

Days Off

Week-End Jaunts

"To be entirely at leisure for one day is for one day to be an immortal."
—Chinese proverb.

By Edith Durgan

Western Oregon will have at least two Fourth of July celebrations with Independence announcing this week that it will celebrate starting Friday, July 3, and continuing through Sunday, July 5. The 26th annual Calapooia Roundup at Crawfordsville July 4 and 5 was discussed in last week's column, with a promise to print the program this week.

Proceeds from the festival at Independence will be used for the benefit of the USO as part of the \$750 quota for that district.

A parade, sports events, speaking and street dancing are among features of attractions. A carnival, including merry-go-round, ferris wheel and side shows has been engaged and will be on the city lots south of the oil station on Second street.

The amusement company was scheduled to arrive in Independence this week and be in operation a week before the celebration.

James H. Hart, chairman of the Independence USO drive, and members of the Independence recreational committee are formulating plans for the event.

At Crawfordsville final plans are being completed and the program is now available. Events start at 10:30 a. m., each day, and persons should be seated in the grandstand by that time.

The program follows:

Event No. 1

10:30 a. m. — Ladies cow horse contest—\$5.00, \$3.00, \$2.00.

Event No. 2

10:45 a. m. — Gents cow horse contest—\$5.00, \$3.00, \$2.00.

Event No. 3

11:00 a. m. — Children's (under 12 years) cow horse contest—\$3.00, \$2.00, \$1.00.

The above three events to be judged as follows: Conformation, 40 per cent; way of going, 20 per cent; reining, 40 per cent (three of each picked each day to compete in finals).

Event No. 4 (Daily)

11:15 a. m. — Ladies musical chair—\$3.00, \$2.00.

Event No. 5 (Daily)

11:30 a. m. — Gents' musical chair—\$3.00, \$2.00.

Noon

1:30 p. m. — Crowning of the queen.

Special drill — One day by Governor's Mounted Guard from Salem. Other day by Lane County Mounted Sheriff's Posse.

Grand mounted parade (daily). Directed by W. E. Isom and Walt Frum. From which will be chosen on July 5th: 1st, the most typical cowboy (prize \$2.50); 2nd, most typical cowgirl (prize \$2.50); 3rd, youngest typical cowboy (prize \$2.50); 4th, youngest typical cowgirl (prize \$2.50).

On the track (each event daily). No entrance fee on any track event:

Event No. 1—Men's stock saddle horse race, half mile—\$7.00, \$5.00, \$3.00.

Event No. 2—Ladies' stock saddle horse race, half mile—\$7.00, \$5.00, \$3.00.

The horses in the above two events will be selected by the arena judge.

Event No. 3—Roman race, half mile—\$25.00, \$15.00.

Event No. 4—One-half mile, free for all—\$15.00, \$10.00, \$5.00.

Event No. 5—Ladies' pony express (two horses), one mile — \$12.50, \$7.50.

Event No. 6—Quick change race, half mile — \$5.00, \$3.00, \$2.00.

(Stop for saddle, chaps, spurs and rope.)

Event No. 7—Five-eighths mile, free for all—\$22.50, \$12.50.

Event No. 8—Relay race (three horses), one and one-half mile — \$30.00, \$20.00.

Event No. 9—Chariot race (two horses), half mile—\$27.50, \$17.50.

Event No. 10—Wild horse race—\$10.00, \$5.00, \$2.50.

Nonsensored

By Hy Brid

Angry Farmer—What fer air ye comin' hame wi' yer milk pail empty? Didne the auld coo gi'e ony-thing?"

Farm Hand: Ay, sir, the auld coo gi'ed nine quarts an' one kick."

Cohen—How iz bizness?
Levi — Bizness would be good only for one t'ing.

Cohen—And vat is dat?
Levi—It iz rotten.

First tramp—I fell into a piece of property the other day.

Second tramp—G'wan.

First tramp—'S fact. Fellow left a coal hole open and I fell in it. I sued that guy.

Second tramp — What did you get?

First tramp—Got thirty days for stealin' coal.

It was visiting day at the prison and the uplifters were on deck.

"My good man," said one kindly lady, "I hope that since you have come here, you have had time for meditation and have decided to correct your faults."

"I have that, mum," replied the prisoner in heartfelt tones. "Believe me, the next job I pull, this baby wears gloves."

