

BROOKLYN PARTY WILL BE GIVEN RECEPTION TONIGHT

Function Will Be at Press Club Rooms Between 8 and 10 o'clock.

VISITORS NOW IN CITY

Chamber of Commerce Issues Invitation to Travelers Who Are Returning From Expositions.

Being America first, last and every moment of the time, the Brooklyn Eagle party of excursionists, 145 in number, have come thus far on their 32-day itinerary, arriving in Portland from the south at 7:30 o'clock this morning.

The excursionists are of the most prominent of Brooklyn's people, including representatives of its highest commercial and social activities. They will leave tonight at 11:30 o'clock for Tacoma. They will celebrate Independence day at Seattle Monday.

The Chamber of Commerce has arranged reception at rooms of local Press club for Brooklyn Eagle party between the hours of 8 and 10 o'clock Saturday evening. Patronesses to be ladies of the State Woman's Club of Oregon. Hope this meets with your approval, as it leaves you entirely free for sightseeing during daylight hours.

A committee was appointed to represent the tourist party in meeting their hostesses at Portland, and composed of the following: Mrs. J. Adolph Mullenbauer, Miss Clara De Lancy, Miss Susan M. Van Anden, Mrs. James F. Scholes and Mrs. G. W. Mussen. At the reception tonight Dr. Newell Dwight Hilling, secretary of the Portland Chamber of Commerce, on behalf of the Brooklyn people. Among the ladies of the party are more than a score who are leaders in Brooklyn's work.

Herbert F. Gunnison, business manager of the Brooklyn Eagle is conducting the excursion, which has been chronicled in "The Brooklyn Eagle Special," published daily on board the train, which train is captained by eight coaches. The journey began June 17 and will end July 19.

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Scores of those bound for the Fourth of July climb of Mt. Hood left Portland just after noon today for Government camp on the south side of the snow peak. More than 1400 are registered to 10 o'clock this morning for the south side and 136 have registered for the north side. In addition there will be several private parties.

The utmost precautions have been taken by the Mazama leaders to insure the safety of the climbers. Half a day will be given tomorrow to the north side climbers in instructing them how to handle themselves on the snow and ice.

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