

Divine Music Comes From Behind the Whiskers; Prince of House of David Band Plays at Prison

What would you think if, while on hunting, a bear trap should grab your leg and hold it for hours, or for years—and then suddenly the horizon, composed of alfalfa shocks, hazel brush, tall weed patches, fuzzy slashings and miscellaneous natural ambuscades, should suddenly burst into the most ravishing harmonies, the most entrancing measures and strains of splendid, crashing chords? And if that harmony could come down to your ears, trapped leg like the giant Ursum, recuing the beautiful heroine in Quo Vadis, and carry your soul away to freedom and everlasting bliss? Wouldn't that be great?

fade away like the flowers die even though there is no frost—a full, ripened, happy life. They are, non-militaristic, and self-contained in their industrial habits. They could extirpate from all the rest of the world—almost—and go on making almost everything humanity can use, right in their own community.

But they certainly never made all that wonderful jazz music out of vegetarian whiskers! It is a conservative estimate that there were 50 trombones and a dozen drums and a whole squad of saxophones in some of their jazzfest creations. Such bursts of sound never came from only 20 players; they must have camouflaged a relay of noise-makers behind the rear curtain, or hypnotized their audience into believing sounds that were not there.

As a band, the House of David organization is in a class by itself. "The Last Rose or Summer," the beautiful ballad that touches the heart, fairly lived and breathed its fragrance through the silver hours. Most of the program was, by intent, light and airy, and aimed to cheer rather than to be reminiscent. But when the magnificent chord of the national anthem pealed out it gripped the hearts like the hand of a giant, like the hand of love.

Warden Compton was the host to the visiting musicians Monday afternoon, for a tour of all the state institutions, and for dinner in the evening. In return, they offered to give the concert, which was arranged on the shortest of notice. The band came here to fulfill an engagement at the Grand theater, but because of the Garrigon concert last night, had to hold over until tonight.

GOOD-BYE SAID TO MINISTER

Edward E. Brodie Honored by Newspapermen at Banquet Last Night

TRIBUTES ARE EXTENDED

Envoy Extraordinary to Siam to Sail Saturday for Port of Duty

Very Busy Week is This At Salem Commercial Club

This is a busy week at the Salem commercial club. Yesterday luncheon was served to 80 men and in the evening there was a meeting of those interested in the organization of a central body to laud the charity for the city this winter.

This evening dinner will be served to the Cherrians, who hold their annual election. On Wednesday the war mothers will meet at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, and in the evening there will be a rehearsal of the Apollo club in one room and a meeting of the federated clubs in another.

Thursday, from 10 o'clock in the morning there will be the grocers' bread contest and in the evening at 8 o'clock a meeting of the Business Men's League. Friday, there is again the grocers' bread contest all day.

During the afternoon, beginning at 1 o'clock, there will be held a meeting of the Rosedale Cooperative Telephone company, and in the evening a meeting of the Marion County federation. Saturday will close the grocers' bread contest and in the afternoon the women's clubs will meet at 2 o'clock.

is a veteran toastmaster. He was always good at it and appears to be improving.

Toasts Responded To Those who responded to toasts were: Governor Olcott, Col. George A. White, adjutant general of Oregon; R. A. Brodie of Eugene, brother of Minister Brodie; C. E. Ingalls, editor of the Corvallis Gazette-Times; Eric W. Allen, dean of the college of journalism at the University of Oregon; B. E. Irvine, editor of the Portland Journal; Justice Thomas A. McBride, Oregon supreme court; Mrs. E. E. Brodie, Col. Carl A. Rams, Pacific Homestead and Oregon Statesman, and Minister Brodie himself.

