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## LITHIANS' SHOW THIS YEAR IS TO BE BEST EVER

Members of Cast Working Hard on Production to be Given This Year

FEBRUARY 16-17, DATES

Carl Loveland in Charge of Rehearsals for Annual Show Put on by Booster Body

In the good old days for some, in the good days of the present, and the rip-roaring days of the future for a lot more, will be the principle themes for the coming Lithia musical comedy to be staged February 16 and 17, at the Vining theatre. The good old days, which are fewer day by day, need not be balked with Monticello Tonic, Beef, Iron and Wine in the retelling to make thrilling the paths, joys, romance, goodness and mischievousness of those days in remembrance of youthful incidents. Nor to those who are experiencing those emotions to the fullest extent today. To those just on the verge of budding into that era of aggravating recklessness, the show will be an entirely sufficient thrill.

Whatever age you may be, the mixture of all that is beguiling, intriguing and hilarious in the amusing and happy incidents of youth, in fact or fiction, will make the coming Lithian show a big sympathetic and hilariously laughable two hours each night. The show has a plot which continues from beginning to end. The plot is of a blighted romance that is saved from eternal forgetfulness by the friend who has stolen his chum's sweetheart by giving the forlorn lover a chance to convince papa. There was a time when papas were for the purpose of being convinced. That time has passed, even asking forgiveness now is almost passé. But, anyway, this is one of the romances of the rood old days when there was some real fun in intriguing papa into agreeing.

There is to be no guarantee of satisfaction or money back at the box office on this show. If you cry, because of the paths and sorrow, two and a half and war tax, plus inheritance, special privilege and surtaxes, will be plenty of excuse for alleging pricked conscience for failure to make proper income tax return during the year the Oregon income tax law was in force, but of little effect. If you laugh out loud, boisterously or display uncontrolled hilarity at any of the scenes or jokes in the performance, you should feel flattered that you got your money's worth. Wasn't last year's show good? It was. This one will be better. As Marjorie King's latest posters announced: "New Choruses, New Jokes, New Costumes." Yeh, some new faces, too, for this return engagement.

**MAN SOUGHT, CAPTURED**  
LOS ANGELES, Jan. 24.—Andrew Peppal a former agent of the Treasurer of Ontario, Canada, was arrested today at Long Beach on an extradition warrant charging him with the embezzlement of \$380,000 from the Province of Ontario.

**Shipment of Deer Hides Is Received by Local Tanner**

A shipment of 125 Old Mexico deer skins has been received by C. L. McKinney, local tanner. The skins were received from the W. B. Sumner Co., of San Francisco, and are to be used in the manufacture of gloves and other like articles.

The Oregon law on the shipment of skins is very stringent, according to Deputy Game Warden Roy Parr, and Oregon deer hides cannot be used for commercial purposes. Those shipped from the outside must be certified and an inventory turned over to the game warden in the district in which they are received.

According to Parr, 250 game tags have been used in Jackson County since January 1. It is necessary to tag any game taken into a public place.

**From Medford**—Mrs. Stone of Medford is spending a short time in Ashland.

## Cupid Makes Man Change Garb Worn Seventeen Years

CHICAGO, Jan. 24.—It took Cupid to change this man's garb worn for 17 years. Isadore Heftel, 73, janitor in a foreign newspaper plant, had never changed his old suit of clothes and old red sweater for 17 years until Cupid took a hand, although he was well able, friends say. When an announcement was made that Heftel was to be "Mechuton" at the wedding of his employer's oldest daughter he at once took steps to provide for evening clothes. And not only that, but he will dance with the bride. Heftel is the father of three children.

## KLAMATH LAND RANGE CLOSED TO ALL WHITES

Klamath Tribal Council Bars All Cattlemen from Rich Lands

KLAMATH FALLS, Jan. 24.—Livestock men, dependent upon range land on the Klamath Indian reservation, are threatened with ruin if the recent decision of the Klamath Tribal council in closing reservation range land to white men is not repealed or amended, according to word received here from Klamath Agency. Thousands of head of sheep and cattle have ranged the rich lands of the reservation for years and Klamath livestock men have depended on the tribal range for fattening their livestock. A number of Klamath livestock men have purchased tracts of allotted land within the Klamath reservation, on the supposition that they could utilize the tribal range lands for caring for their livestock.

