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BEACHES DRAW LARGE CROWDS

The warm weather during the past week end drew hundreds of cars of tourists and campers to the Tillamook beaches. The line of cars began passing through about ten o'clock Saturday morning, and continued until Monday. By five o'clock Saturday afternoon at least 250 cars had passed through headed with campers and outdoor supplies. It is estimated that between the hours of five and six o'clock Saturday evening 70 automobiles of visitors passed through the city. The perpetual line of cars continued over Saturday, Sunday and Monday.

The beach resorts, namely Bear View, Twin Rocks, Saltair, Rockaway and Manhattan, were crowded over the weekend. Pacific City and Neskovin also had their visitors. Dancing was in progress over Saturday, Sunday and Monday at Brierley and Saltair.

The hotel at Manhattan has been thoroughly repaired and put in readiness to carry on the season's trade.

The road from Rockaway to Manzanita has been completed, making it possible to travel very nearly the extent of the Tillamook beaches by automobile.

The past week marked the opening of the Tillamook beach season and it is thought that Tillamook and the beaches will continue to be as popular throughout the season as in seasons past.

OBITUARY

Preston Brooks Calhoun Lucas was born Oct. 9, 1856 in Carroll Co., Missouri and died at his farm home near Tillamook, Oregon May 24, 1921, age 64 years, 7 months and 15 days.

He had been in poor health for some time, but his energy kept him active. However because of the condition of his heart his passing was not altogether unexpected. The end came as he had anticipated, quickly and suddenly.

He was married February 17, 1886 to Almada Shives of Hals, Mo. To them were born four daughters, Elizabeth Maxwell of Buhl, Idaho, Beulah Moore of Prescott, Arizona, Clara Hiner of Los Angeles and Blanche Lucas of Tillamook, and three sons, Elmer, Brooks and William, all of Tillamook. There are three grandchildren, Esther Maxwell Jack Moore and Jane Hiner. Beside the widow and children above mentioned there still survive him three brothers, Jas. Lucas of Okla., and George of Salem Oregon and four sisters, Anna Daniels of Gilliam, Mo., Alice Crouch of Bosworth, Mo., Lou Price of Boulder, Calif., and Nellie Reynolds of Amarillo, Texas. One brother and one sister preceded him to the spirit world.

He was converted in 1877 and joined the M. E. Church of which he remained a member until 1904 when he united with the U. B. church at Beaver, Oregon, afterward transferring his name to Tillamook. He remained a faithful member until his death. He moved to Oregon in 1909 and first located at Beaver, later coming to Tillamook where he engaged in the dairying business. The last few years were spent on the farm east of town. He joined the Masonic Order at the age of thirty, and in 1915 became an active member of the local Grange of which he was Chaplain at the time of his death.

Brother Lucas was a faithful husband and father, a good citizen and neighbor, but he has been promoted to a higher station and now awaits the coming of his loved ones who are left in sorrow to work and wait. May their reunion be complete.

COMMENCEMENT EXERCISES

The commencement exercises for the 1921 class of Tillamook High School were held Friday evening in the Christian Church.

The address of the evening, "The Man of the Hour" was delivered by Dr. George R. Varney, instructor of public speaking at Oregon Agricultural College.

The class was comprised of fourteen graduates: Grace Jolliffe, Eida Archibald, Geneva Abrams, Annie Newberg, Hallie Large, Ellen Norberg, Mae Pesterfield, Emma Grant, Henry Bhocler, James Campbell, Alta Simmons, Laverne Holdrege, Leiland Bester and Bryan Tucker.

Eight of the fourteen graduates intend to continue their studies at advanced schools of learning, while three are to take up post graduate work, leaving only three of the 14 graduates of the 1921 class who do not intend to continue their studies next fall.

TILLAMOOK BALL CLUB LOSES FIRST GAME

The Tillamook Ball Club suffered its first defeat of the season Monday May 30, at the hands of the Sheridan nine. The game was close and fast throughout although both teams were handicapped by the dust on the diamond. Fortier, pitching for Tillamook, fanned twelve men during the game.

The Tillamook boys played a good game even though they were minus about 5 regular players. Harold Edley, the Tillamook manager, scored 2 home runs. The score was tied in the last of the ninth with two men out and two strikes on the batter, when the Sheridan lad at the plate tipped the next one over the fence. The game ended with the score 9-8. The Tillamook battery was Fortier and Heisel.

