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COUNTY FAIR BOARD PREPARES '23 PLANS

School Children Will Get Two Free Admissions To Grounds

BOY SCOUTS TO SERVE

Flying Circus May Be Secured To Furnish Thrill For County Fair Visitors

The Tillamook county fair board met at the office of W. D. Pine, county agent, Wednesday forenoon at 10 a. m. and was called to order by G. B. Lamb. Ira Lance was unanimously elected president of the fair board, to succeed R. C. Maggarrell, whose term had expired.

W. D. Pine had no opponents for the office of secretary and Chester McGhee was elected treasurer. The division superintendents hereafter will be as follows: Dairy cattle and Swine, Dr. J. N. Shaw; Dairy products, F. W. Christensen; Poultry, Leona Rupp; Horticulture and Agriculture, Smith W. Elliott; Culinary, Mrs. W. J. Hill; Textile, Mrs. Geo. Winslow; Floral, H. W. Gooch; School, Geo. B. Lamb; Club Work, David Kennedy; Art, J. N. Bell.

It was decided by the board that each grammar school child in the county be given admission tickets for two days of the week, which it is hoped will result in a larger parental attendance than last year. It was also decided to turn over the job of guarding the fair buildings during fair week to the Boy Scouts of this city, and that they be paid what it cost last year for such work by individuals. It was suggested that the Scouts camp on the grounds and appear in their uniforms, and open an office in their tent for the solicitation of new members for their organization. The Scout Leader will be on the grounds and have supervision of their work, day and night.

In the matter of amusements, the board probably will close with W. B. Mamer of Spokane, for his flying circus of two planes for two and possibly three days. These men perform all kinds of dare devil stunts twice a day, and at night appear with illuminated planes and go through hair-raising performances.

J. W. Duff, of Portland, was awarded the concessions, consisting of a ferris wheel, merry-go-round and two shows. All the members of the fair board were present, to-wit: Ira G. Lance, G. B. Lamb, J. J. Rupp and L. C. Daniels.

SATURDAY'S BOUTS ACCLAIMED SUCCESS

Last Saturday night witnessed the first bouts put on this year by the Tillamook boxing commission. A large crowd attended the event and expressed satisfaction with the results.

The first event was between Illingsworth and Allen, two local youngsters who showed great promise in the ring game. Illingsworth won the decision about half way through the fourth round.

Next Lewis Johnson of Cloverdale and Jimmy Anderson of Portland contested for first place with the result that Johnson won by a knockout in the second.

Dale Freeman 130 and Bud Stengle 128, both of Portland, after battling their limit of six rounds were declared to have fought to a draw.

The main event of the evening was between Art Patnoe of Vancouver and Jack McDonald of San Francisco, both 147 pounds, which ended in the fifth round with a knockout for Patnoe. McDonald put up a good contest and proved to be very aggressive but he was no match for Patnoe with his long reach.

Misses Lillian and Libbie Tucker were passengers for McMinnville Thursday.

METHODIST CHURCH PLANS CONSIDERED

Large, New Edifice Expected To Be Ready For Use By Next October

The Methodist Episcopal church of this city is a unit on the necessity that now exists for a new church building capable of larger and better seating capacity, and other modern conveniences. To that end a committee has been at work for some months past making plans. A location has been secured on the corner of Second avenue and Seventh street, 90x150 ft. with a frontage on Seventh street of 150 feet and a 90 foot front on the avenue.

Architect Pye is now busy perfecting plans for a new church edifice to rise on the new location, and expects to have the plans ready for the builders by the first of the coming month. It is planned to have the building ready for occupancy by the first of October. The new church will cost in the neighborhood of \$10,000 and will be modern throughout, and the floor space will cover about 80x102 feet, with an auditorium to seat 300, 48x58 feet. The Sunday school auditorium will be 36x38 feet, and the choir loft will seat twenty people. The site is a good one, and is easy of access from a large residence section. The old church was totally inadequate in seating capacity and lacked in appearance and modern equipment. The Methodists have a large church here, and believe that they are entitled to a good, up-to-date church. When completed, the new church building will be a credit to the city from an architectural, as well as other standpoint. Tillamook is a city of churches, and that fact has had much to do with its influx of permanent citizens not forgetting its excellent school and fine public library and business attractions.

