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ROSEBURG, OREGON, TUESDAY, JULY 17, 1928.

ALL ROBOTS? OH, NO!

Bernard Shaw's current book on socialism has sorely riled Benjamin De Casseres, New York essayist, and Mr. De Casseres takes a column in the New York World to say what he thinks about it. He is pretty badly upset. The equality of income proposed by Shaw probably appeals to most of us little more than it does to Mr. De Casseres. But the latter fairly sees red—to say nothing of Reds—when he thinks of it. After letting off steam for a column, he concludes: "But I howl in vain. The world is going into a parasitic feministic, deindividualized epoch. Whether it is Mussolini, Shaw, Communistic Russia, a rapidly socializing Germany or France or a federalized America, character and individuality wither everywhere, and in their place we behold the march of robots and state slaves." That sounds very sad. Does it, though, mean anything in particular? It does not—unless it means that we ought to turn the clock back to about 1800, returning to the days of hand labor and stage coach transportation, scrapping all the protective legislation by which we have tried to protect the weak from the strong, abolishing universal and re-accepting the old view that the only people who have any business being comfortable, happy and well fed are those who were fortunate enough to be born into the propertied class. The world, apparently, is parasitic because of such things as old-age pensions and unemployment insurance, feministic because women can vote, and deindividualized because the poor man as well as the rich can own luxuries. Character and individuality are withering because of mass production and the 44-hour week. Robots and state slaves are marching because chairs and egg beaters are no longer made by hand. There, brethren, is deep reasoning! The present stage of society is not final, not fixed. We are still in a ferment. Glittering things are in sight; the absolute abolition of poverty and ignorance, for instance, can now be said to be a genuine possibility. Life is being made easier for the average man than was ever dreamed possible. Does this average man tend to waste his leisure? Does prosperity bring vulgarity? Does the passing of illiteracy spawn tabloid newspapers? Perhaps; what of it? A revolution can't be consolidated overnight. Give us a chance.

The Apostle Paul was informed that it is hard to rebel against the inevitable. It is just as hard, and futile, now as it was in Syria 2000 years ago. The invention of the steam engine did more than end hard labor. It began a new epoch in civilization. A new order of things is being born. The outraged squeaks of those who can only look backward are not, after all, very significant.

HARRY KITTREDGE'S DEED

In Lowell, Mass., lives a man named Harry Kittredge whom all holdup men would do well to avoid hereafter. A bandit attacked Kittredge and his wife late one night recently as they returned home after a drive. Instead of submitting, Kittredge grappled with him. The two fought vigorously, until Kittredge got his hands on the bandit's throat. Then he tightened his grip and held on. After a time the bandit's body relaxed and he fell, unconscious. Mrs. Kittredge called the police. When the police arrived the bandit was dead. If more men showed the spirit and courage displayed by Kittredge, there would be fewer holdups. A bandit is essentially a coward; the average holdup man would give up in fear if he thought he were going to run any real risk. This Lowell citizen who defended himself instead of submitting is to be commended.

A CAPTAIN'S SUICIDE

Dispatches from Chile regarding the loss of the Chilean transport Angamos, which hit a rock and sank with 300 on board, say that when the ship's captain, Ismael Suarez, found himself unable to prevent the catastrophe he committed suicide on the steamer's bridge. One can easily understand that a captain might be unnerved at the prospect of a shipwreck that would cost many lives. Yet Capt. Suarez hardly acted in the best traditions of the sea. Maritime records are full of tales of captains who went down with their ships. The stern rules of the sea require a captain to do all he can for the safety of ship, passengers and crew, thinking of himself last of all. The underwater ghosts of the old-time skippers, lolling in Davy Jones' locker, will hardly award a place of honor to this Chilean ship master who lost his head.

COMING EVENTS IN ROSEBURG

Cut out this list of dates of outstanding events for the year and keep it in your pocket for handy reference. Watch for changes and additional announcements as they may be arranged.

Campfire Girls Camp at Wolf Creek	July 16-30
County Farm Picnic, Kiwanis Grove	July 21
Epworth League Institute on Little River site	July 9-16
Douglas County Merchants' Institute	August 30-31
Southern Oregon Seal Sale Conference	September (no date set)
Knights of Pythias Convention, Dist. No. 5	Sept. 22
Regional P. T. A. Convention	Oct. 17-18-19
Fall Meeting Presbytery of Southern Oregon	Oct. 23-24
National Election	November 6
State Horticultural Meeting	Dec. 12-13-14

Twenty-Five Years Ago

From the Roseburg Plaindealer
FEB. 16, 1903.

The Bridge Whist Club will not meet at the home of Mrs. Wollenberg Friday night as was arranged at their last meeting, she having been called to Portland on account of the sickness of her son, Ralph. The meeting is postponed two weeks.

