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FUNERAL TRAIN IS DELAYED BY NATION'S GRIEF

Progress Toward Capitol Held Up By Sorrowing Throngs Of People

WASHINGTON WILL BE REACHED LATE TODAY

Mrs. Harding Requests That Train Move Slowly In Order That Respectful Crowds Would Not Be Disappointed.

ABOARD HARDING FUNERAL TRAIN, ENROUTE WASHINGTON, Aug. 7.—The great wave of American reverence for the dead leader rose up and retarded the progress of the train toward the National Capitol. The carefully prepared schedule calling for the arrival in the early afternoon has been abandoned and has been shattered by the overpowering insistence of the saddened people that they be permitted to express their sorrow in the only way possible that of standing silent and sorrowful as the remains moved slowly by.

Mrs. Harding Calm

Calmly accepting the situation as inevitable despits the intense desire to see the body lie in the extreme White House before sundown, Mrs. Harding issued instructions that the silent and respectful throngs not be disappointed even if the train did not reach Washington until late tonight.

Train Moves Slowly

As the train swung through Ohio railroad officials estimated the arrival between five and six tonight.

They said it is in the hands of the people of Ohio, Pennsylvania, West Virginia and Maryland and to this extent at least the saddened people claimed the dead President as their own.

Pall Bearers Announced

WASHINGTON, Aug. 7.—Albert B. Cummins, President protem of the Senate, announced today officially the list of honorary pall-bearers to represent the senate as follows at the State Funeral at Washington; Senators: Lodge of Massachusetts, Curtis of Kansas, Watson of Indiana, Overmen of North Carolina, Fletcher of Florida, and Kenderick of Wyoming.

At the burial at Marion, Warren of Wyoming, Willis of Ohio, Spencer of Misouri, Fess of Ohio, Simmons of North Carolina, Jones of New Mexico, Sheppard of Texas, and Dial of South Carolina will be pall bearers.

Coolidge Nervous

WASHINGTON, Aug. 7.—Turning aside the cares of State President Coolidge solemnly awaited the arrival of the train with its burden of national grief. There were heavy lines about his eyes and twitching lips and other little acts of nervousness indicated the tension with which he is awaiting the return of his beloved chief.

FORD BELIEVES TARIFF IS JOKE

NEW YORK, Aug. 7.—Here are a few of Ford's ideas on important questions as revealed in a copyrighter interview with Collier's.

THE TARIFF: The tariff is a joke, but it is apt to hang on, to the detriment of both America and foreign countries until people learn special priivleges do not pay.

SHIP SUBSIDY: Giving a bonus for incapacity is a brilliant procedure, provided our subject is to waste money and keep the world's work from being done.

SOLDIER BONUS: The proposal to giv ea bonus to veterans of the late war implies that the soldier cannot hold his own in competition with others and is an insult to the ex-service man.

AGRICULTURE: The great problem is not one of how to increase production but of how to simplify production and distribution so that less human energy shall be wasted in the process.

LABOR UNIONISM: The labor union is a great scheme to interrupt work. It speeds up the loafing.

BAND CONCERT TOMORROW NITE

Sunday Afternoon Playing Will Be Shifted To Wednesday Eve.

The Band Concerts which have been held on Sunday afternoons are to be discontinued this week and will be held on Wednesday evenings instead, according to Carl Loveland, the director of the band. The first of the Wednesday evening concerts will be held tomorrow evening at 7:45 o'clock in Lithia Park.

The program for this first Wednesday evening concert is said to be especially good by Director Loveland and the program in detail follows:

Program

1. March, "Bedouin"—Wright.
2. "Arcadia" (The Land of Heart's desire)—Mann.
3. Popular, "Runnin' Wild"—Gibbs.
4. Overture, "Bridal Rose"—Lavallee.
5. Popular, "You've Got to see Mama Every Night"—Rose.
6. American Fantasia, "Gems of Steven Foster"—Tobani.
7. March, "The Stars and Stripes Forever"—Sousa.

The Star Spangled Banner

OREGON FAIR BOARD HOLDS SPECIAL MEET

SALEM, Aug., 7.—Members of the Oregon state fair board held a special meeting, here today, inspected the grounds, discussed the array of free amusements to be offered and went into many other phases of the 1923 show.

According to Fred Curray, secretary of the boar,d, practically all exhibit space already has been reserved, and it will be necessary to pitch tents and erect temporary buildings to take care of the overflow.

