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BIG CHAUTAUQUA OPENS HERE ON WEDNESDAY NEXT CAR OF LUMBER SHIPPED TO OLD MEXICO

Daily Chautauqua Program

Programs begin promptly	
Afternoons at 3:00	Evenings at 8:00
FIRST AFTERNOON	
Introduction of Superintendent—Chairman of Committee.	
Our 1920 Chautauqua	Superintendent
Concert	Ithacan Male Quartet
FIRST EVENING	
Prelude Concert	Ithacan Male Quartet
Impersonations	Elsie Mae Gordon
SECOND AFTERNOON	
Prelude	Harry Davies Singers
Lecture—"Keep Off the Grass"	Wood Briggs of Kentucky
SECOND EVENING	
Comic Opera—"Mikado"	Davies Light Opera Company
THIRD AFTERNOON	
Entertainment	Scott Highlanders
Inspirational Lecture—"Shaasta Daistes and Folks"	Mae Guthrie Tongler
THIRD EVENING	
Prelude	Scott Highlanders
Lecture Oration—"The Truth about Russia"	Count Tolstoy
FOURTH AFTERNOON	
Concert	Carmeliny's Old Colonial Band
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Selections	Lorraine Lee accompanied by Old Colonial Band
FIFTH AFTERNOON	
Entertainment	The Spragues
Lecturette	W. H. Nation
FIFTH EVENING	
Prelude Entertainment	The Spragues
Community Lecture—"What I Think of Your Town"	W. H. Nation
SIXTH AFTERNOON	
Prelude	St. Cecilia Orchestra
Lecture	Thos. McClary
SIXTH EVENING	
Pageant	Junior Chautauquans
Grand Closing Concert	St. Cecilia Singing Orchestra

NOTE: Sunday Programs will be changed to conform strictly to the sacred character of the day.

On Wednesday of this week, the day after tomorrow, the West Coast Chautauqua association opens their first program in this city for a six day chautauqua.

The program includes many unusual features, and will be in the nature of a tryout for the West Coast people, in view of the fact that the Ellison-White association will also put on a chautauqua here, starting on July 5 for a six day program.

As a result of very unusual conditions, the people of this community will perhaps be able to hear many excellent numbers that might not have come this way had there been but one of the associations appearing here.

The West Coast will present as one of their strong attractions, Count Leo Tolstoy, of Russia, who will appear on the third evening of the program, and is one of the most noted and respected writers and scholars in the world today.

On Wednesday afternoon the Ithacan Male Quartet will appear as an opening number, and from current reports these people are excellent. These folks will open the evening performance also, and they will be followed by Elsie Mae Gordon, who appeared in Prineville before, and who is well liked here.

On Thursday Harry Davies' Singers and Wood Briggs of Kentucky will give an excellent program, while the evening will entirely be taken up by the presentation of "Mikado", a comic opera of unusual merit, which is being presented by the Davies Light Opera Company.

Season tickets are on sale at many of the business houses in the city, and reservations should be made at once for yours.

The Chautauqua tent will be erected in the city park, which is an excellent location for the event.

B. OWENS FINED \$127.50 FOR TRAPPING BEAVER

Trapping beaver, mink and muskrats contrary to the statute of the state of Oregon, was one of the four counts against Barney Owens of Paulina, up before Judge Bowman last Thursday on the complaint of H. D. McDonald, game warden for that district.

Other charges against Mr. Owen were trapping fur bearing animals without a license, unlawfully having in his possession the hide of a beaver, and uttering threats against the person of the game warden, in case he should be arrested for trapping beaver.

Mr. Owen was indicted on the first three charges and fined for these, but received no punishment for the last charge. For trapping contrary to the law he was fined \$50.00 and costs, and for the second two charges he was assessed \$25.00 each, a total of \$127.50 in all.

Part of the fine was paid, and Mr. Owen was set at liberty to work out the fine, making monthly payments, starting with July.

At first the prisoner claimed to be innocent, but after being locked up in the county jail for a while he decided to plead guilty and came up for trial.

Mr. Owens has a wife and three children. Mrs. Owens is the proprietor of the Paulina Hotel.

EASTERN STAR INITIATES

J. W. Carlson and Una Carlson had conferred upon them the degrees of the Order of Eastern Star last Thursday night by Carnation Chapter of the lodge rooms. In spite of the absence of several of the officers, the work was conducted in a manner very creditable to the lodge.

Ada Morris was elected Secretary to fill that office for the remainder of this year, and Mrs. Pancake received the position of Treasurer for the same length of time. They were immediately installed into their offices.

Mrs. B. E. Nevel was received by the chapter as a member of Carnation Lodge by affiliation.

