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## NEWBERG TO HAVE A BIG BERRY FESTIVAL

### EVENT SCHEDULED FOR JULY 9

Membership Drive to be Launched at Once and Will be Pushed in Each Community for 500 Members

Three things were fully decided upon at the meeting of the council of the Berrians which was held in the Commercial Club rooms on Monday evening. The bills contracted in connection with the building of the float, as well as for the current expenses of the Berrians, were presented and gone over by the council. It was ascertained that there were sufficient funds to pay all bills and still leave a small surplus. Only about one hundred members have paid their dues so far, so this is a most satisfactory result.

Mayor Calkins was present, and, as the one appointed to go to Portland and receive the prize money awarded the Berrians' float, he made a report. Mr. Calkins stated that the Portland people were very lavish with their praise of the Newberg float and seemed to fully understand the short time which the Berrians had for its construction and the handicaps under which they worked. Mr. Calkins stated that he saw the films of the Rose Festival at one of the Washington street theatres and that they were exceedingly good. Only three floats were shown and the Newberg float was one of the three.

The pictures of the Berrians' float were very clear and distinct and the words "Newberg" and "The Berrians" showed up very plainly. These pictures will be shown all over the United States and thus Newberg will get some wonderful advertising.

But we are digressing from the point of view of this article which was to tell the three things decided upon at the meeting of the council. The first of these was that a Fourth of July picnic should be held somewhere in the country under the joint arrangement of the Farmers' club and the Berrians. It is the intention that this will be a purely informal affair with the farmers taking the lead and the Newberg people being their guests. Not that the Newberg people will not expect to do their share of the work but it was the consensus of opinion that instead of having the country always come to town it would be nice for the town to go to the country for a change.

The second matter decided upon was the holding of a berry festival in Newberg and the date set for this event was Saturday, July 9. No final plans were outlined for this affair but it is probable that among other attractions will be the serving of free berries to the visitors. It is anticipated that there will be a large attendance from other cities and especially from Portland. A publicity committee was appointed composed of Chester A. Dimond, Dr. Ralph W. VanValin and Chester Zumwalt. This committee will see that extensive publicity is given the festival through the Portland papers as well as seeing to the local advertising. No other committees were appointed Monday evening but they will be given out later and the public may be sure that the berry festival will be a big affair.

The Berrians feel that they have established a reputation through their Rose Festival participation and they intend to maintain this reputation. The principal idea in holding the berry festival is to bring the people from Portland and other cities to Newberg and show them what we can do in the way of furnishing them with berries. This should have a most salutary effect in securing markets for the berries next year.

## W. C. T. U. WILL MEET

On Wednesday, June 22nd, the Newberg W. C. T. U. will meet with Mrs. Hannon, at 911 Third street for work. Quilting, sewing of carpet rags, and piecing blocks will be the order of the day. The hours will be anytime between 10 a. m. and 5 p. m. and there will be work for all who come.

## ANNOUNCE CANNERY WILL SURELY RUN

### H.F. DAVIDSON MAKES STATEMENT

Springbrook Cannery to be Leased to Company of Local Farmers and Will Be Run by them

The Oregonian published an article in its issue of last Tuesday which we deem to be of more than usual interest to our readers as it pertains to the running of the local cannery. The Graphic has endeavored each week to get some authentic information on this matter but the cannery people have seemed to be loath to give out anything definite. It is generally understood that the general management are planning on calling a meeting of the farmers some time soon and giving out their policy in this way.

A meeting was held at Springbrook the first of the week and it was decided to form a company among the farmers there and lease the cannery at that place from the Rupert successors and the preliminaries to this are now well under way. The article from the Oregonian follows:

As a result of an agreement between creditors of the A. Rupert company and the recently organized Oregon Canning company announcement was made late Tuesday that at least two of the big Rupert company plants in the Willamette valley will be operated this season. It was also said that there is a possibility of more than two of the plants being operated.

This means that a much larger proportion of Oregon's fruit crop will find a market this year. The amount handled by the plants will depend largely upon the growers.

