

ELKS OFFER BIG PRIZES FOR PARADE

First Night of State Convention Will Be Featured by Sensational Pageant by Antlered Herds

SECOND EVENING IS BOXING BOUT DATE

"Bills" in Charge of Varied Program of Sports and Theatricals Saturday

Several prizes already have been posted, and more are to be announced, for entries in the parade that is to feature the first day of the Elks state convention in Salem. The parade will take place, beginning at 8 o'clock on the evening of Thursday, July 22.

The parade committee announces the following prizes as already posted:

Largest uniformed body in line—Grand prize, elk's head; second prize, altar flag.

Best decorated automobile in line—First, \$100 cash; second, \$50. Prize to be awarded to individual owning car.

Most original comic skit—First, \$50 cash; second, \$25 cash. Lodge registering largest number of women—Loving cup, presented by Hartman Brothers, jewelers.

Dyer is Marshal.

W. C. Dyer will serve as marshal of the parade. Those wishing to enter the parade are expected to communicate with the parade committee, of which Oscar B. Gingrich is chairman.

A definite decision has been reached to hold the boxing matches in the stadium at the state fair grounds on the night of Friday, July 23. The contest will be open to the public, and the Salem boxing commission, which is co-operating with the sports committee of the Elks, declares it

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BAND CONCERTS WILL BEGIN NEXT MONTH

FIRST SCHEDULED FOR MIDDLE OF JUNE, SAYS MANAGER

Eighteen Programs Slated for Summer, Ranging From Jazz to Best of Classics

The first band concert of summer season will be held about the middle of June, according to Oscar Steelhammer, director of the Salem band. Numerous inquiries have been made to the Salem Commercial club as to when these entertainments will start.

There will be 18 concerts this summer, taking place twice each week in the band stand in Willson avenue. The band, which is composed of 31 members, will have considerable new talent this year, and hope to make the concerts better than ever.

Mr. Steelhammer, who has directed the organization for the past three years, will again be in charge. He is planning a series of programs ranging from classical to jazz numbers, and will have several excellent solos worked out by members of the band.

JOHNSON WOULD REPEAL LAWS

Senator Favors Making Country "Just America Again"

GREENSBORO, N. C., May 27.—Senator Johnson of California, making his second speech in North Carolina in the interest of his candidacy for the Republican nomination for president, made a plea here tonight "that we just be Americans again."

Discussing present day problems, the California senator declared that the first thing he would do if he possessed the power, would be to "repeal war-time laws."

"I would eliminate autocracy which we had agreed on during the war," he added. "I would be in this country just American again."

To bring down the high cost of living, Senator Johnson advocated a search from the producer to the consumer "to ascertain where this speculation in the necessity of life is going on and punish him who profits illegitimately on these things."

SALEM-NEWPORT ROAD IN GOOD CONDITION

HOLES FILLED AND GRADER HAS PERFORMED WONDERS

Improvement Crews May Interrupt Traffic Later, But Route Not to be Closed

That the roads from Salem to Newport are in good condition was the report brought by E. A. Rhoten of this city, who returned by auto late Wednesday. He says that the road from Blodgett to Newport was never better than it was on the return trip from Newport.

The chuck holes have been filled in and a grader has gone over practically the entire road. From Kings Valley to Blodgett the roads are rough.

There will be a lot of road work done this season between Newport and Corvallis. Lincoln and Benton counties will grade this road and the state will gravel it, making it an all-year road. The work is already going on in Lincoln county and will no doubt interrupt travel to some extent, but the contractors informed Mr. Rhoten that there is no thought of closing this road entirely as has been rumored. The plan is to straighten this road and to reduce many of the grades. The weather at Newport has been fine.

MANDATE MAY BE VOTED DOWN

Senate Opposes Proposed Action—Declines to Grant Power

WASHINGTON, May 27.—Declination of an American mandate over Armenia was regarded by leaders of both parties in congress as a certain result of the adverse action taken today by the senate foreign relations committee.

In response to President Wilson's request of congress for authority to assume for the United States a mandate over Armenia, the senate committee today by a vote of 11 to 4 reported a resolution declaring that "congress respectfully declines to grant the executive the power asked."

Solid Republican support given the resolution in the committee is expected by leaders to continue in the senate. One Democrat on the committee, Senator Shields of Tennessee, also opposed the mandate. Of the four Democrats who opposed the resolution—Senators Hitchcock, Nebraska; Williams, Mississippi; Smith, Arizona; and Pittman, Nevada—only one, Mr. Williams, was said to favor the mandate. The other three Democrats opposed the resolution on other grounds and were said to oppose the president's request on principle.

