

MOVEMENT UNDER WAY FOR DRAINAGE

Preparatory Work Proceeds, and Some Money Needed for Expenses

The movement for the protection of the southeastern part of Salem from the annual overflow is definitely under way. After considerable delay in arranging preliminary matters, a plan has been adopted under which the

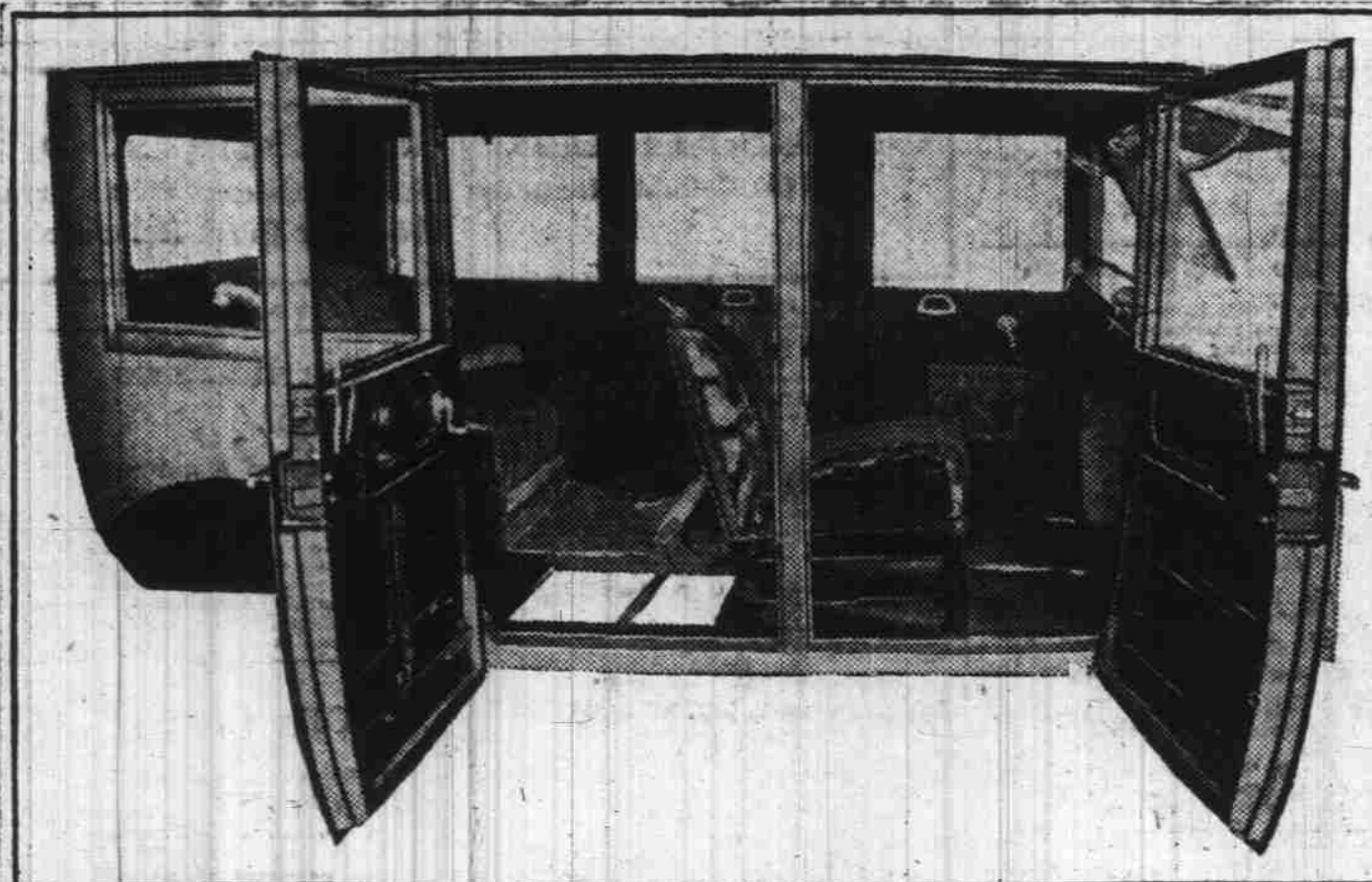
necessary funds for the preparation of the petitions and securing the names of the land owners and the descriptions of the lands will be advanced by those interested.

J. G. Merchan has devoted a large part of his time for several months to this matter after being solicited by a number of citizens owning land in that vicinity to undertake the work. The state, on account of the large body of land it owns, as well as the city and the county, are still interested parties and their cooperation was early sought.

At a meeting held in the office of the state board of control a committee of three was appointed, headed by Mr. Merchan, the other two members being Frank Durbin and August Homyer. Mr. Durbin, while in accord with the proposed development, had not sufficient time to devote to the work, and J. E. Kirkpatrick was appointed in his place.

