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MALARIA GERMS
Cannot survive three months in the rich ozone at Ashland. Pure domestic water helps.

GORE RECEIVES APPOINTMENT FOR CABINET

President Confirms Rumors That Assistant Was to Receive Office

CAPABLE IS LEADER

Practical "Dirt" Farmer as Well as Writer of Books on Agriculture. Serve Short Term

WASHINGTON, Nov. 22.—Howard M. Gore, of West Virginia, was today appointed as Secretary of Agriculture in President Coolidge's cabinet, it was announced at the White House. Gore succeeds the late Henry Wallace, who died several weeks ago, following an operation.

Gore is governor elect of his home state, West Virginia, and will serve in the cabinet only until March fourth, when his term of office as governor begins.

Acting immediately upon the appointment, Gore was given the oath of office early this afternoon, and officially took his seat as Secretary of Agriculture.

Gore was first assistant secretary throughout the tenure of office to the late secretary. He was considered one of the most able men among the sub-cabinet members, and although his appointment was contested by several influential congressmen, who had native sons as prospective cabinet members, it was almost assured that he would be given the office. The new secretary has been carrying on the duties as Secretary of Agriculture since the death of his superior, and is thoroughly acquainted with the affairs of the office.

The new secretary is considered one of the foremost authorities in the United States upon agricultural matters. He is a practical farmer, as well as having been a teacher of agriculture, and a number of the leading books on agricultural affairs are the products of his pen. A great many of the laws, either passed, or recommended to congress have been formulated by Gore, acting in conjunction with the late Secretary Work and other leading agriculturalists of the country.

FUNERAL OF BRITISH GENERAL IS GUARDED

Cairo, Egypt, Nov. 22.—Canon boomed a thunderous requiem for Sir Lee Stack, murdered commander of the Egyptian army and governor general of Sudan this afternoon. British soldiers marched in the funeral with ammunition in their rifles, prepared for any outbreak of Egyptians, who lined the streets, crying, "down with the British."

FINE SHOWS ARE SCHEDULED TO BE SHOWN HERE SOON

Ashland will receive her first taste of Orpheum vaudeville here Monday evening when five standard acts of that circuit are presented at the Vining Theatre, in conjunction with a feature picture, "True as Steel." That this vaudeville is of the highest standard is assured, since the Orpheum circuit is recognized as the leading vaudeville circuit in the West.

The acts, according to the announcement of the theatre, are Herskind, presenting "Cartoons a la carte"; Gates and Finlay in "The Instructor"; Madelyn Rice and her southern singers; Young and Cady, in "Am I Right?"; and the Amaranth Sisters and Company, presenting "A Vaudeville Fantasy."

The two days following the Orpheum show, the Vining will present Kings 1924 Revue. This organization, recognized as one of the leading road shows, is composed of a cast of fifteen people, presenting a snappy comedy number, "The Stork," will be given on November 25, while on November 26, "A Divorce Cure" will be presented.

Marjorie King heading this show supported by an exceptionally fine cast, featuring the Original California Poppy Chorus. Thus, Ashland will be given three consecutive days of the finest shows possible to obtain in this section.

COMPLETES COLLEGE COURSE IN 2 1/2 YEARS

SYRACUSE, N. Y., Nov. 22.—Graduating from college in two and a half years is "merely a matter of concentration," according to Abraham Tonkin, of New York City, student of economics in the College of Liberal Arts, who will receive his diploma in February. Tonkin, who has averaged 26 credit hours of studies a semester instead of the customary 16, has also taken part in athletics in the cross-country, swimming and crew squads and has participated in debate work. After his graduation at mid-year, Tonkin will enter the Harvard Business School for a two-year course in international banking and finance, he announced today.

FIRST NUMBER OF CELEBRITY COURSE IS WELL RECEIVED

H. C. Gilmore, Prominent Musical Critic, Reviews Lyceum Number for Tidings

By H. C. Gilmore
There has never been a time when Ashland was confronted with the presence, so to speak, of such a fine caliber of music, with exponents to make the most of it, as happened at the Armory last evening, and right earnestly did every listener "take in" the good things presented.

