

WHITNEY CHORUS OF BOYS DEPARTS FOR CALIFORNIA

With shout and hilarity the Whitney Boys' Chorus, composed of 125 sons of Portland residents, started this morning on a singing tour of California.

A rather dramatic scene occurred at the First Christian church at Park and Columbia streets when the boys assembled with bag and baggage to receive the parting salutation of their friends in the auditorium to cheer them on. Outside of the church stood five big auto buses while inside the church Dr. E. A. Whitney and members of the clergy were pleading with the congregation to make up the budget necessary before the boys could start.

Dr. Whitney told his hearers that a deposit of \$3000 had to be made before the trip could be undertaken. At a meeting in the Auditorium, Thursday night half of this amount was raised.

Dr. Whitney made an earnest appeal for funds in behalf of the tour. In less than 15 minutes the money was subscribed.

The plan of the Whitney Boys' chorus is to visit all the principal towns in California, down to and including the Mexican border.

The ultimate plan of the Whitney Boys' chorus is to participate in the 1925 exposition \$20,000 strong.

The chorus is now composed of nearly 1000 boys. An equal number will be organized and trained in each state west of the Rocky mountains. The uniform consists of a white blouse, red necktie and regulation knickerbockers, a clear voice, a bold front, an abundance of faith, absolute harmony and a discipline similar to that of the American army.

WHITNEY BOYS' CHORUS STARTS TOUR



Chiropractics Open Annual Convention; 125 Are Registered

With 125 members registered and 200 expected during the day, the fourteenth annual convention of the Oregon Chiropractic association was opened this morning at the Seward hotel.

The morning session was taken up with registration, election of new members and the report for the year given by Dr. J. E. La Vally. One of the features of the program was the community singing, led by Professor P. O. Riley. Mrs. Riley played the piano accompaniment.

An open discussion of the science of chiropractic treatment was scheduled for the afternoon. John Grakke addressed the association on the 1925 exposition, and what it meant to Portland.

The real work of the convention begins with the program for Saturday. Papers will be read by the members and clinic held. One of the leading papers is that of Dr. O. W. Elliot, president of the Pacific Chiropractic college, on "Chiropractic, Educational and Cooperative."

Union Leaders Are Convicted on Charge Of 'Calling Strike'

Columbus, Kan., July 1.—(L. N. S.)—Alexander Howat and August Dorohy, district president and vice president, respectively, of the United Mine Workers, were found guilty this afternoon of a violation of the Kansas industrial act.

The conviction carries a possible fine of \$1000 and imprisonment for a year. The jury returned at 2:25 o'clock, after having been out since 7 o'clock last night. Howat and Dorohy were tried for calling a strike in the Mackle mines in violation of the felony clause in the act.

Lads from 125 Portland homes who started in big motor buses this morning for singing trip through California. Dr. Whitney, director and guardian of the party, as it started for long pilgrimage.

First Offender Is Given Stiff Term By Judge in Salem

Salem, Or., July 1.—Pleading guilty to a charge of having liquor in his possession, Peter Sutar, a homesteader living seven miles west of Scotts Mills in this county, was assessed a fine of \$500 and sentenced to serve six months in the county jail by Judge Bushey Thursday night. A Sutherland, arraigned at the same time on a similar trial, was bound over under \$500 bail for trial Wednesday.

Sutar, who was arrested Thursday, is said to have possessed one of the most extensive moonshine plants in this section of the state. The layout found in Sutar's cabin, a small two room affair, and in a cave adjoining is said to have included 250 gallons of mash, a wash boiler still and other paraphernalia. When arrested Sutar is said to have had a .25 calibre revolver in one pocket and two rifles, both loaded, in the house. He is reported to have boasted that no officer would ever take him out alive or search his place.

When Sutar objected to the penalty imposed by Judge Bushey as being too strenuous, especially for a first offense, the judge replied that the crime deserved the limit permitted under the law.

New Paper Enters Field at Medford

Medford, Or., July 1.—Medford's new newspaper, the Daily Clarion, published by the Clarion Publishing company, composed of Medford men, with William E. Phipps, an attorney, as publisher and editor, made its initial appearance as a weekly with 5000 copies delivered to all parts of Jackson county. Judge Phipps said that within a week, with the completion of the Clarion organization, the publication will appear as an afternoon daily, with the International News Service telegraphic report and features, and as an independent in politics. Phipps and some of the other men behind the venture are strong Democrats.