The two plants which will definitely begin operations in the next two weeks are located at Newberg and Lebanon. They have a combined packing capacity of about 400,000 cases of fruit and vegetables and are the largest of the Rupert canneries. Negotiations are also under way for the operating of the McMinnville and the Newberg plants and for subleasing the plant at Springbrook. The Oregon Canning company controls all five of the plants. In addition the company has acquired the Rupert brands and has taken over the Rupert office, plant staffs and its national distributing organization. H. F. Davidson of Hood River is president of the company.

Mr. Davidson is one of the most successful fruit growers of the west. In addition he has had wide experience in the canning field. "We have acquired the five Oregon plants of the Rupert company," said Mr. Davidson, "and it is our intention to maintain the same high standard that gave the Rupert pack world-wide market. We will seek the closest cooperation with the growers with the object of building anew a business profitable to growers and ourselves."

"Marketing conditions this year do not warrant a capacity pack. For this reason we will be unable to purchase all fruit offered. We will, however, handle as much as we can with safety and will pay the growers as good a price as we can afford under present conditions. It will be the policy of the Oregon Canning company to pack Oregon fruit under the Oregon label. We know northwest fruit is unsurpassed, so feel that by advertising and selling it we will assist in building up a market that will prove of immense benefit to the industry as a whole."

doing this, and plans will be worked out by the Berrians to enable the growers to get in touch with buyers at this time.

But a berry festival to be a success must be well planned and must involve considerable expense. This can be easily taken care of if the people of the community will simply join the organization and pay their dues—\$2 per year. Not much for each individual, but enough taken all together, to give the organization a working capital.

Some people may inquire what will be done with all this money. One item alone will be the maintenance and uniforming of the band, and we don't believe that there is anyone who will be willing to rise up and say that this is a needless expense. Newberg must take care of the band and if we are going to expect them to play for us, we must at least pay their expenses and uniform them suitably. And then every activity of the organization will be accompanied by some expense. In the long run we will all be repaid, but if we would eventually draw down the dividends we must pay the expenses. Help the committee in their work and see that your name is enrolled as a Berrian. Get a badge and wear it. And if your neighbor has no badge see that he gets one too. And don't forget that this applies to the women as well as the men.

## LOCAL CHAUTAUQU SET FOR JULY 16-21

### FINE PROGRAM IS OFFERED HERE

Grand Opera Company and Other Musical Numbers, Lectures and a Play "It Pays to Advertise."

Advance information on the Ellison-White Chautauqua program for the season indicates a week of lectures, entertainment and music that should please "Chautauqua fans." The dates for Newberg have been definitely set for July 16th to 21st. A musical event of unusual importance is scheduled in the coming of the Mary Adel Hays Opera Singers, under the leadership and direction of Mary Adel Hays, prominent New York coloratura soprano. The personnel is a notable one; including Ruth Pearce, contralto, Claude Schell tenor, and John Wainman, baritone. All are soloists of distinction, each one abundantly capable of presenting a full concert alone. Familiar selections and excerpts from light and grand opera will be featured in their two concerts on the last day.

Lucile Collette, distinguished French violinist, who came to America as a war refugee in 1914, is another artist of prominence to be presented during the week. Mlle. Collette is under contract with one of America's leading phonograph companies and is rated as one of the foremost concert violinists in the country today. She comes to Chautauqua as a member of the Lowell Patton company. Mr. Patton needs no introduction to western chautauqua audiences. He has just returned from a highly successful concert tour in New Zealand. Lula Boot, formerly contralto of the Washington Opera Company, rounds out this splendid artists trio. Other musical companies scheduled for double concerts during the week are the Liberty Belles of Boston, the Alexander Trio and the Stone-Platt-Bragers Trio.

Among the lectures scheduled for the assembly are Dean Ellwood C. Perisho, late president of the State College of South Dakota and Educational Administrator of the A. E. F.; Dr. E. L. House, prominent author and psychologist; Dr. Robert Parker Miles, one of the foremost dramatic lecturers on the American platform; E. B. Fish, the editor of "Labor and Industry," and Chief Strongheart, noted Indian lecture-entertainer.

Two other feature events of the week will be the presentation of the great comedy success, "It Pays to Advertise," by the Keighley New York players with an all-professional cast and the coming of E. E. Platt, the noted monologist, as one of the members of the Stone-Platt-Brager Trio. Electra Platt was formerly on the Orpheum and is said to be one of the funniest and cleverest women before the public today.