The resolution is to be brought before the senate for debate and disposal as soon as legislative matters permit, with little doubt entertained by either parties as to its adoption. The official announcement by Chairman Lodge of the committee's action follows:

The committee on foreign relations having under consideration the message of the president of the United States of May 24, 1920, report the following resolution with the recommendation that it be adopted:

"Resolved by the senate (the hours of representatives concurring) that congress hereby respectfully declines to grant to the executive the power to accept a mandate over Armenia as requested in the message of the president dated May 24, 1920."

Presbyterian Church Withdraws Support

PHILADELPHIA, May 27.—Support of the Presbyterian church in the United States of America was withdrawn from the inter-church world movement but it was decided to continue the New Era movement and cut the annual budget from \$900,000 to \$400,000 at today's session of the general assembly.

In its action on the inter-church world movement the general assembly adopted the new plan of the executive commission providing for contribution of \$100,000 for the ensuing year to the movement, "when properly re-organized" to be used for the payment of its current operating expenses as a going concern for that period and for no other purpose.

Date Set for Hearing of Railway Application

The public service commission today set Tuesday, June 1, as the date for hearing and investigation relative to the new application of the Portland Railway, Light & Power company for an increase in rates. Verification will be asked for certain allegations in the new application pertaining to financial conditions.

U. OF O. INSTRUCTOR LEAVES

EUGENE, Or., May 27.—Dr. E. W. Hope, dean of the law school of the University of Oregon, has resigned and announced today that he will leave some time in June for Colorado to practice law. Dean Hope came to the university in 1913 from Los Angeles.

McADOO TO BE NAMED AT CONVENTION

Convention Will Name Former Secretary of Treasury Announces Kansas City Newspaperman

WOOD CAMPAIGN COST SUPPORTERS \$500,000

Expenses of Three Other Candidates Total \$221,984—Palmer Backers on Stand

WASHINGTON, May 27.—Senate investigation into pre-convention expenditures in behalf of presidential candidates today brought forth information as to plans to put William G. McAdoo's name before the Democratic national convention and an assertion from John T. King, original manager for Major General Leonard Wood, that Dan R. Hanna of Cleveland, early in the general's campaign had promised all "go out and gather in \$500,000." In reply to questions, Mr. King said he did not know whether the money was received.

As to three presidential candidates whose expenditures the committee inspected for the first time, testimony was presented showing that \$113,109 had been contributed for Senator Harding of Ohio; \$68,375 for Governor Coolidge of Massachusetts; \$40,500 for Nicholas M. Butler of New York, all Republicans.

In respect to the candidacy of Mr. McAdoo, Dr. Burris Jenkins, publisher of the Kansas City Post, told the committee that he had come to Washington for a conference last night with Jonett Shouse, assistant secretary of the treasury; Daniel C. Roper, former commissioner of internal revenue; Commissioner Robert Wooley, of the interstate commerce commission, and Frank Wilson, former director of liberty loan publicity. Dr. Jenkins explained that he had been asked to place Mr. McAdoo in nomination at the San funds to be used in behalf of the former secretary of the treasury, he knew nothing, he said.

Resuming its inquiry into the campaign of Attorney General Palmer, the committee finished its day with former Federal Judge J. H. Covington, answering questions designed by the inquirers to show connection of several Palmer supporters, as named in the contribution list previously produced, with the office of the alien property custodian, of which Mr. Palmer was the war-time head.

Judge Covington's legal representation of the Revere Sugar company of Boston, which has a case pending before the department of justice, also was touched upon.

To a question as to whether his activities in behalf of Mr. Palmer were occasioned by his quasi-governmental legal associations, Mr. Covington gave an unqualified negative. Only nine men on the contribution list, he said, "had any connection, direct or indirect" with the administration of alien property.

Mr. King's testimony concerned the early organization of the Wood campaign, its financing under his direction to the extent of \$31,000 and his retirement in favor of Colonel William C. Proctor. He denied reports that the Wood campaign had been underwritten by a group of wealthy men, who attended a dinner given by the late Henry C. Frick for the purpose.

"A question of policy," Mr. King said, caused him to withdraw as General Wood's manager.

NEW FLYING SCHOOL

CALEXIO, Cal., May 26.—Governor Esteban Cantu of the northern district of lower California, plans to establish a military aviation school at Mexicali, just across the Mexican border from Calexico, according to an announcement made here today.

