

SPECIAL RATES TO AUTOMOBILE SHOW

Portland, Ore.—Special rates will be granted by the railroads to the coming big Portland Automobile, Truck and Tractor Show, which will be held in the new city Auditorium from February 7 to 13, inclusive.

The war has emphasized the economic importance of the automobile as never before. One of the main purposes of this automobile show will be to demonstrate the many ways in which the passenger automobile, the truck and the farm tractor can help business and industry and thereby add to the war resources of the nation.

All the latest passenger car models will be shown, but the truck and the farm tractor, particularly, will have a place of honor at the show. The farm tractor has added tremendously to the agricultural efficiency of France and Great Britain.

In fact, farm tractors have helped so greatly to defeat the German submarine campaign by making possible the cultivation of increased acreage for food production, that the French and British governments have placed huge orders in this country for still more of them.

The United States government is encouraging the use of tractors and trucks to offset the growing shortage of manpower and horses, and to increase food production and business efficiency. Added to this is the fact that they are cheaper to operate than horse doing only a small part of the work.

A large attendance from outside points is expected during Automobile Show Week. Special arrangements are being made for the reception of dealers and other visitors from outside of Portland.

SAFETY FIRST

To the Editor: I write to see if anything can be done about the reckless regard for human life every time the boats go over to the shipyard. There never was such reckless overloading heard of. Two boats that should not carry more than 25 men each are carrying 300 men between them. They are tied together to enable them to keep afloat. If one of these ropes should break there would be one of those disasters that startle the world. And the owners would justly receive the contempt of the world for their reckless greed. It might take 25 cents more for oil if these boats took a barge between them, but it would insure the lives of 300 men. We have a commercial club that presumes to look out for the welfare of the city. It would be proper business for them to see the reckless gamble in human lives stopped, and let the shipyard men see that their safety is the business of the whole community.

NOT A SHIPYARD WORKER.

With No "Putting Off."

What a different place this world would be if the good things people intend to do tomorrow were only done today!—Prudential Weekly Record.

A good citizen is one who does his tasks cheerfully, gives a proper return for what he receives, and who supports his country all the time.

ROLL OF HONOR OF ST. HELENS SCHOOLS

Tardiness and absence from school results in great waste of time and energy both of pupil and teacher. Parents are requested to co-operate with the teachers to secure regular attendance.

The new term begins February 4, and new classes will be formed in all grades, including the high school at the John Gunn building, but no new classes will be formed at the McBride school.

Section 358 of the Oregon school laws reads as follows: Every parent, guardian, or other person in the state of Oregon having control or charge of any child or children between and including the ages of 9 and 15 years of age, shall be required to send such child or children to the public schools for a term or period of not less or more than the number of months of public school held annually in the district in which such parent, guardian or other person in parental relation may reside.

It is the duty of the teachers to report all violations of the above law, and it will be enforced as rigidly and as impartially as possible. Parents, guardians and other persons residing in School District No. 2 are requested to comply with this law and thus save trouble and expense.

L. L. BAKER, Superintendent.

Names of pupils neither absent nor tardy in the St. Helens public schools during the report month ending January 25.

High School

Seniors—William Perry, Edward Malmn, Laurie Lind, Marian Anderson, Marian Baker, Evelyn Boals, Florence Larson, Arline Paulson, Maude Richardson, Agda Sten.

Juniors—Phyllis Brown, Anna Larson, Earl Bushong, Mason Dilard, Robert Dixon, James Drew, Louis LaBare, Ivar Wellinder.

Sophomores—Mable Davies, Mildred Eppers, Alvah Hudspeth, Annette Payne, Opal Smith, Martin Briggs, Oury Hisey, John Masten, Lloyd Merrill.

Freshmen—Mable Fraser, Elsie Morley, Ada Cole, Leona McTaggart, Rachael Schoonover, Ruby Mays, Edna Gartman, John Barton, Harold Christie, Wade Rutherford, Harry Saulser, Clarence Saulser, Lewis Snelling, Norman Wilkins, Thomas Kiblan.

