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BEAUTIFUL EXHIBITS ARE ARRANGED FOR THE AUTO SHOW, STARTING TONIGHT

Automobile Dealers Put Forth Every Effort to Make Roseburg's First Show a Success—Inventions Will Doubtless Attract a Great Deal of Attention.

Artistic decorating has been brought down to a fine science for the automobile show which starts tonight at the armory. Booths have been beautifully arranged to display exhibits being made by local dealers and the elaborate decorations to be seen would be a credit to any automobile show. Every bit of the available floor space has been sold for very attractive exhibits arranged.

Around the outside wall of the armory auditorium booths in which automobiles, tires, tractors, accessories, inventions, etc., are being displayed. Practically every dealer is represented and the very latest models are to be seen, surrounded by the most beautiful decorations that could be devised. Flowers, tinsel, multi-colored streamers, and evergreens, colored lights, and all of the other items used by decorators in constructing beautiful displays have been called to use, the central feature in each being the highly polished motor which are shown to the best advantage possible.

In the center of the hall has been constructed a large band stand where the musical selections will be made and where school children and local musicians will appear in special numbers during the three evenings. The stand is directly in front of the armory, where spectators may obtain an excellent view when they desire to sit for a short time and still look upon the show and enjoy the musical program.

Adjoining the band stand is a booth where candies, drinks, ice cream, etc., will be served. This booth has been attractively dressed in crepe paper streamers and arches and a very pleasing appearance is presented.

Adjoining this are several displays of foodstuffs, shown in pyramids on stands, and in other ways. The very latest types of automobiles are to be seen, while tractors, and accessories are shown in separate booths about the room. Two vacuum brake inventions are very attractively displayed, one being the automatic electric brake, which is being manufactured in a Portland factory owned and controlled by a company consisting almost entirely of Roseburg stockholders, while the other is a vacuum brake invented recently by Roy Catching, a local mechanic, a brake which is attracting a great deal of attention. The brake operates on a vacuum principle, the vacuum of the engine removing the vacuum from a vacuum tank which is connected to a series of plates, which in turn operate the brake rod. The brake is operated from a lever mounted on the steering post.

There will also be a display of

DOPE BENEDICT SUFFERS FROM COLD

ROME, Jan. 19.—The condition of Dope Benedict, suffering from the flu, is reported unchanged. His temperature, high yesterday, was reported as diminished today.

CHINESE SATISFIED WITH "SQUARE DEAL"

WASHINGTON, Jan. 19.—The far eastern conference adopted the Hughes and Geddes resolutions, denouncing against unfair discrimination in Chinese railways, and for eventual Chinese control of those lines. Both are important steps in giving China a "square deal" and the Chinese appeared satisfied.

SUGAR ADVANCES TEN CENTS TODAY

PORTLAND, Jan. 19.—Sugar advanced ten cents a hundred pounds, wholesale, here and at San Francisco. The best cane sugar here now is \$11.90 per sack.

METHODISTS MEET PORTLAND TONIGHT

PORTLAND, Jan. 19.—The Northwest Methodist convention opens its sessions here tonight and continues tomorrow. It is called to consider missionary, educational and benevolent work of the church. Nine nationally known leaders are attending and concentrating on the Portland division.

AUDERY CREIGHTON DIES IN FRANCE

PARIS, Jan. 19.—Mrs. Thomas Stewart Ryan, widely known American violinist, known as Miss Audrey Creighton, died today in the American hospital at Neuilly. She suffered several days from swallowing poison tablets.

NAVAL LIMITATION TREATY NEARLY DONE

Based on a Desire For Maintenance of General Peace Throughout World.

ARMAMENT REDUCTION

Famous Ration Figures Not Included in Text Due to Sensitiveness of Japan, But Tonnage Statement Made.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 19.—The naval limitation treaty, slowly moving toward complete approval by the plenipotentiaries of the several powers represented at the arms conference, is based upon a desire for "maintenance of general peace" and for the reduction of armament competition, according to its preamble. The treaty proper is divided into three chapters, the first containing twenty articles, and the second is divided into four parts, the capital ships to be retained, rules for scrapping tonnage, replacement, and definitions; chapter three, with miscellaneous provisions, contains articles relative to common action should any power desire the treaty's modification or in case a signatory power becomes involved in war. The famous figure ratios, 5-5-8-1.75-1.75 are not included in the text, due to Japan's sensitive feelings, which might denote her secondary position. The specific tonnage statement covers this ratio, however.

