

ELKS WILL PICNIC SUNDAY AT GROVE

Large Crowd Expected for Annual Event; Sports Program Planned

Fun, food and frivolity will prevail at the annual picnic for Salem Elks and their families, to be held Sunday at Hager's grove. Between 400 and 500 persons have attended this picnic in past years. This year it is moved nearer to Salem after having been held the past two years at the Silverton park.

The picnic dinner, for which each group is to furnish food and dishes, will be spread at 1 o'clock and following this the Elks' band will appear in concert.

The rest of the afternoon and early evening will be given over to sports, contests and swimming. With the postal employees also holding their annual picnic at Hager's grove that day, the Elks will probably challenge the postoffice team to a baseball game.

Children to Take Part in Sports

Kiddies particularly will be rallied to participate in sports competition, with a series of races and other events arranged for them. Prizes will be given for the winners. Horseback and tug-of-war will also be indulged by both old and young.

Committees appointed by H. E. Eakin, exalted ruler, to handle the picnic are: Walter Smith, Harry Young and Harley King, dinner; Raymond Boise, sports and entertainment; Frank Lynch, prizes for children's sports; Oscar Steelhammer, band concert.

SLAYERS OF FOUR GIVEN LIFE TERMS

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breaking trial, it was testified that Blackstone assaulted the girl.

Despite the girl's pleas, Blackstone said, Smith then shot her through the head and cold-bloodedly killed the others, Vivian Gold, Thomas Wheatley and Lore, in the same manner.

After a lengthy consultation, it was decided to cremate the victims, and the robber trio got into their car and drove to a filling station near Ypsilanti for a supply of gasoline, Thomas continued.

Returning, one of them got into the victim's car and drove about six miles along an isolated road with the bodies, closely followed by his accomplices. Here the funeral pyre was lighted.

Their deed accomplished, the men returned to Ypsilanti only to be ferreted out within 48 hours by science's latest contribution to the never-ending war on crime—ballistics.

Garay Declares He Dropped Into Sea on Purpose

SAVANNAH, Ga., Aug. 13 — (AP)—A story of deliberately descending into a choppy sea whipped by a 50 mile wind was related here today by Captain Liandro Garay of the Honduran army air corps after he was brought safely into port by the steamer Biboca.

Garay left New York Sunday on an attempted non-stop flight to Honduras. Head winds delayed him and he brought his plane down on the sea, 6 miles off Cape Lookout, N. C., he said to test a long enough to keep its occupants alive.

The fliers said he realized he could not reach his goal.

Guard Officers Drunk, Told at Court Martial

SEATTLE, Aug. 13 — (AP)—An account of alleged drunkenness among several officers of the coast guard cutter Tallapoosa and the attempt of Lieutenant James A. Hirschfield, youthful executive officer, to conceal their acts were related at a court martial trying Hirschfield for "neglect of duty," here today.

The court martial, which opened yesterday under a veil of secrecy, was opened to the public today by order of coast guard headquarters at Washington, D. C. The alleged incidents occurred at Cordova and Kodiak, Alaska.

School Building Inspection Made

An inspection trip to the new grade school at West Station was made yesterday by Mrs. Mary Fulkerson, county superintendent of schools. The new structure, built of wood, is to be finished early next month in time for the fall term of school. It contains three rooms.

L. B. McClendon is principal. Mrs. McClendon is in charge of the intermediate room and Mildred Nickerson is head of the primary department.

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Tourist Campers 5-Minute Visits with Salem's Guests at the Municipal Auto Camp

A large number of overnight guests have registered at the little tourist city, the Salem municipal auto camp, lately, but few have had time to stay long, according to Henry Foster, superintendent. A number of the campers have been here before and bring tales of new sights.

Maxwell and Bud Simmons together with Tom and Bill Jarvis, here for the fourth time, have spent the past two days at the camp. They report that the bears are dreadful pests in the Yellowstone National park. During their two months of travelling this summer they took in the sights of the Yellowstone where the bears have been protected for so long that they are now a problem. Yakima, Wash., is the home of the members of the party and they have been taking it easy this summer enjoying good fishing at times and the alternative on other occasions. Nearly 100 camps was the reward of a cruise to an island in Winchester Bay, near Marshfield a few weeks ago.

"We'll travel two or three weeks more and then return home," said Maxwell Simmons.

"We stopped an extra day in Salem because we liked it so well," were the words of Gus Bauman with his wife and mother who are traveling from San Francisco to Vancouver, B. C. The Belcrest memorial park was so well liked that they viewed it twice. That water with the colored lights at the band concert was simply gorgeous and the grounds for the state hospital, have anything faded which they have seen, stated the Baumans. They also volunteered the information that they had received excellent treatment from everyone here and that they liked the numerous trees of Salem.

