANNED IN RUSSIA

Lemberg, Austria, Feb. 4.—Reports were current today from Russia that agitators are attempting to precipitate a general strike throughout the czar's dominions, and that they seem to stand a fair chance of success. Their propaganda is based on generally unsatisfactory political and economic conditions. The government was said to be making many arrests, but not to be accomplishing much in the way of checking the movement.

Deserter Is Captured. Centralia, Wash., Feb. 4.—George H. Allen, an army deserter, was yesterday captured here and returned to Vancouver barracks. A photograph of the fugitive was forwarded to the police department and he was recognized on the street. Allen deserted about a year ago.

Dedication at Cottage Grove. Cottage Grove, Or., Feb. 4.—Dedication exercises for Cottage Grove's new \$40,000 high school will be held Friday, February 13. Professor M. S. Pittman of Monmouth normal, County Superintendent E. J. Moore, Supervisor Stahlman and local people will be on the program.

Well He Stopped. San Francisco, Feb. 4.—Because he found it "such an awful lot of trouble" to qualify for a marriage license, Carl Vandeven is still single. He balked when it came to telling his mother's maiden name, his birth place, occupation, or whether he had ever been married before.

ALL GIVE WELCOME TO THE "HOG SPECIAL"

Farmers Generally Are Impressed With Logic of Efficiency Talks.

Newberg, Or., Feb. 4.—From 8 o'clock until 10 o'clock this morning the S. P. E. & E.-Oregon Agricultural college demonstration "hog" special, was in Newberg, and large number of farmers and business men listened to the addresses given by the experts and practical farmers aboard. There were a number of women among the auditors.

The advice given by the speakers was of the practical kind, understandable to and appreciated by the farmers and it is felt that much good will result from the visit. J. M. Dickson, one of the practical farmer who started with the special, said that he was very much interested in the talk given by W. K. Gaston, of Newell. The visitors expressed themselves as highly pleased with the reception and the address given them here. The train went from Newberg to Sherwood.

Forest Grove Has Crowd.

Forest Grove, Or., Feb. 4.—One thousand persons from all sections of the part of the county were here yesterday afternoon to welcome the "hog" special. James Withycombe was given a rousing welcome, when he was introduced. It was in Washington county that he did his first farming. He declared that the banner dairy county of the state, speaking upon "Hogs for the Market." Professor E. L. Potter said that they had not brought along fancy hogs that were beyond the farmer's reach, but that every one could raise them. Professor H. R. Graves talked on the choice of a dairy herd. J. M. Dickson, who has become one of the biggest farmers in the state by his up-to-date methods on his farm at Sherds, near Albany, emphasized the importance of keeping an absolute record of every cow and her feed. Chris Myhre, a successful dairyman of the Danish settlement near Junction City, told of the advantages of cooperative dairying.

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Cemetery Association Meets Friday.

The Brainard Cemetery association will meet at 8 o'clock Friday evening at Hamilton chapel, Eighth and East Selman streets. A. J. Altman, president of the association, will be in charge.

WERE READY FOR WORD THAT DIDN'T COME

Hillsboro, Or., Feb. 4.—Prohibitionists in Hillsboro are jubilant over the decision of the Oregon supreme court which upholds the decision of Circuit Judge Campbell in regard to the legality of the election held here last November. The "Prohis" won in the election by 22 votes, and the town has been dry since the first of the year. The saloonkeepers have kept their former places of business in readiness, so that if a decision should have been in their favor they would have been all ready to open their doors again.

LUCAS DEFENDANT IN ALIENATION SUIT

Chehalis, Wash., Feb. 4.—Jas Lucas, theatrical manager and sporting promoter of Centralia, will have to answer a \$10,000 damage suit filed in the Lewis county superior court. Lucas is accused of alienating the affections of the former wife of John M. Jones, both residents of Centralia. Jones and Ethel Boyd were married in 1911, and he says in his complaint against Lucas that they were happy until last August, when the defendant is alleged to have enticed Mrs. Jones from the husband. The Joneses were divorced recently.

Thomas Hopkins Is Chief.

Centralia, Wash., Feb. 4.—At a meeting of the Centralia city commission yesterday afternoon Thomas Hopkins was appointed chief of police to succeed R. L. Schelder, who recently resigned and moved to California. Hopkins, who has been on the force about a year, was only recently promoted from the ranks to a sergeant.

Farmers Would Kill.