The board has decided that no games of chance will be allowed on the grounds, and the free amusements will be clean and wholesome.

The La Grande band has been engaged to furnish music during the fair, and there will be other musical organizations in attendance.

COMMITTEE PICKED BY COAL COMPANIES

WASHINGTON, Aug. 7.—Announcement was made today by the National Coal Association, of which John C. Brydon is president, of the appointment of two committees which are to serve the bituminous coal operators of America in their relations with the government and in dealing with policies of foreign trade.

Nineeten of the most prominent operators of soft coal mines in the United States, representing all sections of the country, have been selected as members of the Government Relations Committee, with W. H. Cunningham, president of Cunningham, Miller and Enslow, of Huntington, West Virginia, as chairman.

BODY OF DROWNED MAN FOUND NEAR REDDING

REDDING, Cal., Aug. 7.—The body of John Bent, who drowned in Pitt river at Pit No. 3 on July 2nd, has been found, a mile and a half down stream. A camp baker, who was out fishing, came across the body lodged in rocks along the river bank.

Bent, aged 20, arrived in San Francisco from Sydney, Australia, in company of T. S. McCarthy a week before he went to work at Pit No. 3, where he was employed only three days when he perished.

McCarthy said Bent was a nephew of Sir John Grey of London, England. A cablegram was sent at the time of the drowning but no reply was ever received.

W. R. Ulen of Portland spent the day here yesterday transacting business with local merchants.

R. McLean and wife of San Francisco were registered at the Hotel Columbia last night, having stopped in Ashland to visit with friends.

CAPITAL WAITS SILENTLY FOR FUNERAL TRAIN

Government Work Halted As Washington Mourns For Departed Chief.

SENATORS PICKED AS PALL BEARERS

Special Train Will Carry Remains To Marion Ohio Where Burial Will Take Place Friday. Coolidge Will Attend.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 7.—The national capital awaited its honored dead here today. Less than two months ago where thousands of persons cheered as the presidential special departed with Harding in robust health and happy.

Capital Silent

Now Pennsylvania avenue is shrouded in black and thousands stood with bowed heads awaiting the return of the mortal remains. Washington from the highest officialdom to those in the humblest walks of life steeped their grief weighted with the deepest sorrow.

Government Work Stops

All were silent and loving hands laid down the work of the government to pay tribute to the memory of the man who for more than two years guided the ship of state in the momentous troubles of the times. Government business and national and local came to a complete halt. Federal machinery will be stayed until the body is lowered into the grave. President Coolidge ordered that while the body is in the east room, where the remains of the martyred presidents Lincoln and McKinley rested only Mrs. Harding, the president and Mrs. Coolidge and a few personal friends will be permitted in the white house.

Wreaths Selected

A wreath will be placed on the bier by the widow, one by the president and Mrs. Coolidge, one for the supreme court by Taft, and one for congress by Cummins and Gillette.

Services Private

Tomorrow morning at the state funeral the national government will officially pay its final tribute and the body will be conveyed to the capital by an impressive procession.

After the services in the rotunda, which will be attended only by intimates and high officials, and representatives of foreign nations, the doors will be opened for a few hours to admit the public. Then at six o'clock the body will be carried to the same special train, which traveled west and returned with the lifeless body to be taken to Marion for burial on Friday.

Funeral Friday

The President and Mrs. Coolidge and invited government officials will leave on another train Thursday night, arriving Friday morning and returning to Washington shortly after the burial.

Medford Men Jailed Here

Ashland will have to add to it's building program with an extensive addition to the city hoosegow if Medford men continue to regard Ashland as a quiet place to spend a boisterous evening.

Sunday night five Medford men, who either from inability or bashfullness refused to give their names, were arrested by Chief of Police McNabb on a charge of being drunk and disorderly and placed in the jail. The designed capacity of the jail is four men, but by appling the old theory of "always room for one more," the fifth man was also caged.

According to the complaint, the men had imbibed of alcholic liquor in Medford, but had come to Ashland later.

The men managed to raise the $125 bail required of them by five yesterday morning, and were to have appeared for trial at ten, but as they failed to do so, the bail was forfeited.

W. V. Brentbarger and wife of Oakland, California were in Ashland yesterday calling on friends and acquaintances.

Senator Magnus Johnson

The newly elected Senator from Minnesota, Magnus Johnson looks like the late Theodore Roosevelt and also has some of that famous characters ability to get things done, so it appears some thing is bound to happen when he takes his seat in the U. S. Senate this fall.

