

WOMAN LEGISLATOR FROM COLORADO TO SPEAK FOR WILSON

Helen Ring Robinson to Deliver Address Tonight at 8 o'clock at Baker Theatre.

BIG MEETING IS EXPECTED

Fair Senator Warmly Praised as Speaker by Great Eastern Dailies; Dr. Lovejoy to Preside.

Tonight's Meetings.
Rose City Park school—R. F. Irvine and Marshall N. Dana.
Vernon school—John Smith and Joseph Stearns Jr.
Kenton school—Milton A. Miller and Marshall N. Dana.

Friday Night.
Washington high school—Judge A. S. Bennett, Colonel Emmett Callahan, John A. Jeffrey.
Kerns school—Judge A. S. Bennett, Colonel Robert A. Miller, John A. Jeffrey.
Thomas Hall, Multnomah station—William Hanley, Thomas C. Burke, Marshall N. Dana, Judge W. N. Gaten.
Shattuck school—T. H. Boyd, Marshall N. Dana and others.
New Felling school—Hughes alliance, Ben Selling and others.
Baker theatre—Helen Ring Robinson and Mrs. Alexander Thompson.

A woman speaker of national prominence, Helen Ring Robinson, state senator of Colorado, will deliver an address at 8 o'clock tonight at the Baker theatre, Broadway, between Morrison and Alder, in support of the candidacy of Woodrow Wilson.

At the same meeting a prominent Oregon woman speaker, Mrs. Alexander Thompson, of The Dalles, will also speak for Wilson.

This will be one of the last political meetings to be held in Portland this campaign which will be addressed by an outside speaker of national note.

United States Senator Thomas P. Gore, of Oklahoma, the blind senator, will deliver two Wilson addresses in Oregon, but he is not scheduled to speak in Portland. He will speak at Astoria next Monday night, and at Salem Tuesday night.

Big Meeting Expected.
The meeting tonight is expected to be a big one, as Mrs. Robinson is a speaker of exceptional ability, and has delivered addresses in all parts of the country before big audiences. She has made a notable record as a legislator, and is a strong supporter of the feminist and equal suffrage movements.

High praise has been accorded her by the press. When she spoke in Brooklyn, the Brooklyn Eagle said:

"What was probably the most eloquent plea for woman suffrage ever made in Brooklyn was delivered last night at the Academy of Music by Helen Ring Robinson. The tall, capable woman from Colorado electrified her audience. When she took her seat she received an ovation. Mrs. Robinson made no attempt at oratory, and she spoke without gestures, but by turns she was coldly logical, brilliantly witty and extremely eloquent. When she had finished, she answered questions put

to her from various parts of the hall with a readiness, skill and clever turn to her answers which surprised the audience and dazed the questioners."

Will Arrive This Afternoon.
The New Haven Journal-Courier said of her: "Helen Ring Robinson, the woman senator from Colorado, proved the most entertaining and wit-tiest woman speaker who ever appeared in this city."

Mrs. Robinson delivered an address at Bellingham, Wash., last night. She will arrive this afternoon on the Shastah Limited from the north, and will be met at the station by Dr. Esther Pohl-Lovejoy and others.

At the meeting tonight Dr. Lovejoy will preside, and will introduce the women speakers.

CANDIDATE HAS BEEN ACTIVE

In Mrs. Ina Coleman, 1284 East Sixth street north, the Socialists have a candidate for state representative from Multnomah county who has taken a very active part in school and parent activities in Portland.

She is one of the oldest members of the Oregon Congress of Mothers and of the Parent-Teacher organizations. For three years she was president of the Woodlawn Parent-Teacher circle.

For a year she served as a member of the juvenile court case committee, and was a member of the anti-cigarette committee which waged a campaign to curb the sale of cigarettes to boys.

In the "back to the home" exhibit, which was held at the Central library, she had charge of the woodwork and transportation department.

She is one of three women candidates on the Socialist ticket for the legislature.

Candidates Are Questioned.

At a "time" conference held in Corvallis Oct. 7, provision was made for forming a committee to draft a bill giving the state the right to acquire by purchase, lease or condemnation such limestone deposits as may be needed to supply the farmers with agricultural lime at cost, and to establish and equip a plant to be operated by convict labor.

This bill will be presented to the next legislature, and Sam H. Moore of Corvallis is sending notices to farmers urging them to query candidates for the legislature on how they will stand in regard to this bill. He wants legislators to commit themselves for or against the issue.

