ALL AMERICA TODAY HONORS OLD GLORY

This Is Flag Day, and Tribute to Colors Is Called For Everywhere.

WAR REDEDICATES BANNER

Simple but Significant Ceremonies Held in Every City and Town in Land—Local Programme Has Been Arranged.

Today is Flag day throughout America.

When the bands strike up "O, say, can you see——" it is well to remember, as one stands with uncovered head, how its verses were born when one American prayed that the dawn should disclose it floating from the ramparts.

Because the Nation and the flag are at grips with another foe, in the strife for all that Americans hold sacred, this day has been dedicated to the honor of the colors for a deeper appreciation of their significance.

Only a simple flag-raising ceremony is asked, but in every city and town, wherever a schoolhouse stands, and in the great industrial plants that are forging our needs for the war, today will witness the tribute to the flag.

Loyalists Have Opportunity.

Enrolled in America's industrial army, as well as clad in the olive drab of battle service, are many thousands of loyalists of foreign birth or blood. To these workers at home, it is pointed out, comes the opportunity to join with their fellow Americans in an observance of the day, and in a realization of its portent.

The host of four-minute men, who speak for America, has been commissioned to deliver messages in every city today—messages that have the virile red of the colors, and which speak for the flag to those for whom it flies.

Industrial plants have been asked to devote part of the noon hour to a simple ceremony of flag-raising and brief programme, comprising the salute, the pledge of allegiance, the repeating of the American's Creed and address by one of the four-minute men and the singing of "America."

Portland Remembers Sons.

In Portland the day is to be observed everywhere, for the city remembers its sons who are somewhere in France with the colors. There will be observances at the schools and at the industrial plants and at many a home where the flagstaff stands on the lawn.

Only one programme of larger proportions is announced—the Flag-day parade which will pass through the downtown streets at 7:30 tonight, and which will be followed by a programme at the Auditorium under direction of the Elks' Club.

The route of the parade will be from the Elks' Club at Stark and Broadway down Broadway to Alder, to Fourth, thence to Taylor, thence to Third street and then to the Auditorium.

It will comprise units of the Multnomah Guard, commanded by Colonel Hibbard; the Oregon State Militia, commanded by Captain W. C. North, and members of the Grand Army of the Republic. The programme at the Auditorium will follow immediately upon the conclusion of the parade, not later than 8:15.

Children Will Participate.

All Portland is invited to attend the Auditorium programme, which will combine flag drills by school children, addresses and musical selections. Charles Ringler, exalted ruler of the Elks, lays stress upon the general invitation, making it plain that the exercises are merely under the volunteer supervision of the order. The programme is as follows:

Raising of "Old Glory," under direction of Multnomah Guard, Colonel John B. Hibbard commanding; "Star-Spangled Banner," Portland All Elks' Band, John E. Owen, director; drill of allied flags by school children, directed by Captain Robert Krohn; introductory exercises, Charles Ringler, exalted ruler, and officers; prayer, chaplain; selection from "Sunny South," Elks' Band; "History of the Flag," Charles F. Berg, Portland Lodge, No. 142, B. P. O. E.; song, "Columbia, the Gem of the Ocean," Mrs. Arthur Cook (Eloise Anita Hall), accompanied on organ by Ralph W. Hoyt, Portland Lodge, No. 142, B. P. O. E.; altar service, esquire and officers; song, "Auld Lang Syne," officers and members; Elks' tribute to the flag, Bert E. Haney, United States District Attorney, Portland Lodge, No. 142, B. P. O. E.; "American Fantasia," Elks' Band; patriotic address, Louis J. Simpson, Marshfield Lodge, No. 1150, B. P. O. E.; "Song of the Flag" (De Koven), Dr. Stuart McGuire, accompanied by Ralph W. Hoyt; address, Lieutenant-Colonel John Leader, of Royal Irish Rifles; song, "America," by audience; exit, "March," organ, by Ralph W. Hoyt.

Flag day will be observed at the Shattuck School at 1 o'clock today with a dedication of a service flag. The ceremonies will include addresses and music. Professor G. E. Jamison, Mrs. J. F. Kelly and others will speak. Miss Dagmar Inez Kelly and others will participate in the musical programme.