The newly organized Farm-Labor party scored a brilliant success by the election of Magnus Johnson over Governor Preus. the Republican candidate, to fill the unexpired term of the late Knute Nelson, who died recently.

The election of Johnson gives the Farm-Labor party two representatives in the United States Senate from Minnesota, as in the elections last fall Senator Hendrick Shipstead was elected by a large majority over Frank Kellog one of the most influential Minnesota politicians.

The contest between Johnson and Preus was especially interesting since in the race for Governor of the state last fall, Preus won over Johnson in one of the closest races ever experienced in the state, although Preus was running on the Republican ticket, which fact would normally have won for him.

The fact that Johnson and the Farmer-Labor party administered such a sound defeat to Governor Preus in the elections yesterday makes the Republican chances in Minnesota look rather dark, as heretofore, the mere fact that a man was a Republican was often enough to win for him.

AUTOMATIC TRAIN CONTROL TESTED

PHILADELPHIA, Penn., Aug, 7.—Tests of an automatic train control system, under practical operating conditions, have been conducted for several weeks on the Lewistown Branch of the Pennsylvania railroad between Lewistown Junction and Sunbury, Pa. Announcement is authorized today by the Company's Train Control Committee, which is headed by A. H. Rudd, Chief Signal Engineer, that the results thus far obtained have been extremely encouraging and justify hopes that the system may provide a successful solution of the problem of preventing train collisions automatically, regardless of human failures.

Nearly a year was occupied in designing and trying out the necessary apparatus before the actual tests could begin. The system has been in operation throughout the entire Lewistown Branch since Jul y11, and the movements of all trains both freight and passenger, have been subject to its control. The entire trackage of the branch, which is approximately fifty miles in length together with twelve locomotives, the entire number operated on the branch have been equipped with the necessary electrical and other devices.

The purpose of the automatic control system is to make impossible accidents caused by train collision, whether resulting from the imperfect reading of signals, from disregard o fsignals or other forms of human failure, or from failure of the isgnals themselves.

LOCAL GUARDSMEN PRACTICE SONGS

It is lucky for the people of Ashland that the entire 484th company did not attend the drill last night, or many sweet dreams might have been shattered by the would-be song birds.

Almost the entire drill period last night was spent in the lower end of Lithia Park in practicing singing artillery songs. So far, no fatalities have been reported among guardemen or their auditors as the result of the vocal gymnastics, although one or two cases of indigestion resulted from the free feed at the Plaza which followed.

The company has a fund which has been raised by various means, and at times, this is drawn upon to furnish amusement or feeds for the artillerymen. In the last thirty days two events, a swimming party and the feed last night, have been financed from this fund.

At the regular drill next Monday night, Major Duesenberry will be in attendance, and a large showing is wanted to make a good impression.

LARGE CROWD SEES BEAUTY OF CAVES

As many cars as could park on the space provided visited the Oregon Marble Caves yesterday, arriving at all hours of the day and night.

A representative of the Tidings visited the caves, and found the roads to be in a good condition, although somewhat cut up in places. A large crowd thronged around the cave entrance, trying to get into a party, and five parties of fifteen people and a guide were organized in less than an hour, and started through.

Last year, the Tidings representative visited the caves, and since then many accommodations as a hotel and lunch room have been added, as well as many improvements being made on the road.

Another thing that has undergone a slight change is the "patter" of the guides who explain things of interest in the cave. Elija Davis, the man who discovered the cave while hunting bear is still 74 years old, as he was last year, but the latest version is that he slew the bear with a pitchfork, and not with a gun. Where he obtained the pitchfork was not stated.

There are many interesting and beautiful formations in the caves, as the almost perfect likenesses of animals and men, and of familiar objects. A sombre note was thrown upon the tour when the "white horse," a marble formation resembling the presidential mansion was seen draped with black crepe.

UNIVERSITY SUMMER SESSION SUCCESSFUL

PORTLAND, Aug. 7.—Summer sessions, like regular sessions, have each certain individual characteristics, which differentiate them from those that have gone before, say those who have experience in such matters.

The concensus of opinion of faculty members with respect to the summer term of the Portland center for 1923, now drawing to a close, seems to be that it is more homogenous, less convivial and on the whole more studious than in predecessors.

