

TWELVE DIRECTORS OF 1915 ROSE FESTIVAL ELECTED LAST NIGHT

Delegates From Civic Organizations Name Prominent Citizens to Conduct Fiesta.

WOMEN ASK FOR PLACE

Request of Fair Sex for Representation on Board Falls to Meet Favor.

Ruffled only by the insistence of women delegates that they should be allowed to nominate women for Rose Festival directors in spite of the contrary judgment of some of the men...

The directors elected are: Henry L. Corbett, vice president First National bank; F. W. Hill, manager Portland Railway, Light & Power company; John F. Carroll, editor Evening Telegram; George L. Baker, manager Baker theatre; Charles F. Berg, vice president Lennox and president of the Ad club; S. D. Vincent, of S. D. Vincent & Co., president of the Realty board; Emery Olmstead, vice president Northwestern National bank; O. M. Plummer, secretary-treasurer of Portland Union Stockyards company; J. Fred Larson, of Umbdenstock & Larson company; Jacob Kanzler, attorney and president of the Progressive Business Men's club; I. N. Fleischner, of Fleischner, Mayer & Co.; Ira F. Powers, president Powers Furniture company.

The report of the nominating committee—J. E. Werlein, W. J. Hofmann, Frank McCrillis, E. D. Timms and Fred Spoerl—contained a recommendation for the creation of a woman's auxiliary Rose Festival board. The report was adopted. Mrs. B. T. Voorhorst, delegate from the Greater Portland Plans association, immediately asked if this precluded the nomination of women. The chair ruled that it did not. Mr. Werlein assured the women, who sat in a group, that it would be highly unfortunate if they were to be elected to service on the Rose Festival board.

"The men might want to sit in their shirtsleeves; they might want to smoke, and neither of these things could they do in transacting Rose Festival business if there were women on the board," said Mr. Werlein, mentioning what seemed to him the insuperable reasons against the election of women as festival directors. "Therefore, dear ladies," he continued, addressing himself directly to the successful group, "you had better let the men hold their evening meetings and smoke, and you meet at afternoon tea and talk over festival matters informally and cooperate in making the festival a grand success."

Mrs. Sarah A. Evans declared that Mr. Werlein's position might have been well taken 20 years ago, but not today. Melvin G. Winstock said that he could see absolutely no reason why women were not as well fitted to help direct the affairs of a festival as the men.

Mrs. J. W. Tift of the Portland Women's club, and Mrs. Harriett Hendrix of the Michigan society, were nominated. At the conclusion of the meeting a motion was unanimously carried, instructing the secretary of the meeting, Moses Mosson, to communicate with all women's organizations, inviting them to elect delegates and convene and choose a woman's auxiliary festival board. They to decide whether many should be on the board and what method should be followed in electing them.

On motion of C. C. Chapman, a unanimous vote of thanks was tendered the nominating committee in appreciation of its labors.

3000 PEOPLE RENDER OLD FASHIONED SONGS AT COMMUNITY SING

Remarkable Event at Multnomah Field Proves to Be Pronounced Success.

Success crowned the community sing which was held last evening on Multnomah field, under the auspices of the Monday Musical club. It was a remarkable event. About 3000 persons sang for over an hour. As "sing" was an experiment in Portland, some small hitch would not have been unexpected, but nothing of this sort developed. The words of the songs were printed on the programs, and as there are many variations in the words of the old songs, some found the arrangement a little tedious. From the Multnomah field the effect was wonderful, with a great volume of tone pouring forth.

The grandstand was filled from top to bottom, except a few seats at the extreme sides. Campbell's American band, which was contributed by the musicians' union, played until the singing began. From 8 until after 9 o'clock the great assemblage sang lustily, under the leadership of W. H. Boyer. Mr. Boyer's good will and enthusiastic interest in the success of the affair drew a ready response from the people, and he held them together with remarkable effect. Miss Florence Jackson, the soloist, and members of the band also helped much in their accompaniment. The broadcast call for everybody to come and sing naturally brought forth a music loving assemblage. Each time the last verse of a song was reached they had found their courage, and the tone rang out with wonderful volume. Old and young men and women poured out their hearts in the plaintive strains of the chorus of "Swanee River." Singing of the "Star Spangled Banner" closed the event.

Among the songs sung were "America," "Old Folks at Home," "Rock of Ages," "Work, for the Night is Coming," "My Bonnie Lies over the Ocean," "Silver Threads Among the Gold," "Glory, Glory, Hallelujah," "My Old Kentucky Home," and several others.

Congressman Winfield S. Hammond and Daniel W. Lawler of St. Paul are the opposing candidates for the Democratic nomination for governor of Minnesota.

MEN WHO WILL DIRECT NEXT YEAR'S ROSE FESTIVAL CHOSEN FROM CITY'S PROMINENT BUSINESS MEN BY CIVIC ORGANIZATIONS' DELEGATES



Henry L. Corbett.



