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FORD BIDS FOR WORLD NAVIES AS JUNK

APPLE EXHIBITS WILL HEAD SHOW AT WINTER FAIR

APPLE EXHIBITS FROM VALLEY FARMS TO BE MAIN FEATURE OF FAIR; ENTRIES EXPECTED FROM MEDFORD DISTRICT.

ADMISSION CHARGE POSSIBILITY OPPOSED BY HEADS OF WINTER FAIR COMMITTEES; SUCCESS OF LAST YEAR CITED.

The apple exhibit will be the main feature of the coming winter fair, according to present plans made by the Winter Fair committee. Last winter the poultry show was made the most prominent, the idea being to each year give special prominence to some phase of the farming industry. The apple show will be in the dance hall of the Natatorium. It is hoped there will be sufficient entries to fill 420 layer boxes, which will cover a platform seventy feet long, with six boxes in each row. A tentative list of possible exhibitors contains the names of thirty-five fruit growers. Apple exhibits are expected from the Medford district.

Placing of Exhibits

Other horticultural and agricultural exhibits, as well as merchants' displays, will also be shown in the room above mentioned. The poultry and rabbit show will be located in the Natatorium swimming tank, which is now empty of water. The Armory will be reserved for the autos and educational exhibits.

Livestock Housing Problem

The problem of constructing a building to house the larger livestock exhibits is being considered today. Permission has been granted by the Natatorium company to construct a temporary shed along the east side of the building, or upon the unoccupied portion of the block owned by the company. Permanent structures may be erected upon the latter location, upon payment of a merely nominal rental.

This plan seems to be favored by the fair managers as being the most economical in the long run. The location is considered very desirable, being close to the business section of the city, and near the highway and railroad station. The Armory is just across the street, and the Natatorium adjoins on the other side. The ground is level and entirely unoccupied.

A strong point in favor of a permanent stock building is considered to be the availability of such a structure as a sales pavilion for purebred livestock. The fair managers believe that the magnitude and importance of the livestock in the region of which Ashland is the center is not generally realized. They do not expect to be able to put on a large stock show this year, but to make a small beginning, which will serve to call attention to the industry and lead to greater things in the future.

Admission Charge in Disfavor

H. O. Anderson, general superintendent of the fair, thinks it would be a great mistake to charge an admission to see the exhibits, an opinion shared by other heads of the fair committees who were consulted. It is believed by these men that admission charges would have the effect of reducing the attendance to such a point that the fair could not be considered a success, no matter how numerous and excellent the exhibits were. The purpose of the exposition is understood to be educational, which object cannot be accomplished with a small attendance.

Estimates prepared by Mr. Anderson indicate that the receipts of the fair from the city, county, premium list, merchants' exhibits, concessions and other sources will be considerably in excess of the cost of the enterprise, if no admission fee is exacted. In the latter case, the receipts from some of the sources mentioned would be automatically reduced, since the commercial value

Increased Work Needed to Meet Red Cross Quota

Increased effort on the part of committee captains and reader giving by Ashland people is needed to meet the local quota of memberships before the conclusion of the Red Cross roll call November 24, according to Mrs. Emil Peil, director of the drive, who reported that \$617 toward the \$1500 quota has been subscribed since the opening of the campaign Friday of last week.

"One is surprised," says Mrs. Peil, "at the refusals to join that come from totally unexpected sources. The refusals in many cases are all the more surprising when it is considered that Ashland has always made good its quota in all war and Red Cross work."

Twelve captains in the outlying districts and Talent have not yet made a report on the amount subscribed in memberships. The following members have been reported:

