

County Grade Schools' Music Festival Draws 1000 Children

Event Proves Huge Success

Chorus, Orchestra, Some Specialty Numbers on Program, W.U. Gym

The Willamette gymnasium was filled with 1000 children from rural schools in Marion county yesterday afternoon, but the turnout of spectators was not large, probably because of the blustery day. It was the music festival in observance of National Music Week. Mrs. Lillian B. Shaner was chairman.

The youngsters were seated around the walls of the gym on bleachers. The Chemawa Indian band centered the floor. In addition to boys' and girls' choruses, rhythm bands and orchestral numbers by the Central Howell school orchestra and Chemawa orchestra, there were several special features. A tribal dance from Chemawa and a Hawaiian folk dance by Little Joan Lockhead, who was born in the islands, were well received. Directors from the 25 schools represented included Texa Kenen, Clara Grod, Emily Van Santen, Grace Sehon, Agnes Booth, Robert Thomas, Laura Miles, Willow Evans and Roben J. Maaske, assistant state superintendent of public instruction.

Monmouth School Building Entered

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night latch. They gained entrance by removing the hinge bolts from the door and pried the door open, taking the two machines nearest the entrance. Their exit was made through a front secondary door locked on the inside with a latch lock.

No clues of incriminating importance have been discovered, and the implement used to pry up the window has not been found. Local residents are wondering if there is any connection between this theft and the safe-breaking burglary last month at Oregon Normal school.

Says Taxing Bill Is Confiscatory

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was 42 1/2 per cent of a corporation's net income, it amounted to a 73 per cent tax on the amount the corporation retained in surplus. He said such rates would dry up government income, impoverish corporations, create unemployment and block industrial growth.

For the first time since treasury experts left the stand, the committee today heard a word of approval for the bill. Benjamin C. Marsh of the "people's lobby" urged that it be tried, together with other tax increases.

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This trio of Bryn Mawr co-eds, rehearsing for the annual May Day program of the Pennsylvania college, are all granddaughters of famous men. Left to right, Eleanor Taft of Cincinnati, O., granddaughter of former President Taft; Elizabeth Bryan, whose grandfather was William Jennings Bryan, and Eleanor Sayre of Washington, D. C., granddaughter of former President Wilson.

The Call Board

- GRAND
- Today — Claire Trevor in "My Marriage."
 - Saturday — Richard Dix in "Devil's Squadron."
- HOLLYWOOD
- Today — "Whipsaw" with Myrna Loy.
 - Friday — Double bill, Buck Jones in "Ivory Handled Guns" and "Racing Luck" with Bill Boyd.
- ELSINORE
- Today — Carole Lombard in "Love Before Breakfast."
 - Saturday — Al Jolson in "The Singing Kid."
- CAPITOL
- Today — Double bill, "Murder on the Bridal Path" with Jimmy Gleason and Bob Steele in "Smookey Smith."
 - Thursday — Double bill, Lew Ayres in "Leathernecks Have Landed" and Bruce Cabot in "Corruption."
- STATE
- Today — First run, Douglas Montgomery in "Harmony Lane" and Walt Disney's "Mickey's Grand Opera."
 - Saturday — First run, Kermit Maynard in "His Fighting Blood."

Storm Sewer to Be Laid on 19th

A new storm sewer two blocks in length will be laid in the parking along North 19th street between Nebraska avenue and the alley north of Kay street. City Engineer Hugh Rodgers said yesterday. He was authorized by the city council Monday night to obtain a maximum of 1000 feet of 15-inch pipe for the job.

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Strikes Close Lumber Mills

Labor Board Is Against Onalaska Firm Which Questions Power

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British Columbia strikers picketed mills and camps in their walkout demanding union recognition and wage increases of \$1 to \$2.50 a day. Union officials estimate about 1300 on strike, while R. V. Stuart, British Columbia Loggers association secretary, said less than 1000 men—about 3 per cent of the total—refused to return to work today.

Strike Short Lived At One B. C. Mill The M. B. King Lumber company mill, North Vancouver, resumed operations when workers voted 70 to 20 to return to work after a one-day strike.

School Troubles Apparently Over

(By the Associated Press) Two northern Oregon school controversies appeared settled today when Newberg students returned to their classes and two instructors were back at their posts at Lake Grove grammar school, Oswego.

About half the 335 students at the Newberg high school participated in a demonstration against the curtailment of extra-curricular activities. W. A. Oliver, superintendent, said a widely-circulated report that football was to be abolished was false.

Dingeman Bajema, Lake Grove principal, and Harold McKenzie, athletic instructor, returned to their posts following a board meeting last night. Bajema said the board, after dismissing him because he circulated questionnaires on school problems without consent of the board, invited him to return.

