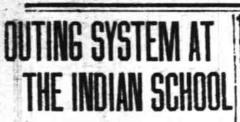
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It Has Worked and Is Work ing Wonderfully Well Wherever Tried

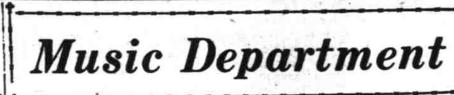
(The Statesman of Saturday names, will be answered personmorning had an editorial article ally if accompanied by a self-adconcerning the inauguration of dressed envelope.) the outing system at the Salem United States Indian Training school at Chemawa. The following article from the Chemawa now we will continue to the next American, the school paper of the stage of the development of mu-Chemawa institution, concerning sic which we will call the half-civ-The Founding of the First lized stage.

Large Indian School and Beginning of the Outing System," is interesting in this connection: )

In 1875, Lieutenant Richard H. Pratt was detailed by the war department to take seventy-two In- human race or society, and it per dian prisoners of war from Fort Sill. Indian Territory. to St. why some nations or people ad-Augustine, Florida, where they vanced out of savagery and why were placed in confinement in the by the Spaniards in the sixteenth but nevertheless true, no distincand seventeenth centuries. The tive national styles have been re Indians were taken in chains and corded from the Assyrians, Egyp-Lieutenant Pratt remained in tians and Hebrews, sithough these charge of them. Feeling that they were secure in the old fort, and that the great distance from their homes convinced them of the impossibility of escape, he removed verse and dance, and the effect uptheir irons and found work for on the mind and its efficiency was of them skilled school teachers. undertook their education and the younger men and a number of the older ones were placed under scholastic instruction in the casements of the old fort, fitted up ments, in character representations crudely as schoolrooms. Here of the ancient instruments and they learned to speak English and many of them to write creditable

letters. In 1878, these prisoners were released and all who desired to struments are very numerous, and go were permitted to return to lative writers name the following their western homes. However. 22 of the younger men expressed a desire to remain in the east and go to school. Their wish was granted and Lieutenant Pratt was detailed to take them to Hampton Institute, Virginia, where arrangements were made to admit them to that institution, then under the management of General Arm strong, and to remain there with The following year, in them. 1879, the Carlisle Indian schoo' was founded by Lieutenant Prat' and for many years Carlisle waknown as the great example school of the Indian service. was discontinued soon after th United States entered the World war and was turned back to the war department for use in connection with the care of out wounded soldiers.

The Outing System



(Editor's Note-All questions ities of the Hindoos are far better pertaining to music in all its known than those of the Chinese branches will be answered in and much attention has been paid these columns from week to week. to the art as far back as 2000 B. Only initials or pseudonyms given will be published, and ques- C., but as history tells us that in-tions of a personal nature or those dia was so often invaded by forrequiring the giving of trade eign peoples, and its commercial relations with western countries has been going on for ages, his-

of music in its primitive stage, and pal characteristic of this country

**Chapter** Two Music seems to enter this stage and its development is a natura equence with the progress of the haps will always remain a myster; others did not, and it is peculiar. ually a weird effect running throughout. aations treated music with extreme réverence. Harmony was un known, and rhythm was that of Benevolent women, some due to a combination of melodies tion. and instruments with religious and patriotic rites

nutes and shakes. Today we have direct evidence To sum up music of the semion Assyrian and Egyptian monu-Arabians made little use of music August. in their religious ceremonies. players. Whereas in China it seems whereas on the other hand, it was that music reached a certain point

and stopped, although Chinese inand Assyria The art of music was greatly enmaterials used in making their inhanced in China and Japan as well struments-skin, stone, metal, as in India through the art of makday, wood, bamboo, silk and ing instruments, and hundreds of yourd. Dressed skin in tambourins portables are chronicled. and drums, stone in plates of jade Now, dear reader, we would like or agate, hung by cords from a to call your attention to the fact frame and sounded by a mallet or that in writing this series of artibeater. Clay, to make whistles o cles on the history of music there he ocarina type; metal, made in is a wealth of historical know-

o bells and gongs; wood, forming ledge that we must leave out as we he bodies of string instruments. are trying to make this as simple amboo, from which the tubes of as possible, and we want you to joth direct and transverse flutes feel at liberty to ask any and all vere made, with six to nine fingerquestions that you may desire to toles. Silk was used for the have answered. trings. Our next article will carry us a

Japanese instruments are genrally duplicates of the Chinese with numerous variations. ise of Christian music. As for India, the musical activ E. B. G., Music Editor.

experiences with the setting England, has been chosen. The cast has been tentatively selected and will hold fts first practice tonight at the J. R. Beck home. Miss Mary Hagen will coach he play.