Jupiter Plavins was certainly in one of his dampish moods, but it had little or no effect in cutting down the crowd, although a fuller house would have added to the enthusiasm of the artists, the first to appear on the Celebrity course to be given this winter.

The executants were Paul Vernon (first violin) Lloyd Jones (second violin) William H. Cheesman (viola) and William Carver Williams (violinello).

In a summarized notice of this concert the writer can speak confidently of two prominent features which marked the occasion, a brilliant and most artistic rendering of every number presented, and the genuine appreciation of the audience, as demonstrated by the plaudits which greeted the conclusion of the best orchestral music, magnificently performed.

To pick to pieces this highly gifted quartet demands more space than it is at this time available, but it may be said quality of tone and finished interpretation characterized their every performance. When in quartet or orchestra form, a program is steeped, as one might almost say, with such composers as Tchaikowski, Rubinstein, Jonas, McEwen, Bolsoni and Mozart, the sum total is most gratifying to the lover of what is truly the best in music. It would be insidious to particularize upon any one performer where all were so good, but from the educative point of view, our local promoters of the best there is are to be thanked for their efforts in bringing attractive musical elements to Ashland, and we trust they will be more successful in the future.

This well balanced and highly cultured quartet in musical lore are proving astute missionaries wherever they go in the cause of good music, and the three entertainments yet to come will, no doubt, secure a hearty recognition at the hands of our music loving citizens. We personally wish the local committee the most abundant success in catering to the public, attested by full attendance at the future numbers.

PETITION ASKS FOR PRISONERS RELEASE

WASHINGTON, Nov. 22.—A monster petition, signed by thousands of San Franciscans, which is asking a Presidential pardon for Peter McDonough, political boss and alleged bootlegger, was presented to the Department of Justice by former Governor Gillett this morning.

The petition charges that McDonough was convicted of bootlegging, and sent to the federal prison at McNeil's Island, on "prejudiced testimony."

Hood River — Fruit growers start campaign to use only Oregon labor in fruit harvest.

ELKS TO HOLD SMOKER HERE THIS EVENING

Boxing, Wrestling, Raffle and Features to be Staged at Meeting

GOOD BOUTS ASSURED

Johnnie Carlson to Tangle With Frankie Webb in Main Go; Locals Stated for Card

Twenty-four fast rounds of boxing, a big beer and crab feed, and a raffle at which a davenport and floor lamp, turkeys, hams, sugar and many other things will be given away, will feature the pre-Thanksgiving smoker to be given by Ashland Lodge, No. 944, of the Elks tonight.

Two of the fastest boys on the coast are slated to tangle in the main bout of the evening, when Johnnie Carlson of Spokane and Frankie Webb of Portland ease themselves through the ropes. These boys have met several times in the past, and have always put up a real battle. So far, honors have been about equal, but tonight, each of the fighters is certain he will score a decisive victory. Carlson is certain he will stow his opponent away before the battle has gone very far, while Webb is equally certain that Carlson will answer the call of Morpheus long before the final bell. Looks like a rattling good scrap.

Russell Carpenter and Battling Ruger, a couple of local box fighters are down for the semi-windup. These youngsters are about the class of the local talent, and are very evenly matched. Each packs a wicked sleeping potion, and the battle is liable to terminate at any minute.

The special event will bring together Chick Kennedy of Medford and Young Harris of Los Angeles and way points. Los Angeles is rather far south, and Harris is in a pretty cold climate but Kennedy opines he will warm the Californian up plenty before the end of the tangle.

Admission to the biggest smoker to be staged by the Elks during the year will be by membership card only, according to the announcement of the affair.

MINE EXPLOSION KILLS 9 SAILORS

BOULOGNE, France, Nov. 22.—Nine sailors were killed here today by an explosion of a mine on board the Steamer Yvonne. The mine, a relic of the war days, was found floating on the high seas, and was being brought into port.

HOBBO GIVES LOCAL POLICE MERRY TIME FOR A FEW HOURS

A man giving the name of Tommy Fambrough who has been through Ashland several times during the past year, and who has a bad case of what the physicians term "Ezema" on one of his legs, caused some stir about the town during the past few days. Fambrough was found by a train crew on the Siskiyou, and brought to Ashland, and on account of his condition, was turned over to the local authorities.

