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COUNCIL DESIRES TO CHANGE BOUNDARIES

Pursuant to a call by Mayor E. A. Race, a special meeting of the common council of the city of Mosier was held Saturday morning at 10 o'clock in the directors' room of the Mosier Valley Bank.

The city council last spring talked about the proposition of diminishing the city boundaries, and after some discussion the matter was dropped.

With all the councilmen present, it was decided by unanimous vote to instruct the mayor to take up the matter with Judge A. J. Derby of Hood River, who acts as attorney for the city, in regard to the probable cost of such action and the necessary steps of procedure.

Judge Derby was in the city Tuesday to secure data with which to draw up the necessary papers, and conferred with local citizens regarding the matter. At the regular meeting of the council next Wednesday night the city aldermen plan to set the date for a special election to vote on the proposition of amending the charter and changing the boundaries of the city.

The sentiment locally is greatly in favor of the proposed action.

In order to ascertain the proposed boundaries, C. M. Hurlbut, Hood River county surveyor, with his assistant, Al. Cruikshank, were here yesterday to survey and designate the proposed lines.

They were also engaged by order of the council to establish a grade on Third avenue commencing at the intersection of Third avenue and Oregon street, west to the end of the street, which runs 200 yards west of Center street.

After the grade has been established, alterations will be made to conform to the grade.

PACIFIC F. & P. CO. OPENS LOCAL OFFICE

(From the Hood River Glacier)

With Roy F. Gill, a former local orchardist, who for the past year has been with the Coos Bay Produce Co., at Marshfield, here in charge of the company's interests, the Pacific Fruit & Produce Co., of Portland, is making arrangements to establish a local branch.

Mr. Gill has already shipped a car load of Hood River apples and is making liberal purchases of potatoes. Offerings for cash contracts on the local strawberry crop are already being made, and the Pacific Co., it is expected, will be an important factor in the berry deal this season.

Mr. Gill states that he will purchase all kinds of fruits and produce. Geo. Youell, president of the company, is expected here from Portland this week to make final arrangements for the location of a branch house.

"We now have 40 branches over the Pacific Coast states and extending into middle west territory," says Mr. Gill. The Pacific Fruit & Produce Co., which recently purchased a controlling interest in the Oregon Fruit Co., makes its headquarters in Portland.

Crawford C. Lemmon, formerly owner of the Produce Exchange, has accepted the position of branch manager for the Pacific Co. at Kennewick, Wn. Mr. Lemmon is spending this week studying the methods of the company at the Aberdeen branch.

Reno-Phillips News was received yesterday of the marriage of Charles Reno and Miss Irma Phillips at Heppner, Oregon, on February 3. The announcement of the wedding comes as a complete surprise to the many friends of the young couple.

Both are well having resided in Mosier at various times. Mrs. Reno left Mosier in December to be with her father, C. J. Phillips, who was seriously ill and who has since recovered and is visiting in California.

She has been enjoying an extensive trade in her dressmaking establishment in Heppner, and passed through Mosier yesterday on her way to Portland to dispose of her business. She expects to return the last of the week for a short visit with friends in Mosier.

Mr. and Mrs. Reno will reside on a stock and grain ranch ten miles from Heppner owned by the bridegroom. The Bulletin joins with the many friends of the young couple in extending felicitations and wishing them the utmost happiness in their journey through life.

Dufur Needs Many Pruners

R. C. Stockdale, an official of the Dufur Orchard Co., was here last week endeavoring to secure pruners to work in the company's 4,000 acre orchard near Dufur. Mr. Stockdale says that his company still has 3,000 of the big tract remaining unpruned.

"We can use 150 pruners," he said. The Dufur Orchard Company's tract is the largest individual, one piece holding of orchard property, planted to trees, in Oregon. The huge orchard, a show place of southern Wasco county, is one of the largest places devoted entirely to fruit in the Northwest.

Indian George Again Let it spoil everything by shouting too early that "Spring has come," the "Donald Record" cautiously remarks: "Old Indian George is the subject of much criticism just at present on account of his predictions of a hard winter; but it must be borne in mind that it is not too late yet for some real nasty weather. It will be remembered that spring came at least six times last year before it decided to remain with us."

Anti-Alien Bill Withdrawn

Senator Wilbur last week withdrew his bill, which would prohibit the ownership of land in Oregon by any alien who cannot become naturalized. Protests had been made against the bill by the Japanese government.