Victor McKenzie, national committeeman from Oregon for the American Legion, attended a meeting of District No. 8 at Cottage C., but as history tells us that In-Grove Wednesday evening. He reports considerable enthusiasm in

that part of the state along all lines of American Legion endeatory does not tell us what part of its music is original. The princi-NEWBERG, March. \$1 .- (Spe-

cial)-Lester C. Rees Post American Legion will be host to the the present day seems to be in the other posts of Yamhill county here singing of poems as well as in the in Legion auditorium April 6, at lancing to music, and professional the regular county pow-wow.

lancing has always been strong The other posts are bringing a eature of this country, and nautch number of candidates here to b cirls are an institution of the Budinitiated into the American Lelhist church and frequently is asgion. This work will be done by the ociated with immorality. state department officers. Most of the tone system and

There will also be speakers to cale formation of India is similar explain the benefits of the state to our own, and from a melody and national legislation now passstandpoint conforms to our comed or to be passed by the state and mon modes, although there is usnational governments.

There will be dancing after the program. This meeting is open to We will touch briefly on the the public. Full program will be trable form of music and say that published next week.

is more far-reaching than any other of its class, and it is very The membership of Capital Post juestionable whether there is any of the American Legion is growing real Arabian music, hence the prosteadily and has passed the 1,070 blem remains an unsolved quesmark. Incidentally the 1929 mem-The modes in Hindoo song bership campaign has not been are broken by slides, turns, graceforgotten and will be pushed in a

very few days. Efforts will be made to have 300 cards by the civilized period, we find that the time of the state convention in

The following dispatch found in used very extensively in religious the Silverton Tribune is of considand civic function in Babylonia rable interest to all Legionnaires:

Commander Spafford of th American Legion will arrive in Silverton in his plane Monday, April 9, and will probably be the first one to use the new hangar that tl.e . ·-- members have had constructed on the landing field. Commander Spafford is traveling from New York and is touring the Pacific Coast in the interests of the American Legion. When he arrives here he will

visit with the local Post members after which he will be taken to Sa em by auto to attend a big mass meeting of Legionnaires and Auxliary members. He will leave his step further on into the Debleval plane here over night owing to the stage of music which goes into the fact that Salem has no air port.

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plain talk

this commercialized age in which we live is most unique in one respect, and that we may aptly characterize as a "debunking era".

ancient ideas, methods and reputations are being dissected, annalized and if found wanting smashed.

merchandising methods and advertising propaganda are given this same logical and thorough examination, their respective inaccuracies and false promises are being exposed to an ever more critical public.

but still whole regiments of men's wear advertisers carry on as if the public accepted everything in print as "the truth, the whole truth and nothing but the truth." it may be doubted if the public ever was that way. it is certain that it is not that way now.

the man's shop, under the new management of hollis w. huntington recognizes and appreciates this trend in the buying public's attitude of mind.

that explains why the policy of this store does not allow the use of "fine language" and "exagerated superlatives" in their advertising program, nor permit the personnel to employ high-powered and aggressive selling tactics when serving our patrons.

Lieutenant Pratt began the de velopment of what he called the "outing system." He believed that "the way to civilize the In dian is to get him into civilization and the way to keep him civilized is to let him say." To that en he undertook the bold task o placing Indian students out in the homes of industrious, cultured and well-to-do white families. In those days white people were afreid of Indians and it required great tact, diplomacy and perse verance to overcome their prejudice and suspicions. General Pratt, as he came to be called in the later years of his life, was man of unbounded energy and en thuslasm. He was resourcef: and had great faith in the cause he so ably and so ardently espoused. He knew no such word as fail. He had groups of Indian boys and girls trained at the school and these he took on tours visiting towns and cities, speaking in churches, before Sunday schools and various civic and religious or ganizations. At these gatherings would have the Indian students tell their experiences and enter tain the people with songs, legends and stories. At the close o the meetings he would introduce them personally and individuall to as many of the interested white people as possible. Frequentl these students would be invited to the homes of kindly disposed peo ple or be entertained in group at the churches or at hotels. The newspapers throughout the coun try were liberal in broadcasting General Pratt's views and gave much favorable editorial comment In this way a great many people broughout the east became inter ested and expressed a desire and willingness to help. The Quakers. 'Friends," who since the earliest days of our country's history have manifested a deep personal interest in the welfare and advancement of the Indians, were the first to respond to General Pratt's appeal and soon hundreds the homes of these good people where they were taught and treated as members of the family.