Through Highway to Seaside Is Promised

Seaside, July 1.—The Lower Columbia river highway will be open without detours for the entire distance from Portland to Seaside from 2 o'clock Saturday afternoon to Tuesday morning. Hotels in Seaside are making preparations to accommodate record crowds. The city of Seaside has been cleaning up all construction work in an effort to have the city looking its best when the crowds arrive.

Engineering Board Members Are Named

Salem, Or., July 1.—The reappointment of R. R. Bartlett of Astoria, Fred D. Weber of Portland and Fred M. Hesse of Portland as members of the state board of engineering was announced this morning by Governor Olcott. All three appointments extend to July, 1927. The governor also announced that he is reappointing C. L. Starr of Portland as a member of the board of regents of the Oregon Normal school for a five year term, effective today.

Counterfeiting Is Alleged
Yakima, Wash., July 1.—A former locomotive fireman, Howard F. Parker of Spokane, is awaiting investigation by federal authorities on a charge of counterfeiting. He is said to have been identified as the man who passed two \$10 bills, raised to \$50.

DEFENSE REQUESTS THAT STATE DROP HY EILERS CHARGE

The motion for dismissal of the indictment against Hy J. Eilers was taken under advisement this morning by Circuit Judge Stapleton, after Tom Mannix, of counsel for defense, had concluded his argument, and court was adjourned until Tuesday.

Mannix maintained that the state had failed to submit enough evidence to justify the court in putting Eilers' fate on an embesmezzement charge in the hands of a jury.

Mannix's statements were largely to the effect that the indictment of Eilers was a "frameup." He declared there was no evidence to show that Eilers used the \$1000 involved in the case for his own benefit.

The state, in reply, simply reviewed the testimony taken thus far, tending to show that Eilers took funds of the Eilers Talking Machine company, placed it in a "special account" in the Ladd & Tilton bank under the name of W. L. Cornell, secretary of the company, and then withdrew it. This money was used by Eilers personally, the state maintains.

CHINESE WOMAN AWARDED VERDICT IN SUM OF \$1250

Although a jury in Circuit Judge McCourt's court recently found Moe Semler not guilty of stealing Rosie Moe's diamond ring, a jury in a civil suit in Circuit Judge Stapleton's court returned a verdict of \$1250 Thursday in favor of the Chinese woman.

Mrs. Moe, wife of a shopkeeper, testi-

fied that she gave the ring to Semler, a Jeweler, to repair, and that he never gave it back. The jury, besides returning the verdict, stated that fraud was involved, and that an attachment on the body of the defendant could be secured if he refused to pay the money. Tom Garland, attorney for the defendant, declared his client lacks the money to satisfy the verdict.

Percy Horn Acquitted

Percy Horn did not steal a motorcycle from Ray Servant of Milwaukee, according to the decision of a jury in Circuit Judge McCourt's court Thursday.

Certain of Cheese Factories Will Be Made Creameries

Confirmation of the report that the Oregon Dairymen's league was about to turn some of its cheese factories into creameries was given today by M. S. Schrock of the league.

Milk received at the Gaston and Amity plants will be separated and then shipped to the big new plant at Portland for churning. The Portland butter plant is showing considerable growth.

"We are changing our methods at these plants," Schrock said, "because there is more money in butter than in cheese at this time and our aim is to get as much for our product as possible."

"Some of the Coos Bay plants will also be turned into creameries soon."

The Banks cheese factory, which was recently completed but now being operated, is said by Mr. Schrock to have been constructed mostly as insurance against a lack of demand for cream.

John Walker Is Dead

Eugene, Or., July 1.—John Walker, 29, employee of the state fish hatchery on the McKenzie river near here, was found dead Thursday in a field on his farm near Leaburg. Death came from natural causes, it is thought.

Woman Fined \$5
Mrs R. L. Denham of Corvallis was fined \$5 when she pleaded guilty before Judge Bean in the United States district

court today on a charge of violating the postal laws. The district attorney's office asked the court to be lenient with the woman because she has a 2-year-old child to support.

Outfit the Youngsters for the Glorious 4th at



The Juvenile

For City
Nifty Summer Suits for the boys at \$1.00 to \$2.50; Palm Beach and Wash Clothes at \$2.50 to \$7.50. Hats and Furnishings for Girls' Wash Dresses and Headwear in a great clearance sale.

For Country
Khaki Knickers, lace knee Pants, straight Pants, \$1.25 to \$2.75; flannel and chamois Suits and Shirts, \$1.65 to \$2.50. Lee Unionalls, \$1.25 to \$2.55.

For the Beach
Bathing Suits in a great variety of colorings and stripes; Suits for both girls and boys—in cotton at \$1.50 to \$2.50, wool at \$2 to \$4.75. Sizes range from 24 to 36 chest.

