

FAIR ATTENDANCE PASSES 140,000; SURPLUS IS MADE

State Exhibition Ends Highly Successful Despite Weather Conditions During the Week.

Salem, Or., Oct. 2.—More than 140,000 people passed through the gates at the fifty-ninth annual Oregon State fair which closed tonight, according to estimates by Secretary A. H. Lea. This, however, is some 16,000 less than the attendance of last year when 155,000 admissions were recorded during the week.

For the first time in the five years of the present administration of the institution "Lea's luck" failed to hold good and the "fair weather for fair week" which has been the portion of the preceding four exhibitions here did not materialize.

START IS PROMISING

Opening in a promise of rainy weather which later turned to brilliant sunshine Monday noon, the first day's attendance indicated a record breaking year in admissions as well as in exhibits and entertainment features. Wednesday's setting was ideal and the attendance on that day, which was in excess of 48,000, was approximately 7000 greater than on any previous day in the history of the fair, admissions slightly in excess of 41,000 having been recorded on Wednesday and Thursday of last year.

Even up until Thursday night this year's attendance was well on its way to a new high record but the slump in the admissions of the last two days, due to continued rains, so materially cut into the attendance figure as to prevent the realization of this goal.

TO SHOW SURPLUS

Even at that, Secretary Lea stated tonight, the fair this year will show a surplus, in spite of the fact that the expenses this year have been materially greater than those of previous years, due in part to the greater number of classes which have been represented in the list and stock exhibits as well as to the more liberal prizes offered all around.

Receipts at the gates up until Friday night totaled \$71,620, as against a total of \$75,325 collected for admissions to the ground, grandstand and the stadium during the entire week last year. Today's receipts, with only a handful in attendance, are not expected to bring this year's total up to that of last year by \$2800.

Receipts from other sources, however, especially from some of the concessions, have been greater than heretofore, it is pointed out, and the grand total receipts this year is expected to approximate that of the 1919 fair.

600 SHRINERS ATTEND

Prominent among today's visitors to the fair were some 600 Shriners, members of Al Kader temple of Portland, who accompanied by their ladies, came by automobile and special train to make merry the last day on which Imperial

NEWSPAPER BOOTH IS INTERESTING



Fred Lockley of The Journal seated in The Journal's booth at the recent Washington State fair at Yakima. The exhibit, which created a great deal of attention, contained a detailed description in picture of the workings of The Journal's newspaper plant, embracing all the departments, editorial, counting room, circulation, advertising, composing room, photographic and art departments, photo-engraving room, stereotyping room, pressroom and mailing. Mr. Lockley took the exhibit to Salem, where it was on display during the past week.

Potentate Lea presides as secretary and manager of the Oregon fair.

What the wearers of the fies lacked in numbers they made up in determination and their enthusiasm, finding vent in yells and songs at the race course, encouraged the horses and drivers floundering through the mud and rain to greater efforts in an endeavor to provide entertainment for the distinguished guests.

Following the racing program, Shriners and their ladies enjoyed a dance in the automobile pavilion. The Shriners brought the week's program of festivities to a close with an exhibition of drills by the Shrine patrol in the new stadium at night. Early in the evening the work of dismantling the fair was well under way. Most of the show horses had been loaded into cars for shipment to other exhibitions early in the afternoon and much of the livestock had been started on its homeward way or to new fields that await conquering.

Three Seek Mayoralty

Walla Walla, Wash., Oct. 2.—Two candidates besides D. F. Powell, incumbent, are seeking the office of mayor, former City Clerk Fred Willis and C. F. Morrow, a former deputy county auditor and veteran overseas Y. M. C. A. man.

Fair Revives Olden Days Journal Booth Is Magnet

By Fred Lockley

Mrs. Dorothy H. Seymour lives at Forest Grove. She gathered, prepared and displayed the Washington county exhibit at the State fair. "I don't need to tell you how fertile and beautiful is the valley of the Tualatin," said Mrs. Seymour.

