

HAWAIIAN NATIVE POPULATION DECLINES, DECLARES TRAVELER

R. M. Irvine Has Just Returned From Islands After an Extended Visit.

PEOPLE ARE CONTENTED

Men, Women and Children of Many Races Work Side by Side in the Fields There.

Hawaii, the land of romance, is a queer combination of Orient and Occident. Assembled in the cities are representatives from the whole Pacific-America, Asia, Australasia and the islands of the far South sea.

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It was during the Portland man's visit that the "crisis" of the big volcano dropped down. This caused quite a stir, as it was instantly followed by the eruption of a volcano far remote which had been thought to be extinct for years.

Mr. Irvine believes there is a great opportunity for increased trade with Hawaii and that Portland could profit by closer relations.

Band Concert at Brooklyn Grounds

Conductor Campbell Will Present Popular Program; Record Crowd at Kenilworth Last Night.

In the neighborhood of 3000 people attended the municipal band concert last night at Kenilworth park, near Thirty-third and Gladstone streets.

For tonight's program at Brooklyn playgrounds, Powell street and Milwaukee avenue, Conductor Campbell has prepared the following program:

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Chickens Came Home For Proverbial Roost

One to Suggest Alternate Sprinkling Day Rule Caught; Water Turned Off by Inspectors.

Fred Randlett, assistant engineer of the water bureau, is telling other employees of the water bureau what he thinks of them today.

There is a rule in the water bureau reading alternate sprinkling. Randlett was well aware of the rule, having been one of those to suggest it.

Inspectors were busy near his home yesterday and discovered that Mrs. Randlett was using the hose out of turn. The inspectors shut the water off and Randlett had to pay to have it turned on.

W. R. C. Host to G. A. R.

Hood River, Or., July 21.—The annual picnic of the Woman's Relief Corps was held at Oak Grove Thursday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Anderson.

Be Young Looking Darken Gray Hair. Remove every trace of prematurely gray, streaked and faded hair, easily, quickly and safely with an even dark, beautiful shade with Hays' Hair Health.

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and keep it full of life, lustrous, healthy, soft, wavy and fascinating. Removes all traces of dandruff, itching scalp and itching falling hair. No dye—harmless to use—use can be detected. Large 50c and \$1.00 sizes at your drugstore. Send for valuable booklet, Beautiful Hair. Philo Hays, Newark, N. J.

Drops 60 Feet in Auto; Slightly Hurt

Ray Barkhurst, Driver of Machine, Has Narrow Escape When His Car Lands Right Side Up.

The big seven passenger, 70 horsepower automobile of Ray Barkhurst, the clothing man, with Barkhurst at the wheel, pulled off a sensational circus stunt yesterday afternoon despite his best efforts to prevent it.

The car ran over the hill at Fourteenth street, at a speed of 30, and almost sheer drop of 60 feet, continued down an incline, passing between two trees and missing a house en route, and landed right side up with a crash at the corner of a house at Fourteenth and Hall.

Mr. Barkhurst, who jumped after the car started on its downward plunge, rolled over a few times and got his clothes dirty but his only injury was a broken bone in the right hand. Ed Taylor, of the reclamation service, who was with Mr. Barkhurst, managed to get out before the auto went over the brink and suffered nothing worse than a bad scare.

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TRUNKFUL OF LIQUOR FROM SAN FRANCISCO IS SEIZED BY POLICE

Rooming House Proprietor Held for Investigation as Suspected Liquor Importer

Detectives yesterday seized a trunkful of whiskey that had arrived at the Union station from San Francisco on a morning train.

The police also arrested Julius Rundizzo, a north end rooming house proprietor, and are holding him for investigation.

Should School Open Labor Day? Question. S. Benson Sends Letter to School Board Opposing Request of Labor Council That It Be a Holiday.

Should the coming school year be opened on Labor day is a question to be decided by the school board.

At yesterday's meeting of the board communications were received from S. Benson, principal of the school, held on Labor day and from the Central Labor council urging that the day be a holiday.

"In the matter of the petition of the Central Labor council to postpone the opening of the public schools until after Labor day, September 4," wrote Mr. Benson, "I wish to say that I oppose the closing of the public schools on Labor day."

"Of all the days of the school year this day will be the most appropriate to teach the rising generation in our public schools the lesson of good citizenship, law and order; that labor is property; that life, liberty and the pursuit of happiness is a principle of our republic, although sadly handicapped by the unlawful acts of many members of the local labor council; that forcible prevention of the free right to labor is the act of a highwayman; that no country, city or community can prosper or civilization progress unless labor and the right to labor is free and unrestrained."

"These principles will not be taught to many children at home or in picnics on that day under present local labor conditions."

The matter was referred to a committee for action.

Claim Wonderful Cures by Prayers

Many Residents of Oregon, Washington and Idaho Attend Campmeeting of Church of God, at Woodburn.