Dr. Swedenburg the city physician examined Fambrough and found his ailment needed treatment, and that it would require some time to cure. It was stated that during the time required to effect the cure, the man would have to be in a home or hospital, where he would not need the use of his feet.

Upon being questioned, Fambrough said he has a sister who lives three miles east of Gerber, California, where he could go and be cared for. One lady who heard of the case offered to give Fambrough a ticket to Gerber, providing his story could be verified.

Sheriff M. O. Ballard in Red Bluff was called and asked to ascertain if the story was true. After making inquiries, he informed the local police that no such person lived in the vicinity of Gerber, and had not lived there in the past, so far as he could learn. Fambrough refused. (Continued on page 4)

MURDER MAY BARE SMUGGLING PLOT.



Below: ROSITA MARSTINI & HARRY I. KATZ
Below: DOROTHY CARROL & HARRY HALL

An international jewel smuggling plot of huge dimensions is expected to be bared as a result of the mysterious murder, in Los Angeles, of Harry I. Katz, famous musician, broker and collector of diamonds, shot to death in his luxurious apartment there. Police believe he was murdered to silence him. Several pictures of Rosita Marstini were found in his apartment, and Dorothy Carrol, known to have been a friend of Katz, as well as Harry Hall, were questioned by the police.

MAN ACQUITTED OF STATUTORY CHARGE BROUGHT BY GIRL

Jury Brings in Verdict of Not Guilty. After Deliberation of Five Minutes

The jury in the trial of Edgar Peley, charged with a statutory offense in which Florence Snyder, age 16 years, of Ashland, was the complaining witness, returned a verdict of not guilty. Thursday evening after five minutes' deliberation. Peley is a married man, but separated from his wife.

Miss Snyder was the star witness for the state. She said she was acquainted with Peley, who lived across the street, and that she was 16 years old last May. She alleged that on December 20, 1923, she took an auto ride with the defendant, and on September 11, 1924, a child was born, now in her care and custody. She accused Peley of being its father.

Love letters said to have been written by Peley to Florence were presented but the girl failed to qualify as a handwriting expert, and they were not admitted as evidence. They were written on the blue and pink colored stationery of romance. Every time the state endeavored to introduce one of the letters, Attorney Skyrman would object for the defense, and have it granted. A curious courtroom crowd had hoped the letters would be read but were disappointed.

Mrs. Martha E. Snyder, mother of Florence, was the other state witness. She testified that when she discovered the tragedy on March 6, 1924, with a neighbor lady she went to the ice plant where Peley worked, and accused him "of getting Florence in trouble." "Ed admitted it like a man," the witness said.

Peley on the stand in his own behalf denied the accusations, but admitted he took the auto ride up Neil's creek, after he had met Florence on the street in Ashland.

The defense maintained that Peley was innocent, and that there was opportunity for others to be guilty, and produced witnesses who testified that the complaining witness had been in the company of other men. The mother of the defendant testified and supported this contention.

RUMOR PREVALENT THAT CONFESSION OF MURDER NEAR

COLUMBUS, Ohio, Nov. 22.—Excitement was raised to a fever heat here today by a widely circulated report that a member of the Sheatsley family was about to confess to the murder of Mrs. C. V. Sheatsley, "furnace victim" whose body was found in the fire in the furnace in the basement of her home several days ago. A chemist reported that no trace of carbon monoxide had been found in the victims lungs.

SPLIT IN RANK OF LABOR BODY APPEARS NEAR

Mine Workers and Railroad Body in Fight Over Working of Mines

RESOLUTIONS GIVEN

Department of Education Recommended by Entire Body. Head Would be Member

EL PASO, Nov. 22.—The promised fight between the United Mine Workers and the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers, over the rail organizations employment of non-union miners, was postponed from today's session of the American Federation of Labor convention here.

A boycott of the United Mine Workers organization presented resolutions advising that W. S. Stone, President of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers be censured for employing non-union men and evicting unionized labor.

