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## "There's Nothing Ever Quite Like This"

When men like Mr. Emory, of Fox Movietone News, will say "In all my experience covering such events, I have never seen anything quite like it," there must be some foundation for enthusiasm over possibilities for future lily parades.

"To gain national recognition," Mr. Emory said, "this community must follow a pattern of uniqueness—where this parade will be NEWS to the world. Take, for instance, many people do not know that Easter lilies bloom in July. Most people pay a dollar bloom for the plant—here they are given away."

Mr. Emory, in discussing the local affair with the Pilot and a number of people who aided in the festival, he made many suggestions for improvement of future festivals. First among these suggestions, he said that thought must be given to the "sun angle" for the photographers. This may mean that the parade might be directed to criss-cross the town, and out through the country, so that several spots may be set up for these 'shots' for movies. He even suggested that these spots be paved with lilies for photographic effect. Intervals between floats are important factors in viewpoints of photographers, especially the movie men.

"While all floats were good—extra good—some were more photographically made up than others. Dark colors do not show up quite as well as the lighter ones, and this must be thought of next year," Mr. Emory concluded.

This, for the second time, shows what a little co-operation can do. More co-operation will see the annual lily parade becoming as much a national institution as the Portland Rose Festival, or the Pasadena Rose Parade.

## IT SEEMS TO ME:



By Dewey

How many of you fellas knew Micky Gould Sunday? He passed by me twice on that Mexican jackass, and I didn't recognize him either time, and I am actually ashamed to admit the error for I thought I could have recognized his hide in a tanyard, anywhere.

This goes to show you what

can be done with a little grease paint and clothes. I could have sworn someone was trying to depict Cisco Kid, or someone of that type. Here it was our own show doctor, savior of soles.

Did you ever see so many people in your life, as came to the area, Sunday? Have been trying to make a guess of how many did come. I figured there were about 2000 cars between the west entrance of town and the spot where the road starts down the Harbor curves.

Most agree with me there, but there ends the agreement. I had a guess of five thousand. Joe Rose told me I was crazy for he estimated more than ten thousand over the route covered by the parade. He rode a tractor, which pulled a float, and should have an idea.

Be it five, ten or fifteen thousand, it all goes to show that this area can draw a crowd if it wishes to, and will only co-operate in every way. People love beauty, and this area can boast so much beauty. I has just about everything, if we can only be smart enough to see and use our blessings.

I must make mention of the float entered by Henry Kerr — It had so much that few people

had a chance to appreciate its full meaning. If this display had been stationary—where people could have filed past it and had really looked at it—first prize would've been only half enough for its rating.

However, since the float went by in a rather rapid pace, few saw what Mr. Kerr wanted to bring to the attention of people. Under theme of "Keep Oregon Green," the float carried a scene of logging operations, of the forest service, of the farm home, and all that goes to make up the beauties of this area.

Mr. Kerr should have had a higher prize, but the judges had to grade him down for he had placed too much on it. The average float has but a moment to be viewed, and all this work had to be lost.

Those 4-H club kids did themselves proud under direction of their leaders. I happened to see the "master-minding" behind the construction of this float. To Mr. and Mrs. Zumpfe, Mrs. Aldene Roberts, and their helpers, too much praise cannot be given.

Really, folks, I could use up this page and several more, just commenting on the parade. It is too big a job for any one person to attempt to report the parade. Just one float deserved at least a column.

## I WRITE as I See It!

—BARTON W. MARSH—

The greatest prayer that was ever uttered is recorded in the 17th chapter of John. In the fifth verse is a statement that covers the reaches of eternity, past, present and future:

"And now, O Father, glorify thou me with thine own self with the glory which I had with thee before the world was."

Christ spoke these words before leaving the upper chamber on his death march through the garden to the cross. A few days before this when the Jews were attempting to stone him, he affirmed his own pre-existence with the simple statement:

"Before Abraham was, I am."

In the first chapter of John we find these words: "He was in the world, and the world was made by him, and the world knew him not. All things were made by him; and without him was not anything made that was made." Colossians 1:16-17 tells us: "For by him were all things created, that are in heaven, and that are in the earth, visible and invisible, whether they be thrones, or dominions, or principalities, or powers: all things were created by him, and for him, and he is before all things, and by him all things consist."

Many believe that the Old Testament period was a Christless period. That it was all law and no gospel; that its mandate was obey and live, while in our New Testament era the word is, believe on the Lord Jesus Christ and live. There could scarcely be a greater misconception of the true meaning of the gospel plan than this.

Paul realized this and for the purpose of correcting this assumption he wrote: (he is writing of the Israelites in the wilderness): "They did all drink of the same spiritual drink: for they drank of that spiritual Rock that followed them; and that Rock was Christ." 1 Corinthians 10:4. Stephen's dying testimony of Jesus Christ as he fell beneath the stoning of the angry Jews links the two dispensations forever in the Lord. "This is that Moses, which said unto the children of Israel, a prophet shall the Lord your God raise up unto you of your brethren, like unto me, him shall ye hear. This is he

(Moses) that was with the church in the wilderness with the angel (Christ) which spake unto him (Moses) in the Mount Sina, and with our fathers who received the lively oracles (ten commandments) to give unto us". Acts 7:37-38. "Behold I send an Angel before thee to keep thee in the way, and to bring thee into the place which I have prepared. Beware of him and obey his voice, provoke him not, for he will not pardon your transgressions, for my name is in him." Exodus 23:30-31.

The wilderness Rock was Christ: The wilderness Angel was Christ, the name of God the Father is in him. He was then and is now the same Christ that pardons your sins and mine. "He is the same yesterday, today and forever."

## Local News Items

Logan White, publisher Myrtle Point Herald, and load of friends, drove the lily festival parade, reading the advertisement various papers along the M. C. Athey, publisher of Junction newspaper, also festival visitor. Both immensely impressed by event, and promised much in its write-up.

Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Zins spending some time at the Lauff hotel for the past years. The Zirbels came San Francisco where he is manager of Victoria hotel number of years.

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