

MAZAMAS FIGHT MOSQUITOES ON MT. BAKER HIKE

Camp Sammons, Mount Baker, Wash., Aug. 6.—Members of the Mazamas who are encamped here in the shadow of Mount Baker on their annual two weeks' outing, have been waging a tremendous offensive since the first of the week against the mosquitoes.

NET GUARDS USED

The mosquitoes are greatly annoying the campers. The late snows have left the camp grounds and the tall rank grass is conducive to their propagation. Mosquito netting has only been partially effective.

EXPLOSION MADE

Reconnoitering parties went out last Wednesday, one headed by Edwin F. Peterson, consisting of Harry L. Wolber, Frank A. Redman and George Hartness, all of Portland, going to Shuksan, the other headed by President E. C. Sammons, and with John A. Lee of Portland and John R. Penland of Albany, going to Mount Baker.

RECONNOITERING PARTIES

The official ascent of Mount Baker will probably be made next Tuesday and of Shuksan a little later in the second week. A number of other Mazamas who are now motoring from Portland are expected to join the camp by that time.

'Dad' Buker of Waldport Is Dead

Waldport, Aug. 8.—W. A. Buker, better known as "Dad" Buker, died today at the age of 83 years. He was a native of Ohio, and when a young man gained a reputation as a freight and express driver. Up to within a week of his death he was active and cheerful. Three children survive him, two of whom, Frank and Ernest, live here. There are six grandchildren and 10 great-grandchildren, all residing at Waldport.



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Amateur Operators Gathering Up Radios Sent Long Distance

Amateur radio operators around Portland are picking up telephone conversations between San Pedro and Avalon on Catalina island.

With the government wireless telephone set, C. M. Allen, telephone engineer for the forest service, while at Summit Ranger station, recently heard a man in Los Angeles make an appointment with a man at Avalon.

MAYOR WILL ACT TO END MILK WAR

Following a conference with A. M. Work, general manager of the Portland Damascus Milk company and spokesman for the Portland milk dealers, Monday morning, Mayor Baker announced that he will at once take steps towards the appointment of a commission in an attempt to settle the controversy over the high price of milk.

All sides to the controversy, at the request of the mayor, made in the meeting at the Chamber of Commerce last Tuesday, have now agreed to throw open their records of a milk commission and to cooperate with such a body in an effort to settle their differences.

The machinery towards appointment of a commission will be started this week, but the mayor foresees a difficult task in securing the proper personnel.

Those reaching the camp last Monday with the main crowd were Bernice F. Gardner, LeRoy Ayer, Leroy J. Jamieson, K. Parker, Harold S. Babb, Miss Alice Hutchinson, R. H. Bunnae, Selma F. Floss, Mrs. E. E. O'Brien, and Mrs. John A. Lee, Professor Edgar E. Courson, Dr. David T. Kerr, Nell E. James, Katherine Schneider, Mr. and Mrs. Kurt H. Koehler, Mrs. Fred Smith, Jennie Hunter, Mr. and Mrs. Weston J. Chase, Ethel Loucka, Pasha Ivanakoff, Richard W. Montague, Clinta Nunan, Edwin F. Peterson, Harry L. Wolber, Mary Gene Smith, Elise Delbruck, Mrs. George B. Maxwell, Frank M. Redman, Professor B. A. Thaxter, Cecil A. Pendleton, Mrs. J. P. Moran, Jeremiah English Bronaugh, Esther Penwell, Rudolph Rimbach, E. Boehme, Marguerite Colpitts, W. A. Gilmore, Doris M. Olsen, Edwin A. Brown, George Hartness, F. Glesecke, all of Portland; and Anna M. Turley, Lucy M. Lewis of Corvallis; Jessie Day of Eugene; Sydney Somerville of Pendleton; A. H. Marshall and Francis D'Arcy of Vancouver, Wash.; Annette Westling of Seattle; D. I. Cook of San Francisco; Fred L. Smith of Bellingham; Professor F. G. Frankling of Salem; John R. Penland of Albany and E. E. Howard of Kansas City.

Great Opportunities For South American Trade Overlooked

Trade opportunities exist in South America today which may be gone after a few years; but the United States has not known what they are doing in the southern continent to capture a portion of the trade, declared George M. Hyland, former Portlander now representing the United States Chamber of Commerce, at the members' forum luncheon of the Chamber of Commerce Monday noon.

Hyland said that on the shelves of stores in South America goods may be found from every country in the world. The United States, however, has little representation in Oregon, practically none at all. He declared that the 21 republics in that country are hungry for products of skilled manufacture.

Roosevelt to Speak In Portland and at Salem on August 21

Franklin D. Roosevelt, Democratic vice presidential nominee, will speak in Salem at noon, August 21, and in Portland that evening, an announcement from Oregon Democratic headquarters Monday morning advised. Original plans contemplated an address in Portland at noon and at Salem in the evening, but revised arrangements in Oregon Portland the evening engagement. Plans for an address at Oregon City in the afternoon are also announced.