## BORN

FORTUNE—In Newberg, Oregon, June 11, 1921, to Mr. and Mrs. Roy Fortune, a son.

## SCHOOL ELECTION WILL BE HELD SATURDAY AFTERNOON

The regular school election will take place at the grammar school building at 1:30 o'clock on Monday afternoon, June 20, when a school director will be elected to succeed V. A. Vincent, whose term expires at this time. There will only be one name on the ticket—that of Chas. K. Hubbard, who is a promising young farmer of the district just west of Newberg which was taken into the Newberg public school district by consolidation. Mr. Hubbard's candidacy is urged by his friends on the grounds that the country part of the district is entitled to some representation on the school board as well as the city. Mr. Hubbard is an O. A. C. man and is a progressive in every sense of the word. He advocated the consolidation of the rural and town districts and made a fight to have the consolidation retained. He will make an excellent director if elected.

We understand that Mr. Vincent does not intend to run for the office of director again. However, his friends are urging his candidacy for this position on the grounds of his fitness for the position and his previous experience as well as his known high moral standing. We are authoritatively informed that although Mr. Vincent does not expect to make any campaign for the office and although his name does not appear on the ticket, he will not refuse to accept if elected.

Our public schools are a most important part of our community life and every citizen should interest themselves in this election. It is important that the right man should be chosen. In this election the Graphic feels that the public have a choice between two excellent men, either of whom are well fitted for the position and either of whom will protect the moral standing of our schools.

We have just received word from the Public Service Commission that the Willamina Electric Co. has been granted a raise in rates to take effect July 1st, but as yet haven't heard how much of a raise has been granted.—Times.

## MONDAY SAW CLOSE OF YEARLY MEETING

### FRIENDS HELD SUCCESSFUL MEET

More Than Eleven Thousand Dollars Were Raised at Yearly Meeting For Pacific College.

At the close of five full days of work, in which the various activities of the Friends church in the Northwest were considered, the last session of Oregon Yearly Meeting was held Monday evening. While the attendance was not quite so large as last year, all the sessions were well attended.

One of the most interesting sessions was held on Friday, when the subject considered was, "Foreign Missions," the principal address being given by Arthur Chilson, who went to British East Africa as a missionary to the native black races nineteen years ago. He has been home on a furlough for some time and is making a tour of the various yearly meetings representing the American Friends Board of Foreign Missions. In the course of his remarks he stated that while 90 per cent of Africa had been touched commercially only 10 per cent of this same territory had been reached by Christian teachers. He said further that for years, out of every 100 children born to the natives in that land of heathen darkness, 50 to 75 per cent died in infancy, but that owing to the improved conditions brought about by the active work of the missionaries the outlook for the future was more hopeful.

In the field held by the Friends, Mr. Chilson said there were now five regularly established churches.

Rev. Frank W. Dell, pastor of Friends church at Whittier, California, gave an address on "Peace," and Rev. Elbert Russell, director of Woolman School of Swarthmore, Penn., represented the Friends service committee in an address delivered Friday morning.

Saturday afternoon the educational session was held, when Prof. Roberts spoke on behalf of the academy at Greenleaf, Idaho, and Acting President John D. Mills, gave a talk following the reading of his report made to the Board of Managers and the college corporation. President Levi Pennington and Dr. W. V. Coffin, endowment secretary of the Educational Board of the Five Years Meeting followed with short talks merging into an appeal for subscriptions for the endowment fund for Pacific College. The amount secured amounted to something more than \$11,000.

At the Sunday morning meeting the speaker was Rev. Arthur Chilson and in the afternoon, Rev. Frank W. Dell. In the evening Rev. Calvin Choate spoke at Friends church and Rev. Elbert Russell at the Baptist church.

## OREGON GROWERS COOPERATIVE ASS'N TO MEET SATURDAY

The Oregon Growers Cooperative Association will hold an important meeting at Duncan's Hall in this city at 2 o'clock Saturday afternoon when R. C. Paulus, the general manager of the company will be present and address the local members of the association on important matters. This meeting will be exclusively for the members of the association, we understand and matters of vital import to the local growers will be considered. The Oregon Growers Cooperative Association have been doing some excellent work over the state in getting the producers together in such an association that they will be enabled to market their crops of various kinds to a much better advantage than they could otherwise. One of the best examples of their aid to the farmer was seen in the matter of getting broccoli started in this community. The Oregon Growers came to the assistance of the local farmers and not only furnished them with the necessary seed when it was difficult to obtain, but also agreed to look after markets for the products if it could be raised in sufficient quantities to insure of carload shipments. Every local member of the association should make it a point to be present at the meeting of the association on Saturday afternoon.