Extra passenger brakemen S. Starmer, N. G. Boyd and Harry Lohr, have been assigned regular runs between Ashland and Dunsmuir.

A Portland man has invented an automatic umbrella rack which prevents an umbrella from being stolen. It is now up to some smart fellow to invent something that will prevent the rack from being stolen.

Next to Lane, Douglas county has made the greatest increase in assessed valuation of property over last year of any county in Oregon.

Hon. J. C. Fullerton and wife, left Tuesday morning for Salem to enjoy the excitement of the legislature.

The Dillard cable boat bridge was carried away by drift recently.

The Drain normal school will receive an appropriation of $12,000 this year, instead of the $15,000 it asked for. In 1901 the appropriation was $11,000.

Ray Henderson, who has been visiting his parents in this city has returned to Oakland, to resume his studies.

S. K. Sykes, the genial hardware dealer, is just in receipt of a highly prized gift from Mr. and Mrs. Dave Blake, who are enjoying a tour of China and Japan. The gift comprises a couple of pairs of Oriental slippers which cleverly display the handiwork of the fabric-weaving natives of the Antipodes. There were other novelties as curious in construction as they are unique and beautiful all of which are greatly prized by the recipient. Mrs. Blake is a sister of Mrs. S. K. Sykes and expects to remain in the Orient about a year.

Willys Knight sedan, 1926 model. This car was owned by a banker and has been well taken care of and is now offered at 1-3 cost about 2 years ago. Hansen Chevrolet Co.

RADIO PROGRAMS

Portland Stations

KGW, 491.5—6 to 7 p. m., dinner program; 7 to 7:30 p. m., concert trio and staff vocalists; 7:30 to 8 p. m., Memory Lane program, the N. B. C. company; 8 to 8:30 p. m., "Eveready Hour," from the N. B. C. company; 8:30 to 9 p. m., "Fifteenth Street Minute Men"; 9 to 10 p. m., program presented from KOMO, Seattle; 10 to 12 p. m., studio dance program, from KOMO, Seattle.

KOIN, 319—6-7 p. m., dinner concert; 7-7:15, amusement guide; 7:15-8, orchestra music; 8-8:15, vaudeville program; 8:15-8:30, talk; 8:30-9, Halowat question box; 9-9:20, studio program; 9:20-9:40, golf program; 9:40-10:30, fight reports.

KEX, 277.6—6-6:30 p. m., utility; 6:30-7, organ concert; 7-8, dance music; 8-8:30, studio feature; 8:30-9, musical frolic; 9-10, scenario writing contest; 10-12, dance music.

Other Coast Stations

KMO, Tacoma, Wash., 254.1—6-10 p. m., popular and classical music.

KHQ, Spokane, Wash., 370.2—6-6:45 p. m., studio concert; 6:45-7, travelogue; 7-9, concert orchestra; 9 - 10, "Northwest Fliers"; 10-12, dance orchestra with intermission solos.

KFOA, Seattle, Wash., 447.5—6-7 p. m., feature program; 7-8, music; 8-9, old-time music.

KOMO, Seattle, Wash., 309.1—6-7 p. m., Totem concert orchestra and male quartet; 7-8:30, N. B. C. concert; 8:30-9, tenor solos; 9-10, studio concert; 10-11, Totem orchestra and soloists; 11-12, news and studio program; 12-12:30 a. m., dance music.

KGO, Oakland, Cal., 334.4—6-6:30 p. m., news, weather, stock market reports; 6:30-7, popular concert; 7-8, N. B. C. concert; 8-9, N. B. C. program; 9-10, the Pilgrims.

KFI, Los Angeles, Cal., 468.5—6-7 p. m., dinner concert; 7-7:30, detective stories; 7:30-8, KFI symphonette; 8-9, N. B. C. program; 9-10, concert orchestra; 10-11, N. B. C. concert.

KPO, San Francisco, Cal., 422.3—6-7 p. m., dinner music; 7-8, theater music; 8-9, N. B. C. program; 9-10, courtesy concert; 10-10:30, novelty feature; 10:30-12, dance orchestra.

KFRC, San Francisco, Cal., 454.3—6-7 p. m., feature and utility; 7-7:30, orchestra; 7-7:30, orchestra; 7:30-8, novelty duo; 8-9, sweetheart hour; 9-10, piano music; 10-11, dance orchestra; 11-12, Roof Garden orchestra.

KHJ, Los Angeles, Cal., 399.8—6-7 p. m., utility and music; 7-8, courtesy programs; 8-9, concert orchestra; 9-10, courtesy concert; 10-12, Biltmore hotel orchestra.

