

Poster for 'Fourth' in 1884 Tells of Salem Celebration

How the Glorious Fourth was celebrated in Salem 58 years ago is portrayed more or less graphically in a poster advertising the "Grand Celebration and Printers' Picnic" which was scheduled for July 4, 1884, in Marion square. There was also a ball at the Opera House that night. The poster was loaned to The Statesman by Arthur Moore of Monmouth, who found it among the letters and papers of the late Mrs. Moore.

"The circular sets forth that there was to be an "immense procession," that the city was in bunting; and there was somewhat ambiguous reference to 300 "street Arabs." The poster was bizarrely illustrated with the stock "cuts" with which printing offices in those days were provided, and the "Arabs" were variously depicted as Arabian horses and as outlandish savages.

On the reverse side of the poster was an extended list of prizes, to be awarded in "contests" of which these were typical.

To the swiftest lady compositor in the city.

To the printer having the largest feet.

To the young lady most anxious to get married.

To the most exquisite dude upon the grounds.

To the best gentlemen waltzer at the ball.

To the most popular widow.

Other prizes were assigned to the winners of various athletic contests; including a \$10 cash prize for a race from which "professionals" were barred. An outstanding event was the "hose contest" for hose companies of 12 men each.

Prize donors' names will still in some cases sound familiar in Salem: The Statesman, A. N. Gil-Gilbert, Mrs. C. M. Cross, Sam Adolph, McAfee and Hawkins, Squire Farrar & Co., W. L. Wade, J. W. Crawford, Steiner & Blosser, Ed Cross, W. P. Johnson, John Belt.

Brooks Fire Area Election Slated Late This Month

Either July 31 or August 1 is expected to be the date set for election of directors of the newly-created Brooks rural fire protection area by the Marion county court. Meeting Tuesday morning for hearing of protests, the members of the court found no one in attendance except for Merrill Ohling, Salem insurance man. One protest was heard later over the telephone from Willis Caldwell, who mentioned that some felt the district as proposed was too large. This, however, had no effect on the issuance of the order.

The district as set includes the territory bounded on the north by a line from the river east equivalent to the Manning's school-Parkersville road, south from that point along the Howell Prairie road to the Chemawa

New Defense Setups Form For Civilians

Two important changes in the civilian defense structure were announced here Tuesday by Jerrold Owen, state civilian defense coordinator.

One brings about recognition of those engaged in civilian activities as a separate branch to be known as the United States Citizens Service Corps and the other creates a new unit to be known as the civilian defense auxiliary group.

The first group will include those working in approved positions in such fields as consumers' interest, youth participation, recreation, salvage, war savings, physical fitness, education, health, nutrition, transportation and other types of community war activity carried on with the approval of the state defense council.

The second unit is a new auxiliary group established to include persons, who, because of their occupation, should be eligible to be on the streets and perform their duties during blackouts or air raids, but who are not engaged in protective work as members of the United States Citizens defense corps.

Special insignia has been provided for both of these units and changes have been made in some insignia heretofore used.

Each county defense council was advised to appoint an executive of the citizens service corps who shall keep records and control admission to the corps.

Specific qualifications for membership in the service corps have been established as follows: Completion of training courses which may have been prescribed and officially approved by the county defense council.

Completion of 50 hours of work in a position approved by the county defense council, providing no specific training course is required.

Members of the service corps

may wear lapel pins or buttons but may not wear arm bands or brassards.

Persons who may be included in the civilian defense auxiliary group within the numerical limits of local needs are:

Doctors other than those in the emergency medical corps.

Registered trained nurses, other than those in the nurses' aide corps.

Members of the clergy who may be required to make emergency sick calls, other than chaplains in

the United States defense corps.

Reporters of local newspapers or press services and press photographers who are regular members of established photographic news services.

Authorized newsreel cameramen and sound crews.

Telegraph messengers, limited to delivery of urgent messages, and telephone and telegraph operators.

Representatives of humane societies and undertakers.

Operators of essential transpor-

9413 Jump in Swim Pools

Salem's swimming public, mostly children taking advantage

tation facilities, streetcar crews and bus drivers, principally in localities where such facilities are essential for transportation of workers in war industries.

of the summer playground swimming pools, flocked to the Leslie and Olinger retreats 9413 strong during the Monday and Tuesday warm spells, Director Gurnee Fletcher announced Tuesday night.

The Leslie pool was jammed with 2033 swimmers Monday and 2450 Tuesday. The Olinger pool had 2370 on Monday and 2560 Tuesday.

These totals are believed to be the largest in the history of the city playgrounds.

Padres 3, LA 0

SAN DIEGO, Calif., June 30—(AP) Veteran Wally Hebert, notching his 12th win of the season, pitched San Diego to a 3-0 victory over Los Angeles Tuesday night in the opener of a nine-game Pacific coast league series.

Los Angeles... 000 000 0-0 5 1
San Diego... 000 000 12-3 7 1

Raffensberger and Todd, Campbell (8); Hebert and Detore.

Cooperative Haul Urged to Farmers

Secretary of State Earl Snell Tuesday issued a statement urging all farmers in Oregon to consider plans for exchange of hauling in an effort to conserve the rubber supply and other war materials and make sure that all of the state's food products reach the marketing centers.

Snell called attention to the law whereby trucks bearing farmers' licenses are permitted to haul farm products to market and return with supplies for their neighbors and charge a nominal fee when the crops are grown on lands within the statutory radius of the truck owner's farm.

Bids Received on Temporary Housing

PORTLAND, June 30.—(AP)—Low bids on 178 temporary housing units under the Gattrell system of leased lots totaled \$420,482 and were recommended for acceptance, the Portland housing authority reported Tuesday.

The units are to be located on 11 sites in north Portland.

Aurora News

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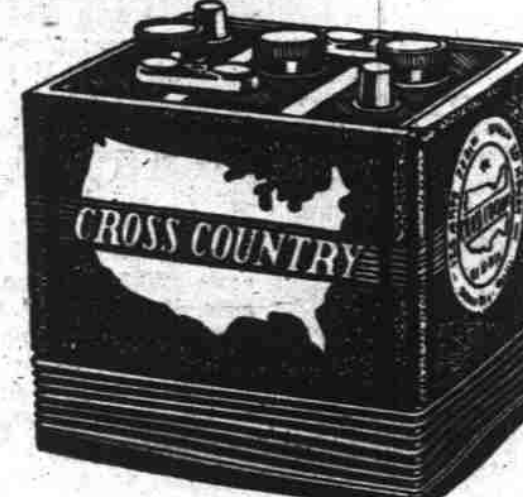
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