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BOHEMIA DAYS PLANNED BY LEGION FOR APRIL

Men Must Start Growing Whiskers; Women to Adopt Old Time Dresses.

To surpass any of their several pioneer celebrations of past years is the announced ambition of the American Legion for their Bohemia Days, dated for April 26-27. The name has been given in honor of the Bohemia mining district and mining will be featured. Entertainment will be similar to that of the old mining days and window displays will feature mining. Equipment used in the early days of the district is expected to appear.

Men of the community will be expected to produce whiskers in keeping with the old days and women will be expected to adopt costumes of the day. Men who refuse to grow a hirsute adornment of some kind will be taken before a kangaroo court, which will hold daily public sessions. Receipts given by the court will be written on gold picks and gold pans.

Both floors of the capacious armory will be used and there will be entertainment, dancing and gambling games on both floors. No money will be good except that provided by the management.

Prizes will be given for best crops of whiskers, for best window displays, for best characters and best couples that appear in a parade on the last day of the celebration.

Three preliminary celebrations will be held on Saturdays preceding the big show. April 6 will be Lions club day, when the local club will be host to clubs of the district and will provide entertainment.

The Eagles aerie will entertain a series of the district on April 13 and the chamber of commerce will sponsor a pet parade on April 20.

WRESTLING CARD READY FOR TOMORROW NIGHT

Harry Elliott, wrestling referee of Eugene, and Barnacle Bill Watkins of Texas will be featured in a wrestling card which the American Legion is sponsoring for tomorrow (Friday) night. Both are well known in mat circles over the state, both are top notchers and both feel that the outcome of this match will be of importance to them in adding to their reputations, so a bout full of action seems certain.

Another main bout will be staged between Jimmy Murphy of Kentucky and Bill McKenna, former O. S. C. football star. Neither of these has been defeated during the season and both are determined that this shall not be the first time.

There will be a 30-minute preliminary and a hot curtain raiser.

Dramatic Tournay Finals To Be Held Here

The finals in a county-wide dramatic tournament, in which rural high schools are participants, will be held here March 29 following elimination meets at Oakridge, Lorane, Coburg and Vida. Each school will present one skit or playlet in the preliminary meets and winners in the preliminaries will present one skit each in the finals.

The tournament is sponsored by the principals' association of the B league.

249th C. A. C. Is Second Highest in Nation

The 249th coast artillery, of which battery "E" of this city is a member, won second high honors in target practice at annual encampment last year, according to word from the army department. A Rhode Island regiment was given first place.

Mosby Creek Road Vacated.
Two miles of the Mosby creek road, which has been in disuse since relocation of the road near Walden station, will be vacated by the county court. Action will be final in April.

Debate Teams to Meet Before C. of C.

The high school debating teams, which won seven of their ten contests, have been invited to meet each other in a debate before the evening meeting of the chamber of commerce next week.

The debaters are: Affirmative, El Bauder and Lita Mosby; negative, Peg Wilson and Millard McFarland. The teams have not yet met each other. The subject is, "Resolved, that the federal government should equalize educational opportunities throughout the several states by annual grant."

SAM R. VEATCH PICKED CITY TREASURER JOB

Sam R. Veatch has been recommended by the finance committee of the city council for appointment as city treasurer to succeed Herbert Eakin. The further recommendation was made that he receive a salary of \$20 the month. Mr. Eakin, who had served for a long term of years, received no salary. Mr. Veatch will be required to furnish bond in the amount of \$15,000, the premium to be paid by the city.

In the November election there was no candidate for treasurer. Mr. Eakin having refused to accept a nomination. Worth Harvey was elected to the position by the write-in method, but did not qualify, which left Mr. Eakin filling the position. He resigned, but his death followed before a successor had been appointed and no business of the treasurer's office can be conducted until the position is filled.

At the regular meeting of the council Monday a beer parlor license was granted Marie Decker and Rena Gething. Percy Brown of Eugene was selected to audit the city books. Donnell Allen was appointed to handle the recorder's business when the recorder is absent from the office on outside city business. The purchase of two links of fire hose was authorized.

Albany Defeats Lions.

The Cottage Grove Lions lost a one-sided basketball game here Tuesday to the Albany high school. The score was 29-12. The Grovers were way off their game and the visitors had a 9-2 advantage at half. The two points came on a free throw, after seven attempts had failed.

Both teams warmed up in the last half, but the locals let the visitors steadily add to their lead. Thoreson was outstanding for the losers.

This win gave Albany third position in the "A" league.

Mrs. Mary E. Gray Dies.

Mrs. Mary E. Gray, former resident here, died February 20 in Portland, Oregon. She was in Lincoln Memorial park. Mrs. Gray was a sister of Mrs. L. M. Tucker, also a former resident here. Other surviving relatives are a sister and brother in Minnesota, four children, three grandchildren and one great grandchild. The children are: Ralph Gray, St. Louis, Mo.; Mrs. Hazel Snelson, Portland; Leonard Gray and Reynold Gray, Seattle.