According to authorities at the reservation, it is not believed that the action of the tribal council is final in this matter for the coming grazing season. Frey A. Baker, superintendent of the Klamath Indian reservation has arranged for a tribal council meeting on January 30, at which time all stockmen who are interested in leasing grazing lands for the coming season will be present to lay before the council their arguments for keeping the range land open.

## KLAMATH RED MEN GET MUCH FROM TIMBER

KLAMATH FALLS, Jan. 24.—Klamath Indians will realize approximately \$1,000,000 during 1925 from receipts received from the cut on reservation timber units, Fred A. Baker, superintendent of the Klamath Indian reservation, announced today.

With the lumbermen cutting the minimum as provided by the government contracts, the Indians will receive \$330,000. Indications point to several owners of the units exceeding the minimum set by the government, Mr. Baker said.

The timber is paid for as it is cut. The government stipulates a minimum and maximum cut allowed on each unit. Klamath Indians will be assured of \$330,000 each year for years to come, Mr. Baker stated. The receipts from the timber cut are turned over to the United States treasurer and disposed of as the Indian department deems advisable.

## SONS HOSTS TO DADS AT SOCIAL MEETING

Thursday night in Pioneer Hall the local High Y Club, under the leadership of V. O. N. Smith, called in the Dads for a set-to. With the President Albie Beck presiding a short program was held. A. C. Joy and Reg. Mergler gave talks. The remainder of the evening was spent in games. While the Dads furnished the brains for the evening the boys furnished the feed. When the cook larder was emptied every one hit the trail.

## JUNIOR HIGH HONOR ROLL IS MADE PUBLIC

Many Students Establish Good Marks for Semester Just Ended

ATTENDANCE IS GOOD

Nineteen Pupils Establish Perfect Attendance Marks for Past Semester

Thirty one pupils of the Ashland Junior High School finished the last semester with an average of 90 per cent in their daily work and an average of 95 per cent in department, and were thus excused from all final examinations, according to a report issued today.

Of this total of 31, ten were 7B students, ten 8B students, seven from the 7A class and four from the 8A class.

The report shows that nineteen students at the same school had a perfect attendance record for the semester. This means the pupils were neither absent or tardy at any time during the entire semester, which is a fine record, according to the teachers at the institution. Nine pupils of the 7B class, five from the 8B class, three from the 7A class and two from the 8A class helped establish this mark.

Those who were exempted from the final examinations and were thus placed on the honor roll were:

7B—Clara Atterbury, Zella Bailey, Eleanor Coombe, Wesley Hoxie, Amanda King, Charlotte Leedom, Bernice Leer, Marianne McElvaney, Mabel Stennet, Barbara Taylor.

7A—Audrey Brown, Barbra Edsall, alma Ebert, Pearl Howell, Velma Jordan, Virginia Rose, Lorne Sewell.

8B—Edith Bristow, Grace Coombe, Lucile Carson, Ethel Dodge, Max Hoover, Eunice Hager, Celestia Mow, Madge Marean, Dorothy Nininger, Marjorie Leer.

8A—Harriett Bevington, Dorothy Crews, Richard Joy, Mildred Moss.

Those who had perfect attendance records for the semester were:

7B—Franklin Arant, Bobby Dodge, Kenneth Hobbs, William Howard, George Judy, Frank Redkey, Charlotte Leedom, Clarence Woods, Everett Yeo.

7A—Russell Parr, Barbra Edsall, Pearl Howell.

8B—Lucile Carson, Anita Hanks, Madge Marean, Jean Putman, Kenneth Denton.

8A—Gertrude Ahlstrom, Harriett Bevington.

## HERBERT BANTA DIES

Herbert L. Banta, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Banta died at the home of his parents 57 Fourth street yesterday, aged 42 years, 5 months and 5 days.

Funeral services will be held Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock from the family residence and interment will be in the I. O. O. F. cemetery.

## Oil Station Thugs Waive Preliminary Hearing on Crime

Steve Elek, Roland Eastwood and Robert Duff, the three bandits captured here Thursday night following the robbery of the Union Oil station in this city, yesterday waived a preliminary hearing and signed confessions as to their complicity in the crime. They announced they would plead guilty to the charge before Judge Thomas and will begin their sentences immediately.

