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50 Boys Members of Theft Gang

State Police Put in Busy Week Here on General Law Enforcement Visit.

THE PHILADELPHIA section of a wealthy family who contrived to kidnap himself and got caught at it, may have been getting publicity for a hook-up with Albee McPherson on an evangelistic team.

ANTHONY EDEN gets prominent mention in connection with the war in that old-Bible country of Ethiopia. We seem to recollect the name of Eden as connected with forced evacuation of a fertile section of country even before Bible times.

JOE LEWIS, brown bomber, won his latest fight in one minute, 25 seconds. He ought to be sent as a one-man army to assist the Ethiopians.

WIRE FROM LONDON says natural eyelashes are coming back. If the girls get to leaving on the things that nature provided and leaving off the things nature didn't provide, it won't be long until we'll be able to recognize one when we see her. We oldsters were just as enthusiastic about the girl of 35 years ago who let her eyelashes and hair grow, and didn't have to employ an exterior decorator before she could appear on the streets, as the boys are about the variegated girls of today.

A CONGRESSMAN has received a request from a constituent for a government loan of \$200 to finance the courtship of a widow. If that's what he is going to use the money for, it won't be necessary for the man to guarantee that he will spend it within 30 days.

A MAN at Everett, Wash., kept his wife on a water diet for 21 days to cure her of rheumatism. That is also a sure cure for stomachache.

EXCUSING HIMSELF for turning in a fire alarm, a man at Modesto said he shoved a letter into a fire alarm box thinking that might be the kind of mail boxes the new administration had adopted. Jim Farley ought to be burned up about that.

NOW WE ARE going to have baby bonds. We've got to nurse our prosperity along.

IT SEEMS to have been an error on our part to import the chinks for laundrymen. The Japs should have been selected, judging by the way they are cleaning the chinks.

WE'VE CONSIDERED Lindbergh as our greatest American, but we'll never forgive him if he takes up the monocle.

THE COMMITTEE on national resources has suggested 11 subsidiary national capitals spread over the nation, impliedly to facilitate conduct of public business, but the reason probably is that there isn't room in Washington for all the governmental employees.

THE DEMOCRATS would give a lot to know what Hoover is trying to do and what he intends to do. We republicans can't divulge the secret, we don't know either.

MUSSOLINI still declares that what he is doing over in Ethiopia isn't war. Perhaps he is just training the boys for next year's football season?

AT ANY RATE Mussolini seems to know as much about what war is as some of these mat artists do about the definition of wrestling.

NO RESOURCEFUL American need starve, we are told by one in high place. The best way to avoid that gastronomical inconvenience is to get a place on the public payroll, where one doesn't get enough exercise to make him hungry.

IN ITALY wives have given up their wedding rings to help finance the Ethiopian campaign. Mussolini might get better results by importing a few gold diggers from Hollywood.

THE MAN who writes the same kind of letters when his wife is away as he did before he got her can hardly have sense enough to conduct a business that will provide a sufficient amount to keep the home going.

Chambers Mill Again Operates

The J. H. Chambers & Son mill, where about 40 union men in the woods went on strike about three weeks ago, resumed operations Monday morning and the operators reported full crews of non-union men in the mill and woods. Reopening was delayed due to excessive moisture which put the logging roadbed in dangerous condition.

Although the mill is being picketed, the law governing number of pickets has been complied with and there was no disturbance when non-union men went on the job. Two state policemen were present.

High School Debate Teams Are Selected

(By Jessie Grubb.)

Students were selected Friday for the debate team by Superintendent Ferrin. Miss Myrtle Kem and Miss Loretta Mason as follows: Howard Arnest, Ed Bauder, Kathleen Daugherty, Eunice Edwards, Harvey Kelly and Dan Trask. Fourteen students tried out.

The schedule for interclass debate is as follows: Eugene, affirmative, vs. Cottage Grove, negative, at Eugene; and Cottage Grove, affirmative, vs. Roseburg, negative, at Cottage Grove—both during the week of February 10-15. Cottage Grove, affirmative, vs. Oakland, negative, at Cottage Grove; and University High, affirmative, vs. Cottage Grove, negative, at Eugene—both February 17-22; Cottage Grove vs. Springfield in a dual debate using both affirmative and negative.