Oxfords—Hiking Shoes—Tennis Shoes
Member Greater Portland Association
The Juvenile Outfitters & Children
148 Sixth St. Near Alder

Teachers Will Get Their December Pay Without Any Delay

School teachers of Portland are not going to have to wait until January before they are paid their December salaries, as a result of the decision of the board of directors at its last meeting. From the reports of the meeting of the board it was indicated that this would be the case, but it now develops that the board intends to close its budget year, on the books, the latter part of December, so that while the teachers will be paid on time, as usual, the December salaries will be entered on the January account, to the tune of approximately \$242,000.

As a result of the defeat of the 3-mill levy the board is having a strenuous time in facing the building demands of the district.

It is faced with the apparent necessity of using the portables now at Rose City and building a permanent building for the Arleta section, or completing the permanent addition planned for Rose City, dismantling the portables there and building others at Arleta.

The board is inclined to the belief that it would be wasting money to tear down portables at Rose City and build others at Arleta when the latter investment could be made at the latter place by the continued use of the present buildings at the former. The Rose City people, however, are demanding that their permanent work be completed, so that the board is standing between the call of their business judgment on the one hand and the demands of their Rose City constituents on the other. The matter was discussed at the board meeting but will be finally determined at the next.

Crater Lake Season Opens Despite Snow

Medford, Or., July 1.—The Crater lake season officially opened today, with everything in readiness at the resort for the entertainment of visitors. Automobiles can go to within two miles of the Crater Lake lodge. Visitors must either walk over the snow the remaining distance or travel to the lake rim on packhorses. The stages began daily trips to the lake this forenoon from both Medford and Klamath Falls with a number of tourist passengers. It was the latest opening of the season for years.

Boys Taken in Act Of Stripping Auto; May Be Stolen Car

Two young boys were caught in the act of stripping the accessories from an alleged stolen automobile early this morning by Inspectors Powell and Schum, who had been called out when another machine was stolen. The boys are Joe Buklwi, 17, 801 Nicol street, and Joe Beseda, 14, 514 North Twenty-second street. Both were turned over to the juvenile court.

The boys are alleged to have stolen an automobile from George Hoban, Twenty-fifth and Northrup streets. The automobile was run into a sand pile and the front wheel wrecked at Twenty-eighth and Raleigh streets. This car was abandoned, the police say, and another stolen from W. V. Glascock, 1008 Raleigh street. The boys are alleged to have run the machine down the hill about three blocks where they stopped and began to strip it. When the police came upon them they ran and hid in the grass. While searching the grass for them, Special Officer Ray King stepped on the younger boy and thus revealed their hiding place.

Woman's Hair Is Pulled Out When Caught in Roller

Mrs. Angelina Ross, wife of A. H. Ross, 86 West Park street, is confined to her bed today as the result of nervous shock from an accident Wednesday afternoon when her hair was pulled from her head by a roller on a printing press at the Sweeney, Varney & Straub Printing plant.

Mrs. Ross was working near the press when her hair was caught in the roller and before she could be released the hair was pulled out by its roots. A strip from the front of the head to the base of the skull was denuded. According to hair was pulled out by its roots. A strip little injury was done save the nervous shock.

Company Accepts Modified Gas Rate

Salem, Or., July 1.—Acceptance of the modification in its gas rate tariffs, as contained in the order of the public service commission, was filed with the commission this morning by the Pacific Power & Light company of Astoria. The company agreed that it will make reparations to patrons should the commission hold any justified after a formal investigation. The rate schedule is effective today.

Ben Selling Is Celebrating With the Boys Saturday Only

Regular \$12.50 and \$13.50
Boys' Belted Suits
With Two Pair "Knickers"
\$9.85

Every boy that hasn't one, wants a new suit for the "Fourth!" Here's opportunity for fathers and mothers to choose from regular, standard lines of suits at a very special holiday price! There are many fabrics, colors and patterns. Remember, for Saturday only, the last business day before Independence Day

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HALF PRICE



Out today New Victor Records July 1921

Number	Size	Price
64960	10	\$1.25
74685	12	1.75
74644	12	1.75
64966	10	1.25
74688	12	1.75
74689	12	1.75
64961	10	1.25
89160	12	2.00
64962	10	1.25
64963	10	1.25
64965	10	1.25
74690	12	1.75
64964	10	1.25
45247	10	1.00
55138	12	1.50
18754	10	.85
18755	10	.85
18759	10	.85
18760	10	.85
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18763	10	.85
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