It is predicted that this resolution will pass unanimously, otherwise the miners will urge the boycotting of the railroad union's banks and investment houses, in which the union men are heavily financially interested.

The disagreement arose when the railroad organization, it is claimed, hired non-union miners to work several mines, owned by the organization, after the union miners had walked out, demanding better living conditions and better wages. For a time, the incident threatened to split the entire American Federation of Labor, but the work of Samuel Gompers president of the organization, succeeded in obtaining an armistice, to last until the matter could be settled in the present convention.

The creation of a Department of Education, the head of which will be a member of the President's cabinet, was urged in an unanimous resolution adopted by the entire convention. In placing this resolution before the body, the speaker declared that through education alone could the country be bettered, and that the only way educational facilities could be obtained, to a greater degree than at present, would be through a national organization, headed by the Federal government.

GRAND MASTER IS VISITOR AT LODGE

The Ashland Lodge, A. F. and A. M. had a meeting at the Masonic Hall Thursday evening. District Deputy Grand Master Ezra M. Wilson was present and Robert B. Hammond, Worshipful Master, M. E. Rening and Mr. Bishop of Medford were also present. The meeting started with a banquet at six o'clock followed by the regular lodge session. Hammond, Rening and the Bishop exemplified the work. A good crowd attended and a very interesting meeting was held.

SUPER BATTLESHIP IS BEING USED AS TARGET FOR FLEET

NORFOLK, Va., Nov. 22.—Bombing and shell fire operations by the United States Atlantic fleet, upon the super dreadnaught Washington were resumed off the Virginia coast this afternoon. The target practice is taking place off the Virginia Capes.

According to information received at the radio headquarters here, the Washington is now listing at a degree of fifteen, as the result of tons of plate along the upper hull being torn away by the guns from the battleship Texas.

When the waves close over the Washington, the last of the capital ships of the United States will have been disposed of, in accordance with the disarmament agreement. Court restraint was requested in the District Court of the District of Columbia, in an effort to save the battleship, but the court ruled the order for the destruction of the ship was constitutional, and thus the mightiest battleship in the United States fleet was doomed to be used as a target by her erstwhile sister ships.

JOHNSON SEEKING CASH OAKLAND, Calif., Nov. 22.—Walter Johnson, noted baseball pitcher, left for Reno, Nevada today, seeking financial backing for the purchase of the Oakland Pacific Coast League baseball club.

SAFETY DRIVE SEEKING PLEDGES FROM AUTOISTS

NEW YORK, Nov. 22.—A drive for the signatures of 400,000 drivers of motor vehicles in New York to a safe driving pledge has been started by Barron Collier, multi-millionaire Special Deputy Police Commissioner in charge of the Bureau of Public Safety.

The pledge which drivers are being asked to sign reads: "I hereby promise that I will obey all traffic regulations, watch out for children and pedestrians, and drive safely at all times to the end that the appalling sacrifice of life, caused by carelessness, may be stopped and the streets of New York City made safe."

After signing the pledge the driver is given a certificate to paste on his windshield, carrying the official seal of the Police department.

CHARLES VANSOYOC MEDFORD HI SCHOOL FOOTBALL STAR DEAD

Spinal Meningitis Cause of Death of Popular Medford Youth. Local Hi Students Mourn

MEDFORD, Nov. 22.—Charles Van Scoyoc, 17, son of Dr. and Mrs. C. C. Van Scoyoc, of this city, died yesterday morning at the home of his parents on South Orange street here from cerebral meningitis, due to an injury at the base of the brain, probably sustained in football practice, a physician's autopsy showed yesterday.

Young Van Scoyoc was one of the most popular members of the local high school. Always prominent in high school activities, he was president of the senior class, editor of the Medford High School annual publication, "The Crater," and was the star of the high school football team this year.

The boy became ill at school Tuesday and was taken home. Since that time his condition grew steadily worse, and he had been in a delirious condition for 48 hours before his death.

The Medford High athletic authorities have cancelled the game with the Roseburg eleven, scheduled for today. Dr. Van Scoyoc, father of the dead youth, has been in a sanitarium in Southern California for the past six weeks, undergoing treatment for the restoration of his health. He was notified of the illness of his son but arrived home last night, too late to see his son before death.

