

OPENING OF INN GRAND SUCCESS

HUNDREDS TAKE PART
IN FESTIVITIES.

Dining Room at Pilot Butte Twice
Filled to Capacity—Forbes Honored for Work in Salem—
Strahorn Tells Plans.

(From Monday's Daily.)

Festivities which did not come to a close until after 4 o'clock Sunday morning, marked the formal opening of the new Pilot Butte Inn, beginning 12 hours before. Decorations of flowers and potted plants, with beautiful floral pieces presented by prominent hotels in the northwest, added to the beauty of the spacious hotel rooms. Hundreds of guests were present, the dining room being twice filled to capacity from 6 to 10 o'clock in the evening, while at least 100 couples took part in the dancing which followed. Excellent music was furnished by the Wiley B. Allen Jazz band, of Portland.

Forbes is Honored.

During the course of the evening, A. Whisnant called for silence and announced that the occasion had been chosen as appropriate for the presentation of a gift to a Bend citizen. Continuing, Mr. Whisnant told of his observations when in Salem last winter and of how Representative V. A. Forbes, of Bend, pushed House bill 63 through by organizing the House in committee of the whole and obtaining the substitution of section after section preferred by him to the bill which had already passed. For his efforts in obtaining the passage of House bill 135, creating Deschutes county, Mr. Whisnant said, Mr. Forbes' friends were presenting him with a watch and chain. Concluding, Mr. Whisnant prophesied a brilliant career for the Bend man in the state and national legislatures.

In acknowledging the gift, Mr. Forbes spoke of the spirit of Bend which would obtain for the town whatever the people went after. He then introduced Robert E. Strahorn, who after offering his congratulations on the new hotel went on to speak of the railroad and other development possible to Bend.

"The thought uppermost in my mind tonight," Mr. Strahorn said, "is to gratefully applaud the splendid public spirit and exceeding good taste of the creator of this beautiful place of entertainment and to express the hope that he may receive a rich reward not only in the plaudits of the multitude we ardently hope will follow us through its doors, but that he will also receive that more substantial return to which he is so richly entitled. Then follows my oft repeated conviction of the vast importance to every community and interest of the modern hotel or inn, as this has been so fittingly called.

"No single public institution cuts so large a figure in the framing up of social activities, the creation of the community spirit and in the development of all constructive work as the modern hotel. I am sure this one will make my Central Oregon R. R. work much easier.

"I have just come from Del Monte, where the newspapers have railroads built while you wait, and you don't have to wait long. Nevertheless, to be more serious, more railroad building and like activities are cooked up where our creature comforts are best catered to than the average of humanity ever dreams of.

"California's wonderful development has been more largely due to her tourist attractions, chief of which are her hotels and climate than to anything else. There are now 150,000 tourists in California spending over \$1,000,000 per day, \$30,000,000 per month, or \$120,000,000 for the four tourist months. Among them are thousands of investors and home-seekers who ultimately put many millions more into property or business enterprises or in buying and developing lands which would never have been done but for their first trip as delighted tourists.

"These wonderful results of California tourist and hotel life in winter will be attained in large part in the Pacific Northwest when we are prepared to properly entertain that kind of people in summer. Bend's magnificent mountain views, glorious climate and other attractions now supplemented by this superb hotel will be the strongest possible magnet to accomplish this much desired result. Our country not only supplies everything for the summer tourist, but it affords business and investment opportunities far beyond their's.

"But we still lack one great essential—a through rail line from Portland via Bend to California and the east. We cannot hope to adequately realize on all these resources and attractions while our Central Oregon country is sidetracked by only one branch line service. Again permit me to appeal to you to join me in straining every nerve to bring this about at the earliest possible moment."

WILLIAM SHENSTONE'S VERSE.

One of the attractive features of the dinner at the Pilot Butte Inn on Saturday night was a "brochure," which each guest found at his plate, on the back of which was printed the menu. Within there was an article descriptive of "The Spirit of the Inn," based on a verse by an Eighteenth century English poet, named William Shenstone, which is shown in copper letters on the hearth of the Pilot Butte fireplace.

The complete poem from which the verse is taken is as follows:

(Written at an Inn at Henley.)

To thee, fair freedom, I retire,
From flattery, cards, and dice, and den;
Nor art thou found in mansions higher
Than the low cot, or humble inn.

'Tis here with boundless power I reign,
And every health which I begin,
Converts dull port to bright champagne;
Such freedom crowns it, at an inn.

I fly from pomp, I fly from plate!
I fly from falsehood's specious grin!
Freedom I love, and form I hate,
And choose my lodgings at an inn.

Here waiter! Take my sordid ore,
Which lackeys else might hope to win;
It buys what courts have not in store;
It buys me freedom at an inn.

Who'er has traveled life's dull round,
Where'er his stages may have been,
May sigh to think he still has found
The warmest welcome, at an inn.

—WILLIAM SHENSTONE.

WOULD IMPROVE SANITATION HERE

STATE HEALTH OFFICER GIVES
ADVICE AS TO ORDINANCE
PROVIDING FOR DISPOSAL OF
SEWAGE.

(From Saturday's Daily.)

Steps to make Bend a more sanitary, more beautiful city, were taken this afternoon, when Dr. David N. Roberg, state health officer, meeting with City Health Officer Dr. Dwight M. Miller, Councilmen John Steidl, City Engineer Robert B. Gould, City Attorney Benson, and County Judge W. D. Barnes, outlined the principles of a sanitation ordinance to be drafted by the city attorney and presented

to the Bend council.

According to the ideas expressed by Dr. Roberg, the city should be provided with septic tanks, excepting in sections where a sewer system has already been installed. "It is a problem which every growing city must face, and the expense probably would not run more than \$50.00 for each household," he declared. The ordinance as outlined, would give the local health officer power to enforce proper sanitation by means of a nuisance abatement clause.

The advice given by Dr. Roberg is in line with the policy advocated by Dr. Miller since his coming into office, but which he has been powerless to enforce because of the lack of necessary city laws.

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EXPRESS DELIVERY FOR CITY NEARING

Defining of Limits Will First Go
Through Public Service Commission, Causing Delay.

(From Monday's Daily.)

The promise of early action in regard to the starting of a city delivery and pick-up service by the American Express company, is contained in a letter received this morning by H. J. Overturf, secretary of the Bend Commercial club. The letter was written by G. B. Viets, superintendent of the Oregon-Washington division of the company.

Mr. Viets states in his letter that while the matter is being pushed, it will be difficult to fix the date at which the new service will start, as the matter of the limits of the district in which the delivery will be made, must first be submitted to the Public Service Commission and passed on favorably by that body. This, he intimated, might take from 30 to 60 days.

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