Brownlee Child Dies.

Funeral services for Eloise Pauline Brownlee, who died Friday, were held Monday afternoon from Mills chapel with the Christian Science church in charge.

Miss Brownlee was born November 17, 1920, at Reedsport and was aged 14 years. She was living with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. L. P. McCoy of Blue Mountain. She is survived by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Brownlee, and her grandparents.

Presbyterians, Methodists to Join.

Plans for the Presbyterian and Methodist churches to join for Sunday evening service at the Methodist church were made Tuesday evening at a meeting of elders and trustees of the Presbyterian church. The annual meeting of the congregation has been postponed from March 20 to March 27 because of the women's presbytery, which will meet here March 19 and 20.

February Weather Report.

February weather was as follows: Mean maximum, 52.2; mean minimum, 36; mean, 44.1; maximum, 60; minimum, 25; precipitation, 3.94 inches. There were 7 clear days, 3 partly cloudy and 18 cloudy.

POISON FOR DANDELIONS MOSS, WEEDS IS GIVEN

Weeds and moss in lawns can be eliminated to considerable extent in the early spring by use of a number of chemical preparations which may be mixed at home. An effective weed formula is being used at Oregon State college, where it is applied to dandelions and other fleshy rooted plants by means of a pointed stick.

As described by A. L. Peck, head of the landscape architecture department, the material is made up as follows: Take one-quarter ounce of white arsenic and one-half gallon of soft water and boil well. Add another gallon of soft water and one-third ounce of caustic soda and boil again. This forms a stock solution used straight for killing individual weeds, but may be diluted with four parts of water to sprinkle on gravel or drives to keep down weed growth.

Caretakers on the college campus put a long wire bail on a tin can which holds the solution. They dip the point of a sharp soft wood stick in the solution and then plunge the stick down into the crown of the dandelion, which dies in two or three days. The solution is highly poisonous and is treated accordingly, the surplus being stored in glass under lock.

Moss may be eradicated by raking it well to remove the thick patches, and then spraying with a solution of ammonium sulphate dissolved at the rate of 22 ounces in a gallon of water. The most effective way is to apply during a period of clear weather, using a pressure sprayer, though fair results may be had by either sprinkling it on or even scattering the material in dry crystalline form.

Ammonium sulphate is a common commercial fertilizer available from most feed and seed dealers. It helps grass while discouraging weed growth. If applied too strong it may cause some browning of the grass temporarily.

Four-H Club Jubilee to Be Held Saturday

A 4-H club jubilee, being sponsored by the chamber of commerce, will be held Saturday afternoon. Four-H members and their club leaders will be guests at a 2:30 matinee at the Arcade theater. It is expected that several hundred boys and girls of south Lane will attend.

Bank Depositors Receive 15% Dividend

Depositors in the defunct Bank of Cottage Grove were made happy again this week with notice that they will receive a dividend of 15 per cent in the commercial department. This makes a total of 45 per cent in this department. The total to be distributed is \$7,505.21.

Irrigation Engineer Is Coming.

George Kerr, extension engineer of Oregon Agricultural college, will be in Lane county next week to cooperate with O. S. Fletcher, county agent, in assisting Lane county farmers with irrigation problems. Those wishing assistance should communicate with the county agent.

Another Mill to Start.

W. S. Jeans, for several years associated with A. M. Scott at Culp Creek in the saw mill business, contemplates the erection immediately of a mill to cut out 10,000,000 feet of timber owned by him on Table creek. He plans to have the mill in operation within two or three months.

Oakridge Forfeits Game.

The Oakridge I. O. O. F. team forfeited a game to the local team last Thursday night by not appearing. No notice was given of their intention to not appear and a large audience was greatly disappointed, but the local squad was divided and a practice game was played.

Tax Turnovers Are Made.

Tax turnovers totalling more than \$40,000 were made Monday. One was 1932 taxes amounting to \$16,148.63 as principal and \$1,948.49 interest, while the other was for 1932 and amounted to \$11,409.89 with \$2,068.36 interest.

Mimeograph stenoids. Sentinel, Rubber Stamps. The Sentinel.

O. M. Kem Is Opponent Merriam Recall

O. M. Kem, ardent apostle of the Townsend old age pension plan, opposes the proposed Merriam recall. In a letter to The Sentinel, part of which is published elsewhere, he appended the following: "I must close this letter with my most emphatic disapproval of the recall movement, now under way, instigated by some misguided Townsendites to punish one of our legislators for not supporting the plan. I oppose the recall for two reasons. It will militate against the plan, and, if not checked, will undermine the very principle of our government. I sincerely hope that the friends of the plan will not prove to be its worst enemies."

COTTAGE GROVE LOSES GOLF MEET AT BANDON

A Cottage Grove Golf club team was defeated 21½-14½ in a tournament Sunday at Bandon. Falsheim of Bandon was medalist with 71 and Zimmerly was medalist for Cottage Grove with 74. Stowell was a close second with 77. The weather threatened but held off until after the completion of the afternoon play.