The city of Salem has expressed its approval of the proposition by setting aside \$250, the amount requested to assist in the work. Governor Pierce and Secretary of State Koser, at a recent meeting of the board of control, expressed their desire to cooperate. Mr. Merchan has also been in conference with Dr. R. E. Lee Steiner, superintendent of the state hospital, with representatives of the Southern Pacific Railroad company, and many others including Attorneys James G. Heitzel, Guy O. Smith and Ray Smith, city at-

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torney, and has acted under the advice of Percy A. Cupper and Robert J. Simpson, consulting engineers. All services have been volunteered and no expense whatever has so far been incurred.

Some Expense Necessary

The principal item of expense in connection with the preliminary work is securing the names of the land owners, together with a description of their lands, which is essential to the preparation of the necessary petitions. After canvassing the situation and finding a very ready response, it has been decided that all interested parties, being those owning lands affected, will be called upon to advance funds for the preliminary organization expenses, and any amount so advanced will be credited to them later. All owners of low lying lands south of Trade street are asked to deposit with the First National bank of Salem any amount they feel able to contribute to this cause, taking a receipt for the same. The money will be expended under the direction of the above named committee and the checks will be countersigned by Mayor Gleay. Contributions of \$2 or more will be accepted.

If all those interested act promptly in this matter something can doubtless be accomplished this year. It is earnestly requested, therefore by the committee in charge that every land owner call at the First National bank during this week and leave his contribution in order that the work may begin at once.

TURNER

TURNER, July 7.—The Misses Katie and Clara Ahrens have just returned from a delightful trip to Alaska.

Mrs. Ella Given has returned from Seattle, where she has visited relatives for six weeks.

Walter Robinson of Mill City called on his little daughters at the home of their grandparents, W. T. Riches, Friday.

A number of the Turner people celebrated July Fourth at Stayton.

Miss Hazel A. Bear left Wednesday morning for an extended trip in the east. The first stop was made at National Glacier park. After a visit with relatives in Minnesota, she will visit her grandparents at Mill Creek, Ind., and will accompany her grandfather to Boston in August, where he will attend the national GAR encampment.

A few days will be spent at New York, Philadelphia and Washington, D. C. A short visit on the return will be at Des Moines, Iowa, and at Holyoke, Cal.; Pike's Peak, the Royal Gorge and Salt Lake City will be the last places of interest visited. The final and lengthy stop will be made at North Powder, Ore., for the coming school year.

Mrs. Frank Baker and Mrs. Frank Lyle and children spent a few days at the parental Lyle home.

Mrs. Barbara Snyder and sister Anna of Portland spent several days with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. O. Baker.

Mrs. J. U. Glassner of Vernonia is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Given.

C. F. Swander of Portland, the corresponding secretary of the Christian convention, has been in town several days preparatory to the evening of the session Saturday evening.

The sermon Sunday morning was given by E. R. Moore, a returned missionary from Africa.

EDITORIALS OF THE PEOPLE

SENSIBLE TALK ON COOPERATION

Editor Statesman:—

"Salem, 50,000 in 1930," is a good slogan and I believe it possible to reach that goal IF—IF the 20,000 people of Salem are 20,000 boosters, IF a market is developed for our fruits that will give the growers a reasonable return for their investment and labor.

At present loganberries are more of a liability than an asset. Notwithstanding the fact that we have no more than one-tenth of a crop, the price is less than five cents for most of the berries and many tons are going to waste for which there is no sale.

When we consider the history of the loganberry for the last 10 years, this condition is not to be wondered at. Colossal blunders have been made, e. g., last year, berries were shipped green and dried, the poorest crop ever for handling in these ways, this year neither was done, the best year ever for such handling. The only way to avoid such mistakes is to study the marketing problem and not wait till the crop is ready to harvest and then decide on its disposition. The two important questions are, who and when. The growers, asking the assistance of the Salem business men, would answer the first, as to the time, it should be NOW. Last fall I was told by a number of Salem people that it was useless to try and interest Salem business men in the farmer's problem's but "I'm from Missouri" and am thoroughly convinced now that their assistance will be forthcoming if the grower asks it. Let me say, however, that I do not mean financial assistance, for their brains would be worth more to us than their money.

One of our leading grocers said, "If we could demonstrate to the housewife of America what a beautiful and delicious jelly can be made with bottled loganberry juice it would solve the problem." A soda fountain man said of loganberry crush, "People would go wild over that in the east." Strangers attending meetings of growers might get the impression that the only way to market the berry was through the canneries, but as a matter of fact it is not a "top notch" in the can. When properly dried it is the best of all dried berries, and the juice, for making fruit punch, leads all others. Also, the juice makes a de-

licious and refreshing cornstarch pudding, especially in summer.

Another "sin of omission" is not asking the counsel and assistance of the women of Salem. Two women's organizations voted to lend any aid they could if called on and no doubt every like organization in Salem would do the same thing if the case was presented to them.

Many growers seem to think that the canners are to blame for all our troubles, but this is far from the truth. We are not paying sufficient attention to the quality of fruit that we deliver, so we'd better "clean our own door yard" first.