Altogether the arrangement appears to be very satisfactory and it is evident that the automobile show which starts tonight will be one of the season's greatest events.

CHIEF WITNESS "CAN'T REMEMBER"

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 19.—Miss Zey Provost, chief prosecution witness, was suddenly recalled from the stand in the Arbuckle trial today when the prosecution declared it was surprised at her testimony. She testified she did not remember a number of the salient points of her testimony in the previous trial.

INDICT DIRECTORS OF INSOLVENT BANK

ST. LOUIS, Jan. 19.—Seventeen indictments were returned today against seven directors of the closed Night and Day bank, and Arthur O. Meisinger, cashier, on charges of receiving deposits after the institution was insolvent. Former Governor, Major and Judge William A. Allen, of the court of appeals, were among those indicted.

FORMAL DEMAND FOR VETS BONUS

WASHINGTON, Jan. 19.—Republican ex-service men in the house of representatives in a statement today formally demanded that the house effect immediate passage of the soldiers' bonus bill.

Member of Home Passes Away

J. L. Mattocks, a member of the Soldiers' home passed away last night at the Soldiers' home hospital. Mr. Mattocks had been ill for several months. Since September, 1921, he had been in the home hospital. He was 81 years of age on January 13, 1922. He was a member of Company C 12th Regiment, Iowa Infantry. He is survived by a wife of this city and other relatives at Oregon City. His body will be shipped to Oregon City where the funeral services will be held.

Delightful Surprise Party

A delightful surprise party was held last night at the Yokum home on South Mill street in honor of Louise Yokum. A happy throng of young people were there and various games and amusements filled the evening until a late hour when a dainty luncheon was served by Mrs. Yokum. Those present were Louise Yokum, Lucia Giles, Reta Arthur, Alto Wooden, Dorothy Lane, Pauline Trusty, Frankie Thorpe, Alene Singleton, Marion Smart, Nellie Callaway, Helen Clayton, Ellis Diddy, Wilbur Thomas, Orville McCulloch, Alonzo Denn, Donald Hagerty, Lyle McCulloch, Lestly Hagerty, Reginald Ashworth, Joe Ward Young, Everett Gushrage, Glen Reyners, Harold Phillips, Wayne Cox and Charles Yokum.

BORAH FIGHTING FOR PROVISION IN REFUNDING BILL

WASHINGTON, Jan. 19.—Senator Borah today opened his fight for a provision in the new foreign debt funding bill aimed to bring about the allies' payment of interest on eleven billion of the debt at least annually. He would have the European nations settle down, economize, cut down their large war forces, meet the interest regularly and start debt liquidation. He cited Germany as an economic illustration. The republican caucus, started yesterday, is now considering this provision, and also detail of the soldiers' bonus bill, which will follow the foreign funding bill.

Poincare Decides His New Platform

PARIS, Jan. 19.—"Respect for the treaties that fixed the peace terms," is the platform Premier Poincare decided to present before the chamber of deputies today. His declaration blames "shameless propaganda" for the picture drawn abroad of France "tainted with a sort of imperialistic madness," and declared France insists on the conditions of the Cannes protocol to be accepted or rejected by the delegates prior to any discussion.

PARIS, Jan. 19.—In a dramatic speech before the chamber of deputies, Raymond Poincare, former French president, and the new premier succeeding Briand, denounced the charges of imperialism which have been made against him, and demanded the deputies give his ministry a vote of confidence. He declared for closer relations with America, and insisted Germany must be made to pay, even by imposition of severe penalties if necessary. The deputies leaped to their feet, applauding and shouting.

UNEMPLOYED FORM ARMY OF OPPOSITION

DUBLIN, Jan. 19.—A hundred and twenty unemployed men seized a meeting hall last night, formed a "volunteer army" of four companies, and raised the flag in defiance to the British provisional government.

COLD WAVE IN STATE CONTINUES

PORTLAND, Ore., Jan. 19.—The cold wave continued throughout Oregon today, with prospects of a slight moderation in the next 24 hours. The temperatures here and throughout the valley ranged about the same as yesterday morning. The minimum here was 17 above between 3 and 5 o'clock; Salem and Albany 15, Eugene 18. Sub-zero weather prevailed in eastern Oregon. At Baker it was 14 below, the lowest recorded there. Umatilla was 11 below zero.