Banqueters Listed Those who attended the banquet were: E. B. Kottek, Silverton Tribune; John T. Hoblitt, Silverton Appeal; Eric W. Allen, dean of school of journalism, University of Oregon; Col. Carl A. Rams; Mrs. A. J. Rams, Pacific Homestead; Ralph K. Cronise, Albany Democrat; R. J. Hendricks and Mrs. Hendricks, Oregon Statesman; Justice Thomas A. McBride, Oregon supreme court and associate editor of Oregon Reporter; George Turnbull, school of journalism, University of Oregon; George Putnam, Capital Journal; C. E. Ingalls and Mrs. Ingalls, Corvallis Gazette-Times; Col. George A. White, adjutant general of Oregon, and Mrs. White, American Legion Weekly; Governor Don W. Clifton; E. E. Brodie, minister to Siam and Mrs. Brodie; Mrs. K. M. Havers, sister of Mr. Brodie; Elbert Bede and Mrs. Bede, Cottage Grove Sentinel; Frank W. Beach, Pacific Northwest Hotel News; Portland, Robert C. Hall, school of journalism, University of Oregon; W. C. DeWey, Lebanon Criterion; Frank L. Snow, department of industrial journalism, Oregon Agricultural college; Thomas D. Potwin, Albany Herald; G. Lansing Hurd, Corvallis Gazette-Times; Stephen A. Stone, Oregon Statesman and Portland Telegram; R. E. Irvine and Mrs. Irvine, Portland Journal; R. A. Brodie and Mrs. Brodie, Oregon City Enterprise; Ted Brodie, brother of Minister Brodie, and Mrs. Brodie.

A big banquet table full of Oregon newspapermen and other persons who are or have been associated with the publishing business gathered at the Marion hotel last night to do honor to Edward E. Brodie of Oregon City, who will sail Saturday of this week for Siam to assume the duties of envoy extraordinary and minister plenipotentiary of the United States, to which he was appointed by President Harding.

Mr. Brodie has been signally honored in his own state and nation, having served for a number of terms as president of the State Editorial association, and now holding the position of President of the National Editorial association. He is owner and publisher of the Oregon City Enterprise, and during his absence that publication will be under the guidance of Hal E. Hoss, one of the prominent newspapermen of the state, and who is secretary of the State Editorial association.

Jocularity held the reins last night, yet there was a strain of seriousness as the good wishes were said to the honor guests and numerous tributes were paid Mr. Brodie by the speakers. Elbert Bede, who is the only one of his kind, served as toastmaster. Bede

Read The Classified Ads.

OFFICER SHOT BY LUMBERMEN

W. W. Birtchett, Wounded Subdues Big Logger and Takes Him to Jail

WILLIAM RODGERS HELD

Wife Who Called for Help Now Refuses to Assist in Prosecution

Wife Calls For Aid

Mrs. Rodgers to whose call for aid Birtchett had responded, has been over by her husband's now tearful pleas that he regrets his action in wounding the officer and his reported abuse of her and has declined to assist the city in its case against Rodgers.

Although badly wounded, Birtchett brought in his prisoner to the police station. He did not collapse but walked unassisted to the office of Dr. C. E. Cashell, city physician, and submitted to the removal of the bullet that came from Rodgers' gun.

The bullet had entered Birtchett's left hip and lodged near the spine. Dr. Cashell reported last night that his patient was recovering rapidly.

Officer Birtchett is one of the officers placed on the force at the beginning of Chief Moffitt's administration. With his wife and small son, Walter W., Jr., he lives at 684 North Commercial street.

and in recognition for his fearless and loyal devotion to duty I am recommending that he be promoted to a sergeancy and be placed in charge of the street force at night after January 1, when four new officers will be added.

This incident is only one of many recent occurrences emphasizing the need of better enforcement of prohibition laws. While this department has made arrests and secured convictions of bootleggers, moonshiners, booze runners and intoxicated men, we have been very much handicapped in having an inadequate police force.

SPECIAL MEETING FOR PURCHASE PLAN

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instructed to confer with the local railroad officials and to request that the company remedy the conditions outlined by the two aldermen.

Residents of North Sixteenth street presented a petition asking that they be permitted to pave Sixteenth street between Market and D streets. The petition was signed by W. F. Perlich and many others and the petitioners were assured that the work would be put through as expeditiously as possible.

E. W. Cooley of 1260 North Nineteenth street asked the council to provide drainage for the street in front of his property, asserting that his new sidewalk was flooded many times during the winter.

City officers reported that the condition would be remedied only when the street was graded and other property owners line up with new sidewalks.

CRAWFORD HEADS FLAX GROWERS

Discussion of Location for Scutching Buildings to Be Taken Up

At a meeting held yesterday of officers and directors of the recently organized Willamette valley Flax & Hemp Cooperative association, Robert Crawford was elected manager.

