

MOVIE GOSSIP

SHUFFLE ALONG PLAYS TOMORROW

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IRISH FREESTATE TO ENTER LEAGUE

LIBERTY "Head Hunters of the South Seas." OREGON "Brass." BLIGH IRENE CASTLE in "No Trespassing" "Miracles of the Jungle"

most build its own grade. Fine Resources Appeal The opening of the tremendous pine resources of the eastern slope of the Cascades would be one of the results accomplished. Klamath county alone claims almost 39,000,000,000 feet of timber available, and Lake county has one-quarter as much.

Musical Comedy Has Good Advance Seat Sale—Capacity House Evidenced

"Shuffle Along" comes to the Grand theater, matinee and night, Saturday, July 21, for the first time in Salem.

This highly acclaimed musical comedy with its all colored cast, is aptly described in one of the opening song numbers, "Simply Full of Jazz," for while there is a plot, it is not allowed to halt the syncopated action which comes in the form of solos, duets, double and triple quartets, dancing galore and not to mention a real jazz orchestra working overtime.

Between tunes and dance numbers you become acquainted with two partners of a grocery store who are rival candidates for the local office of mayor of Jintown, and the manner in which they both proceed to conduct and finance their campaign is decidedly original and at all times hilarious.

John Vaughaner is the tall, shuffling darkey who apparently wins the election, for he is installed as "Mayah," while his little sawed-off partner with the funny voice bobs up as chief of police. The "mayah" assumes all the dignities his office calls for, and maintains a staff of singing and dancing "stenographers" who are made to order, and at all times saalam gracefully.

The book is by Miller and Lyles, while the score and lyrics are from Sissle and Blake, and the company will include Emma Jackson, Nellie Brown, John Vaughaner, Edgar Connors and the famous colored "Valentino," Theo McDonald.

Fruit Stands Spring Up At Many Country Homes

Out along the Pacific highway there are numbers of little fruit stands in front of the farm houses where home grown fruit is offered to the public. Usually it is one of the younger girls of the family who attends the stand. But that isn't the really important thing; which is, that the finest loganberries that ever grew in the Willamette valley or in the world, are offered under these big home-made signs that say, "Three boxes Loganberries, 10c," or some other similarly atrociously low price.

An inspection of the local city fruit and melon markets indicates that the other fruits must have determined to equalize the prices, for in general they have shot upward like a rocket. Little melons that housekeepers hoped to be getting at about three for a quarter sell at 15 cents apiece, and in general the non-home-grown stuff is about as cocky as a cauliflower in a cabbage convention.

BOY'S BODY FOUND

LEWISTON, Idaho, July 19.—The body of six year old Louis Goldsmith, son of Mrs. Anna Goldsmith of this city, who was drowned in Snake river at Clarkston, Wash., last Sunday, was recovered today about four miles below the point where the accident oc-

NINE AIRPLANES COMING THIS WAY

Air Escort to President Will Fly Over Capital City On July 31st

SAN DIEGO, July 19.—Ordered to duty as an air escort to the president at the gigantic naval spectacle in Puget Sound July 27, Nine De Havilland airplanes with the commander or the navy's air forces on this coast in command, will wing their way from North Island tomorrow morning on the first leg of the 1141 mile flight to the sound.

With Captain A. W. Marshall, fleet air head, will be ten skilled aviators in addition to mechanics and photographers. The first jump will be to San Francisco, a distance of 450 miles. The planes are expected to arrive at the bay city about noon tomorrow, taking about five hours for the flight.

The next jump will be from San Francisco to Montague, Cal., 256 miles; then to Eugene, Ore., 175 miles and Camp Lewis, Wash., 250 miles. The total distance to be flown is 1141 miles.

Casey Mandate Recall Is Deferred By Court

The supreme court yesterday by order continued for at least a week the question of whether a motion for recall of the mandate in the case of the state against Dan Casey shall be allowed.