"It was one of the first districts in Oregon to be settled and I doubt if there is a county which has more diversified products or in which intensified farming is more successfully carried on. We are particularly proud of our grain exhibit. Prunes, berries, potatoes, hops and dairies are all money-makers. We have one of the largest and best nurseries in the Northwest at Orenco. The

beaverdam land at Beaverton has long been famous for its onions, rhubarb, celery and asparagus. Our milk condensaries have made us an extensive hog raising and milk producing section."

"I moved to Polk county in 1853 and I have attended every state fair since 1861," said Seth Riggs. "I doubt if there is anyone else now alive who has attended all 59 fairs held in Salem."

N. F. Nelson of Oak Grove was at the state fair, looking after his political fences. "Harding will be elected if Cox isn't this time," he said, "but I am figuring on being the successful candidate four years from now, and I am looking for good men, so keep your eyes open for men who will carry out my policies. Yes, I ran for president once before, and all I lacked was votes to put me in the White House."

Paul Carpenter, county agricultural agent of Polk county, is an enthusiastic booster for his county. "We didn't need to have an exhibit, for our orchards, gardens and fields speak for themselves and tell the story of the fertility of old Polk. Go round and look at the boys' and girls' industrial exhibit from our county and see for yourself what we can do."

J. T. Beckwith and J. T. Hunt are neighbors at the state fair grounds. Mr. Hunt has been coming to the state fair ever since 1873 and Mr. Beckwith since 1872.

More than a thousand visitors registered at The Journal booth at the state fair, but not more than one out of 10 who visited the booth registered. Among those who called were Governor and Mrs. T. T. Gear, Supreme Judge George H. Burnett and Mrs. Burnett, Dr. and Mrs. Lee Steiner, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph H. Albert, Mrs. W. P. Lord, whose husband was governor of Oregon during the Spanish-American war; Mr. and Mrs. Milton A. Meyers, Cyrus A. Walker, who was born in the Oregon country 82 years ago and is the oldest living white child born in Oregon; "Farmer" Smith; Harwood Hall, superintendent of the Salem industrial school at Chemawa, and Mrs. Hall; D. M. Lowe of Ashland, who has taken more first prizes during the past 10 years than any other man in Oregon; Paul Marks of the O. A. C. at Corvallis; Dr. C. J. Smith, state chairman of Democratic central committee; George F. Johnson of Portland, well known piano man; R. C. Paulsen, who has done so much to put commercial fruit growing on a paying basis; George H. Downing, former superintendent of the penitentiary; O. M. Plummer, who knows every cow in Oregon by its first name; Alvin L. Bucklin, editor of The Dalles Chronicle; Captain Blackman of Wasco

county; Colonel Hughes of Forest Grove; Lloyd Cooper, born in Salem, but now of Pasadena, who won several military decorations for his work as an aviator with the French air fleet; A. H. Martin, secretary of Oregon State fair board; O. L. Black of Corvallis; Mrs. C. W. Hayhurst of Portland, president of the Parent-Teacher association of the state, who is an enthusiast on the work of Americanization and child welfare; Mrs. Mattie Beatty, a member of the State Federation of Women's club; Mossie Hair, secretary of the extension department of the U. of O.; Mrs. William Hamilton, president of the Salem Women's club; Miss Cornelia Marvin, who has done as much to introduce the youth of Oregon to the world's best literature.

Sam H. McElmurry moved to Independence in 1863. He attended his first state fair at Salem 49 years ago, and has camped here every year since except two years—land this is the best fair we have ever had," he says.

Law College Opens With 18 Instructors And Big Enrollment

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East Burnside street between Union and Grand avenues.

The company also announces that it will continue the re-routing of all Rose City and Beaverton cars from 4 to 8:30 o'clock on week days. During the rush hours these cars will be routed on First street northbound from Washington to Burnside streets.

Alaska Society Meeting

The Alaska society will open its winter season by an entertainment in the assembly room of the Portland hotel at 8 o'clock Monday evening, October 11. Meetings will be held on the second Monday of each month following.

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