Woodburn, July 21.—Wonderful cures are said to have been gained through prayer at the Church of God campmeeting now being held in their grove here and which will close next Sunday night. Over 250 people from Washington, Idaho and different points in Oregon are in attendance including prominent ones.

Band to Install New Water System

Salem, Or., July 21.—The city of Bandon contemplates the installation of a new water system, at a cost of \$40,000, according to permits issued by State Engineer Lewis.

The population of Bandon at the present time is given as 2500 and in

estimating the amount of water required for the city's future needs the possible population of the city in 1920 is figured at 10,000.

In securing a permit to appropriate 10 second feet of water from Rogue river near Grants Pass for the manufacture of sugar, the Utah-Idaho Sugar company estimates that the use of the water will require an expenditure of \$4000.

Marshfield Visited By Espee Officials

Marshfield, Or., July 21.—A party of Southern Pacific officials arrived on the train yesterday. It includes J. H. Dyer, assistant general manager; Ralph Moody, attorney for the Southern Pa-

cific; Engineer W. R. Fontaine; F. L. Burckhalter, superintendent of lines in Oregon; H. A. Henshaw, general freight agent, and J. J. Delaney, chief clerk for Engineer H. P. Hoey.

Sherman Teachers Mostly Collegians

Salem, Or., July 21.—Seventy-seven per cent of the teachers employed in Sherman county are graduates of normal schools, colleges or universities, while the remaining 24 per cent have had college work but have not yet been graduated.

Good salaries are paid, the average in the one-room country school being over \$70 per month.

Porcupine Seeks Solace in Church

La Granda, Or., July 21.—The Presbyterian church of this city had a strange visitor Wednesday night seeking to repent of his sins in the personage of a porcupine.

It was captured by the police while endeavoring to force an entrance into the building. Later the animal was turned over to Pat Foley for his menagerie.

Battles With Police. Santa Cruz, Cal., July 21.—(U. P.)—After having shot and seriously wounded Policeman Robert J. Robertson, set his own house afire and engaged in a revolver battle with police and fireman, Louis Miller, 58,

a shoemaker, committed suicide before the officers could capture him. He is believed to have been demented.

Franklin High to Get Athletic Field

School Board Takes Action Over the Protest of Director Lockwood; \$8000 Is Authorized.

Over the objection of Director S. P. Lockwood, the school board yesterday decided to provide an athletic field for the Franklin high school, an expenditure of \$8000 being authorized for the construction of concrete seat banks and walks.

Mr. Lockwood objected on the ground that the high school was far from the center of population. Other members

pointed out that Multnomah field was just as distant for pupils of the east side schools and favored the Franklin field on the ground that fields could not be provided for the other high schools of the city.

The Franklin school was in a rapidly growing district, it was also pointed out.

A petition from some 200 residents of the Thompson district was presented protesting against the dismissal of W. E. Young as janitor of the Shaver school.

Bellboy Best Man. Salt Lake, July 21.—(U. P.)—With a hotel bellboy and a newspaperman as attendants, Miss Mabel E. Conway, daughter of John H. Conway, secretary of the New York Board of Trade, and E. R. Holden Jr., New York millionaire, were married last night at 12 o'clock.

More Active Subsea Campaign Indicated

Appointment of Friend of Von Tirpitz to Administrative Position Held to Be Significant.

London, July 21.—(U. P.)—A Reuters dispatch from Copenhagen says that Admiral von Holtzendorff, a great friend of Admiral von Tirpitz, has been appointed to an administrative position. His appointment possibly signifies a more active submarine campaign.

The Misses Amanada and Erna Munum have arrived from Pendleton for a visit and from here they will go to Seaside for an outing.

Watch Repairing and Silver Plating. New Main Springs for Watches Cleaned for 75c. Mesh Gears Replated. —Jewelry Shop, Main Floor.

Ice Cream. 1/2 BRICKS 23c, WHOLE 39c. —No. 1—vanilla, strawberry and vanilla layers. No. 2—"Princess"—vanilla, pineapple sherbet and strawberry layers. NO DELIVERIES ON ICE CREAM. —Candy Shop, Ninth Floor.

Meier & Frank Co. THE QUALITY STORE OF PORTLAND. Established 1867. 1007. 312 1/2 Main Street, Portland, Ore.

Men's \$4.50 to \$6.00 Oxfords Only \$3.85. —All popular leathers—tan, chocolate and black kid or calf, made on newest lasts. With fiber rubber or leather soles—in all sizes and widths. Saturday only \$3.85. —Shoe Shop, Third Floor.

