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"We know nowadays that even a universal education . . . supplies only the basis for a healthy republican state. Next to education there must come abundant, prompt, and truthful information of what is going on in the state, and frank and free discussion of the issues of the times." H. G. Wells, "The Outline of History."

### ANY "ALIBI"?

The paving contractor now working in Bend says that he will do no more paving here. He announces that at the end of his present contract he will remove his plant to another location. He is through in Bend. Taking him at his word, we venture to ask that before he leaves he make a statement that can be referred to later if any defects appear in the pavement he is laying.

Either this pavement is going to stand up or defects are going to develop. Our suggestion is that the contractor now make a definite statement concerning it. If he is confident that no defects will develop, let him say so. If, on the other hand, he has any grounds for believing that, if defects appear, it will be because of some conspiracy or interference or tampering with his operations, let us have a statement to that effect now.

What we are seeking is the present establishment of the "alibi" or the definite statement that there is none needed. When the paving was being laid in the Shewitt-Hixon yard it was thought to be all right. This spring and summer it has shown up badly and perfectly good reasons therefor are now advanced. What is the situation as to our city paving? If there is anything wrong, let's have the reason for it now.

Friends of the American Legion and those assisting it in putting on its "Folies Bergere" at the gymnasium have urged The Bulletin to "soak it to" the morning paper for its remarks concerning a feature of last night's parade. The matter seems to The Bulletin to be one more exclusively for action by the Legion, either by making an apology to the public for an act that deserved censure, or by demanding an apology on behalf of its performer, his associates and the good name of the entertainment it is offering.

For ourselves, we can say that we believe there was nothing objectionable in the incident referred to. The whole entertainment is a cleverly conceived and admirably executed piece of fun for a very worthy purpose. The public and those participating are having a mighty good time out of it and it is unfortunate that this unjustifiable criticism should have been made. We recall a Himerick:

"Said the Reverend Jabez McCotton,  
'The dance of the Devil's begotten.'  
Said Jones to Miss Bly,  
'Don't mind the old guy;  
To the pure almost everything's rotten.'"

We welcome today the Central Oregonian, the result of the consolidation of the Crook County Journal and the Prineville Call, a good looking paper, combining the best qualities of its predecessors.

Oh, you Fi-Fi. Comment vous etre joll.

## The Bulletin Board

The Bulletin can do it for you. Try it and see.



### Stolen or Strayed

The heat is almost killing, the summer is no joke; the sun goes westward drilling, and leaves a trail of smoke. Each hour the day grows hotter, men lose their pep and vim, and weave around and totter—and where is Sunny Jim? Where is the dippy duffer who bids us sing and smile when he beholds us suffer in every modern style? I see him in the winter when blasts are raging loud; a glad and merry sprinter he chases through the crowd; he bids me can my sorrow, and cries, "So help me, Pete, the sun will shine tomorrow, and melt the snow and sleet." I see him in the spring time, I see him in the fall; he says it's dance-and-sing-time, and beams upon us all. But now that I am melting, and life seems stark and grim, and solar rays are pelting, oh, where is Sunny Jim? No gent, with precepts priestly, comes up to cheer my heart, but men, in language beastly, their sentiments impart. They say, Dodgast the climate, it seems to have no sense; why don't you roast and rhyme it, and hang it on the fence? Why don't you flay the weather in one great soaring hymn?" They talk like this together—and where is Sunny Jim? In winter he's a hummer, in autumn he is fine, but in the sizzling summer he taketh in his sign.

### COMMUNICATIONS.

**DANCER IS UPHELD**  
Bend, July 16, 1921.  
To the Editor: How anyone can object to the imitation of a hula-hula dancer, given by a man who is giving his efforts to assist the American Legion in putting on the carnival at the gymnasium, can only be explained by a professor of abnormal psychology.

I sat beside two ladies in the Cafe de Paris last night, whom I know to be church members and good Christians, and they both laughed and applauded at the performance of the dancer. The only criticism I have heard of any part of this show appeared in the morning paper.

Bend has been infested in the past with professional carnivals which filled no social need, took a great amount of money out of town, and which contained features which injured the morals of young people and were accompanied by evils not to be described. The American Legion, in its determination never to bring another such carnival to Bend, has done a good to the city.

The present entertainment cannot be anything but moral, for the actors are facing criticism of their own families and townspeople. Such criticism as appeared in the morning paper is misplaced and does irreparable injury to a man who in no way deserves criticism. An apology is the least that can be done.

LEGIIONNAIRE.

**Salt Covers 500 Square Miles.**  
The salt fields of Utah cover an area of more than 500 square miles. Most of the salt is sold for stock feed, but large amounts are also shipped to smelters.

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### SYMONS STARTS ON MT. JEFFERSON TRIP

Photographer And Party Will Try To Scale Peaks—Packhorses Taken—Leave Tomorrow.

Mr. and Mrs. Myron Symons and two children and Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Hughes will start tomorrow morning on a two weeks' trip to Mt. Jefferson, going to Suttles lake by auto and from there taking packhorses. They will be guided by Gib Edgington, going in by way of the Eight Lake basin.

Symons is taking a collection of cameras and appliances which will enable him to get views never taken before. The party may climb Three-Fingered Jack and will attempt to reach the summit of Mt. Jefferson.

### BEND-MEDFORD ROAD IS REPORTED OPEN

The Bend-Medford road is now open for its entire distance, and is in excellent condition, states a wire received this morning by Secretary L. Antles of the Bend Commercial club from Superintendent Sharrow at Crater Lake.

