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## COMMUNISTS THREATEN ITALIAN CABINET

### Local Author Writes Ballad For Coming Chautauqua Event

Ashland theatre goes and music lovers are expected to turn out en masse Monday evening to attend the opera, "The Enchanted Maiden of the Lake," written by Mrs. Margaret Dill, well known newspaper and magazine correspondent of this city, and presented by Henry Bickford Pasmore, Chautauqua entertainer, at the Chautauqua auditorium. Mrs. Dill, whose writings are familiar to people of Jackson county and the Rogue River valley, wrote the words of the opera, more properly known as a ballade, at the request of John H. Fuller, secretary of the Chamber of Commerce, and Mr. Pasmore set the words to music.

The fact that the ballade was written by a local author and based on Indian legends of Crater Lake, one of Oregon's capitalized scenic assets, is expected to draw a large crowd. The plot is built around the Indian legend that the spirits of the dead abide in the placid, sky reflecting waters of Crater Lake. As the tale goes, whoever looked at the lake from the rim would be drawn into the waters below.

Using the mythological background for a setting, a plot of romance, love and youth has been built. It is the story of a love that triumphs over many obstacles. The following is the program for the evening's entertainment:

- A BALLADE  
"The Enchanted Maiden of the Lake"  
Words by Margaret E. Dill.  
Music by Henry Bickford Pasmore.  
Participants:  
Prologue—Miss Grace Chamberlain.  
The Enchanted Maiden—Mrs. Perry Ashcraft.  
The Lover—Miss Florence Allen.  
The Chief—Miss Minnie Peley.  
Moon Fairies—Dorothy Stevens, Jeanette Stears, Marian Ann Conover, Marjorie McNair, Virginia Salisbury, Portia Conover, Maud Homewood.  
Chorus of Indians.  
Chorus of Pale Faces.  
Dances arranged by Miss Vera Matthews.  
H. B. Pasmore, director.  
1. Chorus. This is the lake with

### NORMAL SCHOOL STUDENTS GIVEN AUTO TRIP AND PICNIC BY COMMERCE CHAMBER

More than fifty students of the Ashland Summer Normal school were entertained yesterday afternoon by the Chamber of Commerce with an auto tour, picnic party to Siskiyou summit. The party left the city about 3 o'clock in the afternoon, motored to the summit, clambered over the hills during afternoon, listened to impromptu speeches, had an evening picnic dinner and returned to Ashland at about 7 o'clock.

waters deep and blue.  
2. Trio. Within this lake their lies an isle.  
3. (a). This is the lake where angry spirits dwell, (b) Solo. The spirits within the waters deep.  
4. Trio. Oh see, he comes, a lover comes!  
5. Maiden's song. Come, come, my love, the phantom ship will sail.  
6. Trio. Oh, she has been for ages here in enchantment bound.  
7. Dance of the Moon Fairy.  
8. Lover's song. Over the streams and mountains your heart has called to mine.  
9. Chief's solo. Step not, rash mortal, on the phantom ship.  
(b) Within this lake that mystic isle.  
10. Chorus. Oh see, he's gone! The phantom ship is sailing off.  
11. Duet, Lover and Maiden. The phantom ship has crossed the tide.  
12. Chorus. Oh see, the phantom ship stands grim beside the shore.

### CITY WELCOMES FARM BUREAU IN LITHIA PARK

Farmers of Jackson county and Rogue River valley gathered in Lithia Park early this morning in preparation for the big picnic and program of the Farm Bureau which was to start officially at 10 o'clock. The entire day will be given over to athletic games and speaking.

After the varied activities of the morning and a picnic dinner at noon, the farmers were welcomed to the city by Mayor Lambkin, who made a "stump speech" at the park picnic grounds. It was originally planned to have the speaking in the Chautauqua building. At the last moment it was decided to hear the speakers in the cool shade of the park.

### OREGON ENGINEERS HOLD CONVENTION AT ASTORIA

ASTORIA, Or., July 23.—More than 1000 engineers are expected here today to attend the gala entertainment and convention of the Oregon members of the American Association of Engineers. H. E. Davis, service secretary of the Oregon chapter, with headquarters in Portland, has been in charge of arrangements assisted by the chapter here.