In his speech withdrawing the bill, Mr. Wilbur stated that he was sorry that any foreign nation could dictate the policy of internal affairs of this government. But he stated that he withdrew the bill in order not to hamper the administration at a time when all attention should be focused on the breach with Germany.

O.-W. R. & N. CO. TO AID FESTIVAL PLANS

H. W. Hicks, traveling passenger agent of the O.-W. R. N. Co., was in the city Monday to make arrangements with the local festival committee in regard to securing service to enable visitors from The Dalles to attend the festival held here next week.

Mr. Hicks stated that local citizens of the committee on arrangements should ascertain the number to be present from The Dalles and give the information to the railroad company by Saturday night of this week. Provided, that over 50 visitors desire to come at one time or even for all three days, a special coach will be brought down on No. 1 in the afternoon and picked up by No. 6 at 1:30 a. m.

"We want to give you people service," said Mr. Hicks, "and if 50 people cannot be secured for any one day or for any day then the people can still come down in the afternoon and return on the midnight train. We are anxious to do all in our power to make the festival a big success."

This week members of the committee will make a strenuous effort to sell the required number of tickets both locally and in The Dalles and Hood River. The season tickets were placed on sale Saturday and good results accrued. The guarantors have contracted to sell 200 season tickets and all local people are falling in line to back the committee in its efforts.

Advertising matter has been distributed in The Dalles and Hood River and a personal canvass with tickets will also be inaugurated.

At a meeting of the boards of trustees of the Church of Christ held Monday night it was decided to allow the free use of the edifice for the festival. This action on the part of the directors of the church is greatly appreciated by the festival committee, who are also grateful to the church members for the loyalty to the community in endeavoring to make the festival a big success.

Rev. Myers has been boosting for the County Festival as have the other church members and in fact every one seems anxious to lend their best efforts towards the ultimate progress of the undertaking.

The church will seat over 400 persons, and it is probable that the seats will all be faced towards the east, the same as those in the lecture room. The committee has been granted the privilege of making necessary changes for the occasion.

Prof. B. A. Berry this week received a letter from the Ellison-White company stating that their representative, J. J. Dyche, will arrive in Mosier Friday to assist in formulating and carrying out successful plans for the winter festival. He will remain here to coordinate the festival committee until the entertainment will have been concluded. Mr. Dyche will be present to talk over plans with the festival committee.

Unique Posters Attract Attention

Long narrow posters proclaiming the Mosier Community Festival to be held February 13, 14, and 15 are attracting considerable attention:

The Oldest Inhabitant Said to Me "Do You Mean To Say That I Can Hear The Middleton Trio In Two Concerts And Melling On Mexico And Orah Harkness The Entertainer And Carpenter Tell About "Worlds in the Making" And Hawaiians Play The Ukuleles And Sing The Songs Which Made The Islands Famous And See The Mawson Pictures The Greatest Death Teasing Films Ever Taken J. J. Dyche and Healed on Friday As Told By Sir Douglas Mawson of his Antarctic Expedition For Only \$1.50" And I Said "Just that Three Joyous Days Afternoon and Evening For One and a Half Simoleons."

COURT CONSIDERS INSPECTION FUND

(From the Hood River Glacier)

The time of the Hood River county court was taken up yesterday with a discussion of an appropriation for use of the county fruit inspector the coming season. LeRoy Childs, acting superintendent of the local branch of the Oregon Experiment Station, declared that funds expended on an inspector's work formed good insurance. While a sentiment in favor of increasing the budget of \$600 for the inspection work prevails, most of the numerous orchardists present seemed to think that the sum already set aside would be sufficient.

While two applicants, G. H. Robbins and Elmer Lafferty, presented the court with formal petitions, numerous others have expressed an aspiration for the job at \$600 per year.

Prof. L. F. Henderson, who recently tendered his resignation as fruit inspector, has proposed to the court to retain the office, provided the sum of \$2,000 were made available for the work of inspection. In case this offer was not acceptable to the court, Prof. Henderson stated that he would work for 10 months at \$100 per month, if the county would pay his expenses. An appointment will be made today.

