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## Humane Sunday to Be Observed May 23

Under the leadership of the American Humane Society of Albany, N. Y., Sunday, May 23, will be observed all over the United States as Humane Sunday. The Oregon Humane Society has issued personal appeal to all the churches of Oregon.

Humane Sunday will be observed all over the country with services in the interest of the work of this society, which is to prevent cruelty to children and dumb animals.

The week closing May 23 will be devoted by the American Humane Society to humane education work in all the schools of our land. It is hoped thus to reach the great mass of religious and educational thought for the cause of mercy and kindness. Persons interested in humane society work should address Mrs. F. W. Swanton, Board of Trade Building, Portland, Ore.

The Oregon Humane Society receive recognition in our state law and by a state appropriation to carry on its work and prosecute cases of cruelty under city and state laws.

Another phase of the national movement is that the entire week from May 17 to 22 shall be devoted to teaching kindness to animals in the homes and schools.

The observance of "Be Kind to Animals Week" will include special services in schools of every description, public addresses and the preparation of essays and newspaper articles by school children and others devoted to

horses, dogs, cats or other domestic animals; also work horse parades and similar functions.

It is needless to say that the subject of our duty to wild animals and their proper protection should also be given special attention. In one state, at least, it is proposed to have automobiles go through the state for the purpose of distributing humane literature and encouraging the formation of new local anti-cruelty societies, as well as to stimulate the activity of those already in existence.

### Moving Pictures

The Star theater has presented comedies, and then more comedies, but of all the mirth provoking productions that we have seen, "Tillie's Punctured Romance" certainly eclipses anything presented up to date.

Marie Dressler, Charles Chaplin and Mabel Normand are the principal funmakers. They kept the audience in an uproar from start to finish. Miss Dressler and Chaplin are exceptionally good. Every moment is a scream. This fact was demonstrated last night. The bill will be repeated tonight for the last time.

Miss Elizabeth Marbury has become associated with F. Ray Comstock and is now a full-fledged theatrical manager.

## MUSICALE AND READINGS, TOO

REV. J. H. VAN FOSSEN, DISTRICT SUPERINTENDENT, AND WIFE WILL RENDER PROGRAM FOR MAY FESTIVAL

Following is the program of the second number of the May Festival at the Methodist church tonight:

- Piano—(a)—Concert Polka . . . . . Wallace (b)—Spring Song . . . . . Leibling
- Duet—Violin—Myrtle Ramsby. Piano—Evelyn Whitmore.

Mrs. H. J. Van Fossen Historical Drama, Benedict Arnold: Scene I—Benedict Arnold at Quebec Scene II—Arnold at Philadelphia Scene III—Arnold near London. Mr. Van Fossen —Anonymous

Vocal Solo—"Love and I" . . . . . Hawley Mrs. Bert C. Thomas

Piano—(a)—"Whispering Wind," Wallenhaupt (b)—Saltarelle . . . . . Scotson Clark Mrs. Van Fossen

Reading—"The Earthquake Prayer" . . . . . Will Carlton Mr. Van Fossen

Vocal Solo—"Lavender" . . . . . German Mrs. Thomas

Reading—"The Laven"—A Poe-m, Anonymous Mr. Van Fossen

Piano—(a)—"I Love to Tell the Story" . . . . . Roper (b)—"Two Larks" . . . . . Leschetisky Mrs. Van Fossen

## Since Capture of Libau, von Hindenburg Is Idolized



GENERAL VON HINDENBURG

BERLIN, May 12.—Already hailed as one of the nation's greatest heroes, General von Hindenburg, the German officer in supreme command of all operations against the Russians in the eastern fighting, has attained a still greater popularity on account of the capture of Libau by the German troops last Saturday.

Libau is 195 miles west by south west of Mitau, one of the chief cities of the Baltic provinces of Russia, against which the latest German cam-

paign has been directed. It has been bombarded at intervals by German vessels.

In taking Libau, the war office announced, the Germans captured 1,600 prisoners, twelve cannon and four machine guns.

The Austrians and Germans have crossed the Wislok River near Kroono, it is stated, cutting off a considerable Russian force. The total prisoners taken in Galicia number 70,000 or more. Thirty-eight cannon have been captured.

## Local News Happenings in and about Town

Meet Tomorrow. The Presbyterian Aid Society will meet with Mrs. J. J. Steiger Thursday afternoon at 2:30.

Aid Society Meeting. The Ladies Aid Society of the Christian church will meet tomorrow at the home of Mrs. S. D. Harlan, corner Tenth and High streets.

Here From California. Mahlon Landis, formerly a local boy, is here from California to visit his brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Leo Houston.

Good Fishing Luck. W. J. McCallum, assistant manager of the International Harvester company's office at Portland, who is an angler of state renown, spent yesterday forenoon fishing on Ling River rapids, with fine success.

To Return May 20. According to word received by Robert Giffin of the Western Transfer force, Mrs. Giffin will return about May 20 from Canada, where late in March her father died. Her mother also died there May 2.

## CREAMERY MEN TO TAKE TEST

EXAMINATIONS FOR STATE LICENSES WILL BE CONDUCTED HERE BY COUNTY AGRICULTURIST GLAISYER

County Agriculturist Glaisyer has received notification of his appointment as an examiner for those wishing licenses to use the Babcock test in the purchase of milk and cream on a butterfat basis. He will conduct examinations in two or three places in the county later in the month. Glaisyer's appointment is under a new law which makes it necessary for any creamery, cheese factory, etc., operating the Babcock test in the purchase of milk or cream to take out a state license. Before this license is issued, the operators must undergo an examination under the auspices of the dairy department of the Oregon Agricultural College.

## FORESTER LIKES PELICAN PLANT

ASSISTANT DISTRICT FORESTER RETURNS TO PORTLAND AFTER VISIT TO FINE NEW LOCAL SAWMILL

(Herald Special Service) PORTLAND, May 12.—E. E. Ames, assistant district forester, in charge of timber sales in the Portland office of the forest service, has just returned from a trip to the Crater National forest. At Klamath Falls he visited the new mill of the Pelican Lumber company. Mr. Ames reports that the mill is undoubtedly the finest in the Klamath Lake region. It is a double band mill, with a ten-hour capacity of 150,000 feet. The company purchased 100,000,000 feet of timber from the forest service four years ago, and has recently purchased 400,000,000 feet more. The crew in the woods has been at work for about a month, and already has approximately 3,000,000 feet felled.

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MOTION PICTURES TUESDAY AND SATURDAY

**TODAY'S ODDEST STORY**  
United Press Service  
SEATTLE, May 12.—"Goodness gracious!" ejaculated post-office clerks here when Mrs. Anne Olson called for enough parcel post stamps to ship her household goods through the mails.  
"I'm moving to Quinault, and Uncle Sam will carry my stuff cheaper than the railroads," said Mrs. Olson, as she plastered \$4.62 in stamps onto huge bundles containing rocking chairs, kitchen utensils, carpets, a dining room table, a stove, and other domestic effects.  
The consignment weighed 337 pounds.

**Columbia Awakened**  
NEW YORK, May 12.—Columbia university is all astir over the prospects of football this fall, and while nothing startling is expected the first year, the revival of the gridiron sport has awakened a new interest in other branches of athletics. South Field is crowded daily with aspiring students.

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