### WOUNDED FASCISTI MURDERED ON BATTLE FIELD

ROME, July 23.—Horrors and depredations resulting from a conflict between communists and the Fascisti party, an organization of world war veterans, in Sarzana, threatens to overthrow the Italian cabinet. Reports from the fight areas declare that twenty have been killed and thirty wounded. Reports are prevalent that hospital orderlies, carrying surgeon's knives, murdered the Fascisti as they lay on the ground wounded where they had fallen in the fighting.

### UNITED STATES ADVISES BRITISH AGAINST POSTPONEMENT OF CONFERENCE

By A. L. BRADFORD  
(United Press Staff Correspondent)  
WASHINGTON, D. C., July 23.—High authority in official circles here today stated that the United States had informed the British government that it does not believe there should be any postponement of the disarmament conference where the Near East and Pacific question will be settled, or that there should be any preliminary conference on Pacific affairs in London.

NEW YORK, July 23.—Japan's position in the Far East is no less special than that of the United States in this hemisphere," Hoshio Mitsunaga, Nippon Dempo Tsushin Sha, oriental news agency, told the publishers attending a dinner given by W. W. Hawkins, president of the United Press, in honor of Mitsunaga. "Japan's position is special, not paramount nor predominant. She must exercise prudence and reserve regarding the policies subjecting the orient to any power or absolutism. Japan seeks the open door to co-operation, not opportunity to impose her will on other nations."

## Small Talks With Chicago Mayor; Sinn Feiners Refuse British Offer

### GOVERNOR BRINGS BODY GUARDS WITH HIM

By CARL V. LITTLE  
CHICAGO, Ill., July 23.—Governor Small, of Illinois, indicted by the grand jury of his own state for the alleged misuse of millions of dollars belonging to the state, held a conference of war here today with Mayor Hale Thompson, political sponsor for the nomination of Governor Small. Small is said to have slipped into town unannounced but accompanied by three burly bodyguards. The Illinois governor is thought to be here seeking refuge against his arrest in Springfield. Soldiers were already guarding and protecting the governor. Small detachments of troops were seen unostentatiously around the capitol grounds and through the state house. The governor's attorneys in their argument to the court, cited a hypothetical case wherein they outlined the situation which would result if a governor was accused of a crime, the sheriff's forces attempted to arrest him, the governor as commander in chief of the military forces, called on the troops to resist and an armed clash followed.

### ROAD WORK BEING RUSHED

Judge George Gardner and Commissioner James Owens and Victor Bursell spent Thursday inspecting road work. The Peyton road, from the Mecloud bridge to Peyton postoffice, about five miles, is being built by R. B. Vincent at a cost of \$10,000. The Elk Creek road is being improved from the mouth of the creek up for a few miles, at a cost of \$2,500. The Derby road, from Derby to Reese Creek school house is being covered with crushed rock to make it an all winter road. It has been impassable during winter heretofore. Christ Natwick has this contract.

### Mystery of Missing Water Is Puzzling To Medford Citizens

Millions of gallons of water are disappearing without rhyme or reason monthly from the Medford reservoir, according to a statement published in a newspaper of that city yesterday. Asserting that, according to figures furnished by the Medford water department, enough water flows through the reservoir to supply a population many times that of the neighbor city, the paper points out the fact that Medford is at times a notably "dry" town, and that citizens "frequently turn their faucets in vain." Conflicting statements as to the fullness of the reservoir are current, according to the Medford paper. John Peterson, "major-domo of the city's water storage," is credited with the statement that on Thursday night the reservoir was within a foot of its entire capacity. Citizens are said "to have peeped into the reservoir" during the same evening and discovered it to be at a low ebb. Much hue and cry is raised about the alleged inability of hotel guests to bathe at various and sundry times when the water supply is said to be almost nil.

Figures from the Medford water department purport that 5,900,000 gallons of water flows from the reservoir daily, or 150,000,000 every thirty days. Calculating the population of Medford at 8000 inhabitants who are addicted to the use of water for drinking, bathing and irrigation purposes, the per capita volume of water supply is said to be 625 gallons per day. Regarding payment for water supply the following statement was made:

City Data Mystified  
Investigation of the city's records adds to the mystery. It is evident from the figures of payments to the city—if these figures are correct—that the 121 families, outside of the city, and obtaining water at meter rates without having to add in the payment of bonds by direct taxation, do use water in copious quantities. However, the city figures only add to the mystifying circumstances, for one fruit ranch paying about \$22 monthly uses water val-

ued by one city official at from \$125 to \$175 each month.  
At this ranch employes declared water has been used for irrigation for more than a month, and is still being used in quantities sufficient for an orchard of about fifty acres. Why the water bills, even at meter rates, are so small, the workers were unable to explain.