The question for debate is: "Resolved: That the several states should enact legislation providing for a system of complete medical service available to all citizens at state expense."

Truck Overturns, Men Injured.

Fred Brown and Robert Beckett of Junction City were severely injured Wednesday on the London road when a truck being operated by Brown skidded and overturned. Another passenger, Leroy Woods, escaped injury. The accident happened near the double bridge near Hebron.

The three men were taking a load of furniture from Junction City to the W. A. Woodard Lumber company's mill for G. G. Saunders, stepson of Brown. The injured men were taken to a Eugene hospital.

Mrs. Johanna Berggren Dies.

Funeral services were held Saturday afternoon for Mrs. Johanna Berggren of London, who died Thursday. Interment was in the Bemis cemetery.

Mrs. Berggren was born June 1, 1859, in Sweden and was married there in October, 1880. The husband died 21 years ago at London, where the family has lived for 22 years. Surviving are two sons, Elmer and Axel of London, and three grandchildren. Mrs. Berggren was a member of the Church of Christ of London.

William H. Burnette Dies.

William H. Burnette, a native of Cottage Grove, died Jan. 13 in Portland, where he had lived for many years. Funeral services were held there.

Mr. Burnette was born near this city June 1, 1884. Surviving are the wife; the mother, Mrs. C. A. Burnette; three sisters, Mrs. Antha Kelly and Mrs. Loretta Shortridge of this city and Mrs. Dora Pitcher of Klamath Falls; two brothers, Alf Burnette of Hillsboro and Orville Burnette of San Jose, Cal.

County C. of C. Reorganization Up.

Reorganization of the county chamber of commerce is to be completed at a meeting to be held in Eugene tonight (Thursday). A preliminary meeting was held Thursday last at which committees were appointed to nominate officers and to draw up suggested changes in the by-laws. A change in the by-laws would provide for three members of the county body from each member organization, one of the three to be a director of the county chamber.

Past Masters Hold Meet.

Fifteen of 25 living past masters of Cottage Grove lodge, A. F. & A. M., held a dinner meeting Friday in Masonic lodge. Reminiscences of their Masonic experiences and of their terms of office as master were given by each past master. William Thum, present master, was a special guest and was given a brief initiation.

H. B. Griggs was elected president to succeed Dr. W. E. Lebow.

Plans Complete for President's Ball

Plans are practically complete for the president's third annual ball, which will be one of thousands to be held over the nation, the proceeds to be used in combating infantile paralysis. Seventy per cent of the net local receipts will remain here for local work.

Tickets may be obtained from Ruth DeLong or Evelyn Veatch at the bank.

The date is Jan. 30 and the affair will be held in the armory. Committeemen and committees handling the affair are as follows: General chairman, N. E. Glass. Local chairman, N. J. Nelson. Publicity, Elbert Bede. Radio, Lee Nichols. Theater, Wm. Morelock. Ticket sales, Schofield Stewart. Treasurer, Ruth DeLong. Ball room arrangements, Cleo Morelock.

Entertainment, Chet Wheeler. Music, Phillip Glass, Sam Veatch. Reception, Victor Chambers, H. C. Wells.

Floor, P. S. Bukowski. A. F. & A. M., E. R. Lemley. Eastern Star, Mrs. C. E. Roberts. I. O. O. F., E. J. Kent. Rebekahs, Mrs. E. J. Kent. Eagles, Fred Anderson. Degree of Honor, Mrs. L. S. Crawford.

R. N. A., Mrs. A. W. Kime. Lions, R. E. Short. Chamber of commerce, Earl C. Ballew.

American Legion, Chas. Fuhrer. Spanish war veterans, Geo. W. Sweet. Crewe, Vance Clack, Arthur Olson.

Drain, Clarence Leonard, John Safley.

Lorane, B. C. Addison.

Need Fire Fighting Equipment Is Told

Better fire equipment for the city and a paid fireman to add to the efficiency of the fire department were advocated at the Tuesday luncheon of the chamber of commerce. G. B. Arnest, chairman of the chamber's committee on fire fighting equipment, presented an exhaustive analysis of the situation by which fire insurance rates are fixed and listed the deficiency points which the underwriters' rating board has listed against the city. He also explained the danger of higher rates if an effort is not made to raise the classification and thereby seek lower rates.