Casey was convicted in the lower court for Multnomah county and sentenced to be hanged for the murder of "Buck" Phillips, Southern Pacific special police officer. The supreme court upheld the lower court. When the mandate of the supreme court was sent back to the lower court, preparing the way for Casey to be resentence to hang, the motion was made for recall of the mandate, which would allow of further consideration. One reason for the motion was that John L. Burns, who was believed to be equally guilty with Casey, was acquitted in the lower court.

China Is Turning to Intensive Farming

WASHINGTON, July 16.—A remarkable development of intensive agriculture in China is shown by a special study of farming in that country, just completed by the Department of Agriculture.

China has more than 59,000,000 farmers who, with their families, comprise 80 to 90 per cent of the nation's total population. Of a total area of more than 2,600,000,000 acres of land, about 212,000,000 acres are under cultivation, including 43,000,000 acres of wet lands used chiefly for rice production, and 16,000,000 acres of gardens and fruit orchards.

China ranks first among agricultural countries in the production of rice, tea, silk, soy beans and grain sorghums, the report says, and is second only to the United States in tobacco and possibly in wheat production also. On the average China produces more cotton for commercial use than Egypt and, including production for local use, nearly as much as British India.

PRINTS SOLD IN LONDON

LONDON, July 19.—A valuable portfolio of "Hudson River Aquatints" has been recently unearthed and sold at auction in this city. The portfolio was published in New York about 100 years ago and contains 20 fine colored engravings of the Hudson river. It brought 135 pounds sterling.

Finds Saving in Cost Of Making Electricity

WASHINGTON, July 19.—The United States is becoming an increasingly heavier user of electricity, but despite the mounting power totals, the consumption of fuel to produce it is decreasing in proportion. Geological survey figures show that the consumption of coal for that purpose in 1922 was only 2.5 pounds a kilowatt hour, as compared with 3.3 lbs. in 1919.

A total of 47,559,000,000 kilowatt hours was generated last

year. Of this amount 36.1 per cent was generated by water power. New York leads the list of states in production, manufacturing 15.57 per cent of the total for the country. Other states in order are Pennsylvania, California, Illinois, Ohio, Michigan, Massachusetts and West Virginia.

Far Away Borneo Offers Easy and Cheap Living

LONDON, July 18.—British North Borneo appears to be as near paradise as it is possible for the tax burdened man of today to get.

No income tax is collected in the district. There is only a nominal land tax, railway fares have not been increased since 1911, tobacco is cheaper than in any other place in the world, chickens sell for a shilling apiece and whiskey for eight shillings a bottle.

These facts are not taken from the circulars of a kolonization agent but are found in the official report of the British government authorities in the district. Incidentally the report says the natives have given up their old habit of head hunting.

Presbyterian Meetings Are Open in Eugene

EUGENE, Or., July 19.—With more than 125 ministers and elders and their wives attending, the 33rd synod of the Presbyterian church of Oregon met here today for a week's session. Officers for the session were chosen at the opening meeting this afternoon.

Rev. W. C. Ross of La Grande was elected moderator to preside over the synod; Rev. J. Y. Stewart of Whiteson, permanent clerk, and J. L. Webster of Bend temporary clerk. A stated clerk to succeed Dr. John A. Townsend of Portland, who died since last session, has not yet been chosen. The address of welcome was delivered by Colin V. Dymont, dean of the college of literature and arts at the University of Oregon, where the synod is holding its sessions.

Clerks to Sort Mail in Speeding Airplane

LONDON, July 16.—A "flying mail train," is the latest type of airplane to be developed in England.

In the plane's mail chamber, says the Daily Chronicle's aeronautical expert, sorters will be able to carry on their work just as they might in a railway mail-train. It will have a radius of 2000 miles and will be able to stay in the air 24 hours without alighting. The crew in charge will be provided with regular sleeping quarters on board. They will, in fact, work in shifts while in the air, some of them sleeping while others are on duty in the control-chamber.