"Cooperation" is said to be the solution; yes, but not merely the handing together of the growers to demand a higher price, there should be cooperation of all, from the grower to the consumer.

"To prosper or not to prosper, is the question" for Salem. If we let the loganberry industry die (and its very near dead now) then we don't deserve to prosper. From the marketing standpoint, we have the best berry that grows, i. e., it can be handled in more ways, but if nothing more is done in the coming year than has been done in the year past towards extending our market, then three-fourths of the patches might as well come out and put in—turnips.

We hear a lot about, why we should trade with our home merchants. One of the best reasons is, so that our merchants will prosper and have good and attractive stores for the thousands of visitors we have every year, judge the community largely by its stores and therefore good stores means more saleable real estate in the vicinity as well as in town. Turn the question around, why should Salem boost for the farmer? The answer is evident. Your prosperity is even more dependent on ours than ours is on yours. Let's get together.

—GROWER.

Beaches Too Cool for Comfort in Some Places

SILVERTON, Ore., July 7.—(Special to The Statesman)—Parties driving to the coast last week in search of cool weather found even more than they were expecting. Some of those who returned report that at several places it was more or less cloudy all the time and occasionally foggy in the mornings. The cool wind which has been blowing from the north was more noticeable at the beaches. Silverton was well represented at the various resorts over the week-end. Between 30 and 40 persons from Silverton were said to have been at Pacific City, and other beaches were visited by parties of a similar number. Most of them returned on Sunday.

MILITARY TEST

SEPTEMBER 12

State-wide Demonstration to Be Part of Government Program

Governor Pierce yesterday named a general committee to take charge of a state-wide patriotic demonstration to be held at the instance of the government on September 12, anniversary of the battle of St. Mihiel, the feature of the day to be a test mobilization of man power for the national defence. The committee was named at the suggestion of the secretary of war, through Major General C. G. Morton, western army commander with headquarters at San Francisco, and consists of the following:

Dr. W. J. Kerr, president Oregon Agricultural college, chairman; Colonel Robert McCleave, United States army representative; Brigadier General George A. White, national guard; Lieutenant Colonel Jacob Kessler, president reserve corps association; Lieutenant Colonel E. C. Sammons, civilian aide to the secretary of war; George R. Castner, department commander of the Grand Army of the Republic; Howard C. Waddell, department commander of the United Spanish War Veterans; J. W. Jones, department commander Veterans of Foreign Wars; George Griffith, department commander of the American legion, and Irving Vining, president of the State Chamber of Commerce.

After this committee has had an opportunity to meet and outline the general scope of the patriotic demonstrations Governor Pierce said that county representatives will be named to stage mobilization tests and public meetings in every county in the state. The old army draft boards that served during the World war will be asked to participate and the mayors of all cities will be placed on the local committees.

The demonstration, according to the government announcement of events for the St. Mihiel anniversary, is intended to impress upon all cities their duties to ward the security of the nation as well as to try out the effectiveness of the present military organization of the country in responding to a sudden emergency.

Included in the test mobilization will be all units of the regular army and national guard and all organized units of the reserve corps, the federal plan states. Public assemblies and patriotic programs will accompany the military assemblies and each city will be asked to hold patriotic exercises during the day or night of September 12.

CHAUTAQUA TALK

By the Secretary Remember the dates—July 16 to 23—no Sunday programs. Get your tickets early and be at the tent ahead of time or you

are going to be crowded this year.

Season tickets are on sale at Patton's Book Store, Commercial Book Store, Hartman's Jewelry Store, Opera House Pharmacy, Harry Sent's Motorcycle Shop, Vick Brothers, Will's Music Store, Union Abstract company, Miller Brothers' Store, Buster Brown store, Brethaupt Flower Store, Nelson & Hunt Drug Store, Rostein & Greenbaum's, Shafer's Harness Store, and with numerous individual salespeople.

Reserved seat reservations may be made at Patton's Book Store and Hartman's Jewelry Store beginning Monday morning, July 14.

All rural boxholders and telephone subscribers have received their illustrated programs direct from headquarters by mail. Does this mean you? If not, call and get one at the Chamber of Commerce or ring up and ask for one and same will be mailed to you.

Kiddies, the Junior Chautauqua is a humdinger. If you want to join the jolly juniors call on Mrs. Vandervoort, 435 North Winter street and ask her to tell you how to secure a ticket. Of course, you can buy a ticket at the usual price of \$1 from any salesman, but she has a scheme to help you to save up your nickels and pennies to buy your own ticket. She is going to give prizes to the first ones who save up their ticket money—50 girls and 60 boys. Better see her quick.

The profound tanks of the guarantors committee are extended to all who have so generously given of their window space for Chautauqua announcements. This helps mightily in bringing the Chautauqua back to gladden the hearts of a great many to whom it is the one bright anticipation and memory of the entire year. It can only be secured at the low prices charged by active co-operation of those who appreciate its value. The thanks of many besides the guarantors are felt if not expressed to every one who helps.

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