Per cent on honor roll, 58.

Jennie Huggins, Teacher.

John Gunn School

Eighth Grade—Dorothy Akin, Ruby Bosquet, Naomi Bunnell, Olive Dunwoody, May Goin, Corinne Hill, Anabelle Isbister, Jennie Twambly, Katie Lynch, Gordon Isbister, Thos. Kettell, Rene DeVin, Wade Mays, Charlton Bass, Calvin Whitecraft.

Per cent on the honor roll, 46.

J. H. McCoy, Teacher.

Seventh Grade—Robert Blackburn, Harold Cornthwaite, Milton Faxon, Willie Lynch, Paul Neff, Maurice Richardson, Raymond Rutherford, John Sten, Theodore Smith, Zella Constantine, Rose Corsiglia, Marion Cox, Helen Dodd, Zue Gage, Christine Lundgren, Serena Malmn, Marion Morton, Flossie Pierce, Avere Shaeckelford, Marjorie Specht, Eves Wickstrom, Ward Barnett.

Per cent on the honor roll, 76.

Mrs. E. Wilson, Teacher.

Sixth Grade—Edna Lynch, Nadine Mace, Helen Kieen, Thelma Specht, Robert Graham, Lennart Johnson, Jesse Lansing, Kenneth Pratt, Gladys Barton, Marilla Black, Beatrice Allen, Jessamine Brown, Audrey Cooley, Iva Hattan, Esther Johnson, Irene Jones, Beatrice Lake.

Per cent on the honor roll, 56.66.

Laura Stennick, Teacher.

Fifth Grade—Dollie Anton, Naomi Chittim, Agnes Hatton, Edith Lake, Roberta Long, Helen Loyd, Eva Miles, Edith Nelson, Evelyn Peterson, Marion Sten, Harry Rubens, Orrin Scribner, Maxwell Coates, Cecil Brown.

Per cent on the honor roll, 43.5.

Ruby L. Hicketier, Teacher.

Fourth Grade—Clara Cooley, Ethel Dixon, Ellen Ellefseth, Myrtle Gage, Helen Hise, Vera Kelley, Genevieve Lansing, Ruth Levi, Julia Rora, Mildred Scribner, Ercle Stanwood, Alfred Blackburn, Alva McKie, Hillberg Nelson, Harvey Pierce, Vern Strong, Doane Sutherland, Vernon Moss, John Moore, Alvah Taylor, Carl Gartman.

Per cent on the honor roll, 59.

Edrie LaBare, Teacher.

Third Grade—John Dethman, Harry Ketel, Beldon Lidyard, Uhro Link, Lawrence Quam, Ronald Sutherland, Herbert Watkins, Raymond DeVin, Harry Cooper, Ruth Chapman, Corrine Constantine, Mary Kanary, Mary McKie, Irma Waker, Evelyn Ellefseth, Wilma Jones, Elsie Brown.

Per cent on the honor roll, 53.

Amanda Lake, Teacher.

Second Grade—Leroy Hollingsworth, Murray Taylor, Virginia Bushman, Alice Cooper, Rose Crem, Maurine Jones, Louise Danforth, Ino Lehtikoinen, Janet Matson, Edith Matson, Mildred Adams, Edna Ommundson, Opal Moore, Clarence Alkene, Gustav Albertson, Kenneth Chapman, Charles Doran, Jack Kanary, James Long.

Per cent on the honor roll, 58.

Helen Hall, Teacher.

First Grade—Jane Day, Helen Hoffman, Georgia Bushman, Helena Isahl, Nattie Ryan, Marie McGorty, LaVelle Woodage, Maxine Sapp, Aida Williams, Richard Doran, Oscar St. Jacques, James Leonard, Cleone Brown.

Per cent on the honor roll, 58.

Lois Barnett, Teacher.