Wallula, Wash., Feb. 4.—Whether or not farmers on Eureka Flat have a right to kill wild geese which are reported to be doing great damage to the wheat crop there, is to be determined by the county game commission.

CELESTIN'S VICHY (FRENCH REPUBLIC PROPERTY) Natural Alkaline Water for the relief of: RHEUMATISM INDIGESTION URIC ACID GOUT. BOTTLED DIRECTLY AT THE FAMOUS SPRING AT VICHY, FRANCE FROM WHICH IT TAKES ITS NAME.

DIGGS GROWS RESTIVE FAILING TO GET BAIL

Accused Architect to Have Preliminary Hearing; Under \$10,000 Bonds.

(United Press Leased Wire.) San Francisco, Feb. 4.—Maury I. Diggs, still in the city jail charged with a statutory offense against 17-year-old Ida Pearrin, began to show signs today of weakening nerve. When he gave himself up Sunday afternoon Diggs expected to be bailed out almost immediately. Monday he was still sure he would be released on bond before night; Tuesday he was still hopeful. But today, evidently, he was growing discouraged.

He had spent a bad night and when he arose his smile was gone, his face looked drawn and haggard and he failed to repeat his prediction that he would be a free man again before bed time. He seemed to have lost confidence in his friends' power to help him. Walter Gilligan, jointly accused with Diggs and also held at the city prison for the lack of sureties on a \$10,000 bond, seemed to be taking matters more philosophically, perhaps because he had not been so confident at first that he would speedily be freed, and correspondingly less disappointed.

Detective Joseph Redmond of the police department's vice squad, was authorized by the statement that Ida Pearrin, who has hitherto been too ill to appear in court, would be present before Police Judge Crist at 10 a. m. tonight. Pearrin's and Gilligan's cases are scheduled to come up again.

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Hook Worms Bring Fines.

The Pacific Mail Steamship company was fined \$300 here because it brought three Orientals suffering from hook worm to this port on the liner China.

HEAD HOBBO TO FORM LOCAL IN PORTLAND

Itinerant Workers' Union for Unemployed, Not Tramps, Says Counsel.

Jeff Davis, president of the International Itinerant Workers Union, Hoboes of America, will be in Portland within a few days for the purpose of organizing a local in this city. Harry Sigmond of Seattle, attorney for the Seattle local, has arrived in Portland to make preparations for a mass meeting here upon Davis' arrival. Davis is in Seattle where the "hoboes" are operating the "Hotel de Gink" and are caring for their members.

"There is vast difference between a hobo and tramps and bums," said Sigmond today. "A hobo is a man out of work, who has taken to the road in search of it. A tramp is a man who has degenerated to the point where he won't work. Our organization is not for the latter class for it proposes the W. W. theory that the world owes every man a living. Instead, we realize that there is little work to do in winter, due to the fact that many men are engaged in reasonable vocations, and it is our object to see that such men are provided for when there is no work. In this connection we urge that the city and state do some improvement work in winter months whenever possible."

"We are organized for mutual protection. Every member pledges himself not to serve as a strikebreaker; he swears to do his best to induce runaway boys to return home and to do what he can to prevent the arrest and imprisonment of a hobo, under the vagrancy law. Many men imprisoned as 'vags' have become embittered and turned tramps, something we desire to prevent. The union now has about 200,000 members. Last year we got 2000 men out of jail who had been convicted under the vagrancy law, and sent 600 runaway boys back to their homes."

To Help the Balkans.

Los Angeles, Cal., Feb. 4.—The Church Federation has set next Sunday as "Balkan day." Collections will be taken in 200 Los Angeles churches to aid poverty stricken Balkanites.

Released on Pauper's Oath.

Herman Peper took the pauper's oath this morning before Circuit Judge Morrow and secured his release from jail, where he has been confined for 12 days on an execution against the body. Ole J. Hatland secured a fraud judgment for \$2700 about two years ago, and the judgment was never paid. Hatland had Peper jailed.

Women Slow to Register.

Estacada, Or., Feb. 4.—Out of 200 registered to date, only 10 are women. Two wives of prominent Republicans registered as Democrats.

Sheriff's Bond Reduced.

The loss of the collecting department by Sheriff Word also resulted in the reduction of his bonds from \$150,000 to \$5,000. County Treasurer Lewis, a tax collector, gave \$100,000 bonds in place of those of Sheriff Word.

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