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DALLES WILL BE GALA CITY ON PAGEANT DAY

CHAMBER HOST TO MULTITUDE ON AMATON FIELD; FREE FEED OFFERED.

THOUSANDS EXPECTED

STATE HIGHWAY COMMISSIONERS MAY ATTEND RALLY.

All of Wasco county will celebrate Friday, May 27, in what is expected to be the largest and most impressive community holiday ever held in The Dalles.

Thousands of visitors from Portland, Willamette valley and eastern Oregon towns are expected in the city on that day to view the pageant, already advertised throughout the state as going to be one of the few really wonderful spectacles put on in Oregon during the year.

Anticipating that hotels and restaurants will be swamped, The Dalles Wasco County Chamber of Commerce is going to serve a free lunch at noon on Amaton field. Hot beef sandwiches and coffee will be served from 12 until 1:30 o'clock, following which the decks will be cleared for a monster good roads meeting, also on Amaton field. State Highway Commissioners Booth, Yeon and Barratt have been invited to attend and speak at this meeting, and it is probable that they will accept the invitations. Every angle of the proposed \$800,000 road issue and resultant reconstruction of the Dalles-California highway, will be gone into and thoroughly explained by the speakers.

After the road bond meeting, a base ball game between The Dalles and the Warm Springs Indian team will occupy the center of the stage. The baseball game will start promptly at 2 o'clock.

And then, after the baseball game is over, will come the big treat of the day—the pageant. The actors will come on the natural stage, in the new city auto park, promptly at 6:30 in the evening, and from then on, scene by scene, will be unfolded a reproduction of the development of the northwest, from the time of its inception until the present.

MAYETA DENIES WINE OWNERSHIP

TRIAL OF GLENWOOD HOTEL PROPRIETOR PROGRESSING IN CIRCUIT COURT.

Trial of Tony Mayeta, proprietor of the Glenwood hotel, upon a charge of violating the prohibition law, occupied all of yesterday afternoon and this morning in the circuit court. It is expected that the case will go into the hands of the jury late this afternoon.

The state is using the same line of attack that it followed in the previous trial, in which the jury was discharged after being unable to come to an agreement. District Attorney F. V. Galloway contends that "wine" seized in a raid on the Glenwood hotel last winter was "spiked" with alcohol to give it the "kick" which chemical analysis has proven it to have.

The liquor in question, upon which the state is basing its case, was sold by Tom Allen, night clerk at the hotel, to special detectives of the Oregon Anti-Saloon League who participated in the raid on the hotel.

The defense contends that Tom Allen sold this liquor without the knowledge of Tony Mayeta, pleaded guilty in the justice court to this crime, was fined and paid his fine, thus completely eliminating Mayeta from responsibility.

Interesting testimony was introduced this morning by A. S. Wells, state chemist, as to the length of time required before grape juice can accumulate a 7 per cent "alcohol" by fermentation. At least two weeks is required to generate this amount of alcohol, Wells testified.

LEE JACK PLANS TO EDUCATE ALL CHINESE

MERCHANT LEAVES FOR CELESTIAL EMPIRE ON BUSINESS TRIP.

Lee Jack, known as "mayor" of The Dalles Chinatown, left yesterday for Hong Kong, China, where he expects to make purchases of goods to be shipped to this city for sale by Chinese merchants.

While in China he expects to visit Canton and Shanghai. In addition to purely business motives, Lee Jack has a philanthropic mission which he will attempt to carry out. He, working with a number of local and Portland Chinese merchants, has evolved a plan for the free education of Chinese children in China public schools.

At the present time, only the sons and daughters of wealthy Chinese receive the benefits of an education, according to Lee Jack. He is going to attempt to secure an audience to his proposal, which is that the Chinese government and American Chinese form a big banking corporation, organized along American lines.

This corporation would loan money at 8 percent interest, 4 percent of this sum to be used to cover the expense of operating the banking corporation and the other 4 percent to be used in the establishing of public schools in China, at which the poorest children can attend, free of charge. Lee Jack bears credit for the plan, which he has outlined in a circular signed by the Portland Chinese consul.

