Lest You Forget! Civic Club Big Dance at the Armory Tonight

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MALARIA GERMS cannot survive three months in the rich ozone at Ashland. The pure domestic water helps.

CHINESE BANDITS LOOT MISSION CAPTURE WOMAN

DESTROY BUILDINGS, KILL AND BURN OVER A HUNDRED CHINAMEN

The Leaders Capture Six Foreigners But Later Release All But One Woman Whom They Are Holding For Ransom.

SHANGHAI, June 13.—The Norwegian Lutheran mission at Luchan, province of Honan, was looted and completely destroyed by bandits yesterday.

Six foreigners were taken prisoner, but all were released except Miss Staurseth, who is being held for ransom. Many buildings were burned by the looting bandits, advices stated, and it is reported that more than a hundred Chinese were shot and burned to death.

DICK POSEY ENTERTAINS LARGE CROWD AT MEDFORD

Dick Posey appeared at the Baptist church at Medford last evening, under the auspices of the musical committee of that church, and read the original poem, "Roxy Ann," which he had written especialy for the occasion, in connection with "The Sheep Herder," and the poem which recently appeared in the Tidings, entitled "There Little Girl, Don't Cry," and several other short humorous skits which he had used on the Chautauqua platform.

The audience was highly pleased with the entire program, particularly so with the poem "Roxy Ann," which entwined a romance around Medford's particular mountain peak.

The musical committee furnished two numbers, one being an excellent bass solo, and the other a male quartette which sang "The Rosary," and responded to the encores.

The entertainment was a success both from a financial and social viewpoint. There was a good balance left in the treasury and the attendance was exceptionally large.

CIVIC CLUB DANCE TO BE BEST EVER HELD IN ASHLAND

The Civic Improvement club ladies' strawberry and ice cream festival this afternoon was well attended, there being what one might call a "full house," fully half of the tables being filled at an early hour in the afternoon, and they continued to come until after 4 o'clock.

The big dance of the season is at hand, and the ladies have left no stone unturned to make the affair tonight at the Armory the biggest and best ever held in Ashland. With the lights turned low and soft music in the air, many feet will trip the light fantastic that have not been tempted for many moons. Strawberries and ice cream will be in evidence tonight, and a good time is guaranteed to all who attend.

Talk about eating strawberries, it has always been known that the men were quite fond of the berries, but from the way the mountain of berries disappeared this afternoon, with practically no men in sight, one will have to come early to get a seat at one of the tables.

A little program was arranged for the afternoon and everyone present was delighted with it. The first number of the program was a song by a chorus of young ladies, consisting of Mesdames Elbert J. Farlow, John Shortridge, Clinton Harkins, Newton Harrison, T. J. Coffman, and Miss Roberta Ward.

Carl Loveland favored with a solo in his usual pleasing manner, and Mrs. John Shortridge followed with an equally pleasing number.

Bobby Coffman gave a saxophone solo, and Miss Ward favored the ladies with an instrumental solo that displayed well trained touch and technique.

COUNTRY LIFE'S WRITER'S TRIBUTE TO CRATER LAKE

"I have discovered the most beautiful garden in America * * * and the best of it is perhaps that there cannot be another like it, for there is no other Crater Lake."

The quotation is from Walter Prichard Eaton's article on Crater Lake in the June issue of Country Life.

AMMONIA FUMES KILLS 3 FIREMEN IN PACKING PLANT

DETROIT, Mich., June 13.—Three men are known to be dead, one missing and another in the hospital as the result of six firemen being overcome by ammonia gas and the consequent explosion and fire in a packing house plant here today.

Six hundred employes narrowly escaped. The fire was caused by the bursting of ammonia pipes, the poisonous fumes being hurled all through the big plant and into the large furnaces, an explosion following.

JACKSONVILLE BANK DEPOSITORS TO GET PAYMENT

Liquidation of the claims of depositors in the defunct Bank of Jacksonville, which failed in August, 1920, will begin on Saturday next, when pursuant to an order of the circuit court, Superintendent of Banks Frank C. Bramwell will pay out about $14,000, being a five per cent alloment of the claims of depositors. Attorney George M. Roberts, of Medford, is acting for the state banking board.

This is the first step towards a refund to the depositors of the defunct institution, and is made from collections of notes, overdrafts due and collected by those in charge of its liquidation.

According to the report of the state banking board on the condition of the bank, claims approved total $282,216.87, and the assets of the bank aggregate $208,062.85, plus approximately $62,000 more, leaving a difference between assets and liabilities of close to $25,000. The assets include large judgments obtained for overdrafts, etc., which, the report says, are highly improbable of collection.