Bajema said McKenzie resigned "in sympathy with my actions," and that "after the meeting the board decided to circulate a questionnaire."

Justice Case May Reach Jury Today

PORTLAND, Ore., May 5.—(AP)—Tom B. Handley, deputy district attorney, demanded the death penalty for Jack Justice, accused of hiring Leo Hall to slay W. Frank Akin here in 1933.

The plea followed the calling of the last witness. Justice, on the stand in his own defense, denied all charges. Justice today admitted he brought Larry Paulos to Portland in 1933 but denied Paulos' story that he (Justice) offered him \$200 to beat up Akin.

New Snow Interferes With Santiam Opening

BEND, Ore., May 5.—(AP)—A new snow storm hampered efforts to clear a detour over the Cascades today. George Sothman, maintenance engineer, said eight inches to a foot fell on the Santiam summit and that a rotary plow was forced to turn back frequently to clear sections of the highway it already had traversed.

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LAST TIMES TODAY Jimmy Gleason in "MURDER ON THE BRIDAL PATH" and BOB STEELE in "Smookey Smith"

Candidates' Forum

EDITOR'S NOTE In this forum until the May 15 primaries, the Statesman will present a statement of candidates for city and county offices on both tickets. The aim will be to give voters who have a large ballot to study more data on all the candidates. For the latter opportunity to present a succinct statement of their experience and platform. No candidate's statements will be omitted unless requested, data is not furnished. Presentation of a candidate's statement here does not constitute Statesman endorsement.

J. S. COOMLER Candidate for republican nomination as commissioner. J. S. Coomler, of the Brooks district, is seeking the republican nomination as county commissioner because he believes his experience in public life and his experience as a farmer fit him for the position. "I fully understand the needs of the people," Coomler declares.

He was born in Indiana and was educated in the public schools there. He came to Oregon in 1910 and has lived in the state continuously since that time, being a taxpayer here for 25 years. In Indiana, Mr. Coomler was superintendent of construction of an arterial highway and was a road supervisor for several years. Mr. Coomler has been precinct committeeman for the republican party in this county for many years and for the last two years has been state committeeman for the party. For the last 15 years he has been a school director in his local district.

Coomler's statement regarding his campaign is: "If elected I will be conservative in spending the taxpayers' money. I favor cutting the mileage fee to four cents which will adequately cover car expenses. I do not believe in holding court any longer than is necessary to transact county affairs. I will try in every way possible to cut expenses to the end that the taxpayers will benefit. "I believe in old age security so am a Townsendite. I am a candidate on the republican ticket and am seeking support for a safe and sane administration."

R. C. CHURCHILL Candidate for republican nomination as county treasurer. R. C. "Dick" Churchill, who is a candidate for county treasurer, resides at 145 North 21st street. He was born in Kansas and came to Salem with his parents in 1899. He was educated in Salem schools and in the business college here.

Mr. Churchill served in the second regiment, Oregon Volunteers in the Philippine islands during the Spanish American war. Mr. Churchill for 15 years was in the retail business in Albany. Later he was with the Blake, McFall Paper company in Portland for five years as stock man and salesman. For the past 12 years he has been a building contractor in Salem.

He is now adjutant of Hal Hibbard camp, United Spanish War Veterans. His pre-election statement is: "If elected, I will conduct the office of Marion county treasurer in an economic, competent and business like manner, and promise to be faithful to the trust placed in me as a public officer. I have never before sought for or held a public office. My record as a citizen of Salem is my recommendation to the voters of Marion county."

W. M. SMITH Candidate for county school superintendent. W. M. Smith, who is a candidate for county school superintendent at the primaries, is a native Oregonian. He was educated in the public schools of this county, later attended Oregon Normal school at Monmouth and was graduated there in 1899.

Smith taught in the rural schools of this county two years prior to his graduation from the normal school. He then served one year as principal of the school at Mitchell, Oregon, and followed this by seven years spent as a teacher in the grade schools of Salem. Smith became county school superintendent here in 1907 and served continuously until 1920 when he was appointed assistant superintendent of public instruction in Oregon by Superintendent J. A. Churchill. He continued to serve in that office until November, 1929.

A. L. TUMBLESON Candidate for republican nomination for sheriff. A. L. Tumbleson, who seeks the republican nomination for sheriff in this county, was born on a farm in western Kansas. He removed with his parents to Forest Grove in 1908. He was educated in the public schools of Forest Grove, taking post-graduate work in commercial education at Salem in 1919 and since 1921 has been a proprietor of his own business here. He is a taxpayer and a home owner.

