

TEACHERS ASKED TO POLISH UP ON PORT KNOWLEDGE

The teaching profession of Portland has been requested by the Portland Chamber of Commerce to acquaint itself with the city's ideals and aspirations, especially as regards the development of deep water transportation and the harbor.

Thus far, the teachers haven't decided whether they will take up the subject. It all happened because one fair moulder of young Portland minds remarked to a man who happened to be a member of the board of governors of the chamber recently:

"Why all this fuss about the Port of Portland? Why not send things to Seattle, where I'm ready to go to harbor, and let Seattle ship them out?"

MEMBER AMAZED
A member of the board of governors was paralyzed with amazement. He brought up the matter at the next meeting, with a result that Assistant Secretary F. Johnston was instructed to write to the heads of the three teachers' organizations, suggesting that they take steps to educate the teachers on matters of Portland development.

Principal H. M. Sherwood, president of the principals' association, declines having received the letter. Mrs. Jennie Richardson, president of the Grade Teachers' association, expressed surprise that any Portland teacher should display such ignorance, and said she would present the matter at the next meeting of the association in about two weeks.

MISS LARABEE INDIGNANT
Miss Leona Larabee, who teaches Latin at Lincoln high school and who is president of the High School Teachers' association, was highly indignant. "I do not know that I shall take the pains to present it before the association or not," she declared. "If the Chamber of Commerce wants us to know what the Port of Portland is, why doesn't it supply us with that information or tell us where we can get it? Port of Portland—I don't know what it is! They intimidated me about acquiring full and immediate knowledge and instruct every child in Portland. If the school board wants the children to know there is such a thing as a 'port of Portland' it should include it in the course of study."

"The chamber wanted us to become informed with the ultimate object of spreading information for the knowledge of the children. We have no right to teach new courses of instruction without orders from the school board. I don't know that I shall mention the matter to the association. There is nothing it can do. We're not running around looking for information on the Port of Portland."

Portland Police on Alert to Thwart Bombing Attempt

Unusual vigil is being kept throughout the business district by the police as result of information received by Chief of Police Jenkins that Portland will be one of the next on the list of cities to be "bombed."

Chief Jenkins received warning from William R. Jewell, chief of Seattle branch of the United States secret service, who enclosed a copy of a letter which was received there, threatening several coast cities. The letter may be a "fraud" or the hoax of a crank, but nevertheless, Chief Jenkins believes it worth while to watch all radical workers.

Sinnott Visits Klamath
Klamath Falls, Oct. 1.—Congressman N. J. Sinnott arrived here Thursday evening to speak in the interests of the Republican candidate for United States senator. He will remain several days.

Red Tape Delays Serving Warrant on Aberdeen Woman

A bench warrant for the arrest of Margaret Lavigne, alias Margaret La Verne, with \$500 bail attached, was issued Thursday by Federal Judge Wolverton at the request of Assistant United States Attorney Reames. Mrs. Lavigne resides in Aberdeen and is wanted on October 3 in the grand jury room.

A queer chain of procedure will follow before service of the warrant can be made. United States Marshal Alexander will be given a copy of the order and court warrant and ordered to serve it. Alexander will return the warrant to the clerk's office, stating that service cannot be made because Aberdeen is outside of his district. The court will then forward the original papers and the marshal's return to the federal judge at Tacoma, who will in turn order the marshal of that district to arrest the woman.

Legion Will Erect National Memorial Home in Centralia

Centralia, Wash., Oct. 1.—Centralia is to have a national memorial, erected by the American Legion posts of the United States in the form of a fine building honoring the memory of Warren Grimm, Dale Hubbard, Ben Casagrande and Arthur McElfresh, four members of Grant Hodge post, victims of the Armistice day massacre in Centralia. A telegram from John E. Murray, requesting this district at the national convention at Cleveland, Ohio, states that the convention unanimously adopted the resolution that funds be solicited from the different states for the purpose.

Opening Assembly Proves Largest in History of U. of O.