This feature of the school's activities grew and developed year by year and in the month of April. 1916, the number of outing students was 239 distributed as follows: BOYS

Working on farms, in shops etc. ..... 12 At the Ford factory .....

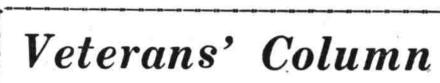
At Bethlehem Steel Works ... The General Electric works .....

GIRLS outing homes and attending school ..... In hospitals taking nurses' courses ...........

Attending normal schools ...

Total ..... mmments of Outing Patrons The following are a few of the many favorable comments received shortly before the Carlisle school was closed from persons having Indian girls and boys in their homes:

"I wish to pay my tribute to the onting system-not so much for but for what that long list of dear | year. girls (I believe there are 20 of



Pledging allegiance to "God and Invitations to attend this meet 'ountry," 25 candidates were of-ling have been extended every icially initiated into the member- American Legion Post in the state hip of Capital Post, No. 9, of the and from the replies coming inte american Legion at the armory headquarters every indication fuesday evening before a large points to a regular one day conathering of Legionnaires, Auxil- vention.

ary members and townspeople. The initiation ceremony follow-

STAYTON, March 31 .--- (Speid a regular meeting of the post cial)-Edward E. Spafford, Nao which the public had been in-tional Commander of the Ameriited. Reports of committees were can Legion will be in Salem on nade and considerable discussion Monday, April 9, and all legionwas brought forth relative to the naires are invited to attend the big proposed air-port in Salem. Mayor T. A. Livesley was pres- in the evening, at which he will which include dried "fruit of the

int and complimenced the Post be present. Stayton Post No. 58 upon the work done in the com- will not hold its regular meeting nunity affairs and pledged his co- until April 16, to permit any memoperation in the efforts being bers who wish to attend the Salem nade to secure a suitable landing meeting.

field near this city. The regular initiation ceremony State Comamnder George E. was very impressive in its presen- Love of Eugene and State Adju- her meagre means, and which was lation and many complimentary tant Carl Moser of Portland were emarks were made regarding the in Salem Tcesday attending the in- Palestine, by the keeper of the work done. The initiation team is itiation ceremony of the American omposed of R. H. Maison, com- Legion Capital Post No. 9. nander; Herman Brown, first-

ice-commander; W. L. Royal, sec-Charles Reynolds of Silverton, an olive-wood-mounted book of vice-commander; Irl S. Mc-state chairman of the membership an olive-wood-mounted book of Sherry, chaplain; Lyle Dunsmoore, committee, was a visitor with Cap- pressed flowers from Palestine, past commander and W. W. Wil- Ital Post No. 9 of the American lams, sergeant-at-arms, Legion Tuesday evening. He was of the Field and Rose of Sharon Following the ceremony George accompanied by Charlie Starr also 3. Love of Eugene, state comman- of Silverton.

der gave a short address.

Marion Post 661, Veterans of which Biblical history tells us a Edward E. Spafford, national Foreign Wars of the United States, compassionate bystander, at the commander of the American Le- will hold its first regutar meeting Crucifizion, sopped upon a sponge gion, will arrive in Medford, Ore- of the month at the armory on and gave to the Lord during his gon, April 8 and then will fly to Wedneeday, April 4 at 8 p. m. All agony.

Carlisle students were living in Portland. From Portland he is veterans who have made applicascheduled to fly to Silverton on tion for membership are requested the bona fide parchment Scroll, April 9 and then will come by au- to be present. tomobile to Salem. This arrange

ment was made necessary owing to the fact that Salem has no ademembership chairman of the Amquate air port. erican Legion, Jay Sechrist, com- times.