I. N. Fleischner.



F. W. Hill.



Jacob Kanzler.



J. Fred Larson.



Emery Olmstead.



O. M. Plummer.



Ira F. Powers.



S. Dean Vincent.



George L. Baker.



Charles F. Berg.



John F. Carroll.

Grain at Prescott Destroyed by Fire

Summer Fallow Stops Flames After Several Thousand Dollars' Worth Has Been Burned.—Harvey Losses.

Walla Walla, Wash., Aug. 19.—Sweeping down a strip of wheat fields five miles in length and varying from half a mile to a mile in width, fire Sunday destroyed thousands of dollars' worth of grain in the Prescott district. The flames were fanned by a strong wind and summer fallow was all that stopped their progress. The flames started on the Joe Harvey ranch, burning over 600 acres there. It is the third fire of the season on the Harvey ranch. Loss was suffered on the McLaughlin, Odell and W. S. Malloy ranches. Saturday fire destroyed 130 acres of grain and a separator on the Hopson ranch near Prescott, and the same day 400 acres of grain is reported to have been destroyed on the McKinney ranch in Wheatstone hollow near Waiteburg.

Peace League Is Formed in Seattle

Seattle Citizens of Foreign Nativity Representing Countries Now at War Take Initiative in Organization.

Seattle, Wash., Aug. 19.—To back up President Wilson's offer of mediation, Seattle citizens of foreign nativity representing the countries now at war are today organized into a cosmopolitan peace league.

They will circulate petitions addressed to their home countries pleading for the acceptance of President Wilson's offer. A committee consisting of E. Shorrock, representing the British; Adolph Lowe, the German; Dr. S. Sargentich, the Servians; and K. Okajima, the Japanese, was appointed to draw up the plans for a permanent organization and a definite program. Dr. Sydney Strone, a local pastor, was chosen temporary pastor.

The plan was first suggested by Walter O. Thompson, counsel for the United States industrial relation commission, now holding meetings on the Pacific coast.

Journal Want Ads bring results.

MEIER & FRANK'S Free Tickets Admitting Women to Marcus Loew's Empress Theatre Given Tomorrow MEIER & FRANK'S

"American Lady" & "Dix" Make House Dresses Underpriced

HOURLY SALES

Morning Hours Only! No Telephone Orders for Hourly Specials From 9 to 10 A. M.

- 3 Bars Fels-Naptha Soap 10c. No Telephone Orders. Limit, 3 bars to a customer. This famous warm-weather Laundry Soap, specially priced for this hour only—while any remains—3 bars for 10c. Pure Food Grocery, Basement—Sixth Street Bldg. Clearance of Wash Skirts 98c. About 100 in this group. Of Duck, Linen and Figue, in white only. Regular and extra sizes. Special, while any remain, for this hour only—98c. Fourth Floor—Sixth Street Bldg. Men's 50c-75c Undergarments 23c. Limited quantity of Fancy Balbriggan Shirts and Drawers—also Mesh and Egyptian ribbed Garments—mostly Shirts. Broken lines. While any remain—for this hour only, 23c. First Floor—Temporary Annex. Men's \$1 Shirts, Sp'l 55c. Good grade White Pleated Shirts with attached or detached cuffs—broken lines of sizes in detached cuff style; also blue Chambray Shirts, with cuffs attached—plain or pleated bosoms. While any remain—for this one hour only—55c. First Floor—Temporary Annex. From 11 A. M. to 12 M. Men's \$4 to \$6 Sweater Coats \$2.98. Of fine quality Wool Worsted and Pure Wool. In ruffneck, Byron collar, and V-shaped style. In maroon, Oxford, navy and cardinal. Special for this hour only—while any remain—\$2.98. First Floor—Temporary Annex. Children's Waists 15c. Broken lines of Children's Waists—neatly made and durable. Sizes 1 to 14 years. Priced for this hour only—while any remain—15c. Fifth Floor—Sixth Street Bldg. Women's \$1 Union Suits 48c. In regulation sizes. With band and tape tops. Lace trimmed umbrella knees. Special—while any remain—for this one hour only—Suit 48c. Second Floor—Sixth Street Bldg. Men's 50c Four-in-Hands, 15c. Men's Fancy Mercerized Silk Wash Four-in-Hands—in a great variety of colors and patterns. "Clean-up" of odds and ends. For this one hour only—while any remain—15c. First Floor—Temporary Annex. 25c to 50c Maline Lengths 10c. Suitable for neck ruffs and hat trimmings. Either plain or in combination of colors, 1/2 to 3/4-yard lengths. Special—while any remain—for this hour only—10c. First Floor—Sixth Street Bldg. Men's \$1.50 to \$3 Shirts 93c. Broken lines and sizes in "Gotham," "M. & F." and "Standard" Shirts of fine quality. Made with military and turn-down collars attached. For this hour only—while any remain—93c. First Floor—Temporary Annex. Infants' \$1.25 Dresses, 54c. Nainsook Dresses—machine made—with dainty embroidered or combination lace and embroidery yokes. Plain hems or lace-edged ruffle. While any remain—for this hour only—54c. Second Floor—Sixth Street Bldg. Men's 75c Mesh Union Suits 39c. Cool, Mesh Union Suits for men. Long-sleeve and ankle-length style. In extra only. Special—while any remain—for this one hour—Suit 39c. First Floor—Temporary Annex.