"There are some ungodly young men over in that corner, having fun with the girls," said the preacher, solemnly, as he paused in the middle of his sermon and pointed accusingly in the direction of the graceless youths. "When they get done," he continued, ponderously, "perhaps they will give me a chance."

Aunt Hetty: "Sakes alive! I don't believe no woman could ever been so fat."

Uncle Hiram: "What y' readin' now, Hetty?"

Aunt Hetty: "Why this paper tells about an English woman who lost two thousand pounds."

A Yankee traveling through the South, in passing a rundown looking place, stopped to chat with the farmer. He noticed that the hogs were running wild over the place. "Now up North," he explained to the farmer, "we keep our hogs fastened up in small pens."

"What's the object in that, stranger?" asked the native.

"Why they fatten much faster when they're fastened up and it saves a lot of time."

"Well, stranger," replied the southerner, "what's time to a hawg?"

Farmer (showing friend over the farm): "How many sheep would you guess were in that flock?"

Visitor (waiting a moment): "About five hundred."

Farmer: "Absolutely correct! How did you guess it?"

Visitor: "Wal, I jest counted the legs, and divided the number by four."

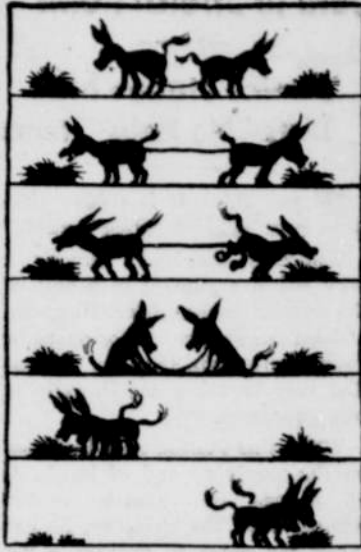
A census enumerator, in Washington, approached a lounging Negro dandy. He asked and learned the man's name, age, place of residence; then inquired: "What's your business?"

"Ah owns a hand laundry, I does."

"Where is it located?"

"Dar she comes now!"

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The Irish beggar shambled over, holding out his hand. "Please give a poor old blind man a dime, sor." "But you see out of one eye." "Thin make it a nickel."

He had been fishing with no luck. On his way home he entered a fish market and accosted the clerk.

"John," he said, "just stand over at that side of the store and throw me five of your biggest trout."

"Throw them? What's the big idea."

"Just so I can tell the family I caught them. I may be a poor fisherman, but I'm no liar."

Hostess—"It looks like a storm! You had better stay for dinner." Caller—"Oh, thanks, but I don't think it's bad enough for that."

Fisherman—"I tell you, it was that long. I never saw such a fish." Friend—"I believe you."

"Shall we have a friendly game of cards?"

"No, let's play bridge."

"My tongue-tied brother can't pronounce Miss Stone's name."

"Well, Stone is a hard name."

"Is he a hard drinker?"

"No, it's the easiest thing he does."

In a Vermont town where two brothers were engaged in a coal business, a religious revival was held and one of the brothers got converted. For weeks he tried to persuade his partner in business to join the church. One day he asked:

"Why can't you get religion and join the church like I did?"

"It's a fine thing for you to belong to the church," replied the brother, "but if I join the church, who'll weigh the coal?"

I come from good old Boston,

The home of the bean and the cod,

Where Cabots speak only to Lowells,

And the Lowells speak only to God.

—Samuel C. Bushnell.

HOW GOOD ARE YOU?

1. What is the most delicate organ of touch?
2. Who invented the kodak?
3. What is a cadaver?
4. What American city is known as the "Windy City"?
5. What is ticker tape?
6. Is to defecate a pool: (a) to pollute it, (b) to purify it, (c) to make it into two pools?
7. Who founded the Standard Oil Co.?
8. What is an incendiary?
9. Is Kohinoor: (a) the highest waterfall in the world, (b) a famous Indian diamond, now the property of the British crown, (c) a famous untouchable?

10. What is a wolf in sheep's clothing?

ANSWERS

1. The tip of the tongue.
2. George Eastman.
3. A corpse.
4. Chicago.
5. Paper ribbon on which stock quotations are printed.
6. to purify it.
7. John D. Rockefeller.
8. One who maliciously or willfully sets fire to a building or other property.
9. A famous Indian diamond.
10. A dangerous person, who appears harmless.

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