WOOL FOR SALVATION ARMY

NEW YORK, May 27.—Wool sheared several days ago from the White House sheep has been presented by President Wilson to the Salvation army. News of the gift was received by the headquarters of the Salvation army here today in a letter from J. P. Tumulty, president's secretary.

AD MEN WILL GO TO TACOMA

CAMP CURRY, Yosemite, Cal., May 27.—Tacoma, Wash., was chosen for the 1921 meeting place of the Pacific Coast Advertising clubs, whose annual convention closed here tonight with a banquet for the delegates. The nominating committee was directed to report to the various branch clubs.

TREE PLANTING WILL HONOR SOLDIER DEAD

EVENT TAKES PLACE ON COURT HOUSE LAWN NEXT MONDAY

Ceremony to be Under Directions of Capital Post as Part of Memorial Program

Capital post No. 9, American legion, will have a tree-planting in front of the Marion county court house at 9:30 a. m. Monday, May 31.

The tree-planting is in memory of the soldier and sailor dead of Salem and Marion county.

The event will take place at 9:30 so it will not conflict with other arrangements for Memorial day, made by other patriotic organizations, and efforts will be made to have as many people present as possible.

All G. A. R. veterans, Spanish war veterans, War mothers, Daughters of the American Revolution and every patriotic organization in town are expected to turn out to honor those who died in the service.

Members of the committee are Robert McMurray, chairman; Breyman Boise, Ivan Farmer, George Lewis and Mort Pilkington.

BOLSHEVIKI TAKE NORTH RUSSIA

Populace Flees to Forest as Reds Advance on Kareli

COPENHAGEN, May 27.—All of Northern Kareli (Northwest Russia) has been conquered by the bolsheviks according to a Helsinki dispatch to the National Tidende. The Karelian population has fled to the forests.

The Karelian government, the Helsinki dispatches said, has decided to mobilize all men between 19 and 50 years of age and is declared to be confident of its ability to drive back the Bolsheviki.

WARSAW, May 27.—South of the Dvina river the bolsheviks are throwing in reserves. There have been repeated attacks in the direction of the Slobok-Budslaw railroad. The Poles holding the Kiev bridgehead have occupied Kratitowka and Trebuchowo.

PUBLIC TASTES GOVERN PRICES

Cost of Shoes Up Because People Are Fastidious, Says McAdoo

WASHINGTON, May 27.—Fastidious tastes of the public are in part responsible for the present high price shoes, William McAdoo, Jr., of New York, vice president of the Central leather company, declared today before the senate committee investigating shoe prices. He denied that his company was making exorbitant profits, but said its profits in 1919 were \$13,288,481 compared with \$4,876,923 in 1914.

Mr. McAdoo said that "because of a marked decline" in the demands of shoe manufacture for leather his company had reduced production 19 to 22 per cent during the past three weeks but added that no further reductions were anticipated if transportation and financial conditions became more nearly normal.

The witness agreed with Senator McNary, Republican, Oregon, that if leather dealers and others connected with the shoe trade had been content to accept smaller profits shoe prices would be lower now.

More Than Thirty Babies Are Examined at Clinic

Over 30 babies were examined yesterday afternoon at the monthly clinic held by the Marion County Children's bureau, at the Commercial club. The mothers of the county each month are becoming more interested in the clinics and enthusiasm grows continuously.

Dr. B. Franklin Pound and Dr. O. A. Olson were the dentists and Drs. R. E. Pomeroy, C. W. Southworth, G. E. Prime, R. D. Byrd, D. L. Steeves, M. C. Findley and E. E. Fisher were the eye, ear, nose and throat specialists and general physicians who gave their time for the afternoon.

The babies for the most part were a happy bunch of healthy youngsters who enjoyed themselves very much, but now and then some little tot was frightened at the doctors and nurses and protested unabashed with tears and loud cries.

Boy Scouts Endorsed by Rotary Club Members

Following an address before the Rotary club Wednesday by Walter A. Denton, the club went on record as endorsing the Boy Scout movement. Mr. Denton's address to the Rotarians was an appeal for them to get behind the movement. He pointed with emphasis to the fact that if boys can be brought under the right influences at the age of 12 years, delinquency will be much reduced.

SCHULDERMAN OUSTED AND HANDLEY NAMED SUCCESSOR TO POST

Opposition to Administration and Its Policies Reason for Removal of Head of Corporation Department—Campaign Advertisements Carry Sting That Causes Governor to Act—Appointee Experienced in Public Office

Henry J. Schulderman has been ousted from the office of state corporation commissioner by Governor Olcott. The governor has appointed State Senator T. B. Handley of Tillamook in Schulderman's place.

