

THREE COUNTIES UNITE AT BANQUET FOR BOOSTER WORK

"The best affair of its kind ever held in southern Oregon." Such was the general verdict on the Commercial club's tri-county banquet held at Hotel Medford Tuesday night. The scenic and climatic attractions of southern Oregon was the subject, and never were they discussed more convincingly or entertainingly.

Organization Formed

Preliminary to the banquet, a joint committee meeting of representatives from the commercial clubs of Klamath Falls, Ashland, Grants Pass, Medford, Central Point and Gold Hill was held to effect an organization of the three counties to promote the development and advertising of the beauty spots and tourist attractions of this section. It was decided to use the existing commercial clubs as units in the new organization, with a board of directors consisting of three representatives from each club identified with the organization. F. E. Watson of Ashland, C. L. Hobart of Grants Pass, J. W. Siemens of Klamath Falls, C. S. Redfield of Gold Hill, W. E. Kohler of Central Point and Ben C. Sheldon of Medford were appointed a committee to effect the organization and call a second meeting at Klamath Falls, probably some time in June.

Vining and Hanley

The banquet commenced promptly at 8 o'clock and was all that Manager Mohr had promised.

President Gates of the Commercial club acted as toastmaster and happily avoided the frequent fault of "too much introduction." Will G. Steel was the first speaker. Harmony was his text and most convincingly did he show how united action would help each section, while independent effort accomplished little. Mr. Steel was never heard to better advantage.

O. L. Ranehard of Grants Pass spoke of his recent trip to Washington in the interest of the Crescent City harbor and stated that the railroad outlet to the coast was assured.

Judge Henry L. Benson of Klamath Falls, several years ago a resident of Medford, and district attorney here, promised the hearty, enthusiastic co-operation of that city and county in the laudable purpose of the gathering. He said that his city had been assuming that Crater Lake belonged to them, but they had come to the conclusion that they could well afford to share it with Jackson county and the world.

Steel First Speaker

Professor Vining of Ashland gave a most polished address on the ethical side of community life and activities, and roused the audience to a high enthusiasm with his eloquent plea for united action in behalf of the best ideals and incentives to high living which were so abundant in this favored locality.

William Hanley of Harney county followed in a short speech filled with rugged good sense and keen wit. His Bryanesque smile and plain, straight-to-the-point remarks made a most pleasing addition to the eloquence of the other speakers.

George M. Hyland of Portland was the last speaker, and he most forcibly and strongly summed up all the points covered by the preceding speakers and dwelt for a few moments on the importance of Oregon's having a good exhibit at the San Francisco fair next year.

Good Vaudeville Program

A splendid vaudeville program was alternated with the speakers. The Rusty Hinge Glee club, recently organized by Ben Sheldon under the auspices of the Commercial club, rendered two fine selections. They propose putting on a show at the Page in the near future, and their success of last night promises a fine entertainment.

Cousin Mittleburger, George Andrews and William Vawter rendered splendid solos. The development of young Vawter's voice has been phenomenal and he has a brilliant future musically.

The spacious dining room was crowded to its limit with enthusiastic boosters, who adjourned with the feeling that the evening was a huge success and promised large results.

Ben Sheldon represented the local club in conceiving and arranging for the affair and promised that this, the third in the club's series since the first of the year, should be outdoors in the next.

SAN FRANCISCO—Declaring too low the census bureau's estimate of 448,502, the chamber of commerce's statistical department declared San Francisco's population 560,502, and that of "greater San Francisco" 910,000.

SCHOONERAGROUND HARBOR ENTRANCE SUISLAW'S MOUTH

MARSHFIELD, Ore., April 29.—Although waves have dashed continually over the stranded schooner Hugh Hogan, which went aground late yesterday on the south spit of the Siuslaw river bar at Florence, the nine persons on board, including the wives of Captain Hill and the mate, refused to abandon the vessel early today when lifesavers from the Gardiner station reached the scene. The position of the two women and seven men was still believed to be perilous.

The lifesavers arrived during the night, and immediately made plans to remove the imperiled people. They finally reached the vessel, but Captain Hill, the two women and six members of the crew staunchly refused to be taken off. Captain Hill urged his wife and the wife of the mate to go ashore in the lifeboat, but they refused to desert their husbands. It was feared last night that the schooner would be dashed to pieces as she lay broadside to the sea, but it is believed now that she will be saved. An attempt will be made by the tugs Roscoe and Roberts to pull the schooner off the sand at high tide.