KILL KARE KLUB

The club met May 19th at the home of Mrs. J. S. Lamar, assisted by Mrs. Haberlach.

All but three members were present. Mrs. Conover being on the sick list. Ma Pennington was elected delegate to attend the annual convention of Women's clubs at Pendleton.

The club extended an invitation to the convention to meet in Tillamook in June 1922.

The papers read by Meadames Poorman, Smith, Gruber and Reedy were very instructive.

The afternoon guests were Meadames Groat, Robinson, Kuratti and Burge.

After the meeting those present were treated to strawberry shortcake. The club will meet with Mrs. Reedy and Conove in June.

OREGON TO GAIN CONGRESSMAN

Washington, June 1.—Oregon may gain one congressman in the new attempt to increase the house of representatives from its present number of 435 to 483 members.

A meeting of the committee on the census has been called for next Wednesday by Chairman Siegle to consider the reapportionment of congressional representation under the fourteenth census.

An effort made in the later part of the last congress to increase the membership by 48 was overwhelmingly defeated and the minority members of the committee who fought for a reapportionment, based on the present number, 435, won a complete victory. This bill died in the senate when congress came to an end March 4 by constitutional limitation.

Chairman Siegle, who comes from New York, claims that the new congress is for an additional number of congressmen and believes that at this time he can win his fight. He claims to be certain of a majority on the committee, which will vote for an increase to 483 first, last and all the time. Representative Barber, California, who led the successful minority fight in the last congress, is equally confident that he and his associates are as strong as ever and that they will be able to hold the membership to the present total of 435.

These states are Indiana, Iowa, Kansas, Kentucky, Louisiana, Maine, Mississippi, Nebraska, Rhode Island, and Vermont, all of which lose one member each, and Missouri, which will lose two, making a total of eleven states which would lose a total of twelve members.

Whatever action the house takes it is probable that the senate will make a fight to prevent any of the shifts above mentioned from having their membership in the house reduced. This is particularly true for the reason that the committee on census in the senate has been abolished and the bill when it reaches the senate will probably be referred to the committee on privileges and elections, of which Senator Dillingham of Vermont is chairman. His state, if the number of congressmen is not increased will lose one member and so will Rhode Island.

Assuming that chairman Siegle can put his proposition through the house practically all of the larger gains will be in the west. 12 Chairman Siegle wins and the new house contains 483, California would gain five representatives, New Mexico, one, Oklahoma one, Texas three, Oregon one, Washington one, and some of the states in the Middle West would also gain. Illinois would gain three, Michigan four and Pennsylvania four, New York four and Ohio the same.

OREGON WOMEN OUTNUMBER MEN

WASHINGTON, May 26.—Oregon grew in population in the last ten year period 110,824. Women increased greatly in the count during the decade and the foreign born population showed a decrease.

The total population of the state, 783,389, comprises 416,334 males and 367,055 females. The corresponding figures for 1910 were: Total, 672,765; males 384,265, females 288,500.

During the decade the total population increased by 16.4 per cent, the male population by 8.3 per cent and the female population by 27.2 per cent. The ratio of males to 100 females decreased from 133.2 in 1910 to 113.4 in 1920.

The distribution of the population according to color or race in 1920 was as follows: White 769,145, Indian 4590, Japanese 4151, Chinese 3090, negro 2144, all others (Filipino, Hindu, Korean and Hawaiian) 268. The corresponding figures for 1910 were: White, 655,090, Indian 4590, Japanese 4151, Chinese 3090, negro 1492, all other 312.

During the decade the rate of increase in the white population was 17.4 per cent, in the Japanese population 21.4 per cent, and in the negro population 43.4 per cent; but the Indian, Chinese and all other population decreased, the falling off in Chinese population from 7362 to 3090, or 58 per cent, being noteworthy.

The foreign born white population numbered 102,151 in 1920, as against 103,001 in 1910. This element of the population constituted 13 per cent of the total in 1920 as against 15.3 per cent in 1910.