Mrs. J. H. Provost, captain; J. M. Grimsley, Mrs. J. J. Fay, A. M. Beaver, C. C. Walker, W. H. Morelock, O. D. Low, Jess Nell, Mrs. L. Hilly, Unknown, Mrs. J. W. King, Mrs. Fred Engle, V. O. N. Smith, C. B. Lankin, Miss Pearl Wilshire, Miss Ada Hartley, Mrs. Alex Lexington, Mrs. E. Caldwell, J. B. Fellon, Mrs. Fred Engle, J. D. Mars, Mrs. R. A. Avery, Mrs. J. H. Provost, Mrs. J. M. Hughes, Grant Davis, Mrs. A. R. Brown, Mrs. C. W. Chattin, Mrs. Church, Mrs. I. C. Wilson, Mrs. A. M. Dyrud, Mrs. R. E. Gearheart, L. A. Roberts, W. E. Sailer, W. H. L. Tinker, Mrs. Anna Miller, L. Moss, Mrs. Etta Lambkin, J. R. Maxedon, Jack Enders, C. W. Winne, James Barrett, Mrs. L. D. Leslie, Mr. Davis, Karl Rose, Mrs. Belle Yarbraugh, Mrs. Hattie Lynch, Mrs. M. E. Allen, Jack True, Fred Holmes, W. W. Hodgkinson.

Mrs. Maxey, captain; Mrs. J. Z. Wing, J. Z. Wing, Mrs. D. Clevinger, Mrs. G. W. Cornell, Wm. Nelson, Mrs. John Lilly, Grace E. Dickson, Roberta Everton, Mrs. Ben Bayles, Mrs. L. Judy, F. C. Stevens, L. G. Slack, A. E. Powell, Mr. Monroe, A. C. Briggs, Mrs. O. W. Long, J. H. Kelley, Mrs. W. L. Maxey, Mr. Angwin, Herbert McCarthy, F. H. Call, M. H. Ellis, Blanche Linebaugh, B. L. Delmon, Mrs. J. H. Turner, Mrs. O. E. Dewes, Mrs. Walter Herndon, Mrs. A. A. Marseke, A. A. Marseke, Mrs. G. M. Frost, captain; Ira Shoupe, Mrs. Ira Shoupe, H. O. Anderson, Mrs. H. O. Anderson, Mrs. V. O. N. Smith, Mrs. A. C. Briggs, S. S. Wilcox, G. M. Frost, David A. Owens, A. H. Hayes, Mrs. M. Hagar, Mrs. M. E. Perrine, Mrs. B. A. Finch, Mrs. J. W. Bruner, Hazel Bruner, Mrs. H. E. Plummer, Mrs. D. O'Toole, Mrs. H. J. Van Fossen, Mrs. James Hersey, Mrs. G. W. Gollitt, Andrew Potter, Mrs. S. J. Leavitt, Ruth Porter, Mrs. M. J. Barnhill.

Mrs. F. H. Johnson, captain; Mrs. C. N. Gilmore, Mrs. James Eudd, Mrs. Ada W. Jones, Mrs. A. B. Beaver, Mrs. Wm. Roberts, Mrs. J. E. Crowson, Miss Fern Phillips, Miss Belle Dunnavon, Mrs. R. P. Watkins, Mrs. Mary C. Hale, Dr. F. H. Johnson, Frederick H. Johnson Jr., Geo. S. Johnson, Mrs. Margaret M. Taylor, C. C. Weisenburger, Mrs. J. A. Smith, Mrs. Lulu Wilson, Mrs. Janet Wilson, Paul Held, Mrs. Paul Held.

Mrs. T. W. Sanford, captain; C. H. Welsman, W. G. Sander, Miss Mildred Million, Mrs. W. B. Million, Mrs. H. E. Peterson, Mrs. Geo. Stevens, Mrs. R. L. Chaney, Mrs. A. M. Wehrli, E. C. Hubbard, Unknown, Mrs. T. W. Sanford, T. W. Sanford, V. Colvig.

Mrs. W. E. Moor, captain; Mrs. Varcan, E. J. Raine, E. J. Kaiser, L. Bowlin, A. L. De Ross, O. O. Telman, Mrs. Bevington, Miss Hargrove, R. D. Sanford, E. W. Hogue, Mrs. W. S. Mult.

Mrs. F. F. Whittle, captain; Mrs. P. C. Garrett, Mrs. J. J. Myers, Mrs. Carl Murphy, Mrs. Thompson, Mrs. Guy Good, Chas. Loomis, East Side Meat Market, F. F. Whittle, Mrs. F. F. Whittle, Mrs. W. E. Leer.

Mrs. Karl Nims, captain; E. F. Isaac, Mrs. H. H. Gillette, I. R. Phipps, Marjorie Gillette, H. H. Gillette, Mrs. Selma Gray, A. C. Joy.