Players, medal scores and points won, with Bandon players named first, were as follows:

Clinton 75, 1; Zimmerly 74, 2. Donahay 73, 2½; Morelock 75, ½. Zentner 75, 1; Lemley 73, 2. Falsheim 71, 3; Glass 78, 0. Bennett 81, 2; Bede 82, 1. Linn 85, 2½; Walters 85, ½. Bryant 83, 1½; Hill 83, 1½. Tuttle 77, 3; Chambers 87, 0. Roselle 78, 2½; Nelson 80, ½. Simpson 93, 0; DeYoung 84, 3. Arnold 83, 0; Stowell 77, 3. Howe 83, 2½; Gallier 88, ½.

D. W. McKinney Dies.

D. W. McKinney, 76, native Oregonian and resident of this section for a quarter of a century or more, died Monday at Saginaw. He was born in Benton county January 26, 1859. He is survived by two sons, Ernest and Merwin, Oakland, Ore., and a daughter, Mrs. Anna Leep, Reed, Ore. There are also three surviving sisters and a brother.

100 Killed Daily.

Approximately 100 persons are killed daily in automobile accidents throughout the United States, reports the Oregon State Motor association, which is sponsoring the "Let's Quit Killing" safety campaign. This means that one person dies in traffic every 14 minutes. One person is injured every 28 seconds.

Death Toll Takes Jump.

For every five persons killed in automobile accidents in the United States during 1933, six were killed during 1934, according to records compiled by the Oregon State Motor association, sponsor of the "Let's Quit Killing" safety campaign.

Special Services Announced.

A series of special services will be held each Sunday during Lenten season at the Lutheran church. The sermon topic will be "Six Striking Words of Christ as Recorded in the Passion Story."



Bill Thum is having difficulty getting back to his game after being off for six months with a bum knee.

CAROLERS, BALLADEERS SPLENDID IN CONCERT

Women's and Men's Vocal Organizations Present Musical Hit of Season.

Showing the appreciation of the city in its musical artists, the Arcade theater was filled to capacity Sunday afternoon for the first grand concert given by the Carolers and Balladeers, women's and men's vocal organizations directed by Mrs. Edna Pearson, whose capable leadership was enhanced by sympathetic piano accompaniments by Mrs. Cecil Caldwell. It was the musical hit of the season.

The program opened with a rousing ensemble number, "The Song of the Vikings." In complete contrast to this number was "Rain," sung by the Carolers, both types being handled in a masterly manner.

The Treble Trio (Helen Ostrander, Myrtle Kem and Esther Wicks), sang their numbers with the confidence of professionals and with their usual daintiness and perfect harmony.

Delbert Moore, violinist, and his accompanist, Cora Moore Fry, Eugene, beautifully rendered their two numbers and responded to an encore.

Helen Ostrander and Louise Wynne, singing in unison, in the "Italian Street Song," blended so perfectly that at no time could one detect that there were two voices. Mrs. Hugh Trunnell joined with them in the high obligato part and the full chorus carried the heavier parts. It was a most effective number.

The "Miserere" from "Il Trovatore" was also an outstanding number. Mrs. Victor Chambers sang the soprano solos in a splendid manner, while Cecil Caldwell, with his natural tenor voice, rendered his solos with great ease. These two singers joined in a duet, their voices interweaving; the full chorus softly supplying the background, making it a real operatic number.

The program closed with the Carolers singing "Oh! These Men" to the Balladeers; who responded with "We Love You Truly," with Helen Ostrander, accompanist for the Balladeers, at the piano.

The stage setting was pretty, with the Balladeers arranged across the back on elevated seats and the Carolers in the foreground in pastel-colored gowns. A Grand piano loaned by Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Caldwell completed the effectiveness of the scene.

New Financial Plan Is Available Here

Through arrangements recently completed by the Twin Oaks Builders Supply Co. local home owners and owners of income, business and industrial property may arrange finances for remodeling and renovating from inception to actual financing. This is done by this firm through the Residential Finance company under rules of the federal F.H.A. This is a new and exceptional type of service.

The builders' supply company is prepared to assist the property owner in determining best and most economical methods of estimating costs, drawing up specifications and supplying materials and labor.

"For four years," said Karl Bracher, local manager for Twin Oaks, all types of property improvement have been neglected. A tremendous backlog of such work has accumulated and the outlook for the future is brighter. Materials and men are now available at what are really bargain prices."

Townsend Plan Loses at Lorane.

Lorane, March 4.—A debate on the Townsend old age pension plan was held at the grange hall Thursday night. Joe E. Dolan and John C. Skelton were the affirmative team and Lyle N. Riggs and Harvey W. Curran were the negative. The negative side won. Judges were Mrs. E. S. Addison, E. H. Gowing, Bob Wills, William Abbe and E. E. Farman. About 75 were present.

Error in Fire Story.

An item last week which told of the burning of two houses at Latham stated that the houses were on the Hull place. Later information is that they were on W. A. Woodard Lumber company property near the Hull place.