

COLLEGE HEAD MEETS TRUSTEES

Dr. Robert MacKenzie, President Presbyterian College Board Here.

GATHERED COLLEGE INFORMATION FOR ANNUAL REPORT

Venerable Man Long in Service Has Words of Praise For Local College.

Dr. Robert MacKenzie, of New York, president of the college board of the Presbyterian church, met with the local trustees of Albany College last night and kept them busy answering questions and showing the condition of the college until after 11 o'clock. After the meeting he left for Tacoma, Wash., where he has an engagement today. From there he will go to Spokane and on east. It was Dr. MacKenzie's original plan to

visit thoroughly and visited the new campus, which the college will eventually occupy. Owing to a press of business and his time being cut short he was forced to hurry on and return to New York. Last night Dr. MacKenzie went thoroughly into the condition and progress of the college, gathering data to include in his report to the National Board which meets in November. He admitted that the college has made a wonderful stride and congratulated the trustees upon the fine record made. He would make no comment, however, as to the future action the National Board would take towards the merger proposal combining Albany College and Pacific University.

It is Dr. MacKenzie's belief that Pacific University is on its last legs for want of financial support of some national institution, and he thinks it good business to acquire the excellent equipment which Pacific has. He also understands the unflinching opposition of the people of this city to any consolidation of Albany College with an institution outside of Albany. What report or recommendation he will make could not be learned, but it is that that his impression of the standing of the college is satisfactory.

This is Dr. MacKenzie's third visit to Albany. In spite of his age, some three score and ten, he is active and in excellent health. He is resourceful, energetic and possesses volumes of information at his tongue's tip. Last night he readily quoted facts about other colleges, and it is said that he can give the size, endowment, enrollment, equipment and other information about every college in the United States. He is an agreeable and pleasant man to meet with, and the members of the board regretted his inability to remain with them longer.

Mae Marsh Burned in Realistic Fire Scene.

Mae Marsh, who became a screen star over night, figures prominently in a fire that is part of the new Triangle-Fine Arts release, "Hoodoo Ann." It proved an occasion even more thrilling for Miss Marsh than it will be for the spectators, for she let enthusiasm carry her into real danger not intended by the director, emerging with slight burns, and half-singed. In the role of an orphan waif she had to rush into a burning structure and rescue a little girl who was one of the inmates—and the building was really burning.

Mae Marsh, who was seen in "The Birth of a Nation," will be seen at the Globe Friday in "Hoodoo Ann," with Robert Barron.

Sam Stowe, of Manila, P. I., is a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry W. Stratton. He arrived in the city yesterday from New York.

Mrs. C. M. Ream went to Salem this morning to spend the day at the fair. While here she will visit with her brother, J. G. Reed, of Lebanon, whose family is camped at the tented city.

INDUSTRIAL SCHOOL FAIR WILL BE BEST EVER HELD

County Supt. Jackson is Busy Making Preparations For the Exhibits.

With final preparations less than a week away, the school children of Linn county are getting extra busy in making ready their exhibits for the industrial school fair, which will be held in this city at the armory at the same time the Harvest Festival, and round-up are in progress, Oct. 12, 13 and 14.

Next week is the last week in which to prepare. County Superintendent W. L. Jackson is a very busy man and is flying around all over the county in his efforts to get together the greatest exhibits of products and works of school children that was ever assembled at an industrial fair. All week Prof. Jackson will travel thru the county, collecting exhibits here and there, urging children to enter the contests and doing his best to make this an attraction that will vie even with the round-up.

That Prof. Jackson believes that the school fair will be a show worthy of itself is shown by the fact that he is a little peeved by having the Round-Up and Exposition take place on the same dates that had been selected for the school fair. He believes that this fair will be a big thing in itself (and it will), and would rather have it free from counter attractions. However, Prof. Jackson is a good sport and since all big attractions will occur on the same dates he will make the best of it by drawing the crowds to the armory, where the most wonderful displays ever made by children will be exhibited.

There will be exhibits from every town in the county. And nearly every school district in the county will be represented, too.

While the Seio fair was the best yet held, the industrial school fair to be held here next month will even surpass it. The Albany fair will have the advantage of the exhibits that were at Seio, and more besides. It is easier to collect displays after school starts, and for this reason there will be tons of things here that were not prepared for the earlier fair.

The entire exhibit of the Albany high school, which made a big hit at Seio will be set up here, with many additions that will be made since the opening of school.