NEW BUILDING STARTED

The building which has been under construction for several months was torn down Wednesday and Thursday by a local contractor's crew to prepare the site for the new building which is to be erected soon. The site is owned by Morris Schnal who will use the new building to house his clothing establishment. On the completion of the new building, Vaughn and Larson will occupy the building now occupied by Mr. Schnal.

The building will be a two story affair, with a brick front, and a concrete back. The second story will be fitted as a residence, having all the conveniences of a modern home. Mr. Schnal is at present in Portland buying new stock for fall trade in the new building.

MOONSHINER FINED

Having been found in possession of about three gallons of moonshine last Saturday night, William O'Connell of Cloverdale was taken into custody by Sheriff Aschum and brought to the city where he pled guilty and was fined \$150 and costs.

The outfit O'Connell had been using consisted of a copper boiler and the usual condensation tubes. He claimed he had been making dandelion wine but this is doubted, though no mash of any kind was found with the still. It is said that O'Connell had been operating at Cloverdale for some time.

RECITAL PRESENTED TO LARGE AUDIENCE

The recital and Dunning demonstration by the pupils of Mrs. J. C. Holden, was presented to a large and enthusiastic audience at the high school auditorium, June 1.

The recital was the result of applied study on the part of the pupils and fine supervision of their teacher. Every number was well received and greatly applauded by the audience.

Dunning plus were presented to Margaret McKinley, Kathryn McKinley, Camille Halton and Pearl Anderson, designating that these pupils had covered the course of study prescribed in the Dunning system.

Following are the pupils who took part in the recital and helped make it a success: Leonard Bales, Rosa Mayer, LaVerne Page, Margaret McKinley, Kathryn McKinley, Camille Halton, Pearl Anderson, Marguerite Zweifel, Helen Barber, Merrel Loll, Marjorie Kake, Eula Kake, Dorothy Haberlach, John Chester Holden Jr., Floyd Rosenberg, Ruby Tohl, Burdette Nielsen, Carl Zweifel, Loraine Larson, Irmel Hosley, Darrel King, Donald Crenshaw, Kathryn Lamb, Eleanor Diehl, Carolyn Haberlach, Elizabeth Zuercher and Ethel Anderson.

PENSIONS MAY BE PAID MONTHLY

Washington, June 3.—All persons drawing pensions from the United States, based on military or naval service, will receive their pensions monthly instead of quarterly, if the bill reported to the house favorably by the committee on pensions becomes a law.

This bill provides that beginning September, 1921, all pensions shall be paid monthly on the fourth day of each month. Should this bill become a law—and there is a good prospect for its passage in both houses—more than half a million residents of the United States will be greatly benefited, and the hardship of waiting ninety days for the arrival of the pension will be at an end.

This effects all those drawing pensions on military service, or avail of the war of 1812, war with Mexico, the Civil War, the war with Spain, the various Indian wars up to 1891 and all those granted up to the time of the world war. Congress in providing for the compensation of soldiers and sailors of the world war provided that compensation should be made on a monthly basis. This new bill is to place the other pensioners of the government on the same basis as the veterans of the world war.

There are 225,000 soldiers who entered service in the Civil war now on the pension roll and there are more than 280,000 widows drawing pensions because their husbands were soldiers in the conflict of the states. All told exclusive of veterans of the world war, there are now approximately 571,000 persons on the pension roll of the United States.

H. P. Muller and wife of Portland are spending a few days in the city.

ACTIVITIES AT THE STATE CAPITOL

Salem, Or., June 2.—(Special)—Representatives of the public service, commissions of Oregon, Washington and Idaho will meet in Portland, June 13 and 14, to consider a proposal relative to a joint, equalized schedule of rates and accounting for public utilities operating in the 3 states. A preliminary conference was held in Olympia last week.

The state board of engineering examiners will conduct an examination at 520 Corbett building, Portland, Friday, July 8, for registration of professional engineers. Application blanks may be received from A. B. Carter, secretary of the board, at the address above given. All applications are required to be in the hands of the board at least thirty days prior to date of examination.

Laws enacted by the 1921 session of the Oregon legislature, and which were not effective as soon as signed by the governor through having the emergency clause attached, became effective May 25, the expiration of the ninety days following the close of the session. A total of 354 laws became effective on that date, none having been held up by the referendum. Fifty eight acts carried the emergency clause.