Roy Gardner Captured In Attempted Mail Robbery

UNEMPLOYMENT IN KANSAS CITY GROWING ACUTE

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Nov. 16.—The unemployment situation in Kansas City is daily becoming more acute.

This fact has been revealed through a survey of welfare agencies throughout the city, conducted by several committees from the Chamber of Commerce.

Nearly 10,000 men, 50 per cent of whom are "floaters," are without employment in this city, the survey showed. There has been a large influx into the city of men from all sections of the country, lured here by numerous false rumors circulated to the effect that Kansas City has no unemployment problem.

Relief organizations report they are receiving hundreds of appeals for aid, far in excess of any made previously, they say.

The Helping Hand institute's records show that 1073 men were cared for during September this year, as compared to 300 during the same period a year ago.

"Requests for aid from our organization come in larger numbers every day," Brigadier John C. Smith, divisional commander of the Salvation army, said. "At least 100 per cent more requests for food, lodging and transportation have come during the last month than in the same period last year."

During 1920 the Provident association distributed aid to 451 families in September. This year assistance was rendered to 706 families.

Mayor Cowgill has announced he is strongly in favor of and would co-operate extensively with President Harding's recommendations to mayors of municipalities that they do everything humanly possible to aid the jobless in securing employment.

"It would help some," said the mayor, "if employers could conduct their business so as to divide a week among their regular employees and those out of work, giving each class three days' work each week."

ATTEMPT TO ASSASSINATE QUEEN OF GREECE FOILED

LONDON, Nov. 16.—A bomb plot directed against Queen Sophia of Greece, who was en route to Saloniki, was frustrated, according to a news dispatch from Vienna stating that an inspector attached to the queen's party was killed when the plot was discovered.

Mrs. E. O. Wallstein, E. F. Gattis, Mrs. Phoebe Wells.

Mrs. V. V. Mills, captain; Elizabeth Blume, Vetrin McCredie, L. A. Whitehead, Mrs. P. Hall, Mrs. Grace Waters, Nellie G. Simpson, Florence Allen, Mrs. R. D. Riley, E. L. Wheeler, R. B. Mackenzie, George Taverber, S. A. Robinson, T. K. McWilliams, Mrs. Peruzzi, E. O. Swish, K. Sneed, F. F. Andrews, T. B. Geur, E. E. Phipps, Unknown, J. W. Hatch, E. V. Mills, Mrs. V. V. Mills, Miss Abraham, Ed Baer, K. Sullivan, Sherman Graff, Mr. Elmore, Mrs. Elmore, Miss W. Spencer, Provost Bros., Mrs. M. Shepherd, Mrs. Elam, Ferny Frake, Grace Hawkyard, L. A. Crane, Mrs. Edna C. Forsyth, Miss Edna Kennedy, Chas. Snyder, Fay Carver, Ed High, Henry Spulak, Roy Bebb, Bill De Witt, Geo. Bristol, Miss Eugenia Carson, Carl Loveland, Helen Dickerson, J. Q. Adams, Eva Poley, Mrs. Ella B. Mills, W. E. Cook, Mrs. M. J. Hendricks, Robert Middleton, Agnes Hedberg, Maud M. Howell, E. W. Howell, Mrs. G. W. Wintner, Ruth Billings, Frank Billings.

Haz Kik



As long as a few self-constituted "prominent citizens" are running about stabbing other citizens in the back who are really trying to accomplish something for the town, it will be out of the question to get a hotel and sanitarium, no matter how much bonus is raised for the purpose. Men with money to invest do not go up against such conditions when they see they exist in a community. It does not hurt a town half so bad to make a fight openly as it does for a few jealous spirits to go about knifing in the dark. To take a few backbiters to a cleaning may delay matters for a few weeks, but to let them continue their secret attacks indefinitely will destroy every chance the town has for future advancement.

The reason Ashland has not already advanced far beyond its present status is because of these small, self-opinionated, jealous, backbiting citizens, who, while sitting in positions of prominence, are too small for the job; because they allow these little spies to control their actions in spite of the deterrent effect it will have on community advancement. People should know who they are, what they are doing, and why they are doing it, so the community can put a proper gauge on their actions and be in position to properly "salt" many of their statements against others. There will be seen a very definite animus behind every one of their secret stabs when the people know the reasons for their actions.