Wilson Rally Friday.

"The Policy of the Administration in Mexico" will be the subject of an address that will be delivered by T. H. Boyd at a Wilson rally, which will be held at the Shattuck school, Park and Hall streets, Friday night at 8 o'clock. Mr. Boyd, who is a son of Rev. John H. Boyd, has lived in Mexico and is familiar with conditions and the subject on which he will speak. Other talks will be made by Isaac Swett, nominee for state senator; Marshall N. Dana, independent candidate for county clerk, and others.

Judge Bennett to Speak.

A Woodrow Wilson rally will be held at 8 o'clock tomorrow night at Kerns school, East Twenty-eighth and Couch streets, with Judge A. S. Bennett of The Dalles and Colonel Robert A. Miller and John A. Jeffrey as the speakers. Miss Bernarda Harry will sing.

Selling Will Speak.

Ben Selling will be the principal speaker at a meeting of the South Portland Hughes alliance, to be held at the new Felling school.

G. A. R. Man Will Preside.

A mass meeting is to be held at Washington high school Friday night. Addresses in support of Woodrow Wilson will be delivered by Judge A. S. Bennett, prominent lawyer of The Dalles, and Colonel Emmett Callahan, chairman of the Multnomah county Progressive committee, and John A.

PORTLAND'S GREATEST HORSE SHOW TO OPEN TOMORROW EVENING

Display of Thoroughbreds to Be Finest That Ever Has Been Seen on Coast.

VISITING NURSES BENEFIT

Sale of Seats, Which Are at Popular Prices, Being Conducted by Members of the Organization.

Tomorrow night and Saturday night bring to Portland the greatest Horse Show ever staged on the Pacific coast.

It will be greatest in the number of high class horses that are to participate.

It will be greatest because of the number of events that are to be run off.

And it will be greatest because it will be the first big show ever given for the popular prices of 50 cents and \$1 per seat.

At each performance the great jumping horse "Credential" is booked to make an attempt at the world's record of 7 feet 10 inches, as recorded in the sporting records. But in the opinion of the owner of the horse, W. S. Holland, of Vancouver, B. C., the animal will have to go up to the height of 8 feet 3 inches to beat the highest jump ever made.

A carload of Canadian horses arrived in Portland this morning, the property of the British Columbia matrons and misses.

It was demonstrated last night that Portland people entertain a fine opinion of the Horse Show and are eager to see the animals in action. Fully 150 persons went out to the Ice Palace to visit the horses.

The show will begin tomorrow night at 8 o'clock at the Ice Palace and it is expected that the full seating capacity of the great building will be occupied.

McClroy's band is to furnish a musical concert during each performance. The Horse Show is given for the benefit of the Visiting Nurse association. Members of the organization are selling boxes at Hotel Portland, while the sale of reserved seats is on at the Sherman, Clay & Co. Music House, Sixth and Morrison streets.

Jeffrey, Colonel H. S. Fargo, past commander of the Grand Army of the Republic, department of Oregon, will preside and introduce the speakers.

Picking a Candidate.

"There is just one question that should be decided in electing a county clerk," said Marshall N. Dana, at a meeting attended by 300 citizens in Woodstock last night. "The question is, 'which of the candidates will best administer the affairs of the office and what kind of a man is he? What is his record? Who are his associates? Does he make appeals to prejudice, showing that he himself is prejudiced? Does he identify himself with a clique or a ring, thereby making it impossible to serve impartially all the people of the county? If he cannot meet these questions he should be rejected.'"

Will Explain Measures.

Two meetings will be held tonight at which members of the departments of sociology and politics of Reed college will speak on each of the initiative measures, giving the main arguments for and against each, and answering questions. At the Capitol Hill school, Capitol and Spring streets, Miss Clara Elliot, Miss Esther Kelley and Drott Larsen will speak. At the Woodman hall, Arieta station on the Mount Scott line, Loyd Haberly, Sam Weinstein and Elbert Charman will speak.

West Principal Speaker.

Ex-Governor Oswald West will be the principal speaker at a meeting of the Women's Democratic club to be held in library hall, Central library, Monday night. District Attorney Walter H. Evans will also speak on "What Prohibition Has Done for Oregon." Miss Bernarda Harry will sing "The Ship Called U. S. A., or Wilson's War Cry of Peace."