First Grade—Opal Bronson, Patricia Dixon, LaVelle Mason, Marjorie Miller, Virginia Morton, Helen Rawson, Ruth Rawson, Lois Rubens, Bernice Smith, Margaret Stevens, Mable St. Jacques, Violet Ziegler, Mary Wickstrom, Byron Adams, Fred Cooley, Howard Bosquet, Thomas Danforth, Merton Jones, Eugene Kettell, Charles Taylor.

Per cent on the honor roll, 69.

Beth Perry, Teacher.

McBride School.

Eighth Grade—Alton Clark, Earl Clark, Morris Merrill, Ruth Chambers, Helen Crawford, Rita Masten, Carrie Makl, Mamie McQueer, Clara Ingram, Mae Ackerman.

Per cent on the honor roll, 77.

C. E. Lake, Teacher.

Sixth Grade—Blanche Perry, Louise Ketel, George Rosasco, Sante Caniparoli, Ralph Monroe.

Per cent on the honor roll, 43.

Mrs. T. E. Andrew, Teacher.

Fourth Grade—Iva Barnes, Mary Caniparoli, Gladys Masten, Margaret Meehan, Genevieve Morris, Hugh Adams, Beryl Merrill, Lloyd Morefield, Fred Warren.

Third Grade—Nettie Barnes, Norma Brasmer, Mildred Carlson, Lois Plummer, Mildred Tacker, Lillian Van Natta, James Ketel, Clyde LaVelle, James Perry, Bramo Caniparoli.

Per cent on honor roll, 53.

Alice Armstrong, Teacher.

Second Grade—Ruby Brasmer, Edna Chipman, Drusilla Frantz, Laura Hansen, Emma Hooper, Edrie Meehan, Clara Morgando, Vera Thompson, Hazel Daniels, Enid Caniparoli, Frank Brasmer, William Bennett, Gerald Buss, Ross Clark, Robert Hansen, Walter Johnson, Harold Lee, Maurice Murray, Robert Oliver, Harry Owens, Angelo Pasero, Iver Swanson.

Per cent on the honor roll, 81.5.

Mildred Taylor, Teacher.

First Grade—Lawrence Barnes, Ruby Howard, Orva Oliver, William Troyer, Pearl Adams, Merna Boulby, Marie Baseel, Lillian Chambers, LaVelle Chambers, Anna Nigro, Harvey Cade, James Cade, Frate Morefield, Clifford Daniels.

Per cent on the honor roll, 46.66.

Ethel A. Matthews, Teacher.

Sponge cake can be made with potato flour.

WALTER B. FREEMAN

Viola Teacher

Deer Island, Oregon

WOULD SERVE OREGON AS U. S. SENATOR

Well Known Legislator Seeks Nomination on Constructive Platform.

Basing his appeal to the voters of Oregon on a comprehensive and constructive platform, S. B. Huston, of Portland, has announced his candidacy for the United States senate, subject to the result of the republican primaries, May 18. Mr. Huston began the practice of law at Hillsboro, Washington county, where he labored successfully, and 11 years ago removed to Portland to occupy a wider field. Since taking up his residence in Portland Mr. Huston has been active in civic affairs, and has been honored by his fellow citizens in his political leadership. His record in the Oregon state legislature shows Mr. Huston to be a man of the people, and his vote on all measures affecting the development of the state and the welfare of the workers has



S. B. HUSTON

been recorded as favoring legislation expressing the best social conscience and broad vision of the future. In his platform Mr. Huston stands for:

Vigorous prosecution of the war until peace shall come with honor to the nation and an open way for democracy.

Laying the cost of the war upon the interests best able to pay. When men give their lives, wealth should be required to give the one thing it can give, dollars.

Making ample provision for the reconstruction period which must follow the close of the war.

For tariff schedules based on the difference in cost of labor at home and abroad.

Making provision for free ports on the Panama canal and at Honolulu and Manila.

Development of Alaska, both agriculturally and industrially. Congress should safeguard the mineral wealth of the territory, but the country should be opened to early development.