KNX, Hollywood, Cal., 336.9—6-6:30 p. m., string quartet; 6:30-7, concert orchestra; 7-8, varied concert; 8-9, feature program; 9-9:30, courtesy concert; 9:30-10, the psychic prince; 10-12, Hotel Ambassador orchestra.

KFON, Long Beach, Cal., 241.3—7-8 p. m., variety program; 8-9, band concert; 9-10, studio concert; 10-11, Majestic ballroom dance orchestra; 11-12, organ recital; 12-1, dance frolic.

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Essex coach, 1926 model. This car has new oversize tires and otherwise looks like new. This car is priced very reasonable by the Hansen Chevrolet Co.

VETERANS' BUREAU HEAD ON INSPECTION TOUR

(Associated Press Leased Wire)

PENDLETON, Ore., July 17.—Frank T. Hines, director of the veterans' bureau, arrived in Pendleton today. He will visit the Walla Walla veterans' hospital and inspect the site of the modern infirmary building, which will be erected at a cost of $250,000. Plans for the building are being prepared at Washington. A Walla Walla delegation met General Hines here.

Dodge coupe, 1927 model. Looks and runs like a new car. For sale at nearly half new cost one year back. Easy terms or trade. Hansen Chevrolet Co.

ASSAULT AND BATTERY CHARGE IS BROUGHT

Wm. Steuer, of Buck Fork, was arrested yesterday charged with assault and battery, upon a complaint filed by Sam Thackeray a neighbor. The trouble started, it is claimed, over Steuer's dog, which Thackeray is alleged to have kicked. The hearing was set for Wednesday, July 25, at which time the testimony will be heard by Judge Hopkins.

Name tags for marking shrubs, bulbs, etc., are sold at Wharton Bros.

ROSEBURG NEWS-REVIEW POEM FOR THE DAY

By LOUIS ALBERT BANKS

"MINE OWN WILL COME TO ME"
—John Burroughs

That is a proverb good to see,
Which says, "mine own will come to me;"
And always from the days of youth,
I have believed it is the truth.
It waits for me along the way;
For it I work, for it I pray;
With earnest confidence I strive,
Convinced it will at last arrive.

It is not logic—that I know,
Yet in that trust I onward go;
Few things are built by logic's bricks,
But faith forever in us pricks;
It is God's magnet to the soul
That draws us on to find our goal;
It is the everlasting urge,
That drives our sails through ocean's surge;

That, I believe, is promise sure,
For He puts out no false allure;
If good enough, I'll find it true—
'Tis so with me, 'tis so with you.
I'll press right on; I'll never chafe;
I know I'll find His promise safe,
He says, "I shall be satisfied."
And in that word my hope can ride.

It may not be as fancy dreams,
And like the future's mystery gleams.
But I'll not cloud my way with doubt,
Or over-anxious search it out;
I'll do my duty by my task,
To know the future I'll not ask,
For He who woke this hope of mine
Will never fail His word divine.

You Too Will Like

The new trend toward the hard finish cloth—the loose sacky suit has had its day. What is more dressy than a trim fitting hard finish worsted suit, one that brings out the lines of the body and will keep its shape regardless of hard knocks. Harth's Toggery suits are that kind. New models and new patterns coming in every day.

QUALITY CLOTHES

Harth's TOGGERY

LEADERS IN THE MAJOR LEAGUE

(Associated Press Leased Wire)
(Including games of July 16.)

National

Batting—Hornsby, Braves, .397.
Runs—Bottomley, Cards, 79.
Runs batted in—Bissonette, Robins; Bottomley, Cards, 77.
Hits—Douthit, Cards, 127.
Doubles—Hornsby, Braves, 29.
Triples—Bottomley, Cards, 12.
Homers—Wilson, Cubs, 22.
Stolen bases—Frisch, Cards, 16.
Pitching—Benton, Giants, won 15, lost 4.

American

Batting—Goslin, Senators, .402.
Runs—Ruth, Yanks, 90.
Runs batted in—Ruth, Gehrig, Yanks, 81.
Hits—Manush, Browns, 125.
Doubles—Flagstead, Red Sox, 32.
Triples—Barnes, Senators, 12.
Homers—Ruth, Yanks, 35.
Stolen bases—Mostil, White Sox, 14.
Pitching—Crowder, Browns, won 10, lost 1.

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BALL SCORES IN MAJOR LEAGUES

(Associated Press Leased Wire)

Whether it's because of psychology, the law of averages, luck or what have you, the Chicago White Sox are playing winning ball under the managership of Lena Blackburne.

Since Blackburne took over the reins on July 5, the day after Ray Schalk resigned as manager, the Sox have turned in nine victories in 12 starts. Bulking heavily in this reversal of form has been the return to effectiveness of the pitching staff, which on paper at least rates at or near a parity with any in the American league.

