

UNITED BRETHREN SESSION REPORTS SHOW GOOD WORK

Philomath, Or., Sept. 16.—The sixtieth annual session of the Oregon conference of the United Brethren in Christ convened in the historic college chapel at Philomath, Thursday, with Bishop William H. Washington, A. M., D. D., of Portland presiding.

Rev. E. O. Shepherd of Portland was elected statistical and recording secretary of the conference and the following visiting delegates were introduced: Dr. O. F. Daeber of Dayton, Ohio; Mr. and Mrs. Warren H. Hayes of Tokio, Japan, and Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Ward of Canton, China.

In an impressive observance of the Lord's Supper Rev. W. N. Blodgett of Vancouver read the scripture, Dr. G. L. Bender of Seattle offered prayer and Dr. D. J. Ferguson and G. E. MacDonald assisted.

Dr. G. E. MacDonald of Portland, conference superintendent, reported the minimum salary of \$1500 and parsonage has been successfully maintained, a decided advance in membership and a generous advance in finances along all lines. This is one of the best reports of the conference history.

Nearly 4000 more was paid to pastors this year than last and recommendations were made to the conference for materially advanced steps along all lines for the future.

The college building has been redecorated and repainted inside and out.

Dr. D. J. Ferguson and President L. L. Epley are entertaining the delegates and visitors.

Portland Woman Is Elected U. S. Chief Of Vets' Auxiliary

Minneapolis, Sept. 14.—(U. P.)—Oscar E. Carlstrom of Oledo, Ill., was elected

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SENATOR LENROOT DECLARES BONUS BILL WILL PASS

Oregon Unemployed Total Estimated at 9340 by U. S. Bureau

Washington, Sept. 16.—(WASHINGTON BUREAU OF THE JOURNAL)—Senator Lenroot, Wisconsin, predicts the soldier bonus bill will be passed by congress at the regular session opening in December. He addressed the veterans of the Thirty-second division at Detroit the other day and made this prediction without qualification. He also expressed a strong belief that the disarmament conference will bring results.

"Thank God, the United States desires no territory which it does not now have," he said. "It is evident of some of her sister nations and desires to live in peace and harmony with all. Nevertheless, the world must not forget that if she is ever attacked and her independence is menaced the sons of America are ready again to do what you did."

"We abhor militarism in time of peace, we are opposed to huge standing armies and navies, but we propose to defend ourselves at all times. The movement for limitation of armaments is endorsed by every true American, and the American people must insist that out of the coming conference there shall result an agreement for the limitation of naval armaments at least."

"I confidently believe America can bring this about. Great Britain must join with the United States in not only conferring but in getting practical results. If she should not, we should say to her, 'If you have money enough to increase your navy, you have money with which to pay the \$5,000,000,000 which you owe us.'"

Portland officials were frankly amazed at the department of labor's comparative figures between Portland and Seattle. While there are some unemployed in Portland, conditions are known to be much worse in Seattle, where the industrial depression came much sooner and hit much harder than it did in Portland. Visible signs of business stagnation have been many in the Sound city, it is said.

Indictments Against McCoy Dropped in Bank Blast Hearing

Two indictments against Archie McCoy, one charging him with blowing up the Troutdale bank on April 30, 1921, and the other with carrying concealed weapons, were dismissed by Presiding Circuit Judge Morrow, Thursday. McCoy has five years of an unexpired penitentiary term hanging over his head, however, and his parole has been revoked.

McCoy was arrested the morning after the attempted bank robbery by Deputy Sheriff Squires of Gresham. The young paroled convict was in a dazed condition, wet and sick, and the front of his clothes was covered with a brown soap such as is used by yeggmen in soaping vaults before they are blown up. He was carrying a number of suspicious looking tools and dynamite wrappers were found in the barn where he lived.

McCoy was defended by Tom Garland, who succeeded in securing a discharged jury. The state claimed McCoy was injured by the explosion at the bank and that his partners forsook him.

Deputy District Attorney Pierce appeared before Judge Morrow today with Garland and asked that the indictments be dismissed.

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Australian Business Men Seek Facts on Effect of Dry Law

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