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ESCAPED BANDIT TAKEN BY SANTE FE MAIL CLERK

PHOENIX, Ariz., Nov. 16.—The man who attempted to rob a mail car on the Sante Fe train near here last night, but who was overpowered after a thrilling battle with Herman Inderlied, a mail clerk, was positively identified by police here as Roy Gardner, famous bandit who recently escaped from McNeil's Island federal prison.

The identification was made by finger prints, after which the man admitted that he was Roy Gardner. Following the identification, Gardner told Inderlied, "Say, Buddy, next time some robber sticks a gun into your ribs, and says, 'Put 'em up,' you better do it, because the next fellow won't be Roy Gardner. I didn't want to shoot you. That's how you got away without a scratch."

The police made a careful examination of Gardner's body for traces of a gunshot wound, since it was reported that he was hit by the prison guards while making his escape from McNeil's Island. No evidence was found of such a wound.

"Say, those birds up at the island didn't get anywhere near me with their bullets," he said.

Instead of complying with the order to "stick 'em up," Inderlied, who is a giant in stature, began to battle. Inderlied's strength is amazing and he soon had Gardner disarmed. A little later Gardner got possession of the weapon, but Inderlied's strength prevented him from using it.

Gardner later denied that the guards had missed him and said that he was wounded twice in the legs when he escaped from McNeil's Island. He declared that he circled about until he reached the prison barns and hid in the hayloft. He lived for five days on milk secured from the prison cows. He asserted that he finally made his escape from the island by swimming to Fox's island and later making his way inland.

Another Speeder Fined

L. F. Nollner was today fined \$20 by Justice of the Peace Cowdy for exceeding the speed limits on the streets of Ashland last night, upon information filed by J. J. McMahon. Enroute to Los Angeles—

F. N. Snyder left this morning for various points in California, expecting to wind up in Los Angeles.

Offered Filtering Plant

At the regular meeting of the city council last evening, E. P. Moore tried to interest the officials in a water filtering plant. Mr. Moore was informed that the city was not contemplating installing such a plant. The city engineer and water superintendent were instructed however to take advantage of the opportunity to inform themselves regarding the plant. No other business out of the ordinary was transacted at the meeting.

Jail Sentence Imposed

C. W. Beavers, who was fined \$10 by Justice of the Peace Gowdy for stealing a ride on a Southern Pacific company train, refused to pay the fine and was yesterday sentenced by the same official to thirty-three days in the county jail, to which he was taken yesterday afternoon. Beavers first claimed that he was under eighteen years of age, and could not legally receive the sentence mentioned. After thinking it over in the city bastle he admitted to being twenty-one years of age.

E. O. McCormick Tells of Trip to Alameda Mines

Last week the writer had the pleasure of a trip with Mr. McCormick, of the Southern Pacific company, over one of Southern Oregon's finest drives—from Grants Pass down the Rogue river canyon past Hell's Gate and to the Alameda mines. Mr. McCormick has supplied us with notes on the trip as follows:

Leave Grants Pass over the Pacific highway as far as the Merlin road, over which one continues to Merlin and west through the town, until the bridge over Jump-off Joe creek is crossed. Here a sharp turn to the left is taken onto the road that runs up the Rogue River canyon, past Hell's Gate, Devil's Playground, and Paradise valley, to the Alameda mines.

Along the road small farms are passed, most of them in the best of condition, the buildings of Tennessee style of construction, even to the corn cribs, horse corrals, etc. The country resembles very closely the best parts of Tennessee. Surely some of these migratory southerners or their progenitors, lured by the extraordinary rugged country and its beauty, settled in spots.

About eight miles from Merlin the road goes through the ranch of Judge Tuohy of San Francisco. He has in all some 420 acres, eighteen of which are planted to Tokay grapes which yielded this year twenty-four tons of fruit of a color and taste not to be excelled anywhere. These grapes brought as high as \$2.50 per box.

The road continues up the canyon, affording an ever-changing view—occasionally a glimpse of the river below, through the heavy green foliage. About one mile above Judge Tuohy's ranch is Hell's Gate, the highest point on the drive. Here the Rogue river has cut through walls of solid granite. From the road to the water below is about 1200 feet. The river is only 100 feet wide at this point, while at the road level, the canyon is about 300 feet wide. The view of this gorge is very good for a mile down the road, where the river is crossed, and the road continued on the other side.