ACTOR'S WIFE SUICIDE

NEW YORK, May 24.—Half an hour after he had left his wife cooking dinner, Cyril Scott, the actor, returned to his home in Bayville, Queens, Monday evening to find her body hanging from the second floor banister. She had been dead five minutes.

INSULT AVENGED BY TEXAS MOB

MAN WHO LURED 12-YEAR-OLD GIRL IS HORSEWHIPPED.

DALLAS, Texas, May 24.—The south today avenged an alleged insult to a 12-year-old girl.

John T. Moore, white, well dressed, was taken to a secluded spot in the country by ten masked men and given 25 lashes with a blacksnake and then dumped from the automobile in the heart of the city.

Moore was arrested on a charge of enticing the girl to come to his hotel room. He was seized by the mob when he was released on bond.

He is said to have admitted that the girl was in his room.

HALF MILLION TRUST FUND FOR IOWA STUDENTS

NEW YORK, May 24.—Mrs. Lydia C. Chamberlain, formerly of Des Moines, Iowa, who has been a resident at the Hotel Woodway for many years, created a trust fund of her \$500,000 estate, leaving the income to Columbia University for the establishment of the Lydia C. Roberts graduate and traveling fellowships.

The graduate fellowships are to be awarded to white men and women who are Iowa college graduates, born in Iowa, who shall be selected because of their scholastic standing, soundness of purpose, moral character and real need of financial help.

MASON CRUSHED IN BRICK SLIDE DIES

RESCUE CAME TOO LATE FOR MAN BURIED UNDER WEIGHT 15 HOURS.

PORTLAND, May 24.—William Kruger, brick mason, rescued yesterday after having been buried for 15 hours beneath an avalanche of bricks in the basement of a house on which he was working alone, died at a hospital here early today from the effects of his injuries.

BUSINESS BLOCK IN DALLAS, TEX., SWEEP BY FIRE

GLAZE STARTS IN FURNITURE STORE; 250 AUTOS DESTROYED.

DAMAGE IS \$500,000

HOTEL OCCUPANTS FORCED TO FLEE IN NIGHT CLOTHING.

DALLAS, Tex., May 24.—An entire downtown block of business houses was damaged by fire early today. The loss was estimated at \$500,000. Officials said the fire started in a furniture store. No one was injured.

Only one furniture store—the Wain Furniture company escaped being gutted in the block bordered by Harwood, Olive, Elm and Pacific streets.

The Harwood-Pacific Storage company, where in addition to other goods, 250 automobiles were stored, suffered the greatest loss.

Other businesses wiped out included the Hughes Furniture company, two hotels and a branch of the Singer Sewing Machine company.

Occupants of the hotels fled in their night clothing.

The fire was believed to have started in the Hughes Furniture company.

PAGEANT PROGRAMS ARE DISTRIBUTED

SYNOPSIS OF SCENES IN SPECTACLE PREPARED FOR PATRONS.

Pageant programs, containing 12 pages of descriptive material and historical data, are now off the press and are being offered for sale. The programs contain complete synopses of each scene in the pageant, permitting spectators to become familiar with the setting and plot before seeing it acted.

"The only money which we will have to defray the expense of putting on this pageant, will be derived from the sale of these programs," H. W. Arbury, Community Service director, pointed out this morning. "They are available for use as souvenirs and thousands of copies should be mailed by residents of this city to their friends as proof of the fact that 'The Dalles is alive with historic tales.'"

RECOGNITION OF MEXICO IS NEAR

MAY GUARANTEE PROTECTION AMERICAN INTERESTS; NEGOTIATIONS NEAR END.

WASHINGTON, May 24.—The last obstacle to American recognition of the present Mexican government has been removed, it is believed here today.

The United States has been insistent that any recognition must hinge upon definite assurances that American lives and property in Mexico be adequately protected.

Oregon had been equally insistent that he could not sign any written guarantee because of the imposition of "coercion" that would result in his country.