### CAMPFIRE SPREADS OVER HALF AN ACRE

A blaze in the timber at Crescent lake, caused by the spreading of a fire left by a careless camper, burned over half an acre before it was extinguished, Supervisor H. L. Plumb, of the Dechutes National forest, was advised by phone today.

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### A Talk On Saving

Wisdom may be as shrewdly shown in money saving as in money getting. There are many who show great brilliance in getting money, but make no effort to save. When the end of a year rolls around they wonder why they are no farther ahead than some who did not earn nearly as much but seemed to have more.

To be successful financially it is even more important that a knowledge of saving be thorough than is a knowledge of earning.

When the time comes to count up your results—IT'S WHAT HAVE YOU SAVED—not what you earned.

Better think the saving end of your money matters over. Saving will pay substantial dividends.

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### SUPERINTENDENT OF GRADING RESIGNS

D. W. Rand Leaves, Indicating Lack of Harmony With Company Officials—Bass In Charge.

Durley W. Rand, grading superintendent for the paving company, yesterday resigned his position and left this morning for Portland. Lack of harmony with company officials was the cause of his resignation, he stated. He is understood to be negotiating for a position with the Warren Construction Co. Rand has had 25 years' experience as a grading superintendent.

A. L. Bass, formerly with the city engineer's office, is now in charge of the grading as foreman, with Harry G. Ryan as assistant.

A street intersection monitor entirely different from the others used may be seen at the corner of Congress and Idaho. A large juniper tree stands almost exactly at the intersection and will be allowed to remain. Four other junipers and two large pine trees will be left near the same point on Congress, where grading is now going on.

### BRIDGE FLOOR IS BIG IMPROVEMENT

Paving of the approaches and laying of the new floor of the Newport avenue bridge were completed today. The bridge floor is now constructed of heavy four-inch timbers, laid lengthwise and securely fastened.

### LANDSLIDE COVERS TRACK, TRAIN LATE

A landslide covering the track three miles north of South Junction delayed the incoming O-W train an hour and a half last night. The slide covered the track for a distance of 25 feet. The train arrived at 8:15 o'clock.

### FI-FI TO UNMASK AT GYM TONIGHT

At the close of the final performance of the Latin quarter tonight, Mademoiselle Fi-Fi, one-time "Pet of the Paris Boulevards," who, by

her dancing, has acquired the local title of "The Sweetheart of Bend," will remove her mask and the much mooted question of her identity will be established. The wise ones are due for a surprise. Also Manager "Jacques" Wright will remove his elegant black moustache, which has so thrilled all feminine observers, and stand forth in all his pristine beauty, he announces.

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## The 1921 Chautauqua

The Chautauqua this year is under the direction of an employe committee from the two mills who have taken particular care to select a program for the six days that will please everyone. Following is the program, with prices, the first number of which will be given the afternoon of July 18th. Season tickets are on sale now at both mills. Price \$2.75.

1st DAY  
July 18th

**AFTERNOON**  
Introduction of Superintendent..... Chairman Local Committee  
Get Acquainted Talk..... Superintendent  
Chautauqua How-do-you-do..... Ye Olde New England Choir  
Admission 40c

**EVENING**  
Songs of Four Centuries..... Ye Olde New England Choir  
A beautifully costumed pageant of American Music.  
Admission 50c

2nd DAY  
July 19th

**AFTERNOON**  
Dramatic Readings, Songs and Whistling Soles..... Dixie Bell and Company  
Lecture—"The New Near East"..... Wm. E. Thompson  
Admission 40c

**EVENING**  
An Hour in Movie Land..... Dixie Bell and Company  
Address—"Fiddlers and Fortunes"..... Thurston Mills  
Eight year old Movie Marvel at Chautauqua.  
Admission 50c

3rd DAY  
July 20th

**AFTERNOON**  
Artist's Recital..... Christian Mathison and Assisting Artists  
Admission 40c

**EVENING**  
Popular Concert..... Christian Mathison and Assisting Artists  
Lecture—"Taste the Apples"..... Dr. James Hardin Smith  
A great artist and a powerful orator.  
Admission 50c

4th DAY  
July 21st

**AFTERNOON**  
Musical Oddities and Rarities Rhapsodies..... Bland's Orchestral Band  
Health Lecture..... Beatrice Eves Hockett  
Admission 50c

**EVENING**  
All-Star Descriptive Concert..... Bland's Orchestral Band  
Including the thrilling "Battle of the Maine" with electrical effects.  
Admission \$1.19

5th DAY  
July 22nd

**AFTERNOON**  
Popular Science Demonstration..... Glenn Morris & Company  
Mother Goose and Other Rhymes..... George Paulkner, the Story Lady  
Admission 40c

**EVENING**  
Wonders of Electricity..... Glenn Morris & Company  
Humorous Lecture—"Simon Says Wig-Wag"..... Booth Lowry  
An evening of instruction and entertainment.  
Admission 50c

6th DAY  
July 23rd

**AFTERNOON**  
Camp Meeting Songs and Negro Melodies..... The Virginians  
Lecture—"A Voice from the Underworld"..... Warden Botkin  
Admission 50c

**EVENING**  
Junior Pageant By Us Kids—Jubilee Joy Festival..... The Virginians  
Hilarious Musical farewell to Chautauqua.  
Admission 50c