OLD MAN WINTER TRAVELING EAST

CHICAGO, Jan. 19.—The cold wave, bearing snow, reached eastward today from the Rocky Mountains, leaving behind the coldest weather known in Washington and Oregon since 1909, and below zero weather in the nearer western states.

GAME WARDENS FIND DEER MEAT

Carcasses of Two Deer Slain Near Freyer Cabin Are Found Hidden.

HUGHES PAYS A FINE

Roy Hughes Pleads Guilty of Violating Game Laws and Freyer States That He Will Do the Same as Soon As Wound Is Healed.

The two deer which, it is claimed, were killed by Douglas Tapp and Roy Hughes, prior to the fight which ended in the taking of Tapp's life, were found Tuesday night by Deputy Game Warden Walker and Loar, and Hughes was fined \$50 for having killed them, while a complaint has been placed against Wallace Freyer who will appear in court as soon as his wound heals sufficiently to allow him to go before Justice Taylor at Elkton.

The game wardens followed the sheriff and coroner to the house and made a careful search of the premises. They found nothing there and continued their search into the woods adjoining the house. In a gulch about three hundred yards below the cabin they found the two deer, the meat having been dressed out and quartered. The person who removed it from the cabin did not attempt to hide it securely but just threw it out upon the ground, where it was found frozen and in fine condition. It was brought back and turned over to the manager of the county home where the inmates enjoyed a fine feast today.

Going to the other Freyer cabin about four miles below, where Freyer is now located, a portion of another deer was found. The game wardens went on into Elkton where they made a complaint against Hughes who entered a plea of guilty and paid a \$50 fine and costs. A complaint was also made out against Freyer who told Mr. Walker that as soon as he is able he will appear before Judge Taylor and enter a plea of guilty.

Mr. Walker states that in the event Young is released from jail following circuit court, he will be immediately arrested again on a charge of violating the game laws. People in the Elkton vicinity are greatly divided over the killing, Mr. Walker states. Relatives of the slain man claim that it was a case of murder and that Tapp was hit in the head with an axe after being shot, while others claim that Tapp was to blame and that the case was one of self defense.

AFTERNOON SESSION OF W. C. T. U. CONFERENCE IS MOST INTERESTING ONE

Benefits of Prohibition Related—Several Local Citizens Made Interesting Addresses—Judge Hamilton Talks on Laws of United States.

The afternoon session of the W. C. T. U. conference held yesterday in honor of the second anniversary of national prohibition was one of the most interesting, helpful and inspiring meetings held in a long time. When the business men at the noon hour reviewed the conditions when the saloons were in Roseburg and the present conditions of our clean and beautiful city with its miles of paving and every nook and corner occupied and people searching every day for some place to live, showing where men before spent their money for gambling and drink spend their money now for medicine, food and clothing, they think it is better to have silk shirts, silk stockings and skirts, than have men detach themselves and also deprive their families of the very necessities of life. While they are satisfied that we would like to see higher moral conditions exist, it is only what might be expected after the most terrible war the world has ever known, and they have no idea of going back to even light wines and beer, but to stand firm for law enforcement and to back our officers in the same.

The instrumental solo by Miss James was appreciated, also the enclosure. The devotions led by Mrs. B. L. Eddy were a spiritual uplift, showing that we must have God in our lives to do best service to our country and humanity. The White Ribbon double quartette sang at different times during the program and was much enjoyed. Rev. L. B. Quick, in his address, emphasized the importance of the woman using their right of franchise in supporting the 18th amendment. Also the lack of home training for reverence in the children for sacred things, was one of the most deplorable situations at the present, and while the church and school have a great place in moulding character the home is greater. A duet by Mrs. J. J. Betts and Mrs. C. W. Greaves of the Glenary union was enjoyed.