MEN! Save Here Tomorrow on Newest, Most-Wanted Summer Furnishings

Men's Furnishings Shop, Main Floor, Fifth Street. \$1.50 AND \$2.00 NEWEST PATTERNED SHIRTS \$1.10. \$5.00 PURE SILK SHIRTS ONLY \$3.65. \$6.00 AND \$6.50 CREPE DE CHINE SHIRTS \$4.95. \$1.50 WILSON BROS.' SILK LISLE SOCKS, PAIR 17c. \$1.50 FINE ROCHELLE UNION SUITS AT 98c. \$3.00 and \$3.50 Hats for only \$1.85. Reg. \$5.00 Hats specially priced \$3.15. Reg. \$7.00 Hats Saturday only \$4.45. Reg. \$10 Hats priced at only \$6.45. Reg. \$4.00 Hats priced at only \$2.45. Reg. \$6.00 and \$6.50 Hats priced at \$4.05. Reg. \$8.00 Hats special at only \$5.25. Reg. \$12 Hats Saturday only \$8.65.

All Kinds of Kodaks. —Summer time is kodak time. Our stocks of kodaks and cameras are unusually complete and our expert salesmen are always ready to explain every minute detail of the art of kodaking. The New 2-C Autographic Kodak Jr., \$14. Other Kodaks and Cameras Priced 75c to \$66. SATURDAY SPECIALS 90c 7x10 loose leaf photo albums, 67c. 35c tank developer, 6 powders, few packages, 15c. —Kodak Shop, Main Floor.

Women's \$16.50 to \$19.50 Coats \$12.45. —A big clearance for Saturday shoppers! Handsome wool coats in full and three-quarter lengths—serges, gabardines and poplins in black, navy, tan and gray. —Saturday at only \$12.45. Come early for best selection! —Apparel Shop, Fourth Floor.

Just Received by Express--175 in All \$17 Men's 'Hickey-Freeman' \$25 and \$30 Suits. All New--This Season's Garments. Take Elevator or Escalator to Men's Clothing Shop, Third Floor Fifth Street. Hickey-Freeman Quality.

Girls' \$1.75 Gingham Dresses at \$1.19. —Sizes 6 to 14 years. Tan, blue and pink plaid ginghams in pretty youthful styles. Full pleated skirts and vest effects, also lace trimmed styles. 75c Bloomer Dresses 59c. —Sizes 2 to 6 years. Two piece dresses, with bloomers separate. Both light and dark colors, with touches of light piping. Especially practical for beach wear. \$7.50-\$8 Coats, \$4.95. —Sizes 8 to 14 years. Excellent quality tan and navy serges, whipcords and wool checks. With fancy pockets and buttons. \$2.00-\$3.00 Sweaters, \$1.49. —Navy, heather, cardinal and tan ruff neck sweaters, in flat, rope and Swiss knit weaves. Sizes 6 months to 16 years. Girls' Gowns, Special 49c. —Sizes 4 to 14 years. Gowns made of soft crepe or nainsook, with Japanese, square or round necks, finished in piping or embroidery. New Middy Dresses \$2.98. —Just arrived! Heavy white madras suits, with pleated skirts, sailor collar, belt and side pockets. Sizes 12 to 16—very smart! Crepe Middy Dresses, \$2.69. —The newest in middies! Wide awning stripes in blue, pink and tan, made with pockets, belt and large collar. Sizes 12 to 16. Pretty! —Girls' Shop, Second Floor.

Eastern Sugar-Cured HAMS, Lb. 21 1/2c. —Whole or half. Carefully selected, well smoked, closely trimmed. Solid Tomatoes, Carnation, No. 2 1/2 cans, 3 cans 25c. Dill Pickles, German style cure, gallon jugs 49c. Royal Banquet Butter, fresh from our churn, roll 68c. Victor Coffee, roast, ground or steel-cut, 2 lbs. 55c, lb. 28c. Kipped Salmon, freshly cured, lb. at 17 1/2c and 15c. Boiled Ham, surplus fat removed, sliced, lb. 35c. Victor Bacon, streaked with lean, 1/2 strips, lb. 26 1/2c. Ripe Olives, California, lunch-size can, 3 for 25c. Queen Olives, cherry bottles filled with fancy fruit, 35c. Peanut Butter, pint Economy jars, 25c. Shelled Peanuts, imported fancy quality, 3 lbs. 25c. —Ninth Floor, Fifth Street.

The New "Handy" Fruit Jar Holder, Only 10c. Or 50c the Half Dozen. —These holders fulfill two purposes. Clapped on the cans before being immersed in the water, they allow the water to circulate freely on all sides of the can while cooking and protect the bottom of the jar from resting on the hot surface of boiler or kettle. —The handle remains in an upright position above the water, allowing the can to be lifted out without burning the fingers. They're a safe and desirable device for fruit canning time and no housewife should be without them, especially at the low price of 10c—or half dozen for 50c. —Basement, Fifth Street.

Glass Butter Jars 34c. New shipment of 600 just received. Clean, sanitary containers, sizes for 2-lb. rolls. Come early tomorrow for these glass butter jars at 34c. —Basement Fifth Street.