RISE IN GAS CHECKED

ADVANCE OF TWO CENTS FOR PETROL SUSPENDED.

Price of 21 Cents to Stand Until National War Petroleum Service Board Investigates.

Portland motor car owners are still paying only 21 cents a gallon for gasoline, and probably will continue to get gasoline at that price for the next few days at all filling stations, despite an advance to 23 cents announced Monday by the Union Oil Company of California and the Shell Company of California.

An advance of 2 cents a gallon all along the Pacific Coast has been temporarily suspended by these companies at the request of the National War Petroleum Service Board. The companies were asked to postpone raising their prices until the board has opportunity to investigate their cost figures. They have acceded to the request.

However, there is little doubt that the increase will be permitted to stand, though it may be several days before the board completes its investigation. Victor H. Kelly, district sales manager of the Union Oil Company, explained last night that cost of production and transportation have increased so much that the companies will easily be able to justify an increase of 2 cents.

"In fact," said Mr. Kelly, "gasoline is being sold on the Pacific Coast cheaper than anywhere else in the United States. In New York, for instance, the open carload price is now 23 cents a gallon, which would make the retail figure 25 cents. Crude oil costs the refiners 25 cents more, and production and transportation costs have increased so much that gasoline, distillate and kerosene must respond."

Read The Oregonian classified ads.

ONE OF THE BEAUTIFUL AND SIGNIFICANT FLAG DRILLS WHICH PORTLAND SCHOOL CHILDREN ARE TAUGHT.

CHILDREN OF THE FAILING SCHOOL IN FLAG-DAY DRILL, TRAINED BY ROBERT KROHN, PHYSICAL DIRECTOR, AND MISS BESS SEGAL.

COMEDY IS SMART

"Upstairs and Down" Sets New Record in Breeziness.

LINES FAIRLY SCINTILLATE

Fannie Hatton and Clever Husband Lick Comedy Platter Clean in Livest Offering Ever to Grace Local Stage.

CAST OF "UPSTAIRS AND DOWN."

Anthony Ives	Fred Tiden
Nancy Ives	Frances Ring
Robert Van Courtland	Orlando Daly
Elsie Hunt	Charlotte Treadway
Elizabeth Chesterton	Ann MacDonald
Alice Chesterton	Frances Mann
Tom Cary	Paul Harvey
Captain Terrence O'Keefe	Robert Ellis
Sprang	Herbert Ashton
Pierre	Herbert Farjeon
Rosalie	Helene Sinnot
Nelly	Elaine Ivans
Craig	Richard Carlyle
Louis Le Tour	Louis Christy

BY LEONE CASS BAER.

The smartest, gayest, New Yorkiest comedy that ever was booked in our quiet, conservative midst is "Upstairs and Down." A very clever woman, Fannie Hatton, and her husband, who is almost as clever, collaborated on the play, and what Fannie didn't think of in the way of smart, pert dialogue, Frederick thought of. Like the fabled pair in Missus Goose's fiction, between them both they've licked the comedy platter clean.

Title Happily Selected.

"Upstairs and Down" is exactly the title the play needs. Upstairs is that region above the quarters of the hired help, and downstairs is the region below the quarters of society as it is popularly supposed to exist.

Whether the types are true to life must, naturally, be gauged and balanced entirely by whatever of the real species we have seen. Of course there is society—and society. This variety is the idle rich, the wasters and consumers, the profligate, sensuous, bored-to-tears sort, with its men and women seeking feverishly for some new thrill, some new sensation.

Butler's Kisses Sweeter.

Downstairs a similar condition prevails, limited and tempered by the social scale. The master upstairs has a liaison with a pretty girl, and the pretty housemaid downstairs, although she boxes the valet's ears when he would kiss her, confesses that the butler's kisses are best of all she's had.

Upstairs one guest bleats gleefully that he is having a holiday away from his wife and having an affair with a smart widow, and downstairs the chef and Rosalie, who is a lady's maid and also Mrs. Chef, stage and carry out an effectively picturesque bunco game on a French valet.