The premium list contains a large amount of money to be given in prizes, and contains prizes for all kinds of exhibits. The fair will be a hummer, and every child in the public grade and high schools of the county is urged to complete his or her exhibit and have it on hand before the opening of the fair two weeks from today.

May Abandon "Bear."

Eureka, Cal., Sept. 28.—It is likely that the stranded steamer Bear will be abandoned. Waves have knocked a large hole in the side of the hull, severely strained. Her position is altered.

Weather Report—Yesterday's temperature ranged between 40 and 73 degrees. The river stands at 1.2 feet.

ALBANY'S EXPOSITION AND FAIR OCTOBER 12, 13, 14

Stage all set for Central Willamette Valley Exposition Fair and Round-Up, Albany, Or., Oct. 12, 13, and 14, 1916.

The fair this year promises to far surpass the very successful fair of 1915 in every way as there will be more exhibits in every department and the program of attractions are greater.

Carpenters will commence building ample accommodations for all exhibits next week. Ample room will be provided for visitors to have comfortable seats while watching the big Albany exposition and round-up, by everyone and it needs only the good graces of the weather man to make the 1916 exhibition the best fair in western Oregon, outside of the state fair. We have a program of attractions that will appeal strongly to every visitor at the fair.

All roads in central Willamette valley will lead to Albany on Oct. 12, 13 and 14, dates of the Harvest Festival.

A. L. FISHER.

GREECE TO ENTER WAR TOMORROW

War Will Be Declared on Bulgaria in 48 Hours, Says Athens Dispatch.

BULGARIA'S INVASION TO BE GIVEN AS CAUSE

Bulgarians Suffer Losses in Macedonian Attacks and on Serbians.

London, Sept. 28.—British foreign office advices said that King Constantine will make an important declaration within 48 hours. Dispatches declared that the king is remaining in Athens. It left slight doubt that Greece would soon declare war on Bulgaria. It is believed the proclamation will give the Bulgarian invasion of Greece as the reason.

Paris, Sept. 28.—It is announced that the Bulgarians have captured a few elements of Serbian trenches on Kamakchalan ridge. They suffered such losses that they feared to renew the attacks. All other Bulgarian attacks in Macedonia were repulsed.

Left to Attend Funeral—

Mrs. W. Hudkins and son R. A. Hudkins left this morning for Wilbur, Wash., to attend the funeral of Harry Hudkins, a nephew of Mrs. W. Hudkins. Mr. Hudkins died Monday morning in the hospital at Spokane, Wash., following an operation. He was 29 years old and leaves a wife and daughter, 3 years old. Mr. Hudkins spent last summer and winter in Albany for his health, and made many friends while here.

MANY HEAR SPEECH OF GERMAN CHANCELLOR

Holloweg to Have Support of Government Critics Invoke Harmony.

Berlin, Sept. 28.—The Reichstag has reconvened. Great crowds thronged the building to hear Chancellor Holloweg's opening speech. Before the session the anti-Holloweg leader promised to support the chancellor if he promises a strong policy toward England. This indicated that government critics are willing to avoid an open fight lest foreign nations misinterpret the clash.

Berlin, Sept. 28.—Holloweg reviewed the military and diplomatic developments since the last sitting. He analyzed the diplomatic history of the Italian and Rumanian war declarations. He declared that Britain forced Italy to declare war on Germany and send troops to join the Salonika expedition, threatening to withhold coal and money unless the action was taken. Crowded galleries heard his remarks.

HUGHES CARRIES HIS CAMPAIGN INTO NEW JERSEY.

Trenton, N. J., Sept. 28.—Hughes carried the Wilson attack into the president's home state. He addressed a crowd of ten thousand at the interstate fair. Hundreds paid admission to enter the enclosure where Hughes spoke. The management said that charging an admission was a mistake. Hughes spoke principally to the crowd of "plain people," standing in the race track. He kept his back toward the grand stand crowd mostly. He attacked the Democratic broken promises, high cost of living and governmental extravagance. Ancient political enemies heard the speech arm in arm.

PACIFIC COAST PUGILIST KILLED AT FRONT IN FRANCE

Vancouver, B. C., Sept. 28.—Percy Chamberlain, well-known Pacific Coast boxer under Percy Cove, the "Human Slat," was killed in action. He was terribly wounded. He worked a machine gun until he bled to death.

J. M. Ralston Went to Portland this morning on business connected with the Dodge Bros. motor cars.

Miss Sue Beckwith rode to Salem today to attend the state fair.