Between Hell's Gate and the bridge, the nature of the river, with its many rapids, the rocky formation of the land through which it flows, interspersed here and there with sandy stretches and still pools—all seem to call for the name given, the Devil's Playground.

From the bridge on, the scenery changes into a restful calm portrayal of floral wonder. Sometimes rising over a bluff an ideal view is spread before the eye, down the river for a mile or so, with surrounding trees and shrubs to the lofty hill tops; while in depressions the road is through large pines, firs, maple, dogwood, etc., in many places actually going through tunnels of foliage. Again many sharp and thrilling turns are enjoyed at high elevations.

At this particular time of the year the scenery is unsurpassed. Here and there among the green pines and firs, is seen the maple with its leaves turned to a light, medium or dark yellow, interspersed with dogwood, with its leaves turned to light and deep red, to dark red and purple.

A second Hell's Gate is passed four or five miles further down, after which the more sloping and restful hills covered with timber is again passed through.

Arriving opposite the Alameda mines, the river is crossed over a marked rapid and the road narrows into a horse trail. This trail continues down the river to the ocean, at Gold Beach.

The road from Merlin on is excellent. It is constructed of decomposed granite, which gives a hard surface, and one to which the auto holds readily. It is passable to the mines, a distance of twenty-six miles.

Many ideal camping places are

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PROPOSES TO TURN WARSHIPS TO PLOWSHARES

FLIVER MAGNATE PROPOSES TO SOLVE EMPLOYMENT PROBLEM BY WRECKING NAVIES FOR AGRICULTURAL TOOLS.

CHINA DEMANDS TERRITORIAL INTEGRITY IN STATEMENT AT CONFERENCE; SECRET MEETING ADJOURNS—MEET LATER

By ALLAN L. BENSON
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DETROIT, Mich., Nov. 16.—Henry Ford has authorized me to make the following sensational announcement on his behalf:

"I will buy the navies of the world at junk prices and then turn them into agricultural machinery and automobiles if the United States and other world powers will agree to disarm them.

"You may tell those gentlemen in Washington that I mean business. They may think that I couldn't finance such an undertaking, but you may tell them that I can. You may assure them that with acetylene torches and electricity, I can cut those warships in pieces and make useful things out of them.

"If the powers will sell their navies, I'll help them solve their unemployment problems. The unemployment problem is going to be made worse, even by partial disarmament, if the plan proposed by Secretary of State Hughes is carried out. If warship building is going to be stopped for ten years, thousands of men now working in steel mills and shipyards will be deprived of employment. Something should be done for them. I'll do something for them if the powers will sell me their warships. I'll not only give employment to thousands of more men in my tractor and automobile works, but indirectly I'll give employment to many more thousands."

WASHINGTON, D. C., Nov. 16.—There was no presentation of programs for the settlement of controversial questions affecting China, the Pacific and Far East at today's session of the world powers' delegates to the disarmament conference, according to some of the diplomats who participated in the meeting.

After being in session for two hours, the secret meeting broke up, and it was announced that only the heads of the delegations would meet at a later day to continue the discussion.

It was learned, however, that the Chinese delegation took advantage of the occasion to present a comprehensive statement of their position on the matters affecting China's interests.

The Chinese delegation to the disarmament conference officially notified the world powers diplomats that China intends to demand territorial integrity, political and administrative independence from the conference.

SHEEP LOAN FIRM FORMED

SALEM, Or., Nov. 16.—The Sheep Growers' Loan company is the name of a new concern incorporated by T. J. Maloney, E. F. Roy and Jay Bowerman. The capital stock is \$500,000 and headquarters will be in Portland.

The Bolen Creek Mining & Lumber company, with a capital stock of \$500,000 and headquarters in Medford, has been incorporated by W. T. Wormille, S. I. Brown and Porter Neff.

Returned from Portland

John Prytor returned Monday from Portland, where he had been the past week or two.

New Auto Agency

W. H. Leverett expects to open a general auto sales agency for Southern Oregon, in room one, Beaver block, about December 1.

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