For the second time in two playing days, the pale hose took over both ends of a double header with the Boston Red Sox, yesterday, 4 to 0, and 9 to 1.

The New York Yankees demonstrated conclusively that they've recovered from their recent slump by taking their second consecutive double-header from the Cleveland Indians, 7 to 3 and 6 to 2.

Babe Ruth hit his 35th homer of the year in the third inning of the opener and now stands 22 games, 20 days and five home runs ahead of his 1927 schedule.

The Philadelphia Athletics dropped further back in the race when they gained no better than an even break in two games with the Detroit Tigers. Jack Quinn, veteran of Connie Mack's firing squad, registered his 12th victory of the season in the first struggle, 2 to 2. George Earnshaw had the second in his pocket until the eighth inning whe nthe Tigers hammered him out of the box, the second game ending 11-6.

Alvin Crowder hung up his 11th win against a single defeat as the St. Louis Browns romped off with a 4-to-2 decision over the Washington Senators.

Winning and losing streaks have become the fashion in the national league.

Behind steady pitching by Ray Kremer and with the aid of some heavy cannonading by George Grantham and Paul Waner, the Pirates turned back the Braves, 8 to 2.

The Cubs pounded four Phil pitchers into a 10-to-5 defeat at Chicago. Sheriff Blake shut out the cellar occupants until the eighth, when he cased up.

The St. Louis Cardinals, smarting under two straight set-backs by Brooklyn, nosed out the Dodgers in the third game of the series, 7 to 6.

The New York Giants made it three in a row over the Cincinnati Reds, two singles and a sacrifice in the tenth inning turning the trick, 3-2.

THE TINYMITES

STORY BY MAL COCHRAN — PICTURES BY KNICK

Poor Clowny hung upon the rope. It seemed there wasn't any hope of all the others seeing him. They drifted far away. Then Clowny yelled, "If you don't mind, come rescue me. I'm left behind." This time the Tinies heard him and they headed back his way.

They steered the hippo right around and very shortly Clowny found that he was being rescued from his place out in mid-air. When he was with the bunch once more, he said, "My hands are pretty sore from hanging to that rope. I'm glad I got away from there."

"Well, this time stay down in this seat," said Scouty. "Be discreet. Youre always doing foolish things that get you in a mess. A lot of things we'd rather do than spend our time in saving you. But there's no use in talking, you wil never learn, I guess."

Poor Clowny heaved a little sigh and then he said, "You're right, but I will cause you no more trouble. I'll be quiet as can be. However, it seems quite a shame that I should always get the blame. No matter what it is goes wrong, you always pick on me."

Just then the bunch began to tip. They felt the seat beneath them slip. "We're falling," shouted Soppy. "Look! Our seat rope's come untied." And then the frightened Tiny pack fell slowly off the hippo's back. "Oh me, oh my," yelled Carpy. "That's the end of our fine ride."

The seat then let go with a crash. The Tinymites then went kersplash. They landed in the water and began to swim towards shore. This gave the hippo quite a fright, and he soon swam right out of sight. While swimming Clowny shouted. "We'll never see him any more."

(The Tinymites have some fishing luck in the next story.)

READ THE STORY, THEN COLOR THE PICTURE

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PORTLAND HOST TO FLEET OF PLANES ON U. S. JOURNEY

PORTLAND, Ore., July 17.—The port of Portland played host today to a varied company of airplanes which arrived late yesterday on the national air tour. In the line of visiting airplanes, which stretched half the length of the island, was to be found almost every model, from two great all-steel monoplanes to two tiny monocoupes.

Besides the 22 in the tour there were a number of other planes on the field.

L. F. Shoenhair brought his Lockheed monoplane to rest yesterday afternoon at 3:57, and the others arrived at short intervals. The flyers were entertained last night by the Portland committee and today were taken on the Columbia river highway, for lunch at the country home of Julius F. Meier. Crowds thronged the field to inspect the planes. The tour will resume tomorrow morning, with Tacoma as the next stop.

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MEAD TO CONFER WITH OREGON IRRIGATIONISTS

PENDLETON, Ore., July 17.—Dr. Elwood Mead, reclamation commissioner, will be in Pendleton Thursday, July 19, to confer with local interests on irrigation problems of Umatilla county. He will meet groups interested in reclamation and confer with representatives from Stanfield.

Willys Knight sedan, 1926 model. This car was owned by a banker and has been well taken care of and is now offered at 1-3 cost about 2 years ago. Hansen Chevrolet Co.

SIDE GLANCES—By George Clark

"Gee, I'm tired, I'll do well to struggle through the next chorus."
"Goin' to the dance after the show?"
"Sure, wouldn't miss it."

OUT OUR WAY

By Williams