Terrence Idol of Four.

Upstairs Captain Terrence O'Keefe of the English polo team makes ardent love to his hostess and three women guests, while downstairs his valet practices fascinating wiles and flirts with the maids. The whole play is a delightful satire on society as it used to exist before its women began to realize that we are in the midst of a great war.

Possibly such conditions can never prevail again, but they did exist, and the Hattons must have been invited to several of their parties in order to so exactly get the dialogue, the atmosphere charged with restless, idle, blase hunters of adventure.

Dialogue Fairly Sparkles.

Also the Hattons must know some hired help quite as intimately to have dragged forth to the light of the theater such delightfully human weaknesses. The lines fairly sparkle and have the charm of spontaneity, so beautifully are they spoken by the players. It's the keen repartee and brilliant dialogue that we are wont to believe only Shaw can write around the indiscretions of one naughty nice little girl and three men. It ends happily, and for that matter so do two other stories that are woven in with the other one.

But one can't review the story without spoiling the climax, and, besides, one of the potent charms of the play lies in the superb acting and the uncannily natural way the lines are said. The cast is perfectly balanced. To tell of one artist is to tell of every one.

Characters Portrayed Vividly.

Perhaps Robert Ellis as the flirtatious Captain Terry and Louis Christy as his butler deserve especial mention for their exquisite comedy in similar roles separated only by caste. Paul Harvey as a big, innocent Romeo is a rare delight. Fred Tiden and Frances Ring as a host and hostess smacked of the real, and Frances Mann made a true-to-type doll-baby vampire. There's a dozen more quite as good.

The scenery is a joy and revelation, and the society folk change their clothes every time one of them gets bored, which is frequently.

"Upstairs and Down" is unique, smart and delightful. It's over the heads of a lot of folk, I know, and they won't get it. But the ones who do will be royally entertained.

54 RECEIVE DIPLOMAS

Dr. W. T. Foster, President of Reed College, Delivers Address.

Graduates of the Benson Polytechnic and the Girls' Polytechnic School received their diplomas last night at the commencement exercises in Lincoln High School Auditorium. There were 44 in the class, 25 of them being girls.

Dr. W. T. Foster, president of Reed College, made the commencement address and after telling some of the observations he made on his recent trip to the war zone in France and Belgium, he pictured the situation in America, where hundreds of young people were wasting their time.

He paid a high compliment to the students of the technical schools, who were training their hands and brains simultaneously, and urged them to continue their education to a place where it actually represented something definite. N. G. Pike, a member of the School Board, presented the diplomas.

A musical programme was given during the evening and it included numbers by the Junior Girls' chorus, Mrs. Lulu Dahl Miller and Mrs. Helen Fromme Shedler. Following the programme, a reception was held in the school gymnasium.

The following received diplomas from the girls' school, of which Miss Anna Arnold is principal:

Mary Attanasio, Lillian Camberg, Soleda Casciato, Thelma Clifford, Grace Graham, Eva Hamilton, Grace L. Holderby, Nina Huffman, Vaneta Lampert, Helen Law, Katie Lehman, Edna Lind, Minnie Lum, Ellen Miller, Lily M. Miller, Alma Olsen, Alice Pearson, Juanita Plath, Charlotte Reidel, Eleanor Schneider, Madella Snook, Lois Standage, Hazel Termeer, Frieda Thoma, Pauline White.

The following from the Benson Polytechnic High, of which C. E. Cleveland is president:

Electrical course: Elmer Von Pingel, Albert Schumacher, Adolph Bedura, John Ray, Lloyd Jones, Albert Soderburg, and Elmer Anderson.

Architectural drawing: Eugene Ibsen and Edgar Gibson.

Pattern making: Winifred Scott, Joseph Ballatore and Shelly Hudson.

Tool making: Scott Simpson, Arne Nieme, Jay McClure, William Fromme, Ed Windle, D. Foetisch and Frank Battaglia.

MASONIC HOME IS CERTAIN

Large Portion of Necessary Funds Are Now in Sight.