The men confessed to the crime at the time of their capture, Duff, under questioning by Chief of Police McNabb told the entire story of how the men had stolen the car in which they were traveling, how they had driven through California, robbing and stealing as they went along, and how finally they held up the station here. After Duff's confession, Elek and Eastwood gave McNabb the same information.

It is probable that Eastwood and Elek will be sentenced to the State Penitentiary at Salem immediately, but because of Duff's youthfulness, it may be that he will be sentenced to the State Industrial School. Duff will not be 18 until late in May.

## MEN AND WOMEN IN THE NEWS SPOTLIGHT.



Below: BISHOP MANNING & MRS. FLORENCE KNAPP  
Below: BRIG-GEN. W. S. MITCHELL & VA. WALTER HINTON

Brigadier-General William Mitchell, assistant chief of the Army Air Service, told a Congressional Aircraft Commission that the Navy's use of airplanes, Mrs. Florence E. Knapp woman Secretary of State of New York State, does not believe in banning chewing gum or office conversation among the many workers in her Albany department. Bishop William Manning, Episcopal Bishop of New York, has opened a drive there for \$15,000,000 to complete the Cathedral of St. John the Divine, the finest in the world. Lieutenant Walter Hinton, who piloted the Naval NC-2 across the Atlantic in the first trans-oceanic flight, has disappeared while flying an airplane over the jungles of Brazil.

## BROTHERHOOD ASHLAND PAIR IS IN FAVOR OF GOING THROUGH NEW LABOR LAW DIVORCE MILL

Action Endorsed by Firemen and Enginemen at Regular Session

PORTLAND, Jan. 24.—Members of the Legislative Board of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen and Enginemen for the State of Oregon met in session at Portland and transacted the usual business pertaining to legislative measures being presented at the legislature at Salem and went on record unanimously in support of ratifying the Child Labor Law Amendment to the United States Constitution and spread the following on their minutes:

"Whereas, it has come to the knowledge of members of the Brotherhood of the Locomotive Firemen and Enginemen through the local press that the ratification of the Child Labor Law Amendment to the United States Constitution is meeting with opposition by certain members at the state legislature;

"Therefore, be it resolved by the members of the state legislative board representing lodges in the State of Oregon and entire membership of locomotive firemen, hostlers and enginemen throughout the State of Oregon that we are strongly in favor of the ratification of the Child Labor Law Amendment to the United States Constitution by the legislature of the State of Oregon, and that we further resolve that every member of our organization as well as every member of organized labor and also any patriotic American, who believes that our government can only be maintained by properly educated children, to at once get in touch with senators and representatives from their various districts throughout the state and request them to support the ratification of this humane measure, and that we further resolve that the sweat-shop plan of forcing children of school age into the daily grind of the factory is not conducive to good government."

## PADE OF RAINS SAYS STORMS ARE COMING

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 24.—Earthquakes and general weather disturbances, the latter especially marked in the Western part of the United States will follow the eclipse of the sun, Father Richard astronomer at Santa Clara College stated today. Confirming his prediction made several days ago, Father Richard said he was convinced his predictions were correct.

## BRYAN MAKES VISIT TO PRES. COOLIDGE

WASHINGTON, Jan. 24.—William J. Bryan today viewed the eclipse of the sun from the vantage point he has so long sought, the White House. The Commoner was an early caller on President Coolidge, and was closeted with him for a quarter of an hour. What the object of the mission was, he declined to say, but concerning the eclipse he said: "The eclipse was much like the Democratic defeat—it is only temporary, the sun will shine again."

## SUN'S ECLIPSE TAKES PLACE ON EAST COAST

Conditions for Observation Are Ideal, Sky Cloudless, Experts Say

MANY PICTURES TAKEN

Thousands of Foreigners in New York Are Thrown Into Panic by Solar Phenomenon

NEW YORK, Jan. 24.—Before an audience made of twenty millions of persons, residents of the Eastern section of the United States, the sun, moon and stars convened today to stage a spectacle unusual in its beauty and grandeur, a phenomenon that will live forever in the memory of those who were fortunate enough to witness it.