Women! Note These Two Special Offerings!

HOUSE AND PORCH DRESSES AT \$1.29 COOL, DAINTY KIMONS AT.....\$1.69 THE DRESSES —include the famous "Dix" and "American Lady" makes. There's a splendid selection of Double Service and Regulation House and Porch Dresses, of Percales, Gingham, Seersuckers and Chambray, in plain colors, stripes and checks. All sizes are here. Two styles illustrated. This is an unparalleled opportunity to make your selection from neat and attractive House and Porch Dresses at \$1.29. THE KIMONS —are of Serpentine Crepe, Mummy Cloth and Lawn. You'll find a good selection of light and dark colors—plain or in floral design. Daintily trimmed with ribbon bows and collars and cuffs of ribbon. Some have elastic waist adjustment. The two illustrated are taken from this group. Ordinarily these Kimonos sell from \$2 to \$2.95—special on Thursday at \$1.69. Fifth Floor—Sixth Street Bldg.

HOURLY SALES

Morning Hours Only! No Telephone Orders for Hourly Specials From 10 to 11 A. M.

- 50c Chamoisette Gloves 25c. All sizes included, from 5 1/2 to 8. Colors are black, white, navy, gray, pongee, mode and natural. Special, while any remain, for this hour only—pair 25c. First Floor—Sixth Street Bldg. \$1.59 Bloomer Suits, 89c. Sizes 3 to 6 years only. Of good Chambray, in blue, pink, or lavender, short sleeves, open-front style. Priced for this hour only—while any remain—89c. Second Floor—Sixth Street Bldg. Dainty Tub Dresses, \$1.28. Odds and ends, broken lines of Women's and Misses' Tub Dresses. Of Voile, Crepe and Gingham, in plain white, stripes and checks. All this season's models. While any remain, for this hour only—\$1.28. Fourth Floor—Sixth Street Bldg. \$1 to \$2 Brassieres 33c. Trimmed with lace and embroidery. Also Net Brassieres with shields. Special, while any remain, for this hour only—33c. Fifth Floor—Sixth Street Bldg. 59c Corset Covers, 25c. Of excellent quality Nainsook. In the popular Camisole style. Daintily trimmed with lace. Special for this hour only, while any remain—25c. Second Floor—Sixth Street Bldg. Misses' & Children's Hats 95c. "Clean-up" of trimmed Summer Hats for misses and children. Usually selling from \$1.50 to \$3—Your choice for this hour only—while any remain—95c. Second Floor—Sixth Street Bldg. 25c White Batiste, Yd. 12 1/2c. Fine White Batiste, with embroidered dot. Special—while any remain—for this hour only—yard 12 1/2c. Third Floor—Sixth Street Bldg. Fancy Silk 4-in-Hands 18c. Usually selling at 25c, 35c and 50c. Wide variety of colors and patterns. For disposal of broken lines—priced for this hour only—while any remain—18c. First Floor—Temporary Annex. Men's \$3.50 Sweater Coats \$1.98. Fine quality Wool Worsted Sweater Coats. In oxford, gray, navy, maroon and cardinal. Kuffneck, V-shape, or Byron collar. While any remain—for this hour only—\$1.98. First Floor—Temporary Annex. Men's \$1-\$1.50-\$2 Shirts, 74c. Broken lines and sizes of Goff Shirts, plain or pleated bosoms. Negligee Shirts with attached turn-down and military collars. Priced for this hour only—while any remain—74c. First Floor—Temporary Annex. Boys' \$1.50 Sweater Coats 79c. Wool Wofsted Sweater Coats, in oxford, cardinal and navy. Finished with pockets and pearl buttons. Special—while any remain—for this one hour only—79c. First Floor—Temporary Annex. 75c-\$1.50 Undergarments, 48c. Women's Lisle and Mercerized Lisle Vests and Knickerbockers. In broken sizes. Assorted styles. Special for this hour only—while any remain—48c. Second Floor—Sixth Street Bldg.

Practical Twill Cretonnes, Yd. 10c

Suitable for Curtains, Comforters and many other purposes, are these durable Twill Cretonnes, in a variety of neat Floral and Conventional designs. 25 inches in width. Usually selling at 15c the yard. Special, the yard, 10c. Sixth Floor—Temporary Annex

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