LOCAL KIWANIS VISIT AT GARIBALDI

What proved to be one of the greatest meetings of the local Kiwanis club was held at Garibaldi Wednesday, when the members of the local booster organization were the guests of the Whitney company.

After the regular noon lunch and meeting at the company hotel at the bay town the visitors were taken for an excursion through the large mill and to the Nottingham, the ship that is at present loading a million and a half feet of Whitney lumber for San Pedro. The lumber carrier is anchored some distance down the bay so it is necessary to lighter the load from the mill.

At the luncheon in the company hotel the address of welcome was given by Harry Morgan, superintendent of the Whitney plant, followed by a booster talk by Jack Riley, a special agent for the company. C. J. Edwards of the Kiwanis responded.

One sight of attraction that greeted the visitors was watching the logs from the camp near the mouth of the Miami river come shooting down the long skid and plunging into the river.

Visiting Kiwanis who were present at Garibaldi Wednesday express deep appreciation of the company's manner of entertaining guests, and many a word of pleasure was heard for the trip through the big mill.

BAY CITY WOMEN HAV EBOOSTER CLUB

Infected with the spirit of optimism concerning Bay City's future, the ladies of that place last Friday night organized a Booster club with a good initial membership. Following are the officers of the club: President, Mrs. B. A. Cook; vice president, Mrs. Vern Blanchard; secretary, Mrs. Myrtle Bousie; treasurer, Mrs. Burt Mapes. This new club will work in conjunction with the live commercial club now so active in that city.

MOBILIZING GUARD STIRS ENTIRE STATE

Emergency Call Is Sent To Test Out Efficiency Of Troops

TILLAMOOK GETS CUP

Movement Is Declared Very Great Success From An Efficiency Standpoint

With the purpose of ascertaining the condition of the Oregon National Guard as to its ability to mobilize quickly and completely, a call was issued from the headquarters of that organization last Monday night to mobilize the local company immediately.

The call was received here about 6:30 p. m. Captain J. E. Shearer reported to the Adjutant General at Portland that Company K had present for drill seventy-one men and three officers.

The mobilization call was a complete surprise to the enlisted men of the company, outside of the non-commissioned officers, who had been appraised of the proposed call the first of last month. The success of the local unit's large attendance was partly due to the organization of the squad leaders. An emergency call system had been worked out for the notification of each man by his squad leader.

In a conversation with General White at Portland about midnight, the general stated that it was very likely that Tillamook would draw one of the silver trophies that were offered to the winning units in the mobilization. It was reported that Portland people were very much excited over the surprise mobilization and many conjectures were passed as to what the nature of it might be. Some street rumors went as far as to say that the Oregon troops were being shipped to China to take a hand in the chasing of bandits there who have been kidnapping Americans. Later explanations, however, allayed their fears.

The general reported that the success of the mobilization was beyond his greatest expectations.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee A. Cooper and children of Portland were guests of Mrs. Rose Wilkes last week. They formerly were of Blaine.

Mrs. Walter Webber and Mrs. Ed. Hadley left Thursday morning for McMinnville.

SCOUTS ARE NAMED AS SAFETY OFFICERS

Precinct Officers Are Appointed By Boys' Organization For Patrol Of The City

The Boy Scout officers were present at the council meeting Monday night, and Mayor Smith presented them with their new badges of city authority. The stars bear the words: "Safety Officers, Tillamook, Oregon," and are of silver, somewhat smaller than those of the regular police force. The work of the new juvenile officers is to assist the police force. "They proved their worth on clean up day," states Mayor Smith, and they now have charge of the Tourist camp grounds. They report wandering fowls, look after unlicensed dogs, and are in other ways valuable to the police and to the city. They also have abated the juvenile roller skate nuisance on business streets, and their activities all tend toward good. The city has been divided into three juvenile police districts, as follows: East end, all territory east of 5th avenue center, all territory between 5th avenue east and Stillwell; west center, all that section lying west of Stillwell avenue. The organization and their locations in the city as officers are as follows: Scout Mayor, J. Merrel Smith; Scout Leader, George N. Harness; Scout chairman, Elvon Smith; chief officer, Paul Page, First officer east end, Kenneth Conover; Second Chester Anderson. First officer, center section, Gerald Crenshaw, Second, Jesse Dye; Third, Rodney Mathers; West end, first Jos. Heyd, second Mason Hannekrat.