The motion to suspend lodge for the months of July and August was carried, so there will only be one more meeting before this recess.

Delicious refreshments of frozen fruit salad and wafers were served and a social hour was spent by the members of the order present.

Mrs. Jim Scott and children returned from Portland Friday night, where they have been visiting.

WEATHER AND CROP CONDITION

The forepart of the week was warm and dry. The latter part was cool except in some of the eastern counties, with copious to heavy rains in Western, central and northeastern counties. The warm weather caused rapid growth of vegetation except where moisture was insufficient. The rains were of great benefit to all crops and grasses and saved materially to delay the season of forest fire hazard. Far mwork progressed satisfactorily.

Winter wheat had begun to suffer from drought in many localities, and was heading short in those localities. The rains will be of great benefit, and will insure a good yield of winter wheat over considerable areas in western, central and northeastern counties. Spring wheat had not yet suffered seriously from drought except over limited areas, and has been given an excellent start by the rain. Cutting of rye for hay continues. Barley is filling well in Jackson county, while in Union county seeding has only recently been finished. Planting of Corn is practically completed, and in the areas where corn is grown generally there is now sufficient moisture to bring it up. Some early plantings are being cultivated. The warm weather in the early week was favorable for corn, where the soil was not too dry.

The condition of fruit is very uneven. There is much complaint of dropping of pears and prunes, and in some localities apples have not set well. The damage to trees by the December freeze is becoming more apparent as the season advances in some localities. The rain has been of great benefit to berries in Northwestern berry growing districts. Strawberries and early cherries are ripening in the Willamette Valley.

The warm weather early in the week was favorable for irrigated alfalfa, and the rains of the latter part helped pastures, ranges and hay crops, excepting in the Southeastern counties. Cutting of the first crop of clover is under way in the Willamette Valley, with a rather light yield. The range is drying rapidly in southeastern counties. Stock is generally in good condition. Shear-

The first car load of lumber to leave Prineville over the City of Prineville Railway, was loaded out Friday by the Cornett & Maison Lumber Company and was destined to old Mexico.

The lumber will be used to build head gates and drops in the irrigation system of the largest cotton ranch in the world, which is more than twice as large as the Ochoco project containing some 50,000 acres to be exact.

The lumber was consigned to LeRoy Little, and is one of a number of cars that are being shipped to Mexico soon by the local concern.

An inspector who is employed by the Boswell Lumber Company, a large eastern concern, which is buying a large lot of lumber from Cornett & Maison, says that the lumber being turned out at the Grizzly plant of the concern is of unusually good quality, and will pass as first grade.

Activity among the Rogers Lumber Company interests who have large crews surveying railroads for logging operations in the Blue Mts. and other timber interests indicate that there will be other and larger developments in the lumber industry in this vicinity soon, and no doubt the millions of feet of mature yellow pine of first quality, that can and will be milled in Prineville will be continuously marketed from this date forward.

ing of sheep is nearly completed. Some late potatoes remain to be planted. Early potatoes are generally fair to good except where injured by frost. New potatoes are in use in a few localities. Early garden vegetables are plentiful in market. Hops are being trained.

Marion Taylor sold his ranch in the Post Country to Mr. and Mrs. George Cannon, who will immediately take charge of it. Mr. and Mrs. Taylor have been spending most of their time in Prineville.

Another transfer of real estate in the Post country also took place the last of the week. Clarence Stover and wife buying the property of Lawrence Gunter, Mrs Cannon's minor son.

HARDING AND COOLIDGE CHOSEN FOR REPUBLICAN LEADERS

WARREN G. HARDING



Warren G. Harding, United States Senator from Ohio, was nominated for the presidency by the republican national convention on the tenth ballot, after a deadlock which had lasted for nine ballots and which finally forced out of the running all the original favorites.

As his running mate, the convention named Governor Calvin Coolidge of Massachusetts, upsetting a plan of a combination of the Harding backers to nominate for the place Senator Irvine L. Lenroot, of Wisconsin. Coolidge was nominated by Wallace McCamant of Oregon.

The collapse of the forces of Governor Frank O. Lowden and their transfer in large part to Senator Harding put the Ohio candidate over, says the Sunday Oregonian.

General Wood lost heavily, however, when the Harding drift began.

and Senator Johnson, the third of the trio of leaders on the early balloting also went steadily down hill.

Entering the convention four days ago as a candidate distinctly of the "dark horse" class, Senator Harding got only 64 votes on the first ballot Friday, and on the second he dropped to 56. When the convention adjourned Friday night at the end of the fourth ballot he had 61.