"The national meetings in California took many experienced teachers, social workers and nurses away until after the opening of the second week, when it was too late for them to enter for credit," said Earl Kilpatrick, director of the session. "The absence of these people, with their instinct for organization, was reflected in a quiet student-body, which contrived almost no plans of its own. Then, some intluence, whether vacation summer schools elsewhere or the rigid grading in Portland last year, held away all of those whose idea of summer school is mainly

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PROCLAMATION

To the people of Ashland and Vicinity:

In accordance with the proclamation of our President and Governor, I am asking that all citizens of Ashland and vicinity suspend business and join in the Union Services at the Methodist church in observance of the funeral of the late President Warren G. Harding, the hour being identical with the hour of his funeral at Marion, Ohio.

CHARLES L. LOOMIS,
Mayor

RESOLUTION

Resolved, That The Ashland Chamber of Commerce, through its board of Directors this day assembled, places itself on record as being deeply grieved at the passing away of our Nation's Chief Executive, Warren G. Harding, whose death all of our citizens are at this time mourning, and

Resolved that we call upon Ashland citizens to join reverently in the observance of the day of his burial, Friday August 10th, in accordance with the proclamations of the President, the Governor of this State and the Mayor of Ashland.

Signed:
V. O. N. Smith,
T. H. Simpson,
H. K. Tomlinson.

LEAGUE PRESIDENT URGES WORLD PEACE

WASHINGTON, Aug. 7.—"No country can have a greater influence in the destinies of the world for peace than America," says Augustin Edwards, President of the Third Council of the League of Nations, in a signed article released by the Federal Council of Churches today.

Senor Edwards, who is owner of El Mercurio, the leading Chilean paper published at Valparaiso, is the Chilean Ambassador to Freat Britain. The article was writen in London at the request of the Federal Council of Churches for a statement on international cooperation. The full statement is as follows:

"Glorification of war has been for centuries the very foundation of the education of mankind. Battles won or lost have been the landmarks of history and victory or defeat in the battlefield the very assence of the teaching of patriotism. The pivot of the world's very life has been war.

"The horrors of the Great War and moreover the unspeakable and terrifying developments of aerial, chemical and submarine war have opened the eyes of humanity and no one fails to see that nothing short of the wholesale destruction of civilization is in store for us unless we stop glorifying war and start with all our might glorifying peace.

"The League of Nations is nothing if it is not the outward and visible sign of the necessity of glorifying peace and all that leads to peace and the consolidation of peace.

"The League of Nations as an Institution, the Coveant as an International Compact, efficiency of the Council and of the Assembly as the organs of the League may be discussed, blamed by some, praised by others. But what is above and beyond discussion is what the League of Nations represents, what the Covenant meant to create, what the Council and the Assembly are trying to do.

Rifle Range Record Made

When it comes to shooting an army rifle, Dobbin Irwin is ready to take on the world.

In 1915, according to Dave Sergeant, Dobbin was the world's best rifle shot, but since that time, never handled a gun until yesterday, when he went out to the Ashland O. N. G. Company's rifle range, and in ten off hand shots at 200 yards, with no trial shots, made a score of 43.

This is the highest score that has been made as yet on the range, and it is believed that it will stand for some time.

It is hoped to send a rifle team from Ashland to Clackamas to take part in the state shoot, but so far a sufficient number of men have not qualified to meet the requirements of the Headquarters office.

The dance advertised by the Lithians to occur at the open air park pavilion for Wednesday night, has been called off on account of the death of President Harding. It will be held, however, on next Saturday night.

INTERESTING DEED FOUND AT REDDING

REDDING, Calif., Aug. 7.—A deed executed in July, 1907 and placed on the records Saturday has an interesting story connected with it.

On the day of the San Francisco fire, or April 18, 1906, W. A. Cooper located a water right in the Big Bend of Pit River near the Big Bend Hot Springs. The location was made for H. V. Gates of Hillsboro, Oregon.

In the next year Cooper organized the Mt. Shasta Power Company, a name that was later changed in reorganization to the Mt. Shasta Power corporation. It is that corporation that since has become the construction branch of the Pacific Gas and Electric company, and is doing so much in the way of power development on Pit River.

Cooper saw the value of the riparian water rights, if any great power development was ever undertaken in the Big Bend of the Pit. For a nominal consideration he induced Mrs. M. E. Estill and Mrs. Levina E. Hull, to deed to H. V. Gates, his principal, all their rights in Pit River riparian to their Big Bend Hot Springs property. That deed was recorded on July 9, 1907. It was witnessed by W. A. Cooper, and Thomas J. Worley.