CARRANZA TROOPS SAID TO DESERT TO VILLA

Anti-Carranza Papers Declare Garrison of Hundred Men Marches Away.

El Paso, Sept. 28.—Anti-Carranza Mexican newspapers reported that the defacto garrison at Montecmas, Chihuahua, has revolted. The garrison consisted of 100 men, and three officers from Juarez. Their wives have reached Juarez. It is reported that every member of the garrison marched to join Villa.

Troops Give Out.

Hitt's Ranch, N. M., Sept. 28.—Three hundred of the Pennsylvania division of guardsmen returned to Fort Bliss in motor trucks. Blistered feet made them unable to continue the hundred mile hike with the 13,000 guardsmen. Over 500 have become invalids during the three days. The division marched 19 miles over rugged mountains.

SILVER MOUNTED ROUND-UP SADDLE AND BRIDLE ARRIVE

Two of the Round-up Prizes Made of Linn County Leather Are on Display.

This morning the silver mounted saddle and bridle to be given as prizes at the Western Oregon Round-Up, Oct. 12 to 14, were received at the store of M. Sternberg & Co. They are beautiful specimens of the leather worker's art and do justice to the reputation maintained by Fred Powell, a former Albany man, now living at Pendleton. Powell makes the championship saddles and bridles for all the leading wild west shows in the west.

The saddle cost \$250. It is mounted in silver. The leather is beautifully pressed in various kinds of ornaments. On the skirts of the saddle are engraved "Western Oregon Round-Up, Scratch 'em Cowboy," and on the stirrups the words "Albany, Ore., Oct. 12-14, 1916," are pressed. It is a worthy prize for the bucking contest and will be given in addition to the \$125 in cash that is put up for the winners.

The bridle, also silver mounted, is valued at \$50 and will be given to the best all around cowboy at the Round-Up. The bridle is also handsomely engraved. On the sides are engraved "Champion All Around Cowboy, Albany, Ore. Round-Up, Oct. 12-14, 1916."

The leather for both saddle and bridle was tanned at the Albany Tanning Co., was from the backs of Linn county cattle and was made up by a former Linn county man. Both prizes are on display in the window of M. Sternberg & Co.

Nels Darling.

While the merchants and everybody about town are getting ready for Nels Darling's coming, a few stories of Darling's work are of special and timely interest.

Darling lectured in Maryville, Mo., in 1908 at their big Chaataqua. In 1914 he lectured at Pickering, a town close by, on the lecture course. Five auto loads of Maryville business men drove over to Pickering to hear his lecture. Among them were the president and secretary of the Maryville commercial club.

And this one: Mr. Darling lectured in Falun, Kansas, twice within the past year. Following his second appearance, the bureau received a letter stating that Darling "can get a packed house any time on a notice of 24 hours."

At the U. P. church Tuesday evening, Oct. 3.

Albany Man Promoted—

S. D. Doremus, who was represented the Metropolitan Life Insurance Co. in this territory for the past few years has received a promotion, being made assistant superintendent of this district. Mr. Doremus will move his family to Salem next week and make their home in the capital city in the future. He will still cover the Albany territory, however.

BRITISH CAPTURE GERMAN TRENCHES

Take 2000 Yards at Eaucourt L Abbaye and Threaten Bapaume.

ESTIMATE GERMAN LOSS AT 50,000 FOR WEEK

Berlin Claims Repulses on the Somme and in Carpathians and Capture of Russians.

London, Sept. 28.—Gen. Haig reported that the British have captured 2000 yards of trenches at Eaucourt L. Abbaye and thrust lines close to the village within easy striking distance of Bapaume. Correspondents estimated that the Germans have lost 50,000 men during this week's fighting. The British have advanced between Martinpuich and Guedecourt.

Berlin, Sept. 28.—It is announced that the allies resumed attacks between Ancre and Somme last night. The French retained the trenches northwest of Bancourt and east of Bouchavesnes. Near Thiepval, east of Eaucourt L. Abbaye the fighting is continuing. The result is doubtful. The first attacks on the Morval-Bouchavesnes line was repulsed heavily. Near Korytnica the Austro-Germans recaptured some positions. They took 2800 Russians. The enemy attack in the Carpathians is repulsed.

French Use Artillery.

Paris, Sept. 28.—Paris announced that the French artilliered the German organizations on the Somme front last night. There were no infantry attacks.

COMMISSION APPOINTED TO INVESTIGATE PENITENTIARY

State Board of Control Names Men to Look into Existing Conditions.