MICKY MOUSE CLUB FOR BOYS—GIRLS

Hello Mice! Your Chief Mickey Mouse, left on a two weeks tour of all Mickey Mouse clubs and I'm pinch hitting for him while he's gone.

Last week we all had a great time watching everybody trying to outwit Joe E. Brown. The Mouse that won the prize got a real good wrist watch from the Buster Brown Shoe store.

While we're about it—we want to remind all Mice not to be afraid to come on the stage and participate in all the contests. Many worthwhile prizes are given away and after all, all the members are your own friends and schoolmates who be afraid to come up on the stage? You're not afraid to stand up in the school room so why be bashful to stand up in the theatre?

This week we're going to elect some new officers so be ready and nominate your friends that you think will handle each office. In the past the officers haven't been attending regular meetings—so nominate the ones that will attend each meeting.

This week every Mickey Mouse will receive a FREE bottle of Soda Pop from Ramage's Star Bottling works. There will be lots of flavors that all the mice will like—so be sure you attend and tell all your friends to come.

But what a show this week! Mitz Green, Jackie Searl, the stars of "Skippy" and "Tom Sawyer", are starred in the funniest picture about Hollywood. Mitz and Jackie are two young movie stars that go to Europe and meet a boy king and what fun they have. But I won't tell you any more—you'll have the time of your life. This picture was especially produced for kids.

Not only that but we also have a cartoon comedy of Flip the Frog in some of his funny adventures.

Just think — this Saturday you'll see Chapter 6 of "The Mystery Trooper"—this is the best serial that we've seen in a long time. Now don't forget to try to identify the Mystery Trooper. There will be big prizes for everyone. The contest closes at the

THE CONQUERING HORDE

with RICHARD ARLEN and FAY WRAY

FRIDAY SATURDAY

A HOME-OWNED THEATRE

GRAND

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Low Blair of Portland is visiting friends and relatives in Salem and is stopping at the camp ground to get some rest.

Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Brown and their four children came from Yagtown, Ohio, and were here five years ago. "We made it a special point to stop in Salem on account of the water fountain with the colored lights which we saw at a band concert when we were here before," stated Mr. Brown. A long trip is being made by the party. They arrived on Wednesday and did not have time to stay over and see the water again. Mr. Brown is a minister at the Central Christian church at Yagtown. The children all reported different interests than they had when here before. As five years makes a great deal of difference in a young life. Improvements in the camp were noted and especially the new modern cabins. Thursday the party left for San Francisco via the Redwood highway.

"I chose the auto camp for my home during the summer while I am here doing substitute work at the postoffice as a carrier," stated H. B. Rothrock of Dundee, Ore. He also enjoys the concerts with the fountain and is looking forward to the time when he will have steady employment at the postoffice here and can move his family to Salem.

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Comedy and Serial
"King of the Wild"

SELF DEFENSE IS - DAVID CLARK PLEA

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throwing a big diamond in the contribution plate and professing to be a Christian and yet you framed Conneliman Carl Jacobson and had him indicated for it. Didn't you? Well, I'm going out of here and tell over the radio and from every platform in this city just what has happened in this room."

Crawford stopped toward his desk, Clark said, crying at him: "No—over talked that way to me—get him Herb!" As he started from the room, Clark said he suddenly saw a revolver in Crawford's hand. Where it came from he didn't know — "things happened so quickly."

"I reached over and grabbed his wrist and brought the revolver parallel between us. Crawford grabbed me around the throat with his other hand. I pulled my revolver from my belt and shot him right there, (jabbing the weapon into his attorney's stomach) and as I turned I saw Spencer leaning toward me and his right hand was moving up and I shot him.

"Spencer went out of the side room and I followed to see whether he was hit. I saw blood on the floor, so I stuck my gun in my belt and went to my automobile."

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The Call Board . .

By OLIVE M. DOAK

WARNER'S ELGINORE
Today — "Forbidden Adventure."

GRAND
Today — Richard Arlen in "The Conquering Horde."

HOLLYWOOD
Today — Jack Oakie in "Dude Ranch."

Comedy in capital letters is promised by Manager Marty Swartz of the Elsinore theatre with arrival today for a two day engagement of "Forbidden Adventure" the hilarious satire on life in Hollywood, with Mitz Green, Edna May Oliver, Louise Fazenda and Jackie Searl in the featured leads.

"Forbidden Adventure" is a comedy with a brand new, and highly imaginative type of plot. It is a tribute to the genius for fiction of Sinclair Lewis, the literary marvel of America, author of "Main Street," "Babbitt," "Elmer Gantry," "Arrowsmith" and others, and the distinguished winner of the Nobel prize of \$20,000 for literature in 1930.