LLOYD GEORGE IS ACCUSED OF INVITING WAR

LONDON, June 13.—"Premier Lloyd George is running this country straight into war again," declared the Morning Post today, attacking the British policy in Ireland and Russia. The Post appealed for funds for a tory "die hard" campaign to defeat the liberals in the next election.

TWO ASHLAND MEN PICKED FOR SCIENTIFIC SOCIETY

Two Ashland men, Giles M. Ruch and Harlan B. Holmes, were among the 42 students initiated into the Sigma Xi, honorary scientific society, recently at Palo Alto, Calif. The society annually elects men and women who have made noteworthy contributions to scientific knowledge and graduate students, sometimes seniors, who show in their work a special apitude for scinetific investigation.

Mr. Ruch was rewarded for his work in the field of educational research, and Mr. Holmes, in the department of zoology.

CELEBRATING BIRTH OF OLD GLORY TOMORROW

ASHLAND ELKS WILL FITTINGLY OBSERVE NATAL DAY OF THE STARS AND STRIPES.

THE FLAG
(By Dick Posey)

Oh, the bright
Starry light,
Mingled red and blue and white,
Of our flag that floats in rapture
from the steeple's dizzy height
See it fly
Up so high
Till it strains the weary eye,
As it rolls its bright waves upwards
till they nestle in the sky.

Flag of mine,
Flag of thine,
Millions worship at thy shrine.
Earthly hope is centered in thee,
stripes that gleam and stars
that shine.
When we lie
Down to die,
Plain, ignoble you and I,
Let us wrap those colors 'round us
as a passport through the sky!

The history of the American Flag began with the landing of the Mayflower in 1620. The first colonial flag was known as the "King's Colors," combining the red and white crosses of England and Scotland upon an inner field of blue. During the memorable struggle of the colonists to establish themesives, various attempts were made to evolve a general flag, emblematic of their cause, but nothing definite resulted. The animating sentiment of the fathers of the republic was that of freedom, and in support thereof the word "Liberty," was emblazoned upon many of the flags employed in those early days.

The right of freedom was proclaimed by the colonists on July 2, 1776, and two days later, on July 4, the Declration of Independence was adopted. In response to the demand for a banner more representative of the aims and ideals of the new country, on June 14, 1777, one hundred and forty-five years ago today, congress declared the national flag to be thirteen stripes, seven red and six white, with thirteen stars in a circle on a blue field.

According to most authorities, the first flag of this description was made by Betsy Ross, at her home, No. 239 Arch street, Philadelphia, a building still preserved and pointed out as the birthplace of our national emblem. George Washington, acting as committeeman, submitted the design of the flag to Betsy Ross, and it was upon her suggestion that the stars were made of five points, as in France, instead of six points, as in England. In 1795, after Vermont and Kentucky had been admitted to the Union, two stripes and two stars were added to the flag. The war of 1812 was fought under such a flag, and it remained in this form until July 4, 1818, when the stripes were reduced to the original thirteen, and the stars increased to one for each state.

In its present form, thirteen colonial stripes and one star for each state, the flag represents the American nation as it was at its birth, as it is at the present time, and betokens what it may be in the future when other stars shall have joined the constellation.

Tomorrow is the day which has been set apart for commemoration of the birth of the Stars and Stripes, and in every village and hamlet from the lakes to the gulf, from the Atlantic to the far-off Philippines in the Pacific, the story of Betsy Ross and America's first flag will be told, a story, that like love of country, will never grow old in the hearts of Americans.

Here in Ashland the day will be fittingly observed by Ashland lodge No. 944, B. P. O. E., tomorrow evening, with a demonstration at the Plaza, the rendering of appropriate music by the band and parade to the Elks' hall, where a splendid program will be given. While the Flag Day services are under the direction of the Elks, it is by no means confined to the membership, the public being cordially invited to take part in the open air demonstration as well as the exercises in Elks' hall. Here is the program for the evening:

Band music at the Plaza at 7:15 p. m. and march to Elks Temple.

1. Music, selection—Loveland's orchestra.
2. Introductory exercises—Exalted ruler and officers.
3. Prayer—Chaplain.
4. Song, "Star Spangled Banner"—Mrs. John W. Shortridge.
5. Flag record—Edwin Dunn.
6. Altar service—Esquire and officers.
7. Song, "Columbia the Gem of the Ocean"—Audience, led by Carl H. Loveland.
8. Elks' tribute to the flag—Elmer Morrison.
9. Music, "American Airs"—Loveland's orchestra.
10. Address, "The Flag"—A. C. Joy
11. Song, "America"—Audience, led Carl H. Loveland.