Rev. R. A. Hutchinson was unable to be present on account of being called to preach the funeral of the late Douglas Tapp. In his letter expressing his regrets at not being present, many helpful suggestions were given, one being to hold law enforcement conferences over the county. After a discussion of doing this it was voted to undertake this in February. A committee to plan for these meetings was appointed as follows: Rev. C. H. Hilton, Mrs. C. W. Graves and Mrs. A. C. Marsters. Any section that would like a meeting of this kind will please notify the committee. The audience greatly appreciated the duet by Mesdames L. B. Moore and Chas. Stanton. Judge J. W. Hamilton gave a masterly address on "Is Law To Be Sovereign in the U. S.?" Among his strong points he emphasized the importance of men when elected by the people to hold a certain office and enforce the laws on our statute books, that they should not question the law and should be enforced and deplored that any officer should ignore the confidence put in him by giving it up for the sake of money whether it be moving pictures or anything else. He paid high tribute to the women of the W. C. T. U. for their persistence in their labors for better morals, laws, etc. It was brought out by a number of the speakers, the lack of the anti-cigarette laws enforcement, and that the W. C. T. U. was lax in their duty in helping to enforce this law. It was suggested that county and local juvenile officers be reminded of their duty. Extracts from a recent issue of the Oregonian in regard to the growing evil and peril of this habit was read and discussed. A vote of appreciation for the stand of the Oregonian was unanimous, also appreciation for our own News-Review was not lacking. The health talk given by Mrs. H. G. Wilson was profitable and restful, showing the different phases of the W. C. T. U. work. Rev. C. H. Hilton's address on "Take Time to be Patriotic," was forceful and fitting to the present day needs and we are glad that we are to have it printed in full in another issue.

HELD MEN UNDER STREAM COLD WATER

WASHINGTON, Jan. 19.—Before the senate investigating committee today, James Elliott, of Newark, N. J., swore he saw guards punish men late for entry duty by holding them for twenty minutes under a stream of cold water, and that several men died from the effects. "Hard Boiled" Smith's treatment of prisoners at a farm near Paris was alternately condemned and condoned by witnesses.

Egg Prices Advance Few Cents

PORTLAND, Jan. 19.—The cold snap is effecting hens laying, and egg prices here advanced two to four cents, and in San Francisco this afternoon for select were 36 to 37 cents and for first 33 to 34 cents.

THREATENED COAL STRIKE SERIOUS

WASHINGTON, Jan. 19.—Secretary Hoover said today that the threatened strike of the bituminous coal workers on April 1 will probably materialize as planned. There seemed little prospect to avoid a walkout, according to Hoover.

Among those registered at the Hotel Grand are the following: F. Heinrich, Oakland, Cal.; A. P. McAuby, Ashabula, Ohio; W. L. Young, Portland; A. H. Unthank, Portland; G. H. Smith, Portland; W. N. Sampson, Portland; M. D. Elliott, Roseburg; V. D. McCulloch, Portland; and W. L. Karl, Seattle.

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Vehicle Department Represented at Show

A booth where information regarding the state vehicle laws will be given to the public and any possible service rendered, is being fitted up this afternoon at the auto show by the State Motor Vehicle Department, under the direction of T. A. Rafferty, formerly of this city, and who is now chief of the state department. Inspectors J. J. McMahon and D. M. Brown arrived this afternoon to supervise the installation of the booth where two of the state's loadometers are on display. These instruments are used in determining the loads of trucks in preventing damage to the highways of the state.

"The chief purpose of the department is to give service to the driving public," Inspector McMahon stated this afternoon. "It is our desire to help the auto drivers as much as possible in giving information where desired and assisting in making out applications or in any other way where our services may be of benefit. The department is interested in the auto show because it affords us an opportunity to meet the public and be of service."

The booth will be interesting in several respects as the representatives of the department will explain various matters of interest to auto drivers and will have on display the loadometers which have never before been seen in this city and are quite interesting. Mr. Rafferty, who is known to a great many residents of the county will arrive tonight and will be in the booth himself and will also be assisted by the two inspectors who will remain throughout the three days of the show. They have a complete set of application blanks which may be had upon request.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Selleck of Sutherlin were in Roseburg today for several hours. They returned home on the afternoon train.

J. C. McCleode, Asst. State Highway Engineer, and C. B. McCullough, chief superintendent of bridges, were registered at the Hotel Umpqua last night. They were enroute to points north of here.

TO HOLD INQUEST.

Sheriff Sam Sturmer and Coroner M. E. Ritter left this afternoon for Oakland, from where they will go to Elkton tomorrow to conduct the inquest over the body of Douglas Tapp, who was killed Sunday night by C. M. Young. They were accompanied by Attorney Frank Neuner, who will serve as stenographer. The inquest will be held Friday morning.