Salem, Sept. 28.—The state board of control today appointed Bishop W. T. Sumner, Fred W. Mulkey, Ex-State Senator L. J. Wentworth, and member of legislature to investigate the Oregon penitentiary conditions. Separate commissions will be named to investigate the state training school for boys and the state industrial school for girls.

MORE BAIT FOR RIVER FISHERMEN IS ON WAY.

It's All Off With the Fishing When the "Union" Anchors Off the Columbia River.

Eureka, Calif., Sept. 28.—The gasoline auxiliary schooner, Union, carrying whiskey for sale to Columbia river fishermen outside the three mile limit, sails north today.

CZAR REJECTS WILSON'S PROPOSAL FOR POLISH RELIEF

Hope for Agreement Among Belligerents for Aid of Poles Almost Abandoned.

Washington, Sept. 28.—The czar's reply to Wilson's personal appeal for a Polish relief agreement among belligerents has been received. It was learned that hope for an agreement has been practically abandoned.

Asking Questions—

An Albany physician was called out of bed one morning this week and asked why veal is hard to digest. Early this morning the Democrat office was asked what state made the first star on the American flag. These are busy school days.

LOST—Iron gray mare, white legs, newly shod on hind feet. Call 593-J.

ROUND-UP BOOSTERS LEAVE FOR STATE FAIR

Over 1,500 Albany People Flock to Capital City Today to Boost Round-up.

They're Off! Several autos loaded with Round-Up boosters left the corner of First and Ellsworth street this morning for their trip down the west side of the river to Independence and Dallas and then on to Salem to inform the home folks in those communities that the Rodeo that will be here Oct. 12 to 14 will be no measly affair.

The crowd expected to arrive in the Capital City at noon, gave a few whoops on the principal streets and then go to the fair grounds where lunch would be served. After that they expected to take a place in the grand stand and enjoy the races, at the same time let the big Portland day crowds understand the truth of the matter. Yesterday saw 30,000 people at the fair. At least 10,000 more were expected today.

Besides those going in autos, and there were scores of machines which did not join the procession, there were over 600 people who went from here on trains during the forenoon and early afternoon. The first train out at 8:30 this morning carried nearly 150 Albanyites, and was packed to the vestibules. The state fair special, which arrived from Eugene a few minutes later and left at 9:00 o'clock carried as many more. Seventy-five left on the 8:50 Oregon Electric. This made over 300 people going out in less than half an hour. Every other train leaving also carried a good sized crowd. It is estimated that there are over 1500 Albany people at the state fair today.

Among those going down today was Mrs. C. M. Ream, W. W. Francis, D. H. Bodine, Mr. and Mrs. D. S. Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Isom, Sr. Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Isom, Jr., Hugh Isom, Fred Ward, Mrs. Geo. Hofflich, Miss Neva Hofflich, Mr. and Mrs. S. Freerkens, Dick Peters, Frank Daniels, W. R. Bilyeu, Mr. and Mrs. Walt Worrell and family, Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Wiles, Clarence Wiles, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Crawford, Wayne Dawson, Mrs. Jno. Kirkland, Miss Elizabeth Peacock, Mrs. L. D. Stevens, C. E. Bruce, Mr. and Mrs. Al Saylor, Jr., Henry Broders, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Viereck, Mr. and Mrs. Mart Bilyeu, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Paulus, Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Senders, Mrs. F. E. Van Tassel, Mrs. Grant Pirtle, Frank G. Will, Mr. and Mrs. F. P. Nutting, Mrs. F. M. French, Ed Bailey, Roy Newport, Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Ballack and family, R. C. Churchill and family, R. C. Churchill and others whose names could not be registered in time.

Lebanon Boys Home.

Five of the seven Lebanon soldier boys, who were mustered out yesterday at Camp Withycombe, after a stay of eight or ten weeks on the Mexican border, came home today. They are: Daniel Lawrence, Frank Groves, Lewis Williams, Ira Leo Sturtevant and Ernest Koppen. The two others, Glen Wallace and Glen Richards, are expected to come this evening or tomorrow. Ray Wallace who enlisted and went afterward, has not been discharged, and will probably be sent to the border. The boys are pleased with their experience and return much improved in health.—E. A.

Knights Templar Conclave

Corvallis, Sept. 28.—The annual conclave of Oregon Knights Templars opened today. Washington and Oregon drill corps are competing for the conclave banner this afternoon. One hundred fifty delegates are present.

