

55 AUTOS COUNTED IN CAMPGROUND OF CITY; LIST GROWING

At the city automobile park on Mississippi avenue, west of Peninsula Park, guests continue to register to avail themselves of the hospitality extended by the city of Portland. Tuesday morning when Pat Kearney resumed his duties as custodian, after a vacation of several weeks, he tabulated 55 automobiles on the grounds, not counting trailers. They continue to come from all parts of the country, with all sorts of objectives in view. Nineteen parties entered Sunday and 11 Monday.

WILL BUY HOME

One of the largest parties on the grounds is the Yager family troupe of nine members. They have heretofore made their center and home for the winter at Spokane, but are now looking for a permanent location in Portland. They have two trucks and one large touring car. The party consists of J. C. Yager, three ladies, one little girl and five men. "We have been all over the coast and the Rocky mountain divisions," declared J. C. Yager, "and we have decided on a winter home in Portland. We are about to purchase a large dwelling house and will enjoy getting off the road, I assure you."

ALBERTA PEOPLE HERE

J. P. Fort and wife started from Twin Falls last spring and sojourned in Alberta. They are en route to California, but expect to return to Portland in the spring. "The people of Alberta are very progressive," said Mr. Fort. "They have a wonderful country up there, but oh the winters!"

Dempsey Denies He Stole Bee Palmer's Love From Husband

(By Universal Service)
New York, Nov. 1.—Denial that he stole the love of "Bee Palmer," an exponent of the shimmy dance, is made today by Jack Dempsey, the pugilist, in his answer to the \$100,000 alienation suit brought by the dancer's husband. While the latter, Alfred Seigel, is suing Dempsey for alienation, "Bee Palmer," who is Mrs. Seigel, has filed a divorce libel against Seigel, charging cruelty.

Senator Watson Will Tell How Soldiers Hanged

Washington, Nov. 2.—(U. P.)—Senator Tom Watson, Georgia, declared today that he would "prove before the senate and the world" his sensational charges that American soldiers were hanged without trial in France. Watson said that he would reserve the right "as a senator" to present proof of his charges against the military authorities in open senate and not before the special committee of five senators appointed to investigate the accusations.

LIVESTOCK SHOW'S EXHIBITS POUR IN; TO OPEN SATURDAY

With the horse section 50 per cent full, the big dairy section more than one-third occupied and livestock champions in carloads lots arriving hourly at the big stock show pavilion in North Portland, the eleventh annual Pacific International Livestock exposition will open its doors Saturday morning.

This afternoon a special livestock train of 26 cars will complete a 40-hour schedule from San Francisco, bringing blue ribbon cattle, horses and swine from the California International Livestock show just closed. A trainload of blue ribbon hogs which arrived last night from the Western Royal Livestock show at Spokane has been unloaded and is in its assigned pens, and two more trainloads of cattle, sheep and horses are en route from Spokane.

President Refuses To Abolish Federal Labor Department

(By Raymond Clapper)
Washington, Nov. 2.—(U. P.)—President Harding has upset in part plans for a reorganization of the government drafted at his request by Walter L. Brown, chairman of the joint executive committee, it was learned today.

Smoot's New Sales Tax Proposal Gets Senatorial Support

(By Universal Service)
Washington, Nov. 2.—(U. P.)—The tax proposal designed to win over the support of some senators who did not look upon the original plan with favor has been offered by Senator Smoot of Utah.

ORGANIZATION IS TERMED ESSENTIAL IN TEACHERS' WORK

Pleading for more thorough organization, both locally and nationally, among the teaching force, Hugh Magill, field secretary for the National Education association, told Portland teachers at Lincoln high school Tuesday afternoon that although organization is educational betterment possible.

Hotchkiss Halts Prisoners' Plans To Get Into Open

To reduce the danger of federal prisoners escaping from officers of the law and also the volume of work in the marshal's office, United States Marshal Clarence R. Hotchkiss has secured a dentist and an optician to work at cost on federal prisoners in the county jail.

Utah Takes Lead in School Attendance

Washington, Nov. 2.—(U. P.)—Utah has the distinction of leading all other states in school attendance, with 73 per cent of its between "5 and 20" population in school, the bureau of census announced today. Louisiana is at the end of the list with 23 per cent.

Wives of Chamber Members and 250 Patronesses Asked

Invitations have been issued to the wives of all the members of the chamber of Commerce and to a list of 250 patronesses by H. B. Van Duser, president of the organization, for the opening day of the Christmas show November 9 to 11. Tea will be served from 3 to 5 p. m.

British Publisher Says Parley May Last Six Months

(By Clarence Dubose)
Yokohama, Nov. 2.—(U. P.)—Lord Northcliffe, British publisher, arriving here on his tour of Australia and the Orient, today expressed optimism as to the possible results of the Washington conference on limitation of armaments.

Says Rainfall Has Been Above Average

For those who think Portland has had less rain this fall than any year since the one following Noah's famous cruise, the weather bureau today announced the rainfall record for September and October to be 16 of an inch in excess of the average. But the long dry summer cut this average to a deficiency for the year. Since January 1 there has been 1.47 inches of rain less than the average.

Jury Investigates Chicago Policemen

Chicago, Nov. 2.—(I. N. S.)—A grand jury investigation of the Chicago police department was started today under the personal direction of State's Attorney Robert F. Crowe. This was the beginning of the inquiry invited by Chief of Police Pittsner in the complicated fight between the police head and the state's attorney.

MRS. NEAT ASKS DIVORCE

HOT LAKE ARRIVALS

NEW PREACHER AT KESLO

Keslo, Wash., Nov. 2.—The Rev. D. F. Henry has been pastor. Rev. Mr. Pierce and the Rev. G. S. Hunt, superintendent of the North Pacific district of the church, addressed the congregation Sunday.

WIFE ALLEGES NON-SUPPORT

Montesano, Wash., Nov. 2.—Mrs. Bee-sie Marsh filed suit for divorce from Elwin Marsh, charging non-support.



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