University of Oregon, Eugene, Oct. 1.—The first assembly of the year at the university was held in Villard hall Thursday morning, with President Campbell as the main speaker. Oregon spirit was the feature of the meeting. It was the largest student gathering in the history of the institution. All freshmen are alive and well after a strenuous afternoon, during which the annual "dash" green cap parade was held and the Oregon "O" was painted by the knights of the green cap in true "rook" style.

New York Woman Offers Hospital to Forest Grove People

Forest Grove, Or., Oct. 1.—A \$25,000 hospital is promised Forest Grove by Mrs. Frasier of Brooklyn, N. Y., if the city will donate a site. Local physicians have endorsed the plan.

Miss Angeleno Duyck and Martin J. Bernards were married Wednesday. Mrs. Bernards is the daughter of Mrs. Luck Duyck of this city and Bernards, a graduate of Pacific university, conducts a large farm near Verbort.

Two Tons of Prunes Burned With Drier

Roseburg, Oct. 1.—A grape drier at Brockway, belonging to G. W. Young of this city, was destroyed by fire on Wednesday night, with about two tons of prunes. Dried prunes stored in the building were nearly all removed. The fire started from sparks. The drier would have finished the season's run in two days. The place was being operated by Bubbar Bros., with Fred Schmidt manager of the orchard and farm. The loss will be \$2,000.

MAYOR HURLS HOT REPLY AT WITNESS IN THEATRE SUIT

Witnesses for the defense were being heard before Circuit Judge Tucker in the action of the Jensen & Von Herberg theatres against the motion picture operators' union and other union organizations. An injunction is sought to restrain the unions or their members from interfering with the business of these theatres, accusing the crowds assembled in front of these places, talking or pretending to take flashlight pictures or from scattering on the streets, by airplane or any other means, handbills declaring the theatres "unfair."

The hearing was begun Wednesday and probably will continue through Saturday.

ATTORNEY GRILLS MAYOR
Mayor Baker, on the witness stand this morning, was grilled by Attorney W. S. U'Ren regarding the scattering of handbills in the streets. The intent of the questioning was to show that only union labor organizations or persons or bodies that are unopposed are interfered with when they perform such acts, while business men and the sympathy concert enterprise use the streets for their own purposes.

Various spirited passages developed between the mayor and his interrogator. Baker said when the troubles at the theatres occurred requests were made that he provide police protection. He said he was informed at a conference in the city attorney's office that the acts complained of were nuisances, or bodies that are unopposed for their suppression.

"It is absolutely false," said the mayor, "that the mayor or the police department have permitted any person to throw anything on the streets with their permission at any time. I have constantly instructed the police department to try to get the persons responsible for scattering any handbills on the streets."

HOLDS UNION MEMBERSHIP
The mayor wasn't certain whether or not he was a defendant in the action before the court. He said he might be an honorary member of some of the unions involved, but didn't know. He admitted membership in the bricklayers' union, but was assured that "this doesn't count," and he said at one time he had been a member of the stage hands' union.

He said because of the explosions in New York and attempted outrages in Brooklyn the state of the public mind is such that he considered it his duty to suppress any troubles in the streets or in front of theatres, and he took the "danger" point of view rather than that of taking sides in union troubles.

Photographer C. S. Woodruff, who took the pictures in front of the theatre, said he did it without any contract with the unions, believing the pictures would sell, and he denied having said he was paid \$50 a night, in advance, for doing this work. He and his partner, Harold Jones, had been ordered to bring into Brooklyn the state of the public mind is such that he considered it his duty to suppress any troubles in the streets or in front of theatres, and he took the "danger" point of view rather than that of taking sides in union troubles.

DOUBLE TRACK DAMAGES LAND, PLAINTIFF AVERS

A rather novel phase in litigation developed Friday morning, when Beulah F. Meacham filed suit against the Oregon Electric Railway company for alleged damages to her property, caused, she claims, by the company maintaining a double-track road above the street adjacent to her property in Fulton Park. She seeks judgment of \$1500 for alleged depreciation in the value of her property. The plaintiff says she was assessed for the improvement of the street on

which two lots front; that later the double-track railway line was constructed above street level and has since been so maintained, making access to her property inconvenient.