He is a member of the Elks, the Modern Woodmen, the Macabees, the Eagles and the Masons. Mr. Tumbleson served as secretary for the Eagles for the last nine years. Mr. Tumbleson's statement Mr. Tumbleson declared: "The office of sheriff is an office of service as well as enforcement, the enforcement should be in harmony with the other law enforcement. "The service part should extend to all alike, and especially to the juvenile residents. They should be given proper advice and protection which will make them better citizens of the community. "If elected sheriff, my earnest efforts shall be given to constructive service and impartial enforcement at lowest possible cost. "My slogan is 'Efficient service at lowest possible cost.'"

JOHN F. MANNING Candidate for republican nomination as commissioner. John F. Manning, candidate for the republican nomination for commissioner of Marion county, was born on a farm, near St. Louis, one of the early settlements of the state. He attended a country school, completing the eighth grade work before starting to work on his father's farm where he was employed for a number of years. In 1898 he went to Portland and worked for the firm of Manning and Lind, road contractors and builders, serving as a "straw boss" for this concern for one year. He then returned to his father's farm, assisting in the management of this farm which is still in possession of the Manning family. Later he went to Tacoma, Wash., and worked in a butcher shop and a slaughter house owned by the firm of Fry and Brown, returning to his farm home in 1902.

Mr. Manning was united in marriage with Ceila DuBois in 1904 and to this union nine children were born, eight still living, one having died in infancy. Mrs. Manning died about a year ago. Mr. Manning was a member of the school-board, serving as clerk

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'Diamond Master' Coming to State

Cecil Rhodes Role Taken by Walter Huston; to Open Here Sunday

Kimberly, South Africa, during the early days of the diamond rush, was the scene of the first triumph of Cecil Rhodes, diamond master, empire builder, jungle conqueror, as portrayed by Walter Huston in "Rhodes, the Diamond Master," the GB production coming Sunday to the State theatre.

In those days of frantic rushing to dig fortunes from the earth there were so many times more men than women in the rough town of iron shacks that grew up overnight, that a new woman in Kimberley was more precious than diamonds and was bid for marriage with diamonds. It is in Kimberley that Rhodes meets Dr. Leander Starr Jameson, a nd Barney Barnato, two men whose fortunes are linked with Rhodes until his death.

Another character figuring conspicuously in Rhodes' career is Oom Paul Kruger, stubborn and crafty President of the Transvaal, who fought Rhodes from start to finish. Playing these important characters are Frank Cellier, Basil Sydney and Oscar Homolka. Cellier is Barnato, who after being defeated by Rhodes for diamond control becomes his friend, and supporter.

Taufest Winner On Hop Contract

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have received had the contract been fulfilled. Judge Lovell allowed Taufest his costs but did not add the \$900 to the award. The court charged storage costs on the hops, held by the Oregon Electric railroad, to the plaintiff.

The case was important as it was thought by hop men to affect other hop contracts. Hop dealers and expert hop judges were called as witnesses in the case which attracted hop men from all parts of the valley.

Child's Body Found

MEDFORD, Ore., May 5.—(AP)—The waters of Bear creek yielded the body of the three-year-old son of Glen J. Birk today. The boy disappeared yesterday from his home a few blocks from the stream.

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Fire Is So Rare Firemen Forget Hose's Location

ASH FORK, Ariz., May 4.—(AP)—The little railroad town hadn't experienced a fire in so long that volunteer firemen couldn't find their hose cart early today when flames broke out in a tourist camp.

The fire destroyed four cabins, two small garages and a wash room. E. A. Nelson, owner of the camp, said he believed the blaze started from a cigarette left in the wash room. After finding their hose stored in a building the firemen kept the flames from spreading to a nearby service station.

Water Claims of Zielke Sustained

Claims of Leonard Zielke to water flowing from Acorn Springs were sustained yesterday by Judge L. G. Lovell here in a memorandum opinion which upheld Zielke's plea for a permanent injunction against the use of water by Julia and Ebin Henningsen. The court modified the injunction sufficiently to allow Julia Henningsen sufficient water for domestic use and for use in caring for her garden.

Zielke asserted when he brought the case that his predecessors in interest and himself had possessed continuous use of the spring since 1833 when Daniel W. Jones made an irrigation ditch from it. The defendants allegedly began their diversion of water in 1934. Rose Marie Rynhart was denied the return of her purchase money on a contract for the acquisition of real estate in another opinion by the court. The court sustained the position of Ellen L. Welch who contended that time was the essence of the contract and that plaintiff's delay in making her claim had estopped her from recovery.

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