MARSHFIELD, Ore., April 29.—At 9 o'clock this morning no news had reached here from Florence, where the three-masted schooner Hugh Hogan is aground on the south spit of the harbor entrance, with nine persons, including two women, on board, but earlier reports were that there was a chance that those imperiled would be rescued.

The Umpqua river lifesavers were on the scene, but unable to reach the stranded vessel. Several tugs were standing by, but on account of the shallowness of the water were unable to approach.

The Hugh Hogan, laden with 350,000 feet of lumber taken on at Florence for San Francisco, was being towed to the open sea late yesterday afternoon by the tug Roscoe when the line parted and the schooner was left helpless in the heavy sea that was breaking over the bar.

The schooner was quickly buffeted onto the sands and lodged broadside to the breakers.

A heavy list developed later and soon the Hogan was lying almost on its side. It was in this position at the time the last report reached here.

PHOENIX CITIZEN YANKED OFF TRAIN

H. Arvin of Phoenix was yanked off the top of the mail car of north-bound passenger train No. 16 Tuesday evening by Officer Crawford of the local police force upon the telephone allegation that he jumped a board bill at Phoenix. Arvin was turned over to the Phoenix authorities and was given a preliminary hearing before the Ashland justice of the peace this morning.

The police were also called upon by the conductor of No. 14 to quiet a rambunctious passenger who was howling and singing and making speeches on the train.

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WELSH WINNER FROM CROSS IN TAME AFFAIR

LOS ANGELES, Cal., April 29.—Freddie Welsh's cleverness and generalship are the two outstanding features today of the little Welshman's hollow victory over Leach Cross of New York at Vernon last night. Welsh proved that he retains all his old-time boxing skill and his generalship showed when he refused to be moved by the hisses of the fans who wanted to see a real fight, and followed out a tame but sure-victory campaign.

Throughout the 20 rounds Welsh hit and got away. He landed every known punch to Cross' face and body almost at will but there was not sufficient force behind them to cause damage.

Cross, bewildered by the Welsh tactics, failed to get into real action at any time, although he honestly tried. He went down from a right swing in the 13th largely because he was off balance.

From a spectator's standpoint the fight was the poorest seen at Vernon in many months. Hundreds of fans left the arena during the last eight rounds and those who remained spent their time and breath hissing the boxers.

Walter Williams of Portland saved the show by putting up a whirlwind ten round bout with Battling Chico, the Mexican bantam. The Oregonian outgamed Chico and earned a clean-cut decision.

Patsy Kline of New York beat Johnny Arrouzay of Los Angeles in the first preliminary but the judges called the bout a draw.

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DELAY LANDING OF FIFTH BRIGADE AT VERA CRUZ

VERA CRUZ, Mex., April 29.—Vera Cruz' new civil government got down to business today. It was set up by Admiral Fletcher late yesterday, with Robert J. Kerr, a Chicago and Mexico City lawyer, as governor; Commander Stiekney as inspector of the port and customs collector; William Buckle, another lawyer, as administrator of justice, and Charles H. Stewart as treasurer.

For some reason which the authorities did not explain, the fifth brigade's landing from the transports was still delayed and it was said the soldiers probably would not come ashore today. In the meantime the bluejackets and marines remained in occupation of the city. Admirals Badger and Fletcher and General Funston were still in conference on shore.

News was received from Mexico City that 300 Americans were still there. They were free to leave if they pleased, but evidently considered they were in no danger.

General Huerta was said to be strengthening his forces in the capital and in negotiation with General Zapata.

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WAR PRISONERS AT SAN DIEGO ESCAPE PRISON

SAN DIEGO, Cal., April 29.—Fifty-seven Mexican soldiers held prisoners at Fort Rosencrans here, escaped early today. Eleven were recaptured. There are about 600 prisoners, captured when they fled across the border after one of the battles, and on account of the strengthening of the border patrol only ninety-one American troops were left on guard.

The Mexicans took advantage of the small guard and a rainstorm to sneak away. They are penniless.

The men escaped by digging a tunnel seventy feet long from a tent to the yard of the quarantine station.

The men dug the tunnel with tin cans and carried the dirt away in their pockets.

Soldiers noticing unusual activity in the camp, made a search and found the end of the tunnel under a store.

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