LABOR CONGRESS ATTACKS SHIP SUBSIDY BILL

CLAIMS IT WOULD DESTROY UNITED STATES AS A SEA POWER

Foreign Delegates to American Federation of Labor Convention Urge Injection of Internationalism and Solidarity of Labor Ballot.

CINCINNATI, June 13.—The ship subsidy legislation pending in congress and backed by President Harding and his administration, was the object of a vigorous attack on the floor of the American Federation of ical to public interest and destruc- Labor convention here today. It was condemned by a resolution as "inimtive to the nation's aspirations as a sea power."

Plans for internationalism in organized labor movements as being the best means of averting possible future wars and accomplishing unity and advancement in trade unionism were made to the American Federation of Labor convention here by the British and Canadian fraternal delegates. Citing illustrations of the political power of organized labor in Great Britain, the British trade union congress representatives urged American labor to solidarity in wielding of the ballot.

Ernest Robertson, of the trades and labor congress of Canada, pleaded the necessity of banding its political strength with the voting power of the American workmen.

ERSKINE FUNERAL TO BE HELD WEDNESDAY P. M.

The funeral services for the late John H. Erskine will be held Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock from the H. C. Stock undertaking parlors and burial will take place in Mountain View cemetery.

BASEBALL RESULTS TODAY

National

At New York 7; Cincinnati 5.
At Brooklyn 3; Chicago 8.
At Philadelphia 1; St. Louis 0.
At Boston 8; Pittsburg 5.

American

At Chicago 5; Boston 0.
At Detroit 5; Washington 1.

ALLEGED WHITE SLAVER IS HELD FOR GRAND JURY

Max Rosenblum and the woman Billee Ward, who were arrested in a hotel here on Friday night on a warrant from Seattle, were turned over to Sheriff Terrill last night and lodged in the county jail. This morning they were brought before United States Commissioner Davis in Medford and given a hearing on a charge of violation of the Mann white slave act.

Rosenblum entered a plea of not guilty and was bound over to await the action of the federal grand jury. The woman is held as a witness for the prosecution. Both will be taken to Portland this evening in charge of an agent of the department of justice, who came here yesterday and took charge of the case. It is said that another charge of felony is pending in Seattle against Rosenblum, but it will be held in abeyance pending the disposition of the white slave charge.

KLAMATH FALLS STAGE HAS 25 PASSENGERS

The Ashland-Klamath Falls stage left this morning with 25 passengers for Klamath Falls, using four large cars to transport them over the mountains.

Marion Nine, of the White Pine and Nine lumber companies, near Klamath Falls, was returning from Portland with 11 men to work in his mills in Klamath county, which greatly increased the passenger list.

TURKS BUTCHER THOUSANDS AND BEHEAD VICTIMS

HUMAN TROPHIES ELEVATED ON POLES IN GREEK MARKET PLACE

Fifteen Greek Villages Are Wiped Out of Existence by the Marauding Turks, Who Have Slaughtered Thousands in Their Raids.

WASHINGTON, June 13.—Thousands of persons have been massacred and fifteen villages wiped out of existence by the Turks in the region of Rhodopolis, Asia minor, according to an Athens dispatch.

The advices state that several Greeks were beheaded and their heads fixed on poles and elevated in the market place at Djevegli.

PLAY BY FAMOUS AUTHOR OF A FAMOUS FAMILY

Charles Belmont Davis, author of "Handle with Care," an Al and Ray Rockett feature, starring Grace Darmond, was United States consul at Florence, Italy, during Roosevelt's administration. His father was Clark Davis, husband of Rebecca Harding Davis and the father of Richard Harding Davis.

This highly entertaining photoplay, "Handle with Care," will be at the Vining today, tomorrow and Thursday, in connection with the remarkable Harold Lloyd comedy—"The Sailor-Made Man." This program should please the most exacting of audiences.

PRESIDENT APPROVES CAMP LEWIS HISPITAL LOCATION

WASHINGTON, June 13.—President Harding has approved the location of the million and a half dollar hospital at Camp Lewis, Wash., for the rehabilitation of disabled former service men, the veterans' bureau announced today.

ASHLAND SHRINER HAILED AS OLDEST IN ATTENDANCE

In the San Francisco Examiner of June 12 is a picture of C. C. Weisenburger, of Ashland, in company with little Miss Katherine Siller, and the picture was captioned, "The oldest and the youngest Shriners."

The picture was apparently taken at one of the ferry stations, and crowds of people could be seen at each side and to the rear.

NEIGHBORS ROW ENDS IN KILLING OF A WOMAN

LOS ANGELES, June 13.—During the course of a heated argument here today, Mrs. Margaret Hogan was shot and killed by her neighbor, Mrs. Helen McClung.