Development of latent water power in Oregon. The needs of the times call for constructive work along this line, under the leadership of congress.

Making the basic eight-hour work day in mills, factories and mines compulsory by national legislation. This would give western lumber mills a fair chance to compete with the system of long hours and low wages in the south.

Development of waterways to supplement the reorganized railway system of the country.

Broadening the federal rural credits law sufficiently to make its benefits applicable to conditions in Oregon, in an effort to aid in land development.

Federal aid for the construction of good roads, particularly as a measure of relief for labor conditions following the war.

Support for the shipbuilding industry of the Columbia river district. The industry must be made permanent.

Stop federal discrimination against Oregon.

Support of work along the Columbia river to maintain a 40-foot channel to the sea and improvement of harbors and rivers.

Amendment of the federal constitution to provide for universal suffrage.

Support of national prohibition.

PORTLAND CEMENT BREAKS RECORD IN 1917

The year 1917 holds the record for production of Portland cement, a total of approximately 93,554,000 barrels having been manufactured, an excess over the preceding record production, that of 1913, of nearly 1,500,000 barrels, and over the production of 1916 of more than 2,000,000 barrels, or 2.2 per cent. The shipments in 1917, which were about 90,630,000 barrels, fell below those of the record year for shipments, 1916, by nearly 4,000,000 barrels, or about 4 per cent. Stocks at mills increased more than 2,800,000 barrels, or 33.7 per cent, as compared with 1916.

Higher prices for cement prevailed throughout the United States except

at a few plants in the Pacific coast district. Higher prices were, however, accompanied by higher costs of manufacture. Demand for cement was generally very good during the first five or eight months of 1917 but showed a decided falling off during the remainder of the year. Labor and traffic conditions were generally unsatisfactory.

Three new plants reported the production of Portland cement in 1917—the Hercules, at Stockertown, Pa., the Fort Dodge, at Gilmore City, Iowa, and the Beaver, at Gold Hill, Oregon—and one plant, the Giant, at Norfolk, Va., resumed operations after an idleness of several years.

Statistics of shipments, production, and stocks of Portland cement by commercial districts for 1916 and 1917, compiled under the direction of Ernest F. Burchard, of the United

States geological survey, department of the interior, are now available for distribution. The figures for 1916, which are final, are based on complete returns; those for 1917, which are subject to revision, are based on preliminary reports from all but four of the manufacturers, the figures for those not reporting having been estimated.

NOTICE OF SALE

By order of the Justice Court of District No. 1, Columbia County, Oregon, I will offer for sale at my farm near Warren, Oregon, on the 26th day of February, 1918, at 10 a. m., the following described stray animal, to-wit: A white heifer, judged to be 2 years old, with both ears red inside and with red spot on left shoulder, taken up by me as an stray on November 1, 1917, and due notice having been published as required by law.

7-2 WASHINGTON MUCKLE.

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WHEATLESS BISCUITS.



Parched cornmeal is the feature of these excellent wheatless biscuits. First, the cornmeal—one-half a cup—is put in a shallow pan placed in the oven and stirred frequently until it is a delicate brown. The other ingredients are a teaspoon of salt, a cup of peanut butter and one and a half cups of water. Mix the peanut butter, water and salt and heat. While this mixture is hot stir in the meal which should also be hot. Beat thoroughly. The dough should be of such consistency that it can be dropped from a spoon. Bake in small cakes in an ungreased pan. This makes 18 biscuits, each of which contains one-sixth of an ounce of protein.

DELICIOUS CORN MUFFINS.



Here's an old fashioned recipe for corn muffins that has recently been revived and used with unusual success in several of the larger New York hotels: To make three and a half dozen muffins take one quart milk, six ounces butter substitute, twelve ounces of light syrup or honey, four eggs, pinch of salt, two ounces baking powder, one and a half pounds cornmeal and one and a half pounds rye flour. The butter and syrup should be thoroughly mixed; then add the eggs gradually. Pour in the milk and add the rye flour mixed with cornmeal and baking powder.

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