COURT CLEARS CONFUSION REGARDING KALLAS' NAME
Nick Kallas and Nick Kambouris were one and the same person. So declared Presiding Judge Taswell of the Multnomah county circuit court Thursday in a formal order. Kallas, who was well known in the Greek colony of Portland, was found dead August 25 and the coroner took from the body a bank book showing deposits of \$403.11 in the name of Nick Kambouris. Peter Kambouris, a brother of the deceased, was appointed administrator of the estate. The bank refused to pay the money to the estate until a court order was issued declaring Kallas and Kambouris to be the same person.

LACK OF MUSTACHE SAVES SUSPECT FROM COURT TRIAL

The difference between prosecution in the federal court and freedom for John Trefonoff, V. Sasoff and Pete Christoff laid only in a mustache. July 26 the trio were arrested by federal officers charged with violation of the prohibition law. Christoff was arrested Thursday and Christoff deprived himself of his mustache. Because of this fact federal officials could not identify the man behind the counter, with a mustache, who was selling hard cider. This dilemma also prevented them from picking out the proprietor. United States Commissioner Drake therefore threw the case out of court and allowed the defendants to go unprosecuted.

ASK DISMISSAL OF SUIT AGAINST LUMBER COMPANY
A stipulation was filed in the federal court Thursday by attorneys for the Chicago Logging company, requesting Judge Wolverton to dismiss the suit without prejudice which was recently brought against the Sam Connell lumber company. Many suits were attached for alleged non-payment of a log bill. The matter has been settled outside the courts. Connell said the day the suit was filed the shortage of freight cars prevented him from moving his finished product, and therefore prevented him from making payments on the log bill. The lumber company brought relief when the emergency arose, so Connell now has his mill back.

MR. AND MRS. C. S. JACKSON ADOPT CHILD OF LATE SON

Charles Samuel Jackson, 4-year-old son of the late Frank C. Jackson, became the legal son of his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Jackson, Thursday, when an order to this effect was issued by Judge Jacob Kanizer of the court of domestic relations. The boy's mother, Mrs. Lillian E. Jackson, gave her written consent to the adoption. The boy's father lost his life when the steamer Chanslor sank off the Oregon coast, December 18, 1913.

Zelpha Needham Seeks Divorce
Zelpha Needham filed a suit for divorce against Robert F. Needham Tuesday, making charges that for several years he has been cruel to her and has tried to use her for the purpose of extorting money from men. She says this began in April 1915, when he urged her to associate herself with a wealthy man.

Assault Damages Asked
James H. Ashrow asks \$1520 as compensation for taking a beating at Salem, August 18. He filed suit Thursday against L. M. Jones, charging that Jones beat and slapped him, tore his shirt and broke his eyeglasses in the presence of many persons, caused him great humiliation and mental suffering and that he was forced to keep to his bed two days.

Cottel's Widow Devisee
The will of Charles W. Cottel, who died September 13, at the age of 79 years, was filed for probate Thursday. Mrs. Lavina Gouthouse Cottel, the widow of 627 East Thirty-ninth street, is named as the executrix, and all the property is devised to her. The estate is worth approximately \$27,000, according to the petition for probate.

Divorce Mill
Divorce suits filed: Marian Saban against Maria Saban, cruelty; Bernetta Silkmitter against Richard Q. Silkmitter, desertion; Marion Hanister against Charles E. Banister, cruelty; Catherine I. Wood against Thomas A. Wood, desertion; Zelpha Needham against Robert F. Needham, cruelty; Freda Marie Galbraith against Clive H. Galbraith, cruelty; Marie Jones against Ben Jones, cruelty.

Large New Hotel In The Dalles Will Be Opened Monday
The Dalles, Or., Oct. 1.—Another large hotel is to be opened here Monday morning, in time to accommodate the crowds expected to attend the Wasco county fair. The hotel is located in the building recently purchased by the newly organized Citizens National bank and is owned by Pat Foley, also lessee of the Hotel Dalles. John A. Hart, for six years steward of the Imperial hotel in Portland, is taking charge of the Hotel Dalles as assistant manager. He is expected here Sunday.

