

# Ashland Will Entertain 75,000 People at the Greatest Patriotic Celebration in the West; Annual Hyiu Hehe and Rogue River Round-up, July 3, 4 and 5.

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## Roundup Bunch On Way To Festival

The delegation of cowboy-costumed boosters for the Rogue River Round-up left last Friday morning for Portland, where they will be seen in the parades at the Rose Festival, sing the roundup songs from the street corners and distribute thousands of pieces of advertising. The party expects to be gone about twelve days and will make the inhabitants of every town along the route sit up and take notice. Their arrival in Roseburg is chronicled as follows in the Roseburg Review:

"A. A. Chisholm, proprietor of the Austin Hotel at Ashland, accompanied by A. L. Strickland, Tracy Layne and M. E. Briggs, arrived in Roseburg shortly before noon today en route from Ashland to Portland, where they will do some advertising for the Rogue River Roundup, to be held at the southern Oregon city on July 3, 4 and 5.

"The members of the Ashland delegation were attired in 'buckaroo' costumes and attracted no little attention upon their arrival here. This afternoon they appeared on the business streets of the city, where they rendered several songs relating to the approaching roundup. The renditions of Tracy Layne, who is known as one of the foremost composers and vocalists in Oregon, were especially pleasing and were applauded liberally. Thousands of handbills were distributed here announcing the many features connected with the big event.

"The Ashland men will leave here late this afternoon for Portland. They will stop at Eugene, Cottage Grove, Albany, Salem and other Oregon towns. With the exception of Mr. Chisholm, all of the members of the delegation visited here during the Strawberry Carnival.

## Locals Join With Medford Songsters

The Ashland Choral Society will join with the Medford Choral Society in giving a joint concert program at the Page Theatre in Medford on Friday evening, June 15. Both of the choral societies have been rehearsing the same music and will meet together tomorrow evening for a general rehearsal, including the choral orchestra of 14 pieces. Both societies have practiced diligently all through the winter and they promise to render one of the most finished programs ever attempted by local organizations. Arrangements have been made for the two societies to appear in a joint program at the formal opening of the new Chautauqua building. The two societies gave the initial program of last year's Chautauqua session, which will be remembered as one of the best of the season's offerings.

## I Co. May Camp in Park July 3, 4, 5

A request had been made by the celebration committee to have Company I, now stationed at Medford, encamped in Lithia park during the three days of the celebration, and a request for same is now in the hands of the federal authorities. Should these men who are now in the regular service of Uncle Sam be permitted to come here, they will march from Medford with their light equipment and set up their tents in the park in regular army style. This encampment will be a feature of our celebration that a good many have never witnessed and will add to the spirit of the occasion. The stay in Ashland will be so short that no attempt will be made to bring heavy equipment or supplies and the men will probably do their cooking and eating at the armory.

## School Election Monday, June 18

School District No. 5, which includes the Ashland municipality, will hold its annual meeting at the city hall on Monday, June 18. Two directors will be elected, as the terms of T. H. Simpson and F. S. Engle expire. Mr. Engle is present chairman of the board.

## \$10,000 PER DAY FOR THREE DAYS.

That is the pace that Ashland must adopt if our assignment of the Liberty Bond subscription is to be fulfilled. Thirty thousand dollars is yet to be subscribed before Wednesday at midnight. Let all who have not yet subscribed rally to the cause and see that the full amount is purchased and that in addition a neat "over-subscribed" is our credit.

## Scenery Contract For Chautauqua Let

The contract for the scenery for the stage of the new Chautauqua building has been let to H. J. Hansen, a scenic artist of St. Paul. Mr. Hansen has a big reputation as a scenery artist and will turn out settings which will be a credit to the magnificent building. A drop curtain and complete stage settings, including a street scene, wood scene, parlor interior scene, etc., will be constructed. Contrary to earlier expectations, it has been decided to have the scenery all done immediately and the fully equipped stage will probably be ready for the July Chautauqua assembly. The scenery will be built on a scale equal to that in the largest city theatres. The stage is 60 by 30 feet in dimensions and will provide ample room for the largest attractions that visit the coast.

## Damages of \$1,786 Against Geo. Barron

Damages of \$1,786 were awarded Justin Judy in a suit for damages of \$4,000 against George Barron of Ashland in the circuit court at Jacksonville Friday. The case grew out of a collision on the Pacific Highway near Talent last summer, when Barron is alleged to have driven his automobile into a buggy driven by Judy. Judy claimed to have been injured in the smash. Barron struck the buggy from behind. Attorneys Neff and Briggs addressed the jury for the defendant and Attorney A. E. Reames for the plaintiff. The defense maintained no damage had been inflicted upon the complainant, that he suffered from physical ailments before the accident occurred and that his failure to have lights on his outfit and his being on the wrong side of the road disqualified his claim for damages. Attorney Reames spent considerable time attempting to refute the testimony of Benton Bowers and Ed Staples, witnesses for the defense, and vigorously attacked the statement of George Barron on the stand that he was not exceeding the speed limit at the time of the smash.