At the same time Gates deeded back to Mrs. Estill and Mrs. Hull all the water they needed for domestic purposes and for irrigation on their land. This deed was never put on record until Saturday.

The deed was witnessed by Thomas J. Worley, but it was never certified to before a notary public until Friday, when Worley, now a very old man, was taken before W. M. Ackerman, a notary public in Tehama county was the same one he signed in the Big Bend of the Pit in July 1907. He was required to write his name again on the deed. The signature coinciding, M. W. Ackerman attached his notarial seal and then the deed was ready to be recorded, over sixteen years after it was executed.

FOUR ARE INJURED IN YREKA ACCIDENT

YREKA, Calif., Aug. 7.—The condition of Frank Sandal of Elgin, Illinois, who was seriously hurt yesterday afternoon in an auto crash on the Pacific highway north of Yreka, is improved today and he is expected to recover.

Ed Hart, well known Shasta valley rancher and driver of the car, and Mrs. Hart and Mrs. Sandal were able to leave the hospital this morning.

The accident occurred when Hart's car was crowded to the side of the road and forced over an embankment in the Shasta River Canyon.

It was the second accident in the canyon within twenty four hours. More than a score of accidents some fatal, have occurred near this point within the past year. The people of Siskiyou county have asked the state highway commission to erect guards at dangerous curves along narrow places at the edge of the four hundred-foot precipice, but nothing has been done by the commission.

ASHLAND WILL HOLD SERVICE FOR HARDING

Community Memorial Will Be Held On Friday At Methodist Church

PROCLAMATION TO TO BE READ AT MEET

Four Addresses To Be Made By Ministers Of City At The Meeting On Subject Of Late President And His Accomplishments.

A great Community Memorial service is to be held at the Methodist church on Friday, August, 10 the exact hour to be announced as soon as information as to the hour is received from Washington, D. C., The hour is to be the same as that of the great public services which are to be held at the National Capitol.

Program Out

The program for the meeting includes the reading of the State proclamation issued by President Coolidge, and there is to be several musical numbers included on the program also.

Four Addresses

There are to be four principal addresses, the first of these being "President Harding the Statesman" by Rev. C. F. Koehler and will be a resume of the great works which the late President accomplished in his term of office, and Rev. Koehler will attempt to point out just how far reaching and instrumental the politics of Harding were in the International Political world.

Oldfield To Speak

Rev. W. Judson Oldfield is to give the second of the addresses on the subject of "President Harding and Internationalism." In this address Rev. Oldfield will probably explain President Harding's stand in the League of Nations and World Court relations which the President believed would solve the trouble of the world.

The third address is "President Harding and the Eighteenth Amendment" by Rev. J. A. Leggett and will be along the lines of Prohibition enforcement which the late President believed should be enforced strictly.

Yeo Has Charge Of Music

Rev. Hiram Smith is to give the fourth and last address on the subject of "President Harding, The Christian and will point out the Religious tendencies of Harding and how they helped him to achieve the greatness which he did.

The Musical part of the program is under the direction of Mr. Yeo and is expected to be very good. The program in its entirety follows:

Entire Program

Memorial services to be at the Methodist church Friday 10th. (Hour to be announced as soon as information is given from Washington.)

Prelude.
Hymn: "Nearer my God to Thee"
Scripture Reading, Miss Pinnell.
Special Music by Choir.
Prayer.
Hymn: "Lead Kindly Light."
Reading of Proclamation, both of State and National Miss Pinnell.
Addresses: President Harding, the Statesman. Rev. C. F. Koehler.
President Harding, and Internationalism. Rev. W. Judson Oldfield.
President Harding, and the Eighteenth Amendment. Rev. J. A. Leggett.
President Harding, the Christian Rev Hiram Smith.
Hymn: America.
Benediction.
Mr. Yeo to have charge of the music.

CUPID ON VACATION IN SHASTA COUNTY

REDDING, Calif., Aug. 7.—There has been a pronounced slump in matrimony in Shasta county. During the month of June, thirty-three marriage licenses were issued, while in the month of July the number dropped to twelve and so far in August not a single marriage license has been called for.

H. V. Smith of Portland was a business visitor in Ashland yesterday and today.