A petition to the city council asking that the suggestions of the chamber be put into effect is being circulated this week. Among added equipment suggested is a truck chassis carrying a 200-gallon booster tank and a 500-gallon pump. Regular drills by the volunteer firemen, as well as one paid fireman, is also suggested.

N. J. Nelson gave a short talk describing the work and aims of the Balladeers, male singing organization.

N. E. Glass was endorsed to be the member from south Lane of the county planning board.

Battery 'E' Holds Its Annual Dinner

The annual feed of battery "E," held Tuesday night, was the usual successful affair. Distinguished military guests were Lt.-Col. Irwin, Salem; Lt. Knapp from regimental headquarters; Major Claude Washburne, Junction City; Capt. Olvis and Lt. Handley, battery "A," Albany.

Distinguished civil guests were C. E. Morelock, president chamber of commerce; R. E. Short, president Lions club; Chas. Fuhrer, commander American Legion post; Dr. G. L. Earl, Dr. W. H. Earl, K. K. Mills, Hugh Nixon, Francis Horn, John L. Butler, L. W. Colner, Worth Harvey, H. B. Ferrin.

Lt. H. W. Lombard presided and short talks were made by a number of guests. Capt. LaSells Stewart also spoke briefly. Francis Horn gave a reading and John L. Butler gave a vocal number.

Rebekah Officers Installed.

Mrs. Zula Hansen was installed as vice grand and Mrs. Margaret Safley as trustee at a meeting of the Rebekahs Saturday night.

Plans were made for annual homecoming Jan. 31. A regular staff meeting will be held Jan. 24 and the P. N. G. club will meet Thursday night of next week.

Busy Bees' Brood Is Month Early

Now that NRA and AAA have been eliminated Harlow Hubbell has at least one hive of bees that has gone onto a full reproduction basis at least a month early. Despite cold and rainy weather that would discourage anything except a busy bee, eggs for the spring brood were laid about Jan. 20. Never before has Mr. Hubbell known bees to start their brood before some time in February. This brood will be hatched by the time laying usually starts. Mr. Hubbell has 25 hives but has not opened the other 24 to see whether they also are taking advantage of supreme court decisions.

Girl Scouts Advanced and Get Badges

Four girl scouts were advanced to first class and 13 to second class at a court of honor Monday night. The scouts presented a program for the American Legion auxiliary. C. E. Brown entertained with motion pictures of the Armistice day parade and of a recent trip to Europe.

Girls advanced to first class were Marian Moore, Dorothy Siemann, Maryjane Smith and Eleanor Teeters.

Girls advanced to second class were Jean Bracher, Margaret Bressler, Virginia Hunter, Geraldine Kem, Sarajane Moore, Miriam Ferrin, Doris Smith, Lois May Stoneburg, Anna Marie Peterson, Paulette Powell, Jean Savage, Patty Short.

Proficiency badges were awarded as follows: Child nurse—Eleanor Teeters, Dorothy Siemann, Marian Moore, Maryjane Smith; first aid—Eleanor Teeters, Dorothy Siemann, Maryjane Smith, Marian Moore; cook—Eleanor Teeters, Marian Moore, Maryjane Smith; home-maker—Eleanor Teeters; observer—Eleanor Teeters, Maryjane Smith, Dorothy Siemann; needlewoman—Maryjane Smith; canner—Marian Moore, Dorothy Siemann; junior citizen—Marian Moore; treasurer—Maryjane Smith.

Miss Eunice VanDenBerg was court of honor chairman and Mrs. F. L. Grannis presented the awards. The program was as follows: Song by troop; piano duet, Maryjane Smith, Patty Short; scout song, Maryjane Smith, Marian Moore, Dorothy Siemann, Eleanor Teeters; play, "Maggie Gold Piece," Doris Smith, Miriam Ferrin, Margaret Monson, Lois May Stoneburg, Sarajane Moore, Frances Hefflin.

Shrine Party Attended.

Eleven from here attended a dinner party given at Osburn hotel, Eugene, Saturday night by the Eugene Shrine club. Those attending from here were Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Lombard, Mr. and Mrs. K. K. Mills, Mr. and Mrs. Victor Chambers, Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Bede, Mr. and Mrs. William Petersen and Earl Hill. The future Mrs. Hill joined the party at Eugene. Mr. Bede was on the program for a toast to the ladies.