A communication from Secretary of State Hughes which Charge D'Affaires George Sumner is bearing to Mexico City, however, is authoritatively stated to contain a suggestion that certain steps be taken by the Mexican government preliminary to recognition. These steps may be taken by Mexico without written promise.

GRANT ASHBY KILLED IN RUNAWAY ACCIDENT

MRS. HENRY STEERS' BROTHER MEETS DEATH NEAR MADRAS.

Grant Ashby, 55 years old, a brother of Mrs. Henry Steers of this city, was killed yesterday on his ranch near Madras when a team which he was driving became frightened and ran away, according to information received in The Dalles this morning.

Details of the runaway are not known, Ashby's lifeless body having been found beside the road several hours after the accident. He is survived by his wife, Carrie and two children. He also leaves three sisters, Mrs. Henry Steers, Mrs. Hattie Humphreys, wife of United States Attorney Lester E. Humphreys, of Portland, and Mrs. Grace Glover. One brother, J. H. Ashby of Salem, also survives.

Roy Taylor, nephew, left for Madras this morning to make arrangements for the care of the body, which will be sent to Salem for burial. Ashby was born in Marion county, coming to The Dalles with his parents while yet a small boy and living most of his life in this city. He leaves many friends here.

FIRST AIRPLANE TRAFFIC OCCURS IN NEW YORK

NEW YORK, May 24.—The first flight of an airplane ever reported in New York led to the arrest Monday of two youths with the uniforms of West Point cadets, claiming to be former students at the United States military academy, who have been employed at Ocean Side, taking passengers aloft for sight-seeing flights.

Officers at Market Field arrested a Curtis J. H. A. airplane, which was found it later, bogged in a marsh some distance away, but not badly damaged. A watch was set about the other machines and the guard reported that an attempt had been made to steal a second plane.

William K. Donahoe, of Riverside, Cal., and Stephen W. Shusterman, are the names given by the youths when arrested. Detectives said the prisoners confessed to stealing airplane accessories but denied being the first airplane thieves on record.

EXPECT CONFESSION FROM TRAIN ROBBER

MAN ACCUSED OF ROBBING OVERLAND LIMITED ARRESTED IN SACRAMENTO.

SACRAMENTO, May 24.—Despite repeated denials by Roy Gardner, train robber suspect under arrest here, that he had anything to do with the robbery of the mail car of the Overland Limited Friday night, postal authorities said today that they look for a complete confession from him.

Gardner insists he had nothing to do with the robbery, but that he had been in Roseville, Cal., since May 13. Evidence against him in other cities, however, the authorities say, and they look for his complete breakdown.

SENTENCES EX-SOLDIER, CRIES

JUDGE LANDIS SENDS TO PRISON MAN CITED FOR BRAWLERY.

CHICAGO, May 24.—Judge K. M. Landis went today, as he sentenced three former soldiers to Leavenworth penitentiary, for stealing goods from a interstate shipment.

"I guess I have been on the bench too long—I haven't much else for this sort of thing," the judge added.

Michael Hesley, one of the three, presented a citation for brawling for carrying ammunition to the front line trenches through a German barrage.

Judge Landis gave the men a year and a day each and promised to obtain a job for each after they had served their sentences if they would promise to go straight.

OLD SOL HARD AT WORK: TODAY HOTTEST OF YEAR

Old Sol outshone all previous records for this year in The Dalles today, with the mercury climbing to 89 degrees, the highest mark yet recorded this spring. The hottest previous day forced the recording thermometer at the chamber of commerce up to 81 degrees and then gave up in disgust when a cool breeze came sneaking up the Columbia river.

FRENCH CHAMBER JEERS SPEECH OF MINISTER

ERIAND'S CHANGE OF FACE BRINGS UNPRECEDENTED UPROAR.

ENTENTE SAFE, HE SAYS

PREMIER DECLARES LLOYD GEORGE'S SPEECH WAS NOT UNDERSTOOD.