Man Who Flashed Deputy Sheriff's Star Must Explain

Phillip Kowitz, 17, saved 75 cents when he flashed a deputy sheriff's star at the door of a dance hall and was admitted free. However, he will be required to explain to the United States grand jury why he didn't pay his way and will be asked to defend charges made by the United States district attorney that he told a doorman he was a federal revenue officer looking for bootleggers.

Harold Bell Wright Weds Winifred Duncan

San Diego, Aug. 2.—(U. P.)—Harold Bell Wright, author, and Winifred Mary Potter Duncan of Los Angeles were married here Thursday. It became known Tuesday that the author had married Winifred Wright, his residence in Tucson, Ariz., and his age as 46. His bride is 35. Both have recently been divorced. It was said.

EARWIG PLAGUE EXTENDS LINES; REMEDY IS GIVEN

The plague of earwigs, which has been devastating flower and vegetable gardens in Walnut Park, has spread to Irvington and Overlook additions, according to information received Monday by Sanitary Inspector J. W. Jones, in charge of the city's drive against the insect.

Information received by The Journal last night indicates that the earwigs are now in Alberta, traces having been found in various localities. So far the pests have not been found in any considerable numbers elsewhere than in Walnut park.

CANADIAN GUEST RECALLS PIONEER DAYS OF OREGON

Early days in the Oregon country with their hazards and trying experiences were recalled by the visit in Portland of Judge C. O. Ermantinger of St. Thomas, Ontario, Canada, who has been the guest of his brother-in-law, MacDonald Potts, for a few days.

Judge Ermantinger, who has been a zealous student of Oregon history and has also been a valued contributor to the Oregon Historical society, is a son of Edward B. Ermantinger, and a nephew of Frank Ermantinger, who were in the employ of the Hudson Bay company as early as 1818.

Edward B. Ermantinger, father of the Portland visitor, twice made the trip across the continent during the 10 years of his association with the early trading post which was then located at old Fort Vancouver. The trip at that time took three months, and he kept an accurate journal of his daily experiences, which has since been published as a document of great historical interest by the Royal Society of Canada. Judge Ermantinger has preserved the original manuscript among a number of other records of the experiences of his father and his uncle, who were intimately associated with Dr. John McLoughlin, with whom Frank Ermantinger went to the present site of Oregon City, where they built the first mill. In 1828 Edward B. Ermantinger went to St. Thomas, Ont., where he subsequently settled, married and made his home the remainder of his life. On his departure he was succeeded at Fort Vancouver by James Douglas, who afterward became Sir James Douglas, governor of Vancouver Island, British Columbia.

Elks Will Cavort In Bathing Suits; Divers to Contest

Portland lodge of Elks will give a dance and swim frolic at Windemuth Tuesday evening. Dancing will begin at 9 p. m., but those who go early for a swim and dinner will see many thrilling sights.

According to the committee in charge, Deputy City Attorney Ted Wheeler and Bill Reveau are to be competitors in fancy high-diving. Ed Kropp will illustrate methods of saving drowning persons, while Frank Coffinberry and Monroe Goldstein have secured a set of celluloid pool balls and intend to demonstrate that their favorite game can be played on water.

Boats will leave every few minutes from the foot of Morrison street and from Windemuth landing on the east side.

Psychology Can't Pay Bills Hoodwinked Man Learns It

Psychology has come forward to help solve the high cost of living. Allen Serdel, who runs an egg ranch at Powell valley road and Buckley avenue, declares he was the victim of this mental science application Sunday and he complained bitterly to Sheriff Hurlburt regarding the mysterious C. H. Miller.

According to Serdel's story, Miller drove by the ranch and asked to buy a case of eggs for "his restaurant at Twenty-third and Washington streets." The door had been concluded as to the formality of payment.

Miller searched his pockets and discovered, to his apparent consternation, that he had insufficient cash with him.

Boy Scout Is Hero In Rescue of Man From Willamette

Robert Sroat, son of L. H. Sroat, 1944 East Thirteenth street, saved an unidentified man from drowning in the Willamette river near Windemuth Sunday afternoon. Robert is 13 years old and a Boy Scout. He was swimming when a man and a woman called for help and pointed to the spot where another bather had disappeared. Sroat swam to the place and hauled the man to the surface.

The man was unconscious and was taken to the barge at Windemuth by Sroat and others. Thirty minutes' work resulted in complete recovery and the man went his way without telling his name.

State Commissions Consider Northwest Freight on Lumber

Seattle, Aug. 9.—(U. P. N. S.)—Freight rates on lumber and logs are under discussion here today before the public service commissions of Oregon, Washington and Idaho. The railroads have asked an advance in rates corresponding to those granted by the interstate commerce commission. Tomorrow the commissioners will confer on grain and flour rates in the northwestern states.

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