Will Hold Wilson Meeting.

A Wilson league meeting will be held at 680 Lombard street, University Park, tomorrow night. The speakers will be J. E. Hunt, a Republican, and Dr. Esther Pohl-Lovejoy, one of the best women speakers in Oregon. The public is invited.

Wilson Supporters to Meet.

The Wilson supporters of the Alberta and Vernon districts will meet in the Vernon school tonight to organize for the remaining 10 days of the campaign. All committeemen east of Union avenue and north of Fremont street and supporters of President Wilson in general are requested to be present.

Will Speak Saturday.

Mrs. Sara Bard Field, Mrs. William Kent and Mrs. Ida Flaney Mackrille, three Women's party workers, will speak at a meeting to be held Saturday night at the Baker theatre. All three are widely known as equal suffrage workers. They are campaigning for Hughes.

Lafferty Speaks Tonight.

A. W. Lafferty will speak tonight from an automobile at Third and Burnside at 7:30 and at Fifth and Alder at 8 o'clock.

Will Investigate Lake Disaster.

Washington, Oct. 26.—(I. N. S.)—An investigation into the recent disasters during storms on the great lakes was ordered today by Secretary of Commerce, Redfield. The aim of the inquiry will be to determine if the draft wrecked had all the necessary lifesaving apparatus and were entirely seaworthy.

TONIGHT

LOUIS KAUFMAN
PHENOMENAL TEN-YEAR-OLD
VIOLINIST, IN RECITAL.

Heilig Theatre
830 P. M.

Prices \$1.00, 75c, 50c, 25c, 10c.
Box Seats \$1.50.

BAKER'S ESTIMATES ARE NOT AXE PROOF AS TRIMMING SHOWS

Commissioner Had Believed Himself Immune From Attack by Members.

\$12,000 IS SUBTRACTED

Work Is Not Yet Finished—Number of Band Concerts to Be Increased to 36 in Coming Season.

George L. Baker, commissioner of public affairs, told the city council that he cut his budget estimates to the lowest possible minimum before he submitted them. Members of city council took a peek at his estimates this morning, however, and cut out a total of approximately \$12,000 in a few gentle swats.

Their work is yet unfinished. Even with the cuts made, the music lovers can rejoice, for the council decided to increase the number of band concerts during 1917 to 36. Thirty were given during the past season. Commissioner Baker had originally asked for \$8000, as compared to \$5000 allowed for 1916. The council allowed \$6000.

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Park Bureau Cut.

The total cut in the salary roll of the park bureau was \$4600. Even with this cut, Commissioner Baker was allowed more for salaries in the park bureau for the ensuing year than was allowed for the present year. The \$4600 cut brings the salary roll for 1917 down to \$109,120. The appropriation for the present year was \$108,321.

The proposed grading of additional drives in Mount Tabor park will have to be postponed until next year as the council eliminated a \$2000 item for this work. Other items of the \$12,000 eliminated were for supplies, materials, equipment, etc., in the park bureau, the legal bureau, weights and measures bureau and the city hall bureau.

The council did not molest personal service items in any of Commissioner Baker's bureaus except the park bureau.

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Music Question Discussed.
During the discussion of the item for music, Commissioner Dieck suggested that it would be a better plan for the city to assist in giving symphony concerts at popular prices than to appropriate money for open air band concerts. Others thought differently and provision was made only for the band concerts.

Finishing its preliminary work on Commissioner Dieck's estimates yesterday afternoon the council eliminated approximately \$18,000, making a total of approximately \$42,000 cut from the estimates of the department of public works.

Commissioners Daly and Bigelow were responsible for the economy cuts in Commissioner Dieck's estimates. Commissioner Baker kept still and followed in their footsteps.

Of the \$18,000 cut in the afternoon, \$4000 was for continuance of the curb round work; \$1500 for repairs to retaining walls; \$500 for a machine for engineers to be employed on the O.W. R. & N. regrade project. The other cuts were for supplies and materials in the different bureaus under Commissioner Dieck.

Following the work on his estimates, the council took up Commissioner Bigelow's estimates and cut out approximately \$2000. Attempting to mimic Commissioner Bigelow's actions, Commissioner Dieck came forward with a lot of suggestions when the council considered Bigelow's estimates. His actions and suggestions brought laughter.

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