Mrs. McClung is said to have gone to the back door of Mrs. Hogan's house, where the argument ensued. Three shots were heard by neighbors who found Mrs. Hogan dead. Mrs. McClung was taken into custody at her home, where she was found in a hysterical condition.

WIFE OF FORMER MEDFORD MAN IS DROWNED

EUGENE, June 13.—The body of Mrs. Kirby Miller, of 1833 Franklin boulevard, was found floating in the mill race opposite the street car barn Sunday morning at 9:15 o'clock by four University of Oregon girls who were canoeing. The body had probably been in the water about an hour and life was extinct when she was found.

Mrs. Miller had ben in the habit of going to the banks of the race nearly every morning to read in the cool, shady nooks. Sunday morning she left home as usual, and her relatives did not know she was missing until they heard the report of the body being found.

Mrs. Miller had been in the habit othy Miller, a senior at the University of Oregon. She has a son in Oxford college, England, Kirby Miller, who won the Rhodes scholarship on graduation here, and also another son Carl Miller, who is in the theatrical business. Mrs. Miller, who is a widow, came to Eugene from Medford where her husband was a pastor in one of the churches before his death.

STRICKEN DUMB LENINE'S CASE IS HOPELESS

LONDON, June 13.—The physical condition of Nicolai Lenine, founder of the soviet government and the real ruler of Russia, is hopeless, according to information received from authoritative sources.

He is said to be suffering from an influx of blood to the brain, which caused loss of speech, and which has been followed by a stroke of paralysis.

CRATER CLUB TURNED FIRST DIRT ON NEW FAIR GROUND

The Crater club of Medford journeyed to the county fair grounds this noon, following a forum meeting at the Hotel Medford, and at 1 o'clock, O. O. Alenderfer, the "Big Eruption" of the club, turned the first dirt for the erection of the permanent buildings on the county fair grounds.

A large number of Medford people turned out to witness the breaking of the ground for what is expected to become the best county fair in the state of Oregon.

RUIN IN WAKE OF DISRUPTION S. P. RAILROAD

SPROULE POINTS OUT DANGER IN U. S. SUPREME COURT DECISION

Conflicts With Operation of Inter-State Commerce Commission and Would Practically Result in the Wrecking of Coast Railroads.

SAN FRANCISCO, June 13.—The following statement was issued here today by William Sproule, president of the Southern Pacific company:

The public are so widely interested in the present discussions of the Southern Pacific system as it now exists, in contrast with what may happen to it under the recent decision of the supreme court of the United States, that it seems proper for me to submit to our customers, who are the shipping and traveling public, some leading facts in the situation with which they are confronted as well as this company.

The supreme court decision of May 29th requires Southern Pacific to cancel ts lease of the Central Pacific, to sell its Central Pacific stock and to bring about separation of the two companies so that control of their operations will be separate and independent of each other.

The Central Pacific has been leased to the Southern Pacific for 37 years, or since February 1885, by unanimous vote of all the stockholders present or represented, who constituted more than five-sixths of the entire capital stock. The Southern Pacific has been the actual owner of the entire capital stock of the reorganized Central Pacific for 22 years, or since 1899.

The decision of the supreme court is that both these transactions are in violation of the Sherman act, although the Sherman act was not passed until 1890, which was five years after the Central Pacific was leased to the Southern Pacific.

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MRS. JOHN POTTER NEE PATTERSON PAYS VISIT HOME

Mr. and Mrs. S. Patterson have been enjoying a visit from their two daughters during the last two weeks. Mrs. Fansteel returned with them from their auto trip to California, which included a visit in her home. Mrs. Potter is home for the first time since her marriage last October. Her husband, John Potter, is manager of the advertising department of the Post-Intelligencer, of Seattle, and was making a business trip to San Francisco, so Mrs. Potter accompanied him as far as Ashland, stopping here for a visit.

Mr. Potter returned Thursday and stopped until Monday, when the two left for their home. Mrs. Fansteel left last week after waiting to have a day's visit with Mr. Potter. The Misses Lillian and Rose Patterson were two of Ashland's most popular and beloved girls and to have them both here at the same time was a treat to their relatives and friends.

The Potter brothers, John and James, are both with the Seattle Post-Intelligencer, the latter in the capacity of auditor. He will be remembered by many Ashlanders, having married the daughter of Mrs. Russell. In Medford, too, he is well known as the founder of the Daily Mail Tribune.

FARMER KILLS HIMSELF ON GRAVE OF HIS WIFE

BELLINGHAM, Wash., June 13.—Mourning the death of his wife, who died a year ago, Stephen Day, 70, a farmer of the Lynnen district, today committed suicide on her grave. He shot himself in the face with a rifle. He left a note at the farm which he sold yesterday, saying he was heartbroken.

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