

ANOTHER MOVE MADE TO REMOVE LONE FIR BODIES

Transfer to Mt. Scott Cemetery
Is Suggested by East Side
Business Men to Mayor Baker

The latest move in the efforts of the East Side Business Men's club, backed by hundreds of central east side citizens, to secure the removal of bodies from the Lone Fir cemetery, now surrounded by a densely settled residential district, is an appeal to Mayor Baker. He is asked to appoint a disinterested appraisal committee to set a valuation on the Lone Fir property as one step in the plan for transfer of the bodies to the Mount Scott Park cemetery.

The plan proposed is to have a tract of 13 acres set aside in the Mount Scott Park cemetery for burial of bodies now in Lone Fir; that this removal, together with the monuments, be done by the Mount Scott Park Cemetery association, with the privilege of lot-owners in Lone Fir personally selecting locations for graves in the new tract; and that in exchange for the Lone Fir property be transferred to the Mount Scott company after the removals are completed.

After submitting to Mayor Baker the correspondence which has passed between the East Side Business Men's club and the representatives of each of the cemeteries, as well as a general outline of the plan proposed, the communication to the mayor says: "We think that before the matter can go much further in working out a proper solution and basis of negotiation, and in order that Messrs. Strowbridge and Worden may make a definite proposal to the city council, through us or otherwise, we believe that a disinterested appraisal of the Lone Fir cemetery property or land, after removal, for residence or other purpose, should be made to give it a public interest, such appraisal committee should be selected by you, as mayor of the city, from the realty board or otherwise, so that it will be disinterested and fair.

"Such appraisal committee should consist of not more than three members, and to get it going the East Side Business Men's club will pay a reasonable sum for such proposed appraisal to such committee for the work.

"We suggest that prompt action be

PORTLAND AMERICANIZATION COUNCIL BUSY



Left to right—Dr. Edward O. Sisson, director of Portland Americanization council; Miss Cathrine A. Bradshaw, field secretary; A. H. Robertson, office secretary, all of whom are busy with plans for increasing the attendance of the non-English speaking people at the free public night schools and for a comprehensive survey of the foreign born population of the city.

taken and let us see if we cannot get somewhere with the Lone Fir matter."

Funeral Services Held Friday for Johanna Randelin

Funeral services for Mrs. Johanna Randelin, who died November 7 at her home, No. 563 Michigan avenue, were held Friday afternoon. The Rev. J. Bowersox conducted the services. Interment was made in the family plot in Riverview cemetery.

Mrs. Randelin came to Portland in 1885 and has made her home here since. In 1889 she was married to J. V. Randelin, who died in 1919. She was mother of the late Edna M. Randelin, Mrs. Alpha Jones of Condon,

Or. and Helen, Frances and Clarence Randelin of this city. She leaves a brother, J. N. Johnson of Spokane, and two grandsons, Robert and Donald Jones of Condon. Death came after a long period of illness.

O. S. MURRAY

O. S. Murray, Civil war veteran, died at the age of 85 years at the Old Soldiers' Home at Retel, Wash. Monday. He came to Oregon from Troy, Ohio, where he was born and had made his home in 1864 and became widely known through the state as the manufacturer of Murray's Magic Oil, Lung and Liver balsam, which he sold throughout the small towns of the state by means of caravan. He was a charter member of George A. Wright post of Portland and made his home in this city up to four years ago when he became ill and went to the soldiers' home for his remaining days. His wife, who survives him, is at present

critically ill in California. He is survived by two daughters and four sons, two of whom are in the U. S. navy. He made his home in Portland with his sister, Mrs. J. A. Stephens and his brother, J. W. Murray, also a Civil war veteran. Funeral services were held at Retel, Thursday and interment was at the soldiers' cemetery in that place.

DEBATE GIVEN BOOST

Willamette University, Salem, Nov. 11.—Varying debating received a boost when the board of trustees of Willamette university voted to assist with an appropriation sufficient to cover expenses of a tour. The board appointed Mrs. Frank Franklin as an assistant to Librarian Frank G. Franklin.

The Sitka mill at Coquille, recently owned by the Iberia bank of Portland, has been taken over by a Marshall field firm, who will soon begin cutting lumber. They expect to employ from 100 to 150 men.

FOREIGN-BORN TO BE HELPED ALONG

Dr. Sisson's Plan Is to Educate
for Citizenship, Rather Than
to Pass Examination.