### ANTI BOLSHEVISM NOW ESTABLISHED IN VLADIVOSTOK

By CHARLES EDWARD HOGUE  
(United Press Staff Correspondent)  
VLADIVOSTOK, July 23.—The tri-color of Russia floats over this city today and nowhere to be seen is the red emblem of communism that has been so much in evidence in the past.

The Kappelists are nominally in control of the Maritime province, although the Japanese influence is distinctly felt, and the defeated radicals have taken to the hills, or remaining, have been disarmed.

Through an arrangement with the Japanese command, the Kappelist soldiers are also giving up their arms, except for the 1000 militiamen, provided for in the past signed in July, 1920, with the Zemstvo, the then government. It is estimated that the Kappel troops in and around Vladivostok number nearly 10,000. With the overthrow of the Reds the conservatives under Kappel, who is doubtless working hand in glove with Semenov, have set up a new government which they describe as a "true democracy." The fact that the Kappelists are monarchists does not deter them from laying claim to the original title to everything democratic.

Almost every scheme conceivable has been tried out in the hope of restoring normal conditions here and the people are ready to take another chance any time in the belief that the future cannot be worse than the past.

The new Vladivostok government territory is daily expanding and now extends to Spassk and Grodekovo.

That the business interests of the community are pleased with the turn that events have taken here cannot be doubted. The attitude of the business class was shown by resolutions adopted by the Chamber of Commerce, which appears to be a genuinely representative body, censuring the late local administration, and declaring the overturn was due to the communist methods of the Chita government.

What the outcome will be on this new attempt to establish stability in the Russian Far East only time will tell. Promises have been made to the people before and were broken. There is the Japanese factor, which is not to be ignored, and the general unrest that has come after years of war and constantly changing forms of so-called government.

SAN FRANCISCO MARKETS  
SAN FRANCISCO, July 23.—Following are market quotations:  
Hens, 25.  
Broilers, 31@45.  
Eggs, 41½.

### HOSTILITIES RESUME WOULD BE "FIGHT TO THE DEATH"

By CHARLES M. McCANN  
(United Press Staff Correspondent)  
DUBLIN, July 23.—Sinn Fein leaders here are expressing open opposition to the acceptance of Lloyd George's Irish peace offer. It is predicting that, barring new obstacles, Eamon De Valera, president of the "Irish republic," would return to London within a fortnight but would not accept the present formulated peace plan.

It is declared by Sinn Fein leaders that a resumption of hostilities would be a fight to the death, and would be preferable to the potential dominion form of government, but lacking the secession, separate army and other free features contained in the constitutions of other British dominions. Both sides, however, are attempting to prevent a reopening of the old war wound.

### COLLEGE MEN HOPE TO BEAT ENGLISH STARS

CAMBRIDGE, Mass., July 23.—The hopes of England's college men rested on the showing of the Oxford and Cambridge track and field stars who took the mark with the best athletes of Yale and Harvard in Harvard's great stadium today.

Johnny Mack, Yale's veteran trainer, and his Blue team arrived at the stadium from Swampscott, where they have been in training with the Harvard men, with hopes running high. Mack, however, admitted that the American college men will have to put their best foot forward to beat the English team.

Abrams of the English team is a sprinter of note, and capable of doing the century in flat time. He will have against him Gourdin, Harvard's crack colored runner and broad jumper.

In the middle distance runs, Rud loomed a dangerous contestant. He is Olympic champion, and is scheduled to run the quarter and half mile events.

H. B. Stallard, of Cambridge, who ran second to A. G. Hill in the mile in the recent British championships, will make the Yale and Harvard men step lively.

Trowbridge, the former Princeton hurler, is another entry, and the Englishmen have several dangerous men in the field events.

J. R. Tolbert, captain elect of the Harvard track team, and Piske Brown will take the shot putt honors for the "Crimson."

CHICAGO, Ill., July 21.—The "Black Sox" defense hurled its attacks against Bill Burns, the former White Sox pitcher, confessed baseball renegade, who turned state's evidence in the trial of seven former White Sox stars charged with throwing the 1919 world's championship to Cincinnati. Burns told the whole story in a matter of fact manner, branding himself as a go between of the gambling players. The defense attorneys hope to break down the testimony of the squealer during the cross examination.

Miss Lillian Greer is quite ill with tonsillitis.