CHICKEN ROOST GETS OUT FIREMEN

The fire department was called out about 5 o'clock Thursday evening to the Gabriel home on Fifth avenue west, where a brooder in a chicken house on the lot was pouring out much smoke, and about to break into a blaze. The department responded in quick order, but before its arrival Mrs. Gabriel and Mrs. Hosley had succeeded in shutting off the heating apparatus in the brooder which ended the danger.

LOCAL ODDFELLOWS ARE AT CONVENTION

The following delegates from Tillamook lodge No. 94, I. O. O. F. left Tuesday of this week to attend grand lodge at North Bend: J. M. Wilson, Ben Egge, Rollie Watson, Geo. Winslow, Claud Myers and Roy Henkle.

MEETING IS HELD ON ARMORY FUNDS

Funds For Furnishing The Proposed State Building Asked For

IS BACKED BY KIWANIS

State Official Expected To Arrive Here With Architect Soon For Meeting With People

An enthusiastic committee from the various interested organizations of this city met this week at the behest of the Kiwanis club to prepare a resolution to be presented to the booster organization regarding the raising of sufficient funds to complete and furnish the proposed state armory that is to be erected here.

After some discussion the committee concurred in a resolution to the Kiwanis that they request the city council to raise in some manner an amount of not less than \$7500 for the armory purpose. The manner of raising the funds was to be left to the judgment of the council. It was thought best not to ask the county to help with this contribution as the county court has already made an appropriation of \$10,000 for armory purposes.

The members of the committees were: From the Kiwanis, C. W. Barrick, C. I. Clough and B. C. Lamb; Company K, John Aschim, G. R. Harness and H. J. Nelson; American Legion, H. L. Gilham, C. H. Coe and Leslie Harrison.

Adjutant General George A. White is expected to be in the city next week with the architect to meet with Tillamook citizens and to look over the armory site.

TWO RAILROAD MEN LOOK OVER COUNTY

John M. Scott, general passenger agent, and Alvin Wick, travelling passenger agent for the Southern Pacific paid this city a visit the forepart of the week and called on business men. While here they were taken to Oceanview by H. H. Rosenberg and viewed the Netarts beaches. It is understood that the S. P. company will sell tickets on all its lines to the Netarts beaches, connecting with a stage at this point for the above beaches. It is also believed that the company will operate a week end train from Portland to Tillamook, beginning sometime early in June.

FIRE DEPARTMENT GOES INTO HISTORY

1889 Is Date Of First Firemen's Organization, With A Few Early-day Members

The first fire protection organization for Tillamook occurred in 1889, and was christened "The Wide Awake Hook and Ladder Co." Among the members, which Fire Chief Coates could remember the other day were: C. N. Drew, B. C. Lamb, Geo. Cohn, Purley Hiatt, Wilbur Stillwell, John Booker and Len Hiner. The early record books of the old company were lost. After the organization had been completed, the company bought an old hook and ladder truck from the Hillsboro fire company, which had outgrown the needs of that town at the time, but it looked pretty good to the young and enthusiastic Tillamook fire fighters. In 1896, most of the original organization took their exemption papers which left the company rather weak.

About this time another independent company was organized soon after water was secured for the town. The committee appointed by the preliminary meeting was Abe Cohn, Tom Coates and Clark Hadley, who reported a temporary plan, which was later crystallized into a new organization with a membership of 24, from 18 years up. The new company came into being about July 7, 1897. Chief Coates, who was a member of the Wide Awake company, resigned, and entered the new company, and the old organization soon passed away.

The new company was named the Tillamook Hose company, which name it still bears. From the old organization the new company inherited a hose cart and about 200 feet of 2 inch hose, while the new company had 500 feet of 2 1-2 inch hose to begin with. In 1914 Mr. Coates was made fire chief and continued until 1925. The new organization soon had 50 members and had quit taking in others. Each member received one dollar per month. In 1917, nearly half of the volunteer membership enlisted in the Tillamook military company that formed for the big war across the water and which withdrawal cut down the then strong force of fighters for home protection.

In 1918, Mr. Coates was re-elected fire chief, a position which he has held continuously since. On the 6th day of the coming Sept. the present chief will have been a Tillamook fireman for a period of 39 years, which is a record that stands by itself.

In 1918, the Ford truck was bought, which was largely, if not wholly bought by funds subscribed by the business men of this city.