## DODGE-CONWAY NUPTIALS

Seth B. Dodge, Jr. of Newberg and Miss Grace Conway of Corvallis last Sunday. Both Mr. Dodge and Miss Conway were students at O. A. C. and it was here that the romance which culminated in their wedding, first commenced. Mr. Dodge is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Seth Dodge of Fourth street. He came here with his parents in 1911 and graduated from Newberg high school that year. He has been taking vocational training work at O. A. C. and expects to continue with his studies. Mr. and Mrs. Dodge are visiting his parents at this place at present, but they expect to return to Corvallis very soon and Mr. Dodge will attend summer school.

## HERE FROM GOLDENDALE

Raymond Hornbrook and family of Goldendale, Washington, came down last Friday to visit his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Hornbrook of this place. They went to Portland on Sunday with the local people who attended the annual Kilekikat county convention and returned home on Monday.

## MR. AND MRS. ABRAM COOK AUTO ACCIDENT

### MRS. COOK DIED LAST FRIDAY

Were on Way to Coast and Automobile Went Over 100 Foot Bank Badly Injuring Aged Couple

Mr. and Mrs. Abram Cook met with a sad accident on June 7th which resulted in the ultimate death of Mrs. Cook. They were on their way to the beach by auto and about eight miles the other side of Dolph, and 62 miles from here, their auto went over a 100 foot bank. Mr. Cook, hearing another auto looked back and in doing so lost sight of the road ahead for a bare fraction of time. Mrs. Cook passed away at Dolph on Friday night as the result of internal injuries sustained and Mr. Cook was badly injured although it is expected that he will recover.

The remains were brought to Newberg and funeral services were conducted from the Christian church at 2 p. m. on Monday, Rev. Phillips officiating. The Woman's Relief Corps and the local post participated in the services.

Jeannette Cook, wife of Abram Cook of Newberg, was born in Woodstock, Ill., November 17, 1846, and died June 10, 1921, as a result of an auto accident. She was married July 4, 1867, to A. J. Hutchens to which union were born five children, four daughters and one son, of whom four are living; Mrs. Chas. Butts of Oregon City, Mrs. R. Forsyth of Portland, Mrs. J. M. Shaw of Portland and Homer Hutchins of Baker, Ore. Mrs. E. S. Hall the other daughter died in 1910. Deceased was married to Abram Cook, June 16, 1915, and resided with him in Newberg to the time of her death. Besides the husband and four children, Mrs. Cook is survived by twenty-five grandchildren and two great-grandchildren. She was a member of the relief corps of the G. A. R. and also of the Christian church, in both of which she had many friends who mourn her departure. Funeral services were held in the Christian church conducted by C. H. Phillips and interment was in the G. A. R. cemetery on last Monday.

## NEWBERG WILL HAVE COUNTRY PICNIC ON FOURTH OF JULY

There will be no Fourth of July celebration in Newberg but Newberg will celebrate the Fourth. This apparently paradoxical statement may be accounted for by the fact that it has been planned to hold a big picnic and celebration somewhere in the country this year at which the people of Newberg will cooperate and join with the people of the country in celebrating the natal day. The entertainment committee of the Newberg Farmers Club and the same committee from The Berrians will have the details and plans of the picnic and celebration in hand and we understand that they are already working out plans for this event.

The exact location of the picnic has not been decided upon, but it is the intention to hold it where there will be plenty of parking room for autos and also playgrounds for any sports which it may be thought advisable to have. It is probable that there will be races and a ball game and possibly a short program. The principal idea in holding this picnic and celebration is to bring the people of the town and country together in a general good time picnic and therefore it will necessarily be more or less of an impromptu affair. And those kind of events are always the most interesting and entertaining so that everyone will want to be there. It is probable that the location and definite plans for the picnic will be outlined and announced in our next issue. Watch for them.