If necessary, when flying at night or immersed in fog or cloud, the crew will be able to bring into play mechanisms which will endow the craft with the power of automatic self-balance. The machine will virtually fly itself, and all the helmsman will have to do will be to keep it on a compass course by means of the rudder.

RUHR COAL HIGH

BERLIN, July 17.—Ruhr anthracite coal now costs 1,651,000 marks a ton, gross, under the new

tariff established by the Federal Coal association in markets in unoccupied Germany. The tariff shows a general increase in prices of 63 per cent.

Portland Nun Refuses to Enter Convent in East

NEW YORK, July 13.—The disappearance of a woman dressed as a nun, who described herself as "Sister Theresa" of Portland, Or., when sought to explain why Helen Maul, 11 years old, was in her care, was reported today by the superintendent of the Children's society where the child was sent.

Arrangements were made, the superintendent said, by Father Hogan of the Church Epiphany to send the nun to a convent, but on arriving there she refused to enter the building and walked away. It was said at the convent that she had not been heard from.

ARRESTED, FINED, 1 HOUR

WALLA WALLA, Wash., July 19.—It was just one hour from the time T. Sudi, a Japanese, was arrested by a deputy sheriff here today until he had been fined \$150 for having moonshine in his possession and had paid his fine.

President Cosgrave and Large Delegation Are Expected at Geneva

GENEVA, July 19.—(By the Associated Press)—President Cosgrave with a strong delegation from the Irish Free State probably will come to Geneva for the annual meeting of the assembly of the league of nations in September, when the Free State is expected to be elected a member of the league. This announcement was made today by Michael MacWhite, permanent representative of the Free State here.

"Rest assured that Ireland will have her own independent program toward the league," said Mr. MacWhite. "We are not tied up with other European nations as most of the members of the league are, and we feel by our very independence that we can do good."

Ireland wants international help, he continued. Her opportunity for economic development and prosperity is dependent upon a settlement of Europe's woes. Hence Dublin's keen interest in a solution of the reparations problem.

Record Entry Expected for Horseshoe Pitching Contest

CLEVELAND, July 16.—Several hundred entrants are expected in the National Horseshoe Pitchers' Tournament to be held here August 20 to September 2, as the result of announcement by local tossers in charge of arrangements that many state and county fairs throughout the country are to hold horseshoe tournaments to determine entry in the national contest.

Harold Falor, 15-year-old boy of Akron, O., will defend his title as world's champion pitcher, he has announced.

GRAND—TOMORROW—MAT. 2:15; EVE. 8:25 SPECIAL BARGAIN PRICE MATINEE AT 2:15 This Show Has Never Played Salem Before PRICES—Night 50c to \$2.00; Matinee 50c to \$1.00—Seats Now Selling, make your reservations early!

THE STUPENDOUS WORLD'S SENSATIONAL RECORD BREAKING MUSICAL COMEDY A VERITABLE ARMY OF FUN MAKERS—JETS, SINGERS, QUARTETS, COMEDY, GIRLS AND BOYS IN REGIMENT

OREGON LIBERTY NOW SHOWING Marie Prevost—Monte Blue Harry Myers and Frank Keenan "BRASS" A bitter story of marriage that glittered like Gold but proved to be brass.

1500 MILES OF STATE TOURED BY PARTY

Continued from page 1.) tension of the present road between Ontario and Crane, up to Burns, and then on to Bend. From Bend there would be an extension to a junction at or near Odell lake. From there the Natron cut-off would extend westward, across the Cascade range to the Willamette valley, connecting with the present Southern Pacific at Eugene.

A road would be built from Layview up to this main east-and-west highway, and another would come up from Klamath Falls to make the same Oregon connections. The total mileage is about 350 miles. Except for the Natron cut-off, most of the construction would be fairly easy. Probably one-half of it would al-

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