In a discussion as to proper sites for the first scutching buildings, there was much sentiment expressed for having them built at Salem. However, there was no definite action taken and the matter of buildings will come up at the next meeting of directors.

It was decided that the next step in the flax industry would be to secure pledges of acreage and within a short time flax growers and those interested will be called upon. In the meantime, growers who wish to sign up for acreage may do so at the office of A. C. Rohrstedt, 107 Masonic temple.

JUSTICE BROWN ADDRESSES ELKS

Principles of Order Lauded at Annual Lodge of Sorrows Sunday

In delivering the memorial address of the Salem Elks' lodge Sunday afternoon at the Grand theater, Justice George M. Brown said:

"The mission of the Elks is to instill the sentiment of the Golden Rule into the minds of all its members. And it is this sentiment that will shine out as a banner of light among members of the lodge."

"When the Golden Rule prevails, our navy can fade away and our arms may be made into the implements of peace. The principles of the Elks have shown through the ages since the morning stars shown in Bethlehem.

"Every Elk represents every other religion. He is broad of vision and has good will toward every faith that has helped mankind."

"We preach the religion of brotherly love and the gospel of humanity. We teach that our flag typifies Americanism. We believe, it represents charity, justice and brotherly love."

"It is strange that man has been man's worst enemy. The mission of the Elks is to make man the best friend of man."

Charles R. Archer delivered the eulogy. He spoke touchingly of the six members of the lodge who had passed away in the last year.

STUDENT UNLUCKY

Albert Rose of Willamette, Wash., a student at Ukiahville university, is a house member of the Phi Kappa Pi fraternity according to the announcement issued by Bernard Ramsey, president of the fraternity. Mr. Rose has met with a few discouragements since coming to the university. He had the misfortune to be quarantined for about five weeks which has kept him from classes. By close application he expects to be able to catch up with all back work and pass the semester's exams with flying colors.

Moonshine Still is in Possession of Sheriff

An ownerless still is held by Sheriff Oscar Bower as the result of a raid staged Monday morning by Deputy Sheriffs Bert Smith and Walter Barber and Constable Walter LeLong.

The still of 25 gallon capacity and four overturned barrels of mash were found on property located near the M. L. Jones hop yard in Mission Bottom. It is thought the outfit has been operated recently. Efforts to locate the owner were unavailing.

Big Timberland Deal Completed in Clackamas

PORTLAND, Dec. 5.—Approximately 46,000,000 board feet of timber on Oregon-California grant land in Clackamas county was today sold at auction to the Union Lumber company of New Orleans by the government acting through the local land offices. The total consideration was in excess of \$93,000.

The tract is composed largely of fir, with a considerable amount of hemlock and cedar included. The bulk lies in township 4 south, 5 east, a short distance from Cazadero.

Ex-Kaiser Denies Report of Betrothal

LONDON, Dec. 5.—Denial was given today at the home of former Emperor William at Doorn, Holland, of the report of his betrothal says a dispatch to the Daily Mail.

ITALIAN WRESTLER BEATEN

DETROIT, Mich., Dec. 5.—Stanslaus Zbyszko, world's champion wrestler, defeated Giovanni Mazzani, Italian champion, in straight falls tonight. The first fall came in 2 1/2 minutes on a headlock and body scissors and the second in seven minutes with a body scissors.

SHIRT SALE Bishop's Greatest Shirt Sale Today is the opening day of the greatest of our shirt sales. Dozens of original and tasteful patterns shown in a wonderful variety of colors, perfectly tailored in high grade percales, madras, Russian cords and reps. Every shirt is a shirt worth having. Lot 1 95c Real fine percales in pleasing colors and stripe effects. Former prices \$1.50 and \$2.00. All sizes. Lot 2 \$1.45 Percales and madras in designs that you cannot afford to miss seeing. Former prices \$2 and \$2.50. All sizes. Lot 3 \$1.95 Very unusual values in a great variety of patterns in percales, reps and madras. Former prices \$2.50 to \$3.00. Lot 4 \$2.45 Very fine materials such as reps, woven madras and Russian cords. The very finest of workmanship. Former prices \$3.00 to \$4.00. There is not an undesirable pattern in the whole stock. See them in the windows. Three windows chock full of these wonderful values. Salem Woolen Mills Store C. P. Bishop, Prop.