LIZZIE TAYLOR DIED AT HARRISBURG TODAY

Miss Lizzie Taylor, aged 14, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Reuben Taylor, who resides at Irish Bend, 6 miles north of Monroe, died this morning at the hospital in Harrisburg as a result of an operation. She was in good health up to Saturday, when she suddenly took sick and was taken to the hospital the next morning. She was put on the operating table, but never came out of the effects of the operation.

She leaves besides her parents two brothers and four sisters, one of whom is Mrs. H. E. Hector, of this city.

The funeral will be held Friday morning at 9:30 o'clock at McFarland chapel and the remains will be laid to rest in the Monroe Cemetery.

WILL STOP AT FAIR.

Southern Pacific train No. 13, arriving at the state fair grounds at Salem at 10:10 p. m. will take on passengers Thursday, Friday and Saturday.

COUNCIL NAMES ELECTION HELP

Polling Places Same As Last Year; Judges and Clerks Are Announced.

TRAFFIC ORDINANCE IS POSTPONED FOR PRESENT

Carnival Attractions Must Now Pay a License Same As Circuses and Peddlers.

After meeting once without a quorum and adjourning, Dr. J. H. Robertson put in his appearance after a call at some sick bed and the meeting was held as per schedule. However, it was short at that.

The report of the committee on accounts and current expenses, allowed bills to the amount of \$222.

The traffic ordinance introduced at the last session of the council and read twice came up for final passage last night, but was indefinitely postponed. Councilman E. F. Wiles, the author, decided to withdraw the bill for the present and make some changes with regards to the automobile lights. The present bill was thought to be unfair, causing people with machines without electric lights with dimmers to make expensive changes on their cars, and an expense and an annoyance to people with gas lights.

A communication from Mrs. Keefer, on Water street, stating that the paving in front of her house was crumbling and unsatisfactory, was referred to the committee on street and public property.

The petition from the Y. M. C. A., asking to be allowed to erect a sign over the sidewalk, was referred to the committee on streets and public property with power to act.

A communication from the Albany fire department informed the mayor and councilmen that they have been elected honorary members of the Albany Volunteer Fire department.

The matter of appointing judges and clerks and naming polling places for the December election came up and the following voting places were named, with the judges and clerks for each ward:

First ward—County recorder's office. Judges, Z. H. Rudd, Ed. Washburn and Cora E. Thompson; clerks, Harriet D. Van Tassel and Cassie Thompson.

Second ward—City recorder's office. Judges, T. J. Stites, Ella M. Swan, and A. D. Hall; clerks, Leila Mitchell and Mabel Blount.

Third ward—In the L. W. Moench building on Main street between the Santiam road and O. E. Ry. track. Judges, W. A. Eastburn, W. S. Walker and Anna B. Powell; clerks, E. L. Umphrey and Dena Fromm.

An ordinance was passed providing for a license fee of \$200 per day or \$10 per week for each exhibition operated by him, and the further sum of \$1 per day or \$5 per week for each concession operated by him. This is meant to provide for a separate license for each show, game, merry-go-round, ferris wheel, etc., for carnival companies or others. The penalty for violation is from \$10 to \$25 or from 5 to 12 days in the city jail.

Card of Thanks.

We desire to express our sincere thanks to the many friends for help and sympathy during the sickness and death of our wife and mother.

CHARLES P. STOKES AND CHILDREN.

ADDITIONAL CLASSIFIED.

FOR SALE—Horse, buggy and harness, cheap if taken at once. See Asa Eastburn or phone 2228 Home or 1181 Bell. #26 02

WANTED—Girl to assist with trays. Call at St. Mary's Hospital. #26-29

WANTED—Sheep on shares. Good barn and feed. Address J. H., care Democrat. #25-30

LOST—Strayed or stolen, one Berkshire sow, weight 300 lbs. from the farm of Thomas Farlow, Albany, Box 136 R. D. 2. #26-28

FOR RENT—Large modern house, partly furnished. 1015 W. 9th St. E. G. Snyder. #27 03

FOR RENT—Modern 5 room bungalow, with garage, 127 N. Main St. Home phone 2373. Bell 424-L. #27-29

TAKEN UP—Four small pigs. Can have them by payment of expenses. A. L. Cooper, North Albany. Home 6051. #27-29

SPECIAL NOTICE—Mrs. W. J. McMullin, Tangent, Or., having over 20 years practical experience in caring for the sick, would offer her services to those in need. Write her at the above address. #27-03