It was a solar eclipse, one of the most perfect known to the scientists. It was viewed by the people strung along the map of the United States from Red Wing, Minnesota to the Atlantic Coast, and was visible to those aboard ship two hundred miles from the coast line.

The eclipse got under way at eight o'clock this morning here, when the moon first nibbled at the sun's disk, and reached the point of total eclipse in New York at 9:11, one hour later, plunging the metropolis into darkness, then slowly passed toward the Shetland Islands.

For a period of ten seconds the sun was blotted from view, absolutely, and the day turned into night. It was the first total eclipse of the sun on Northeastern America since 1806.

Thousands of residents of the foreign sections of this city were thrown into a panic when the eclipse started. Running two and fro, stricken with fright, the uneducated and illiterate, who had not been aware of the date of the eclipse were utterly demoralized and business in these sections came to an absolute stop. The Chinese quarter was especially bad, for the Chinese have a superstition that an eclipse is a giant dragon attempting to swallow the sun. Firecrackers, prayer papers, the burning of punk and praying were the means taken by the Chinese to drive the dragon away from the sun.

Conditions were ideal for the observation of the phenomenon by the scientists of the world. In a cloudless sky the whole affair started, and was completed. Hundreds of pictures were taken by scientists from all over the world, but it is believed the most perfect images were obtained from the dirigible Shenandoah and from army airplanes which flew to a height of three miles at New Haven, Connecticut.

## PIONEERS DROP GO TO MEDFORD TEAM

In the preliminary to the Medford-Phoenix basketball game in the Medford Armory last night the local Pioneer team led by Captain Dick Hitchcock, dropped a go to the fast Roosevelt team. The final score was 32 to 12. Hitchcock was high point man for the locals converting four out of four fouls and shooting one basket. The team was as follows, Captain Hitchcock, Hartley, Code, Franklin and Crawford. A return game will be played here soon.

## Price Jones, Well Known Resident of City Passes Away

Price Jones, resident of this city for twelve years, died at his home on Liberty street this morning. Mr. Jones was a well known resident of this city and has been retired for sometime. He was born March 13, 1841.

Mr. Jones is survived by his wife, Martha A. Jones, one daughter, Estelle Jones of Ashland; two sons, Herbert Jones of Tacoma and Raymond Jones of Oakland, both of whom are in Ashland now to attend the funeral; one brother, Thomas Jones of Blue Island, Illinois and a sister, Mrs. Nell Knickerbocker, Eureka, South Dakota.

Funeral services will be held Sunday afternoon at two o'clock from the Dodge funeral chapel. The body will be shipped to Oakland for interment in the Evergreen cemetery.

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## Japan Flooded With Counterfeit American Money

YOKOHAMA, Jan. 24.—Trademen of Yokohama are scrutinizing carefully all American money that is tendered them these days. The reason is that several counterfeit American bills have been circulated in the city recently. One \$100 bill which an obliging tradesman changed for a customer who made a small purchase was found to be "phony," and several bogus \$20 bills have been discovered. Detectives are keeping a close watch in the hope of capturing those responsible for circulation of the spurious currency.

## OREGON STATE SHOULD HAVE 2 MORE NORMALS

Eastern Oregon Representatives Introduce Bill for Institution

The announcement that Senators Dennis, Ritner and Taylor had introduced a bill yesterday providing for the establishment of a normal school in Eastern Oregon does not come as a surprise to the people in this part of the State who are interested in normal school development. For a long time there has been a feeling among those most interested in this problem that two additional normal schools, one for the Eastern and one for the Southern part of the state, were badly needed in order to meet the rapidly growing demand for trained teachers.

The one normal school at Monmouth is serving the Northwestern part of the state fairly well. Both Eastern and Southern Oregon have shown a very progressive spirit in the matter of their public schools, and high school development started earlier in these cities of Eastern and Southern Oregon than in the Willamette valley cities. It has been a matter of regret that the young people of Eastern and Southern Oregon could not have the same advantages for securing normal training as that afforded to the young people of Willamette valley.