The survey which the Portland Americanization council is about to undertake under the direction of Dr. E. O. Sisson, with Miss Cathrine A. Bradshaw, field secretary, will deal especially with four classes of the foreign-born population of the city, including candidates for citizenship papers, aliens who are not candidates, naturalized citizens who cannot read or write, and racial groups.

An effort will be made to give candidates for citizenship something more than barely enough education and information to enable them to pass the examinations; aliens who are not candidates will be urged personally and through their employers to become candidates; an effort will be made to get naturalized citizens who cannot read or write English into the free night schools, and special efforts will be put forth to reach with the message of Americanism hundreds who are living in national groups and are not absorbing American ideas or ideals.

The placing of placards printed in a dozen foreign languages, inviting the non-English speaking people to attend the free public night school, will be undertaken this week. Placards

have been secured from the immigration office in Washington, D. C., and additional ones have been printed here, listing the names of the public schools where free night classes are held.

Dr. Sisson has a plan for enlisting the cooperation and assistance of the Chamber of Commerce, the City club, the Rotary, Kiwanis and other civic clubs and the women's organizations, from whom volunteer workers will be asked to act as interpreters, speakers and workers in the survey work. He also has a plan for the coordination of all Americanization efforts, including those made by the American Legion, the United States naturalization bureau and the public schools.

In this program Dr. Sisson is not overlooking the potential contribution to their adopted land which those of foreign birth have to make, and he is formulating plans to draw out and utilize this culture to the mutual advantage of the native and adopted Americans.

The council has opened headquarters in room 335 Chamber of Commerce, Broadway 532.

Taxes Are Voted by 26 Road Districts

Salem, Nov. 11.—Special road taxes aggregating \$14,438 were voted by 26 road districts in Marion county in Tuesday's election, according to returns compiled by County Clerk Boyer. The taxes range from \$185 to as high as \$2800. In 10 districts the levy was approved without a dissenting vote, while in a number of other districts only one or two voters opposed the tax.

OREGON TRAIL IS FAVORED, CLAIM

Walter Meacham of Baker Lec-
tures Over State on His-
toric Highway.

Enthusiastic response has come from every organization and every individual approached on the subject of the Old Oregon trail, according to Walter Meacham, president of the trail association and secretary of the Baker Chamber of Commerce, who arrived Friday on a speaking tour to the major cities of the state.

Friday night Meacham reviewed the plans of the association to name the highway extending from the Middle West into Portland—the Old Oregon Trail—before the state association of commercial organization secretaries. This organization pledged its heartiest support to the project.

The cities of Baker and Union in Eastern Oregon have organized to aid the association, Monday, Meacham will speak at Salem, Tuesday at Astoria, Wednesday at Hood River and Thursday at The Dalles.

The president of the association said that instead of asking the chambers of commerce for funds to support this work, the roster of the organization would be laid up to universal membership with minimum dues of \$1 and ranging upward to any amount the member desires to give.

As an insignia for the organization

the ex team and covered wagon has been adopted. Other plans of the organization are being formed rapidly. Meacham announced that at the coming session of the legislature a bill would be introduced officially designating the East and West highways as the Old Oregon Trail. The legislature of 1923 probably will act upon a similar bill at its next session.

November 20 Last Date for Making New Phone Lists

Some of the concluding details of the \$3,500,000 reconstruction program of the Pacific Telephone & Telegraph company are to be worked out this week in preparation for the final cut-over to the six digit method of operation to be made in about two months, according to announcement made Saturday by C. E. Hickman, division commercial superintendent.

Notices have been issued to subscribers informing them that December 20 will be the final date for arranging changes in listings in the new directory. Classes of employees are being instructed in demonstration work so subscribers may be given personal information on the new plan of operation.

Last week the assignment of Garfield numbers to a group of subscribers in the Irvington and Rose City Park districts was started and preliminary test work is being conducted in this new office and likewise in the new Beacon office on the west side. Definite announcement of the date of the cut-over is expected soon.

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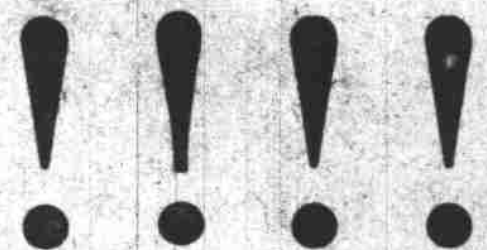
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