At both morning and afternoon sessions yesterday of the Masonic grand lodge consideration of plans for erection of a Masonic home in the state held place. A large portion of the funds needed for the home for aged or indigent Masons and members of their families is in sight, reports of the grand lodge of Masons and grand chapter of Eastern Stars indicated.

The Masons selected five members as trustees of the home. They are: F. J. Miller, Will Moore, O. P. Coshow, R. S. Graham and J. S. Roark. These trustees will have charge of the entire movement and are expected to have details so fully worked out that construction operations can be started soon after the 1919 grand lodge session.

Elective grand officers were named at the afternoon session of delegates and installation is set for this afternoon, this ceremony ending the conclave. These officers were elected: F. W. Settlemier, grand master; E. C. Bronaugh, deputy grand master; W. S. Kerr, senior grand warden; F. S. Bailiee, junior grand warden; J. B. Cleland, grand treasurer; J. S. Robinson, grand secretary. It devolves upon the new grand master to name the long list of appointive officers.

RIVER UP AT VANCOUVER

Stern Ends of Ships at Standifer Yard in Water.

VANCOUVER, Wash., June 13.—(Special.)—The Columbia River this morning went over the lower dock here and Oscar Johnson, steamboat agent, was prepared. He moved to the upper dock, the second time this year, yesterday. The river registered 16.5 feet tonight, the highest point it has reached this year. The stern ends of the ships of the G. M. Standifer Construction Corporation are slightly under water, but work on them is not delayed.

Reports from upriver indicate the rise will not be so rapid during the next few days as during the past week.

Armenian to Preach.

DUNDEE, June 8.—(Special.)—Rev. Marcus B. Parounagian, native of Armenia, will speak at the Dundee Methodist Episcopal Church at 11 o'clock this morning. Rev. Alfred Bates will preside. In the evening at 7 o'clock the Epworth League service will be held at Lafayette. The pastor will introduce the topic and Rev. Mr. Bates and Rev. Mr. Parounagian will have charge of the service at 8 P. M.

Flag Day to Be Celebrated.

ABERDEEN, Wash., June 13.—(Special.)—A melting pot drama in which 12 to 15 nationalities will be represented will be a feature of the Flag day services here tomorrow night. This feature will be presented by the Y. M. C. A. The customary Elks' ritual exercises will be held, during which Attorney James J. Sullivan, of Seattle, will be the speaker.

Manhattan Shirts, $2 to $10 — Stetson Hats, $5 to $15

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THERE are really very few "old men" these days; some men have simply lived longer than others.

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25c for Both—Friday and Saturday Only

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Gem	$1.00
Ender's	$1.00
Keen Kutter	$1.00
Durham Domino	$1.00
Gillette	$4.57
Auto Strop	$5.00

Blades

10 Eveready Blades for	50¢
7 Gem Blades for	35¢
5 Ender's Blades for	25¢
5 Keen Kutter Blades	25¢
5 Durham Domino Blades	47¢
6 Gillette Blades for	45¢
6 Auto Strop Blades for	50¢

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Williams' "Quick and Easy"	7¢
Williams' Barber Bar	8¢
Williams' Luxury	25¢
Colgate's Cup Soap	5¢
Colgate's Barber Soap	8¢
Yankee Soap	10¢

Sticks

Williams' Shaving Stick	25¢
Colgate's Shaving Stick	25¢
Rexall Shaving Stick	25¢
Cuticura Shaving Stick	25¢
Resinol Shaving Stick	25¢
D. & R. Shaving Stick	22¢

Creams

J. & J. Shaving Cream	30¢
Lysol Shaving Cream	25¢
Colgate's Shaving Cream	25¢
Williams' Shaving Cream	25¢
Mennen's Shaving Cream	25¢
Kranks' Lather Kreem	30¢
Palmolive Shaving Cream	25¢

Powders

Williams' Shaving Powder	25¢
Colgate's Shaving Powder	25¢
Rexall Shaving Powder	25¢

Red Feather Talcum Powder, 15¢ —An exceptionally good talcum for use after shaving.

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