The question before the Legislature now is whether it is going to increase the plant at Monmouth and withholding any help from Eastern and Southern Oregon. To many people it seems that Monmouth has passed the place where further additions to the student body can be handled efficiently. Located in a small town of approximately 600, the training school facilities for teachers are said to be wholly inadequate and the school has been forced to go into independence.

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## ASHLAND FIVE TOPS ROSEBURG OUTFIT 23-10

Living up to advance predictions, the Ashland High basketballers handed the Roseburg outfit a 23-10 trouncing on the Roseburg court last night. The tussle was the first out of town go for the locals, who still have two games down for their present trip.

According to reports, the local outfit completely outclassed their opponents, and although unfamiliar with the court were in the lead throughout the tussle. The guarding of the entire Ashland team was wonderful, and the Roseburg outfit was unable to get any of their plays under way.

The Ashland five will take on the University High five of Eugene at that city tonight, and Monday evening will tangle with the Salem quintet at Salem. The second team, headed by Coach Henry and Principal Forsyth invaded Applegate last night, but were handed a 13-11 trouncing by the Applegate tossers. The locals showed nice basketball, but the Applegate outfit put up just as good a game and had the advantage of playing on their home court.

## ATTORNEY IS IN OPEN ATTACK UPON K. K. KLAN

Yreka Lawyer Objects to Charge Against Client Held as Bootlegger

GRAND JURY CHARGED

Claims Members Prejudiced When Indictment Is Returned, Klan Got Evidence in Case

YREKA, Jan. 24.—By filing a motion trenchant with objections to indictments returned by the adjourned grand jury, James M. Allen and J. P. McNamara, attorneys, fired a sensational broadside Wednesday before Superior Judge C. J. Luttrell.

Openly charging certain members of the grand jury with membership in the Ku Klux Klan, the two lawyers fought the validity of the indictments against Frank L. Montgomery, former manager of the White Front restaurant at Shastina, and Harry Harrington, manager of the Shastina Club, using these as tests for all indictments. The arguments continue before Judge Luttrell today.

In the confusion of the arraignment of the alleged bootleggers, James W. Howard, charged with murder, and James Pryor, charged with assault with intent to commit murder, were forgotten and their arraignments on the indictments recently returned were passed over until a later date.

With the exception of Montgomery and Harrington, the other defendants by their attorneys asked for time to plead and Judge Luttrell fixed the time for Monday at 10 o'clock.

In the attack on the indictments, the attorneys alleged that one member of the grand jury was disqualified to act as a juror and that the grand jury had not been organized as provided by the code of the state. They also set up that members of the grand jury were prejudiced and biased against Montgomery and that certain members employed detectives to gather evidence who were biased and that the official reporter of the proceedings had not been sworn according to law.

The objections were routine until toward the close, when people in the court room stopped their murmuring and listened to every word.

"Several members of the grand jury," said Allen, as he read from the motion, "are also members of the Ku Klux Klan, and before convening the grand jury, the Ku Klux Klan, in violation of the constitutional rights of this defendant, held a meeting in the county of Siskiyou, in which meeting members of the grand jury participated and the Klan, aided and assisted by members of this grand jury, did select, hire and appoint detectives, agents and members of the Klan to undertake to secure evidence against this defendant to be presented to the grand jury for the purpose of securing the indictment of this defendant and alleged evidence was secured against this defendant and presented to the grand jury and an indictment resulted."

WASHINGTON, Jan. 24.—Opposition to the confirmation of Attorney General Stone as Associate Justice of the United States Supreme Court today flared into the open in the Senate. It revolved around an attempt by Senator Hefflin, Democrat of Alabama, to reply to a newspaper article which charged him with opposing Stone's confirmation because the latter was an "attorney for J. P. Morgan."

Three times the administration leaders raised points of order against Hefflin, in his attack upon Stone, but each time the Alabama Senator continued.

## ASHLAND ELKS TO PUT ON SPECIAL PROGRAM TONIGHT

All Brother Elks are requested to be in attendance at lodge tonight. Intifia, a special program, and a good lunch will be the order of the evening. The Elk's Orchestra, has made a special effort to have a good program ready for the occasion, including orchestra, violin, and vocal numbers. While the evening session will not be long, there will be a profitable meeting for all Elks who attend.