In all-night conferences among the party chiefs, however, he was mentioned many times as the most likely to break the nomination deadlock should neither Wood, Lowden nor Johnson take a commanding lead Saturday. They all failed to do so, Wood and Lowden running neck and neck for leadership on four ballots, while the strength of the California candidate dwindled steadily. Meantime Harding pushed his total to 133, individual delegates from many states swinging to him from the columns of the leaders and of various favorite sons. The Johnson managers, fearing a landslide was impending, then made a last play to save the fortune of their candidate. They moved to recess for a couple of hours in order to take an inventory and seek a new combination. The Wood and Lowden forces, both virtually at the peak of their strength but disheartened at the long string of ballots without material gains, fell in with the recess plan and the convention adopted it.

In the dramatic succession of conferences that followed the fate of the candidates virtually was sealed. Some of the Wood and Lowden managers tried ineffectually for an agreement which would hold their delegates in line and kill off the Harding boom.

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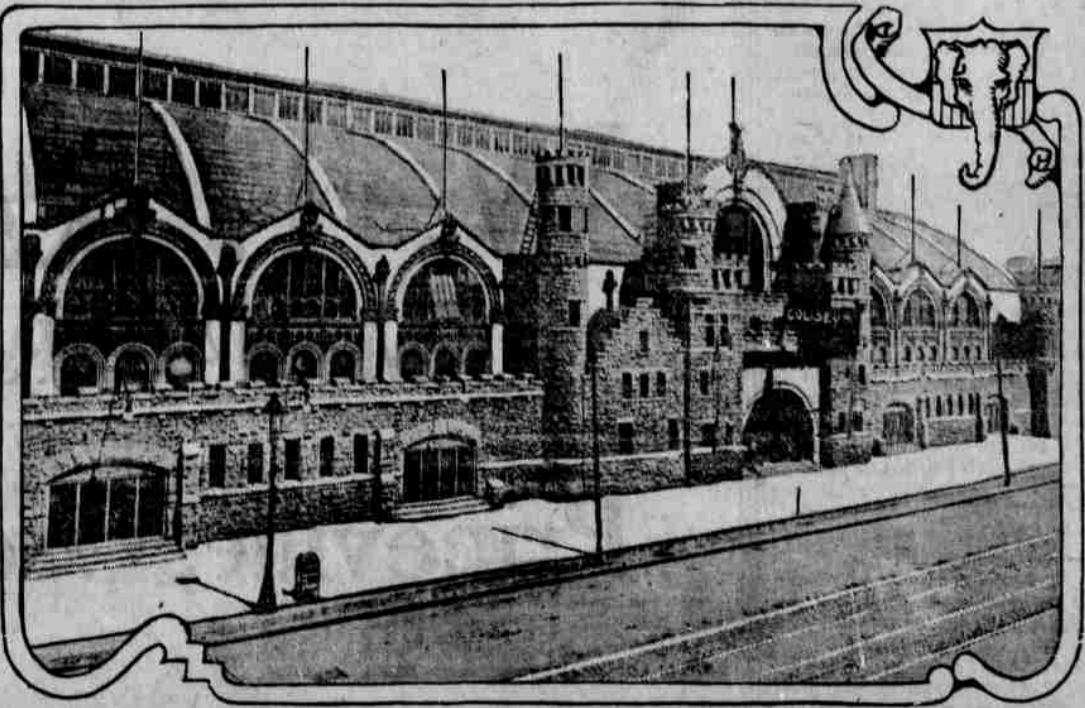
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SEE YOURSELF AS OTHERS SEE YOU
Have you ever been in the movies? Stick around the Second, Third and Fourth of July and you may get a chance to appear.

Manager W. T. Ray announces that a moving picture concern will be in town to take pictures of the roundup and the crowds that will throng Prineville during the celebration. The pictures taken will probably be shown in the local theatre.

The mail service between Mitchell and Prineville opened this morning, when W. T. Ray and Stanley Balfour left Prineville Post office with a load of mail and merchandise. This service is expected to continue without delay from now on.

Chicago Coliseum, Where the Republicans Meet



Exterior of the Coliseum, on Wabash avenue, Chicago, the meeting place of the Republican national convention.

TEACHER'S EXAMINATIONS

Notice is hereby given that the County Superintendent of Crook Co. Oregon, will hold the regular examination for applicants for State Certificates at Prineville as follows: Commencing Wednesday, June 30, 1920, at 9:00 o'clock A. M., and continuing until Saturday, July 1, 1920, at 4:00 o'clock P. M.

Wednesday Forenoon
U. S. History, Writing (Penmanship) Drawing, Music.

Wednesday Afternoon
Physiology, Reading, Manual Training, Composition, Domestic Science, Methods in Reading, Courses of Study for Drawing, Methods in Arithmetic.