Cameron Gets Prison Term.

Duncan P. Cameron, former resident here, recently deported to Canada from Seattle, is serving a year at Oakalla prison farm, Westminister, B. C., for obtaining money under false pretenses. A warrant was served upon him as he crossed the line when deported. The charge was one of several years' standing.

Drilling Crew Is Here.

A crew of several PWA employees arrived this week with a diamond drill to sink test holes near the Mary White bridge as part of the preliminary work for flood control of the Coast fork.

Test holes will also be sunk about 20 miles up Row river, where a dam may be placed.

Battery to Give Dance.

Battery "E" will be sponsor for a dance Saturday evening in the armory for the purpose of raising money to buy foot lockers to use at encampment each year. Eddie Scroggins and his eight-piece band from Eugene will play.

Open Forum Is Planned.

Open forums under the federal adult education project are to be held here. The first will be at 7:30 tonight in the high school and present economic conditions will be discussed.

Men with high-blood pressure make the world go round; and they don't much mind the blood pressure.

Lane County Boosts Traffic Fatalities

While Record for State Is Reduced, Number of Deaths Here Is Increased.

Although Oregon as a whole reduced its traffic toll last year, Lane county records show an increase in automobile fatalities from 18 in 1934 to 19 in 1935, according to W. R. McDonald, director of the Oregon State Motor association in charge of safety.

Despite this local increase, he said, Oregon maintains a prominent position in the national safety record, ranking second among states which have shown outstanding reductions in fatal accidents. Nationally traffic deaths soared to a new all-time high.

McDonald pointed out that counties in which intense safety work had been carried on generally reported decreases. Klamath county, for example, reduced its traffic toll from 22 in 1934 to 14 in 1935.

"Serious accidents can be eliminated if every motorist handles his machine intelligently and observes traffic regulations, which, fundamentally, are nothing but rules of safety. To drive safely one must always take his job behind the wheel as a matter of life and death. "Perhaps one of the greatest reasons for serious automobile smash-ups in this county is the inclination to drive at high speeds over the 'open' highways. Accidents occurring on roads that appear to be clear are more likely to prove fatal than those occurring in congested areas.

"If every motorist will observe a few fundamental rules of driving, I feel certain that the records at the end of the year will show a reduction. These, briefly, are: Always keep full control of your machine, slow down after dark, observe the law and be courteous to the other fellow."

Mosby Creek Gets 4-H Summer Camp

A 240-acre summer camp for 4-H club members is to be established in the vicinity of the Blue Mountain school on Mosby creek. Through the cooperation of the Lane county court and the Brumbaugh Timber company the Lane County 4-H Leaders' association has secured title to the tract. C. E. Stewart of this city gave assistance in securing the land.

The location is said to be ideal for recreational purposes, with adequate grounds, plenty of water, adequate material for construction of camps and adequate cut-over land for use of forestry club members in reforestation projects.

Plans are under way to submit a WPA project under the recreational division for development of the camp. This is the first summer camp for 4-H club members in Oregon, although the movement is well under way in other states.

It has been estimated that \$10,000 will be spent in labor and material fixing up the camp. The chamber of commerce has endorsed the project.

Cottage Grove Wins From Lebanon

(By Vick Engstrom.)

Cottage Grove defeated Lebanon 34-15 Friday of last week at Lebanon.

The Lions were leading at the first quarter 7-2, and the first half ended with the Lions in the lead 15-4. In the third quarter the Lions reached a 22-5 lead.

The Lions played an excellent defense and had a fast breaking offense. Minney was high point man with 10 points. Decker played a good floor game and Hall played an excellent defensive game for Cottage Grove. Hoffman played a good floor game for Lebanon and Simpson was high point man with 6 points.

The lineup:
Cottage Grove 34 Lebanon 15
Minney, 10 F Hoffman, 4
Decker, 6 F Blatchley
Shortridge, 6 C Haek, 2
Tracy, 8 G Simpson, 6
Hall, 2 G McGowan, 1
Eastburn S Nash, 2
MacGibbon, 2 S Woods
Ferrin S Crewsen