"Forbidden Adventure" is based upon his latest novel, "Let's Play King", his first forthright incursion to the field of humor.

The leading roles in the production, whose screen version is the work of Edward E. Paramore, Jr., Joseph L. Mankiewicz and Agnes Brand Leach, are played by Mitz Green, Edna May Oliver, Louise Fazenda and Jackie Searl. A host of child and grown-up actors of premier ability are cast in the supporting parts.

Pay Wray and Claude Gillingswater head the supporting cast and also was the hero of Gary Cooper, "The Texan."

Gillingswater is a veteran of stage and screen. He plays the role of Jim Nabors, the ranch foreman, in this classic of the post-war West.

Others in the cast are Frank Rice, Arthur Stone and George Mendoza, three capable character comedians; Charles Stevens, the "Injun Joe" of "Tom Sawyer"; Ina MacLaren, who made a great personal hit in "Journey's End"; Ed Brady and James Durkin, who have been featured in many "heavy" roles.

A large group of real Indians complete the cast.

State General Fund Contains Large Balance

Records of the state treasurer show that there was a balance of \$239,600.15 in the general fund August 1, as against a deficiency of \$19,435.64 on August 1 a year ago.

The general fund balance on August 1 includes motor vehicle fees received up to that date aggregating \$2,040,000. Had it not been for the motor vehicle receipts the general fund would have shown a deficit of \$1,180,000 on August 1 of this year.

Officials said these figures do not take into consideration funds credited to self-sustaining departments.

COOS AND DOUGLAS AREAS ARE CLOSED

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situation in an adequate manner. "The fire season is not half over, yet our funds are nearly exhausted. Conditions are becoming worse daily. Incendiarism are setting fire to our forest and can put them out. Hunting is being carried on promiscuously both night and day in all parts of the district. In many cases we know beyond a doubt that men engaged in this unlawful hunting are setting out fires.

"The unemployment situation has caused hundreds of men to seek a temporary living in the woods. Some are prospecting where mineral never existed. Others are picking berries, and there are still more who are just wandering around, apparently without purpose.

"This has all tended to bring about a situation over which we have no control. I ask, therefore, that you give serious consideration to the matter of closing the forested areas designated in my memorandum."

Parallel Claims Are Cited in Two Divorce Plaints

Two actions for divorce were instituted in circuit court here yesterday. In each instance, the plaintiff and wife, in the case, alleges that the husband called her vile names, the same epithets being employed by the different husbands.

Melba Peterson married Charles J. Peterson January 1, 1931, but shortly thereafter the trouble began. In her complaint for divorce she asks that her maiden name of Melba Keene be restored to her.

Mary M. Foster seeks a divorce from Robert H. Foster whom she married June 25, 1924. There are no children. She asks \$100 for attorney's fees and \$3 for suit money. She also seeks the restoration of her maiden name of Mary M. Beaty.

Sioux Lookout Gold Vein Held One of Richest

WINNIPEG, Man., Aug. 13 — (AP)—A dispatch from Sioux Lookout to the Winnipeg Tribune has reported discovery of a gold vein so rich that armed guards have been posted on the property.

The discovery was made by J. A. MacIvor on an island, 14 miles long and 2 miles wide north of the Howey mine, the dispatch says.

"It is stated," adds the newspaper, "that in one pit alone there is as much as 15 tons of ore all containing visible gold piled up on the dump. Many claims in the vicinity of the latest discovery have been staked."

LEGION AUXILIARY QUARTET TO SING

Songs by the American Legion auxiliary quartet will feature the regular Friday evening band concert in Willson park, announces Oscar A. Steelhammer, director. The concerts start at 8 o'clock.

1. "Long Beach is Calling" — Macpherson-Clarke.
2. Selection "Babe in Toyland" — Harbert.
3. (a) "Guard Mount Patrol" — Ellenberg. (b) "Maryland" — Suppe.

4. Popular Numbers. (a) When You Were the Blossom of Buttercup Lane. (By request). (b) The Same as We Used to be. (c) Ho Hum.

5. Post and Peasant Overture — Suppe.

6. Vocal Numbers by the American Legion Auxiliary quartet, Mildred Wrat, Beatrice Bows, Marie Robertson, Grace Zosel. (a) Lullaby 'O Mine. (b) The Hells of St. Mary's.

7. "Italian Nights" — Waltz — To-bani.

8. Selection "The Newly Weds" — O'Hare.

9. "Washington Greys March" — Graffius.

10. Star Spangled Banner.

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