The Dalles Finds Anthracite

J. D. Altman, representative of a Mendota, Wash., coal company, who was here Saturday morning visiting local fuel dealers, declares that a state of feverish excitement exists at The Dalles over the discovery, about two miles south of that city of a vein of real anthracite coal. Mr. Altman says the samples shown are truly anthracite. Parties interested in the property, he says, are rushing a further exploration of the vein.

Ferry Rates to be Reduced

Al Sheplar, who with Commodore O. C. Dean, operates the Hood River-White Salmon ferry system, stated that a material reduction would be made the coming Spring in the rates charged automobiles and tourists using the ferry boats. The rate of \$1 per trip of machine, including chauffeur, and 25 cents additional for each passenger, raised a howl of protest last year from touring motorists. The ferry system made a special rate of six passages, for car and four passengers, at \$5. But this was of benefit only to local motorists.

PORTLAND BUSINESS MEN AT PLAY

From the Hood River Glacier

Frolicking like a party of school boys away on a vacation, the members of the Fourth Annual Portland Y. M. C. A. Snowshoe party, after an early breakfast at the Mt. Hood Hotel, left at eight o'clock Saturday morning aboard the steam train of the Mt. Hood Railroad Company for Parkdale, journeying thence to Homer Roger's Mount Hood Lodge, where they remained until Tuesday, participating in ski and snowshoe jaunts over the snowfields of Mount Hood.

The prominent Portland business men indulged, before retiring Friday night, in the Morpheus-wooding pastime of cowboys, as described by Owen Winter in The Virginian. Although no scarcity of rooms or beds existed, as was the case in the Virginian episode, E. J. Jaeger found the bed room allotted W. J. Hofmann and son, Allan, to his taste, and in an effort to pre-empt the room, several of the prospective ski experts engaged in so noisy a pillow fight that less strenuous ones of the recreationists joined in a protest with other guests of the hostelry. But the scuffle of the amateurs, explained as a training for the more arduous tasks to follow on skis and snowshoes, had not ended until Mr. Jaeger sustained a blow that left a purple knot on his forehead.

Members of the Y. M. C. A. party were: Morris Barnes, N. A. Colman, A. L. Fisher, A. M. Grilley, W. J. Hofmann, Allan Hofmann, J. P. Jaeger, E. J. Jaeger, Fred Kiser, D. G. Lebb, O. W. Mielke, C. R. Miller, J. Arthur Norman, J. P. Plagemann, M. M. Ringler, Geo. F. Scott, J. E. Wernick, and R. H. Atkinson, all of Portland; Chas. Betz, of Spokane; and Ashley Wilson, of this city.

William McMurray, general passenger agent of the O.-W. R. & N. Co., who had planned to make the trip, was detained at the last moment because of the snow blockade creating a congestion of traffic in the Blue mountains.

An innovation in winter sports was introduced Sunday morning, when the members of the party, fresh from their deep slumber of Saturday night, plunged from the cozy quarters of Mount Hood Lodge into deep snow banks. The men remained in the snow baths for several minutes. All declare that the icy contact was exhilarating, producing ravenous appetites.

Care and gloom were banished Saturday night, when the Portland business men initiated the following six novices into the mysteries of the Y. M. C. A. club: A. L. Fish, O. W. Mielke, Geo. F. Scott, E. J. Jaeger, F. Arthur Norman, and Chas. Betz. One of the features of the initiation was a 14 foot leap from the seat of honor on a huge snowbank into a drift below. The leap was actually only four inches, and the surprise of the blindfolded initiates was amazing. Mr. Mielke, grasping in the imaginary space with his toes, sustained a painful sprain to one of these members in the four inch leap.

Rosy cheeked from their four day outing the members of the party who passed through the city Thursday afternoon en route to their homes in Portland, were greeted by a representative crowd of business men of the city. While awaiting the arrival of the west-bound O.-W. R. N. train, the visiting recreationists were escorted through the storage rooms and warehouses of the Apple Growers Association, and were presented with selected Spitzenbergs by Wilmer Sieg, sales manager of the Association.

The members of the party expressed an appreciation of the special attention shown them by Ashley Wilson, superintendent of the Mt. Hood Railroad Co., and R. H. Atkinson, of the O.-W. R. N. Co. Mr. Atkinson accompanied the vacationists.

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Mosier Festival Next week is the Mosier Festival. This is a time when we can show what community spirit is. If we all get together and boost, and buy season tickets, it will be an encouragement that will make it possible to secure other good things for our community. Let's have no "knockers".

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