PARIS, May 24.—Premier Briand was jeered and booed today in the chamber when he declared that Germany had shown good faith in meeting the allied demands. The scene in the chamber was one of the stormiest in its history.

Briand, his face drawn in when after waves of jeering and shouting, stood his ground, declaring that "France will go no further except on her imperious necessity."

And the shouts and jeers could be heard such phrases as "when do we occupy the Ruhr?" "When will you put your hand to Germany's throat?"

As the noise subsided, Briand, his voice hoarse from the jeers and his hair disheveled, declared that Lloyd George's speech on the situation which caused such bitter comment.

GERMANS FORBID SILESIAN SERVICE

VOLUNTEERS WILL BE PUNISHED. PRESIDENT EBERT ANNOUNCES.

BERLIN, May 24.—President Ebert in a proclamation, today announced that the government will punish severely any volunteer corps organized for service in Silesia.

The proclamation announced that the formation of such corps was forbidden and that there must be no attempt to cross the Silesian frontier.

WASHINGTON, May 24.—President Harding was today authorized to invite foreign nations to take part in the exposition at Portland in 1925, to celebrate the completion of transcontinental highways, in a resolution favorably reported to the senate by the foreign relations committee.

DEPUTY ARRESTS SOUTHWARD WOMAN

ALLEGED WOMAN MURDERESS TURNED OVER TO IDAHO OFFICERS IN HONOLULU.

HONOLULU, T. H., May 24.—Deputy Sheriff V. H. Ormsby of Twin Falls, Id., arrived today on the steamer Matsonia from San Francisco. He was met at the entrance of the harbor by Chief of Detectives Arthur McFarlin, who formally turned over to his custody Mrs. Lydia Southard, alleged murderer of four husbands, who will be returned to Idaho for trial. She is specifically accused of poisoning Edward E. Meyer, her fourth husband.

700 EXPECTED THIS SUMMER AT O. A. C.

OREGON AGRICULTURAL COLLEGE, Corvallis, May 24.—Summer session registration of at least 600 or 700 is indicated by the volume of correspondence being received from prospective students. Interest is much greater than last year, according to Dean M. Ellwood Smith, director. Many speakers of national reputation have been scheduled for addresses and a staff of 65 faculty members has been announced.

AGED PORTLAND MAN SLAYS WIFE WITH AX

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MEMORIAL DAY PLANS ON SHOULDERS OF LEGION

FOR FIRST TIME, WORLD WAR VETERANS TAKE LEAD IN CEREMONIES.

The Dalles post of the American Legion will, for the first time, approach by John charge of the Memorial Day exercises next Monday.

The number of G. A. R. veterans left here is pitifully small, and J. M. Patterson, appearing in the morning of the past Monday evening, held for the purpose of planning the Memorial Day exercises, delegated many duties to the Legionnaires.

Next Friday afternoon the representatives of the Legion will visit each of the public schools for patriotic exercises. Each delegation will be accompanied by one of the city's ministers. Rev. C. C. Roberts, of the Christian church, Commander Pat Foley of the post, and John T. Henry, vice-commander, will speak at the high school.

Mr. Thompson Caberth and Dr. S. Durfee Messing, with Rev. W. H. Forsyth, will speak at Whitler school. Ed Harrison, chairman of the Memorial Day committee, and George Scherer will go to East Hill school.

The post has also ordered 200 scarlet poppies through department headquarters of the Legion, and these will be worn, not only by ex-service men and women of the late war, but also by members of the G. A. R. and the Daughters of the American Revolution. The red poppy has been adopted as the official flower of the Legion.

Dalles post is also going after the 1922 state convention of the Legion, and last night took steps toward organizing the support of eastern Oregon organizations toward that end. A large delegation will be sent from here to the convention at Eugene, the last point of the route and the first two days of July.

A series of five minute speeches are to be given by the Legion members at the local theaters, in connection with a reel that is to be shown next week in support of the legion and their coming up for a vote on June 7.

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Kruus called the sheriff.

RISING CARRY BRIDGE

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