Shriners to Visit Fair
Al Kader temple, Shriners, and their families will visit Salem in a special train Saturday, attending the state fair in a body with band, chanters and patrol. Frank S. Grant is commanding visitor. Hospitality and a welcome will be extended by Salem Shriners. The train will leave the Union station at 10:15 a. m.

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MOVING DAY IN NEW YORK BRINGS MUCH CONFUSION

New York, Oct. 1.—(I. N. S.)—This was New York's first "moving day" since the new rent laws were passed, and it promised the greatest happy-home-and-freddie tangle in the history of the city.

Despite the new law, which was designed to save families from eviction, great confusion arose from the fact that eviction proceedings had been commenced in the courts against thousands of tenants before the rent law was passed. There was a division of opinion as to whether the tenants thus embroiled in litigation could be put out. Policemen were put on duty protecting moving vans. There was a record scramble by the heads of households to secure vans at the last minute.

CHICAGO TENANTS TO USE "SQUATTER SOVEREIGNTY"

Chicago, Oct. 1.—(U. P.)—"Squatter sovereignty" was to be given a test by Chicago flat dwellers today. Many tenants, whose rents were raised and who were unable to find any place to move, were prepared to attempt to retain possession of their homes and offer the landlords a "reasonable rental."

They did not believe they could be evicted.

Active leagues were prepared to fight any eviction actions. Movers reported only one fourth of the usual number of customers. They said more people would like to move, but could find no place to go.

Dr. Lovejoy Busy Filling Speaking Dates in the City

Dr. Esther Pohl Lovejoy is receiving calls from all sections of the city to address meetings and is accepting all that she can possibly fill. Day and night meetings are being arranged for her up to the date of the election. Tomorrow afternoon at 1:30 o'clock she will speak at a union meeting of dry forces to be held in the Lents Baptist church. Sunday night at 7:30 o'clock she will address a community meeting in the Laurelwood Methodist Episcopal church. All of these meetings are open to the general public.

Speed Cop, With His Own Machine, Hired

The Dalles, Or., Oct. 1.—City officials here have hired another speed cop. But, mindful of the recent painful experience when the last man holding the position fled from the city and took the town's only piece of motor equipment with him, outside of the fire truck, they demanded that the new man have his own machine. Astride of his own steed, Harry Wood, a recent arrival from California, began his duties Friday.

Pre-War Level in Building Cost Far Away, Says Upham

N. J. Upham of Duluth, Minn., president of the International Realty association, was the chief speaker at the weekly luncheon of the Realty board at the Portland hotel at noon today. Regarding declining prices, Upham declared building costs will not approach pre-war levels at least than 15 years and no material decline will be noticed in the next five years.

"Prices on Portland realty," Upham said, "are far lower than in other cities of like class and are bound to advance nearly 100 per cent."

A. R. Ritter, third vice president, presided in the absence of Fred W. German, who has not yet returned from his trip to Denver. Frank McCallis reported on his trip through Montana and Idaho for the Interstate Realty association. Fred H. Strong, national committeeman, reported on the recent meeting of the national executive committee. W. H. Rosa presented the board with the achievement trophy he won at the Interstate association convention at Spokane in July. E. J. Daly acted as chairman of the meeting and introduced Upham.

Mrs. E. H. Wetzel, Lebanon Woman, Passes Suddenly

Lebanon, Or., Oct. 1.—Mrs. Emma Hubba Wetzel died suddenly Friday morning at 6:30 o'clock from hemorrhage of the brain. She was apparently

in the best of health and was ill but half an hour. She leaves three daughters, Mrs. Minnie Schenk, Mrs. Helen Doolittle and Mrs. Mary Milne, all wives of business men of Lebanon, and one son, John Wetzel, bank cashier at Vale, Or.

Mrs. Wetzel was born at Carthage, Ill., in 1864, but has lived in Oregon many years. Besides her children she leaves her mother, Mrs. Etta Hubba, a niece of the Civil war, and two brothers, Luther Hubbs of Eugene and Arthur Hubbs of Medford.

Kuehn Gets Commission
Washington, Oct. 1.—(WASHINGTON BUREAU OF THE JOURNAL)—Ernest Kuehn, stationed at Fort Stevens, has been appointed a first lieutenant in the army quartermaster corps.

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