## HIGH SCHOOL PLAY DREW LARGE CROWDS THIS WEEK

The Junior class play, "Looking For Mary Jane" was given at the Star theatre on Tuesday and Wednesday evenings of this week to full houses. The play was a comedy skit and gave excellent opportunity for some good character work. The play was exceptionally well adapted to home talent work and was a most pleasing comedy, keeping the audience convulsed throughout. Three young men got themselves into all kinds of difficulties and toward the end the complications began to involve everyone in the cast until finally the right Mary Jane appears and all ends most happily. Important parts were taken by Robert Brown, Louis Parrott, Willie Sanders, Myrl Allman, Florence Heater, and Eleanor Bassett. Bernice Bullock was good in the part of a maid while Lee Ryan and Charlie Carlisle took character parts. Henry Graves appeared as a Chinaman.

## NEWBERG CELEBRATES VICTORY OF BERRIANS

### FLOAT IS PARADED ON STREETS

Band Plays and Big Jubilant Crowd Cheer as Queen Aubrey is Heralded Twice a Winner

Last Thursday evening was made a jubilation night on the part of the people of Newberg and vicinity. The Berrians had brought home two prizes from the Portland Rose Festival and there was great rejoicing on the part of everyone as so happy an outcome of the event. Newberg went into the parade with the sole idea of getting some publicity. Scarcely anyone could have been found in advance who would have had the temerity to assert that we were going to win one prize, let alone two. Consequently everyone was overjoyed at the news.

Many, who were not able to attend the parade in Portland, had never seen the beautiful float which the Berrians entered in the Rose Festival parade and so it was brought back from Portland that they might have an opportunity to see it. The band was kind enough to volunteer their services for the evening and they played and marched ahead of the float which was run back and forth on Maine street. The street was completely lined with autos and people and it has been estimated there were about 1,000 people on the street. Cheers greeted the appearance of the float. Queen Aubrey Lemon and her little maids occupied the throne just as they did in the Portland parade and thus the local people were given an opportunity to pass their judgment upon the float.

Last week's account of the float was somewhat incorrect as it was necessary after the plans had all been made to change them because there were not sufficient flowers of some colors to carry out the color schemes as outlined, but the float was substantially the same as originally planned. As the float journeyed down the streets of Portland it was given a much more hearty reception on the part of the crowd than was given any other and after it was known that the Berrians had won second place many said that they believed that it should have been given first.

However, we are satisfied as it was. Second prize in its competition with all outside cities and a special prize in addition and the special commendation of the chairman of the Rose Festival parade committee. As a result, pictures of the float appeared in all three of the Portland papers, and its picture will be included in the moving picture film which will be shown all over the country.

Newberg could not have obtained a wider publicity through the spending of thousands of dollars in any other way. There was a great amount of work connected with the float and there are many persons who deserve great credit for their activity in connection with the affair. Too many to enumerate. Committees who gathered flowers, committees who decorated moss, committees who prepared the flowers for shipment to Portland, committees who gathered berry vines and decorated the berry patch, committees who made successful the queen contest, etc. We cannot even recall all of the committees who helped make the float a success and certainly would not try to enumerate the individuals.

The band which gave their time and talent and went to Portland with only their expenses paid certainly should be given praise and the people of Newberg should not forget their willingness to assist, later when it is necessary to pay their running expenses, Newberg needs a good band and we have one. Let us see that they are give due recognition and pay their expenses.

## MRS. S. F. WALLACE IS P. E. O. LUNCHEON HOSTESS

Mrs. S. F. Wallace was hostess one day last week to Chapter L. P. E. O., it being the last regular meeting for the summer, at which time Mrs. Lyle Palmer gave an interesting review of the state convention held in Woodburn in May, when Chapter L joined Chapter J as joint hostess.

The Wallace home was tastefully decorated with white and yellow blooms, and an elaborate luncheon was served by Mrs. Wallace's three daughters and granddaughter, Mrs. Wallace, wife of Dr. Franklin Wallace, Mrs. Guy Edwards, Mrs. Leon Simms and Miss Alice Simms, all of Portland.

Another interesting guest for the afternoon was four week's old Clifford Spaulding, Jr., who was welcomed as L's youngest B. I. L.

## BORN

BIXBY—In Newberg, Oregon, June 11, 1921, to Mr. and Mrs. Robert Bixby, a son.