Announcement that he had asked Schulderman to resign was made by Governor Olcott last night, and the change dates from yesterday.

Opposition to the administration on the part of Schulderman, which aggravated the governor particularly during the recent campaign when Schulderman, as a candidate for secretary of state, used matter in his campaign advertising which was interpreted as insinuations against the executive policy, is the cause of Schulderman's removal from office.

NATION'S DEAD TO BE HONORED

Monday, May 31, Is Time Set for Ceremonies by Patriotic Societies

Memorial day exercises will be held in Salem Monday, May 31, and it is expected that all patriotic societies in the city will turn out to honor the soldier dead.

Sedgwick post, G. A. R., and auxiliary societies will assemble at the cemetery where the ritual exercises will be observed and the graves will be decorated with flowers.

At 1:30 p. m. the Woman's Relief corps will draw flowers on the river, with ritual exercises, in honor of the Union soldiers and sailors who sleep in the ocean lake and river of whom 4944 were drowned while in the service.

The parade will be formed at Marion square at 2:15 under the direction of Colonel Carlie Abrams and march to the cemetery where the memorial program will be rendered at 3 o'clock under the direction of the chairman, Governor Ben W. Olcott.

Spanish War veterans, service men of the late war, Company M. Sons of Veterans, Boy Scouts, faculty and students of Willamette university, teachers and students of the public schools are cordially invited to join the Grand Army of the Republic in the festival of flowers and in honoring the names of the men who have followed the flag in defense of the country and civilization at any time in national history.

The memorial address will be delivered by Supreme Judge George H. Burnett.

Union Objects to Laborers Employed

PORTLAND, Or., May 27.—"Unfair" labor has been employed in hauling sand and gravel for the construction of the Central Labor temple of Portland, it was charged today by officers of the local teamsters' union, and a demonstration is likely unless the work is transferred to a firm which is not on the "unfair" list.

The trouble, according to the labor leaders, is the result of the awarding of a sub-contract for hauling to a firm which is said to employ non-union teamsters.

A banner be posted upon the new labor temple, but the opposition to this was very strong. Labor officials said an effort was being made to cancel the sub-contract.

Poles Take Prisoners in Bolsheviki Attack

WARSAW, May 27.—The Bolsheviki in strength forced a passage of the Beresina river south of Borissex, but the Poles by a concentric attack re-crossed the river, cutting off the enemy's retreat and taking hundreds of prisoners," says an official communication issued today.

"The remainder of the enemy took refuge in the forests behind the Polish front," the communication adds.

BODY MAY NOT BE HANSEN

CHEHALIS, Wash., May 27.—Belief was expressed today by Sheriff John Berry of Lewis county, that a body found near Oakville, Wash., last week was not that of Ole Hansen, wanted on a murder charge in connection with the Centralia Armistice day shootings, as was at first supposed. The fact that the body was in an advanced stage of decomposition made identification almost impossible, but from facts obtainable it appeared the dead man was some one other than Hansen, Sheriff Berry said.

OTTAWA, Ont., May 27.—American tourists visiting Canada do not require passports as a condition of entry to Canada, from the United States or as a condition for leaving Canada for the United States, the Canadian department of immigration and colonization announced today.

Barnes Cash Store
Retiring From Business
Offering All Remaining
FIXTURES

At less than present cost of glass alone. Merchants, big and little, automobile dealers and others may find something suitable for their purpose and certainly at a big saving

Time Recording Clock
International, in perfect running order. A 50 card case goes with it at **\$150**

Beautiful Walnut Case \$395
This wall case has large plate glass front shelves, mirror and compartments. Size over all is 26 in. deep, 8 ft. 3 in. high, 18 ft. 6 in. long—a handsome piece of furniture that could not be duplicated under about \$1400.

Two solid plate glass Umbrella Cases, capacity 176 umbrellas each, very high grade fixtures, each. \$60

One large triple mirror, size of each glass 20x56 inch. \$125

Glass front Spool Silk Case, capacity 2120 spools. \$15

Two Hugh Lyons revolving piece goods racks, capacity, 24 pieces, each. \$5.00

Two Rolling Ladders, track, each. \$10

Shoe Fitters' stools, each. 75c

Window display fixtures, very cheap. Tables of various widths and lengths. Good seasoned Spruce, per foot. \$8c

Sanitary Drinking Fountain
With filter, cooler and all connections. The outfit complete for **\$50**