In July 1920, the big Stutz pumper was purchased, since which time a long ladder truck has been added. The present firemen's roll contains 20 names. One proud record of the present department is the fact that no fire has ever romped away from the boys beyond control. Another noteworthy fact is that the department has not responded to a fire alarm at the mill for two years past. In 1919 there were two alarms at the mill and in 1920, one alarm. The people of Tillamook have a feeling of security in their fire department. The members and officers are vigilant and efficient, and it has gone beyond the boundaries of this county that this city has one of the best fire fighting organizations in the state to which its record bears ample testimony.

LARCENY CHARGES MADE AGAINST MAN

Willis Hart, who has been working at Camp 4 for some time was arrested on the 19th inst. charged with grand larceny. He was arraigned before Justice Stanley on the 20th inst. and waived examination, and was bound over in the sum of \$1000 to appear before the grand jury at the next term of circuit court, and failing to give the required security for his appearance, he was committed to jail.

Miss Evelyn Rogers was a stage passenger to Portland Tuesday last.

MEMORIAL DAY IS TO BE OBSERVED

Only Few Civil War Men Are Left In The Community

PARADE IS ONE FEATURE

Program At City Hall And Exercises At Hoquarton And Cemetery Will Fill Day

May 30, all over the United States is known as Memorial Day, when the survivors of the great Civil war that raged in the Sixties, now 62 years ago, assemble reverently to pay their respects to the dead, known and unknown, who served in the cause of the federal government, during those thrilling times. It is then that the thinned remnant of 62 years ago, who have survived, gather in depleted columns and peacefully march to the cemetery, strew the flowers and go through with their ritual work for the occasion, then march slowly homeward to take up the occupations of civil life next day.

The program as now arranged is as follows: Marshal of the day A. W. French. Parade will form promptly at 10 o'clock near the city hall and march to the bridge crossing Hoquarton, where the waterfront ceremony will be held for navy and air men. Memorial day services at the city hall auditorium at 11 o'clock. Dinner at K. P. hall from 12 to 1:30. Services by Womens Relief Corps and American Legion at the cemetery at 2 o'clock.

The order of parade will be as follows: Band, Colors, Company K, 162d Infantry, Grand Army veterans, Relief Corps, Spanish War veterans, American Legion, Legion Auxiliary, Boy Scout organization, Camp Fire Girls, school children, other citizens.

Program at City Hall: Stars and Stripes Forever, march, McGhee orchestra; America, audience; Invocation, Rev. Simpson Hamrick; reading of Declaration of Independence, Mrs. Stranahan; Recitation, The Skelton Soldier, Mrs. R. E. Stanley; Flag of the Stars, Community Chorus; address, Rev. Louis M. Anderson; American National Airs, overture, McGhee orchestra; Star Spangled Banner, audience.

Inquiry of Adjutant H. W. Spear of this city this week, disclosed the fact that there are but 19 members of the Grand Army post in this county. These all belong to Corinth Post No. 35, and are scattered over the county and elsewhere as follows:

J. S. Diehle, Jos. Parrazo, H. W. Spear, D. S. Bales, Jas. Ferry, Geo. P. Wilt and C. N. Drew, Tillamook; G. W. Proctor, Hemlock; E. B. Tufford, Matt Maroney, Manabtan; Edw. J. Curtis, Twin Rocks; W. B. Flagg, Bay City; Samuel Downs, Centralia, Wash.; Chas. C. McFalls, Hermiston, Ore.; J. C. Foster, Clatsop; Henry A. Hess, Meda; Edw. F. Lyster, near Yellow Fir.

The officers of Corinth post are as follows: Commander, J. S. Diehl; S. V. C., G. W. Proctor; J. V. C., E. B. Tufford; Quartermaster, Jos. Parrazo; Adjutant, H. W. Spear; Color bearer, D. S. Bales.

The first post in this county was organized over 20 years ago, and was re-organized in 1910. Corinth Women's Relief Corps, has quite a large membership in this city and is quite active. A detail of the local post will be selected to flag the graves of the soldier dead in the cemetery, known and unknown, on the 23d of Corinth post will furnish the flag for every soldiers grave, including all wars, in cemeteries of this county.

C. J. Edwards, of the West Power Co., returned Friday last from a business trip to the metropolis.

Miss Zilpha Funk, sister of Gilbert Funk of this city came to Sunday from LaGrande to clock in the Pennington store.

M. Farmer of Brighton transacted business in town last Saturday.

Mushrooms