"The world has lost a true sportsman and a real man" were the words of a local high school leader when notified last night of the death of Van Scoyoc. The Ashland High student body and football team have ordered flowers sent to the funeral of Van Scoyoc.

YALE BULLDOGS WIN FROM HARVARD GRID MEN IN BIG GAME

NEW HAVEN, Conn., Nov. 22.—Thousands of spectators who lined the Yale bowl this afternoon saw the Blue trample Harvard under foot to the tune of 19-6 and for the second consecutive year, capture the championship of the "Big Three." The game was played on a soggy field, which made open football almost impossible, so from the first, straight, old fashioned tactics were resorted to by both elevens.

Harvard looked strong in the first period, and got off to a six to nothing lead when Gehrke kicked two field goals in short succession.

Yale came back in the second half, and by a series of mighty line plunges, swept the Harvard eleven off their feet. Line and Pond cracked the line repeatedly for big gains. The wet ball resulted in numerous fumbles on both sides.

Bench of Yale handled Gehrke's punts miserably, Yale's first touchdown came after Stanford fumbled in midfield, and Pond recovered for Yale. The Bulldog marched down the field for a touchdown in the third period.

When in doubt, try a Tidings Want Ad.

FULL MILITARY HONORS GIVEN MRS. HARDING

Company of Hundred Men Ordered to Form Guard of Honor

FLAGS AT HALF MAST

President Designates Cabinet Men to Represent Him at Funeral to be Held Monday

WASHINGTON, Nov. 22.—Full military honors, the same as those given her husband at the time of his burial, will be given Mrs. Warren Gamaliel Harding at her funeral services to be held Monday in Marion, Ohio, it was announced by President Coolidge at the White House today.

Under orders from the United States War Department, acting upon the orders of President Coolidge, General Omar Bundy has been instructed to send a company of one hundred men for the funeral, "supplemental to the twenty-five regular army men who have been on duty at the Harding tomb in Marion, since the burial of the late President, awaiting the completion of the Harding Memorial.

The flag on the White House and all other governmental offices in Washington was yesterday ordered to be lowered to half mast until after the funeral of Mrs. Harding. A guard of honor has been placed about the home of Dr. Charles Sawyer, son of the former physical of President Harding, in whose country home the body of the wife of the late President rests.

Secretary of War Weeks and Secretary of the Interior Work have been requested by President Coolidge to represent him at the funeral of Mrs. Harding. Press of business, which must be handled immediately, will prevent the President from personally attending the funeral, it was announced.

President Coolidge yesterday sent a telegram to George Christian, secretary to the late President Harding, extending the heart felt sympathy of Mrs. Coolidge and himself, to Mrs. Harding's relatives, and assuring Christian anything within the power of the President would be done to aid the family and friends of the dead woman.

TURKISH MINISTER RESIGNS UNDER FIRE

CONSTANTINOPLE, Nov. 22.—Ismet Pasha, Turkish minister of the foreign affairs, has resigned according to advice from the prime minister's office, issued this afternoon. Pasha has been under fire by the Turkish people for several months, and his resignation was not unexpected.

SCOUT MOVEMENT IN THIS DISTRICT IS TO BE BOLSTERED UP

At a meeting of the executive board of Medford district scout council, held Thursday night in Medford, the final action was taken which links the boy scouts of this county with those of Klamath and perhaps Josephine counties in putting scouting on the map in a real and permanent way.

The application for a first class council charter was authorized covering the combined area. Representatives of the civil, religious, educational, business and patriotic and fraternal organizations of the district gave their approval to this move and pledged their support. A committee was named to assume full responsibility for the financial campaign and a publicity manager was named.

Deputy Regional Field Executive Scott of Spokane was present at the meeting and gave full approval to the steps taken. He has spent the past few days in Klamath Falls, arranging a campaign which will precede the one in this district by one week.

The first class council arrangement will mean a full time executive taking the direction of the movement. A well trained and qualified professional scout leader will be chosen to fill this position.

Tidings Want Ads never fail.