## Unregistered Must Do Without Pills

The young cigarette smoker will have a hard row to hoe in Oregon, since registration day has provided a means of ascertaining just who is 21. The Oregon law provides that no dealer shall sell cigarettes to minors. The registration law provides that all who register shall carry the small green card which proves that fact. Therefore all the dealer has to do in order to safeguard himself is to demand that the young man who claims to be 21, but whose looks do not uphold the contention, shall produce his card. If unable to produce a card or to prove that he is enlisted and did not have to register, the dealer would have to refuse to sell cigarettes.

## Elks Purchase Allied Flags

The Elks lodge has voted to purchase a big new American flag and also the flags of the English and French to fly on the Elks temple. The flag which at present flies on the temple has been hoisted on every patriotic occasion for years and is tattered and torn.

# \$30,000 SHORT

Ashland was asked to subscribe **\$85,000** To the Liberty Bond Issue. At the close of business Saturday night only **\$55,000** had been taken. If we are to do our part **\$30,000** must be subscribed by Wednesday night, June 13th. We are not allowed to take subscriptions after that date. Call at your bank at once and subscribe.

**Do It Now!**  
Only a small payment down is necessary. Your country needs your help.  
**First National Bank**  
E. V. CARTER, President

## Ashland To Raise \$5000 For Red Cross In Week of June 18-23

Plans to raise \$5,000, the amount apportioned as Ashland's share of the Red Cross fund to be raised during the week of June 18 to 23, are well under way.

E. V. Carter is chairman of the local committee and is exerting every energy in the campaign. Professor Irving Vining, recently returned from a winter of lecturing in New York city and vicinity, is campaign manager. A corps of efficient sub-committees has been organized. The week will be opened with a great patriotic meeting June 18 in Lithia park. Every social activity for the week has been postponed and the energies of the club and society women of the city thrown into the money-raising campaign.

**Red Cross Campaign Week.**  
June 18 to 25 has been designated as Red Cross Campaign week. During this time the heads of the various committees and their assistants will wage a vigorous campaign to raise the \$5,000 which is Ashland's quota. It is hoped that more than this sum will be subscribed by our city's loyal citizens. Some have ventured the belief that \$7,000 will be secured. Twenty-five per cent of the amount will remain in the local Red Cross fund. Ashland has never been behind in responding to calls for the betterment of community conditions, social uplift or for state-wide needs, and now that loyalty to country in its needs is the call, Ashland will respond as never before.

For the purpose of carrying on the campaign the stenographic force of the Ashland high school will be domiciled in the Red Cross headquarters on East Main street, where the work of tabulating names, residences, etc., for the use of solicitors will be done. This phase of the work will be in charge of Superintendent G. A. Briscoe.

## Community Picnic in Lithia Park.

On Monday, June 18, there will be a luncheon-picnic in Lithia park, to which every one is invited. Come, and bring your lunches. Coffee, cake and ice cream will be sold for a nominal sum. The luncheon will take place at noon and the program will begin at 2 o'clock.

Among the numbers on the program are the following: Music by Ashland band; exercises by the militia; male quartet; solo by Mrs. Elmore; address by Edgar B. Piper, managing editor of the Morning Oregonian; address by Prof. Irving E. Vining.

Arrangements will be made with the business men of the city to close their places of business from 12 to 3 o'clock on that day that all may attend the exercises, which promise to be of unusual interest. The proceeds of the picnic will go to the local Red Cross.

## Red Cross Notes.

On Wednesday, June 6, there were twenty workers engaged in the work at Red Cross headquarters, and on the 8th there were twenty-two present. Many more are needed. Everybody can help in this work. Come, if you can remain for a half hour only. In that time you can do something. Little Esther Spencer donated 50 cents to the Red Cross, thus setting a good example which will no doubt be followed by other children who are never found wanting in generosity. There will be a Red Cross meeting in Phoenix June 13. Prof. Irving E. Vining will give the address. Music will be provided by the musical people of Phoenix. A large attendance is expected. Talent is making preparations to organize a Red Cross Society in the near future. Present indications point to a live organization there. Everybody throughout the state and nation is working in this cause. Reports come that the busiest of business men in all the large cities are giving of their time without stint and are acting as captains in the various departments. There are no subordinate positions, but call for the best work from the best minds.

## Goodwin To Go To Glacier Park

Supervisor C. F. Goodwin of Crater Lake national park has been transferred to Glacier national park in Montana. The news comes as a surprise as Mr. Goodwin was placed in charge only last winter. He has for several seasons supervised the road work in Crater Lake national park.

## Stores Closed Until Noon Tuesday.

The business houses of Ashland will close until 1 p. m. on Tuesday, June 12, in order that the business men may join with other citizens in work on the new Chautauqua auditorium. By order of **ASHLAND BUSINESS MEN'S ASSOCIATION.**

## Coos Bay Special to Roundup Assured

Marshfield Record: L. J. Simpson, who is home from Portland, said today the proposed excursion to towns in the southern part of Oregon, including Eugene, Roseburg, Grants Pass, Medford and Ashland, is all arranged for with the Southern Pacific, and the special train will have four or five Pullman sleepers, a dining car and excellent service wherever it stops.