Money of the state irrevocable school fund cannot legally be loaned on land in irrigation districts that have been bonded or that have incurred other extensive liabilities, according to an opinion of Attorney General Van Winkle, written in reply to an inquiry by G. G. Brown, clerk of the state land board. Money already so loaned "will not be withdrawn, but the loans will not be renewed."

In reply to an inquiry by Walter H. Evans, district attorney for Multnomah county, Attorney General Van Winkle has written an opinion that under the fishing code it is unlawful for an angler to fish with more than one rod and line.

The state dog tax is being tested out in the case of E. Hofer against Marion county, which has been appealed to the supreme court. Hofer challenged the constitutionality of the law.

Sherman county ranks first among all the thirty-six counties of Oregon in educational efficiency over a period of six years prior to this year, according to a statement by J. A. Churchill, state superintendent of schools. Educational and financial measurements are used in making the computation. Sherman is first financially and eighth educationally, but its average is first. The counties rank as follows: Baker 14; Benton 15; Clackamas 23; Clatsop 4; Columbia 11; Coos 21; Crook 18; Curry 26; Deschutes 6; Douglas 28; Gilliam 31; Grant 32; Harney 16; Hood River 5; Jackson 9; Jefferson 25; Josephine 29; Klamath 24;

Lake 10; Lane 26; Lincoln 33; Linn 27; Malheur 20; Marion 22; Morrow 3; Multnomah 2; Polk 30; Sherman 1; Tillamook 12; Umatilla 7; Union 17; Wallowa 19; Wasco 8; Washington 34; Wheeler 35; Yamhill 13.

Although retrenchment policies have hit the state hard and although there is a disposition on the part of business to liquidate, financial forecasts are optimistic and uncertainties are being gradually removed, according to a statement by Frank C. Bramwell, state superintendent of banks.

The industrial accident commission has denied a request of Eastern Oregon lumber operators for a reduction of insurance rates under the workmen's compensation act. In a letter to the operators the commission points out that amendment to the law, effective July 1, will automatically adjust the rates, affording a reduction of from 10 to 30 per cent to 73 per cent of the Eastern Oregon operators who are now under the act. This may prevent some of the proposed withdrawals.

The Southern Pacific Railroad company violated the law when it transported from Coos Bay to Portland a man afflicted with leprosy, according to Attorney General Van Winkle, for the reason that the conductor was informed that the man had leprosy, as was also the agent at Eugene who sold him a ticket.

Fred W. Mulkey, Louis J. Goldsmith and S. L. Sabin of Portland have been appointed by Governor Olcott as members of the tax supervising and conservation commission for Multnomah county, provided for by the last legislature.

LOWER RAILROAD RATES NECESSITY

Washington, June 1.—"Hundreds of thousands of dollars worth of fruit and vegetables cannot be shipped to the hungry East because of high rail rates and are rotting on the Pacific Coast" is the statement today of J. B. Mallory, grand vice president of the United Brotherhood of Maintenance of Way Employees and Shop Laborers, which represents most of the unskilled railroad workers whose wages are about to be cut. Continuing Mallory said: "If the railroad executives who have been talking so much are acting in good faith it will be up to them, when wage cuts are announced, to show by reducing freight rates proportionately."

"If rates from the Pacific Coast were reasonable, fruit and vegetables would flood the Eastern markets thus, materially reducing the cost of living."

"The railroad executives have testified that the cost of labor is responsible for high freight rates and have declared repeatedly that rates cannot be reduced until the wages of railroad workers are cut. The railroad labor board has announced that the wages of five hundred thousand unskilled workers would be reduced June 1, but as yet the railroads have made no sign of reducing rates. Labor knows that their cry about wages being responsible for high freight rates is camouflage to disguise propaganda against the unions."

"Now that wages are about to be cut, labor calls their bluff. Cost of living cannot go down until freight rates are lower. If the railroad laborers are forced to suffer a cut in wages, they demand that the cost of living be lowered in order that they and their families may live."

"The average unskilled worker on the railroads does not now make a living wage, and reduction will mean starvation pay for the great majority of railroad labor."

"Not only labor, but the public demand a reduction in the cost of living, and, as lower rates will bring this about, it will demand that the railroads take steps to reduce rates as soon as pay cuts go into effect."