Upon arrival in Salem he will mander of the Sheridan Post and be officially welcomed to the E. J. Bayliss of Sheridan, execu- ing given Miss Swart by people of state of Oregon by the governor tive committeeman for District No. and by several drum corps. A ban- 2 of the American Legion were quet will follow during which a among the visitors at the initiashort program will be given. At seven-thirty o'clock there Tuesday evening.

will be a parade. According to the present plans there will DALLAS, March 31. (Special)-of which was required not only a be the Albany and Sheridan The Dallas American Legion post vast amount of painstaking historbands, the Portland Killie band, and Auxiliary unit are planning ical research, in order to approand drum corps from Eugene, Cot- to present a play at a date to be priately depict the crucial events,

tage Grove, Corvallis, Salem and selected in April. "Billeted," a but much arduous physical labor Portland present to participate. comedy-drama based on war-time as well-all done during spare for her own peculiar worth. different tribes.

86 Wherever they are, God bless them More Comments There follow a number of testi- on the outing list. There are almonials from people who had Carlisle students

Miss Edge, Downingtown, Pa., had altogether 78 Indian girls in. They have the system at the

FIRST EASTER MORN (Continued from page 2)

self to a tree," and the money which he accepted for the betraya was used to purchase a burial

space for him in the potter's field The "Judas-coins" in the loca window were modeled by Mis Swart first in clay; then a plaste of Paris cast made; then reproduc tion in metal form, the design be ing copied from authentic photo graphs of coins in use during that period of history, and bearing up on their face what is said to l an accurate likeness to Tiberiu

Caesar, and on the obverse sid the likeness of an eagle. The window contains many oth

er interesting articles, brought meeting to be held in the armory from Palestine by local travelers. vine;" a necklace made of olive seeds; a piece of stone from th quarry out of which Solomon's Temple was builded; a bit of sackcloth and of ashes; a "mite," such is we are told was contributed to

charity by the poor widow from given to Prof. Laughlin, when in Samaritan Inn, located where s said the Good Samaritan be friended the man who had fallen among thieves. There are also showing the Passion flower, Lily

a tray of frankincense and myrrh; gall-balls; bits of wormwoodplant; and hemlock and hyssop,

Also of compelling interest i

upon which is written the entire Easter story as given in the Bible. Otto Heider of Sheridan, district Attached to the scroll is a reed-

pen, such as was used in ancient Enthusiastic compliment is be

all walks of life for the unique artistry of her "First Eastern Morn" -as she has approximately chostion ceremony of Capital Post en to title it, and to which one of her commercial windows is exclusively devoted; in the preparation

moments covering an extended

period of time.

They have the outing system at Among those who contributed the Phoenix, Arizona, Indian Palestinian articles and first-hand school. Last year there were 280 information utilized for the winways more homes wanting outing Carl Gregg Doney, Prof. S. B. dow-display were: Dr. and Mrs. students than there are students Laughlin, Dr. McCormick, Misses

to go to the homes. Laura and Lina Heist, all of whom her home. For 89 years she had Haskell, Kansas, school, with 115 have visited Palestine. Special apwhat it has done for the Indian, two Carlisle girls in her home each boys and 75 girls on the outing preciation for their assistance and ear. Three years before Carlisle was They have the system in the Keefer, John Dunker, Mr. Marupy, cooperation is also due Professor

may we suggest that you call--a -visit will pleasantly disclose that our personnel are courteous, alert, and style informed, that our assortment of men's wear is impressively correct and complete, yet offering an honest value for your dollar.

our recent systematic revision of our merchandising policy, and consequent elimination of overhead permits us to tremendously increase our values.

we closely guard our credit policy and extend credit privileges only to very worthy customers.

we concentrate our buying to select lines of men's wear nationally known for quality and recognized for style.

we mark our merchandise on a very close profit margin, thereby securing "turnover" for ourselves and increased values for our patrons.

speaking of values, we know that each man has his own idea of what constitutes a value. no matter how exacting your idea may be we cordially invite you to compare your opinion with our merchandise. a purchase will vindicate your judgment.

society brand and hickey-freeman clothing dobbs felt hats, and caps nunn and bush ankle fashioned oxfords holly knit sportswear

grayco shirts and hand sewn neckwear

girls (I believe there are 20 of them) has meant to me and my family during the past 19 years. My heart goes out to them all, scattered as they are, in prayer that their burdens may not be too heavy and that their memories of the days spent with us may be pleasant. I would like to go over the whole list pausing long enough to give a line of praise to each one