The fare is set at \$35, and this includes everything to be had, such as meals, tips, lodging and, in fact, nothing is expected from people who go, other than the \$35. This even includes tickets for the grand stand at the Ashland roundup. Mr. Simpson has sufficient assurances from North Bend and Marshfield to warrant the excursion being a big success, but more can easily be accommodated. There are always desertions in such affairs at the last moment, but the manager is planning to keep the quota to 100 people if possible. The train leaves here on July 2 and returns July 5.

## Much Advertising Of Roundup in Cal.

B. R. Greer returned Sunday evening from San Francisco, where he spent a few days on business. He reports that the Southern Pacific, through General Passenger Agent Batters at San Francisco, is putting out 10,000 big handbills advertising the Ashland Hyiu Hehe and Rogue River Roundup between San Francisco and Ashland. Also that John M. Scott at Portland is co-operating with Mr. Batters and will practically duplicate the advertising between Portland and Ashland.

Mr. Greer also reported that O. T. Bergner was placing the sixteen slides of the roundup and celebration in the San Francisco theatres. Mr. Bergner is well known in the city and through his wide acquaintance the slides will be projected on the screens of several theatres. The slides show scenes in Lithia park, at the camp grounds and tennis courts and a dozen pictures of buckers at last year's roundup. The final slide contains an invitation to visit the Rogue River roundup July 3, 4 and 5 of this year.

## Register Two Aliens in City

But two "alien enemies," i. e. Germans who have not been naturalized since coming to the United States, were registered by Postmaster Kaiser. Orders from the government appointed Postmaster Kaiser deputy marshal for ten days and required that all alien enemies be required to go through proper registration before being allowed within one-half mile of the Ashland armory. As this would prevent Germans from visiting the business section, it is presumed that all registered.

## Cate Says Blight Is Under Control

The blight is under better control this year than it was a year ago, according to County Pathologist Cate, and with continued vigilance there should be little loss from this source in 1917. There has been a heavier drop of fruit than anticipated, but not enough to materially reduce the fruit crop, which promises to be a record breaker.

## Ashland Has New Tourist Attraction

While on your evening stroll through Lithia park, if you are accosted by a shining creature which looks like a spark from the kitchen stove don't make a hurried retreat or visit the doctor for medicine for the nerves or eyesight, but stop a minute and investigate our new discovery, for more than likely you have met with one of the new inhabitants of Lithia park and one which is a decided novelty attraction—the glow-worm.

Recent picnickers up the canyon report that they have noticed the little worms in many places, and it is now even rumored that parties are being arranged for the sole purpose of visiting the sylvan haunts and to seek the tiny ball of light in his native haunt. Again, it is said that if the insects keep on increasing, their heat will warm the waters of Ashland creek to such an extent that the Ashland citizens will have hot water for their baths at night and cold water for domestic purposes in the daytime (the glow-worm is only noticeable at night). And why not capture a group of the tiny creatures and train them to do stunts which would make a decided tourist attraction for the auto camp grounds at night? At any rate, the park commission will not have to worry about their new attraction being carried away by mischievous young America, for they are afraid of the new arrival because of his formidably warm appearance. And why not start an industry of canning the discussed subject and shipping them to nearby cities to adorn the electric chandeliers, the reading tables and the electric light poles?

But we must return to the news of our article. Several parties of picnickers report that they have noticed several glow-worms in the damp places near Ashland creek up the canyon.

## Week's Wool Sales Net 20,000 Pounds

Ed Barron, well-known local farmer and sheep raiser, sold 11,000 pounds of wool, representing this season's clip, this week. The wool sold at a good price, the above amount netting more than \$5,000. At the same time smaller clips were sold from the Tucker and Helms herds in that vicinity. The wool was bought by J. N. Dennis, representing a Portland firm. Fred Herrin's recent sheep clip netted 9,000 pounds of wool, which was contracted for by J. W. Sals of San Francisco. Some of the fleeces taken in his recent clipping were extra large, one of them weighing twenty-four pounds.

The clipping has been done about a month later this year than it has been done in former years.

## Flag Day at Elks Temple Thursday

Next Thursday evening at 8 o'clock at the Elks Temple will be held the annual Flag Day exercises of the Ashland Elks lodge, to which the public is invited. The Red Cross, G. A. R., W. R. C., 1st company, Coast Artillery, and other organizations will attend in a body and it is expected that the evening will witness one of the most inspiring patriotic demonstrations Ashland has yet seen. Prof. Irving Vining will deliver the address of the day. The full program will appear in Thursday's issue of the Tidings.

## Club Reception To New Members

Tuesday will be a gala day for the Civic Improvement Club, as it marks the close of a spirited and very successful membership campaign. Mrs. C. H. Gillette and her winning side will put on a fine program in the park near the picnic ground, followed by a reception to new members and ending with a picnic supper served by Mrs. P. B. Whitney and her losing side. The club is rejoicing over a large increase in membership, which now totals over 200.