BIRTH NOTICES

Dr. Shearer reports the birth of a daughter to Mr. and Mrs. George Hagood on May 11.

Dr. Crank reports the birth of a son to Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Allen on May 25.

Dr. Smith reports the following births: a son on May 11th to Mr. and Mrs. L. N. Bennett, a son to Mr. and Mrs. Charles Edner, of Nestars, on May 12, a son to Mr. and Mrs. Leo Sanders on May 6th.

Mr. and Mrs. R. N. Henkle were registered at the Portland hotel last week.

CITY DOES HONOR TO NATION'S DEAD

The Memorial Day Exercises, which are held annually under the auspices of the G. A. R. and W. R. C. were held Monday, May 30. The ceremonies included water services, the services at the I. O. O. F. cemetery and the program at the Christian church.

The first item of the day was the water services held at Hogwarton Slough, where floral offerings were thrown on the water, to honor the sailors who have made the supreme sacrifice in the past wars.

The parade then formed and marched to the Christian Church where the indoor services were held. A sketch of the program is as follows: Invocation by Rev. Tucker, short talk by E. J. Claussen of the American Legion, talk by H. W. Spear of the G. A. R., Gettysburg Address by Joseph Heyd, drill by the second and fourth grades of the Tillamook Grade school, selection by the Legion Quartet, the address of the day by C. W. Barriek, benediction by Rev. Tucker.

The services were then dismissed for the noon hour, during which time the W. R. C. gave their annual dinner in the dining room of the Christian Church.

The next issue of the program was the service at the I. O. O. F. cemetery. The G. A. R. and Tillamook Post of the American Legion marched to the cemetery where a fitting ceremony was held. Floral offerings were placed on the graves of veterans and ex-service men. Three volleys were fired and the ceremony was ended.

CLUB CONCERT GREAT SUCCESS

The recital and concert given by the pupils of Mrs. E. E. Koch, and the Monday Musical Club, May 30, was well accepted by a large and appreciative audience.

The recital preceded the concert and was very much appreciated, as all the pupils did excellently. Following is the program of the recital.

Midnet Quintet: Loretta Morrison, Ruth Leonard, Anne Burton, Dorothy Cook, Dorothy Schultz.

Demonstration work: Mary Harrison, Helen Leonard, Helen Schultz, Ase Death, Grieg; Antra's Dance, Grieg; Velma Daniels and Mrs. Koch Prelude, C Sharp Minor, Rachmaninoff, Ramona Halton.

The Monday Musical Club is a club organized by musicians and music lovers to present music in its most artistic manner.

Following the concert Mrs. E. E. Koch gave a talk giving the motives of the club and of the orchestra. The orchestra also is composed of musicians who play for the pleasure it gives and not for any mercenary gain.

Following is the concert program: Interpretive Dance, Helen and Ruth Leonard.

The concert followed immediately after the recital.

Major and Minor Waltz—McKee Magnificent March—Crosby Where My Caravan Has Rested—Lohr

Mixed Quartet: Mrs. Koch and Leonard and Mr. Doty and Leonard. Cornet Duet—Mr. O. M. Cook and Mr. C. E. Trembley.

Cornet Solo—Mr. C. E. Trembley. Treble Solo—Waltz—Selection from "The Blue Paradise."

The concert was an all around success and won much applause from the enthusiastic audience.

As a result of alleged conjugal unhappiness Grace S. Williams is suing Bernard J. Williams for a divorce and the return of her maiden name of Umphlett.

According to the complaint filed this week with the county court the parties were married December 28, 1919 at McMinnville. The plaintiff claims that the defendant failed to provide home or maintenance for her and that she has been forced to support herself. It is alleged in the complaint that the plaintiff was forced to live with her parents in law, which place "proved to be no home whatever as far as the piece of mind, health and happiness of plaintiff was concerned, for reasons as old as the human race."

No children were born to the union.

Washington, May 28.—In all probability the motion of the Oregon Bar association for a rehearing in the Albers case will not be heard next Tuesday, when it is scheduled to be presented by Senator McNary. The court is planning to immediately adjourn out of respect for the memory of the late chief justice, and all business will go over to a later week.

The Port of Missing Men

