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MALARIA
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REBUILDING OF CHAUTAUQUA BODY PLANNED

Committee is Appointed to Make Necessary Changes in Constitution

NEED NEW MEMBERS

Association at Present Inactive, to be Built up by New Blood

With a quorum of members present, plans were started for the reorganization of the Southern Oregon Chautauqua Association into an active organization, at the meeting of the association, held last night in the council chambers of the City Hall.

At the present time, the majority of the association members are life members, and with the existing membership fee held by the body, no new members are being brought in.

It is the hope of those fostering the reorganization move that with the changing of the by-laws and constitution, and the lowering of the membership fees, new blood will be brought into the organization, which will bring it out of the lethargic condition in which it has remained for several years.

At the present time, a yearly membership is sold for $10, a ten year membership for $25 and a life membership in the association for $100. During the earlier years of the association, when the organization was very active, putting on a program of Chautauqua events yearly, these rates were very reasonable, the members claim, but now, with the organization practically inactive, it is felt that the rates are too high, and are keeping out members who would aid in building up the association.

Three weeks ago the annual meeting of the association was called, but on the meeting night, there were not enough members to form a quorum present, and the meeting was adjourned, to be called for last night. When the meeting was called to order last night, it was found that just enough members for a quorum were present.

Officers for the ensuing year were elected at the meeting last night. H. C. Galey, who has been active in Chautauqua affairs for many years was elected president of the organization. Mrs. Harry Yeo was selected vice president and A. E. Kinney, secretary-treasurer.

A committee of three, composed of E. D. Briggs, J. H. Fuller and G. F. Billings was appointed to draw up the plans for the reorganization.

The meeting was adjourned, to be called again when this committee has completed arrangements for this reorganization.

Boxer is Wanted in Connection With Siskiyou Slaying

KLAMATH FALLS, Ore., Sept. 23.—Joe Coffman, well known lightweight boxer is being sought by Siskiyou county, California officials on a charge of first degree murder. The crime for which the young pugilist is sought was committed in Weed last month when an unidentified logger was choked to death in a reputed robbery plot.

Two persons are now held in the county jail at Yreka, Calif., in connection with the alleged murder.

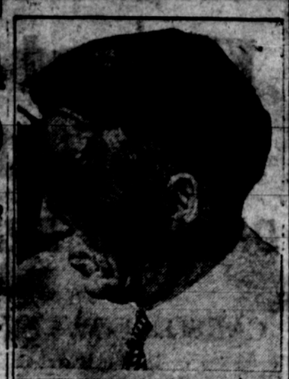
"Murder" posters urging the apprehension of Coffman and his detention without bail have been mailed to peace officers throughout the northwest by Sheriff Calkins of Siskiyou county. One of these posters was received here Monday by Sheriff Hawkins.

The photograph of Coffman shows him in his fighting togs and gives a detailed description of the young pugilist.

FOREST FIRE WEATHER THREATENS OREGON

PORTLAND, Sept. 23—(U. P.)—Forest fire weather threatened Western Oregon and Washington today as the wind swung to the East, and the humidity was unusually low. Fire warnings were issued by the weather bureau. Fairly high temperatures were forecast.

Prohibition Leader



GEN. L. E. ANDREWS

CIVIC CLUB TO HOLD FLOWER SHOW SEPT. 30

Many Exhibitors Already Are Planning on Entering Their Blooms

Although rather late in the season, the Women's Civic Improvement club has decided to sponsor a flower show, to be given this year, according to Mrs. Gordon MacCracken, president of the organization. Mrs. MacCracken declared today that the good weather of this year has kept the flower gardens in this city in splendid condition, and that many flower growers have already signified their intentions of entering blooms in the show.

The Lithia Springs hotel has offered the use of the lobby of that hostelry for the show, which will be held on Wednesday, September 30, from 4 p. m., to 10 p. m.

Entries to the show are to be limited to those living in Ashland or in its close vicinity.

Exhibitors are asked to phone their names, and the types and number of flowers they will show, this week to Miss Blanche Hicks at the Public Library.

The flower committee of the club, consisting of Mrs. J. H. McGee, Mrs. Herman Mattern and Mrs. Fred Wagner, are in charge of the show, and are perfecting arrangements, further notice of which will be given later.

There will be no entry or admission charge, and the exhibit will be open and free to all. Prizes will be offered for the best displays.

PIONEERS HOLD ANNUAL MEET ON THURSDAY

It is expected that more than 100 pioneers and the sons and daughters of pioneers will meet tomorrow at the annual gathering of the Pioneers of Southern Oregon association meeting, to be held in the Log Cabin clubhouse on Winburn Way.

The program will be held in the Log Cabin. Immediately following the program, dinner will be served in the Civic Club house. After the dinner, the business meeting of the association will be held in the Log Cabin.

The complete program which has been arranged for the gathering follows:

Invocation—Rev. Myron Woodworth.

Vocal Solo—Mrs. Fred Neil.

Reading of the Minutes and Memorials.

Song—Phoenix quartette.

Pioneer Address—I. E. Vining.

Piano Solo—"Old Time Melodies"—Mrs. Van Fosser.

Singing of Mrs. McCully's pioneer songs—by the audience.

KELSO OFFICIAL FOUND GUILTY THIS MORNING

KELSO, Sept. 23—(U. P.)—A. H. Gordon, former superintendent of the Kelso water system, was found guilty of misappropriation of public funds by a jury at 1 a. m., today. The case went to the jury at 10:30 last night.

... SCHOOL IS TO BE OPEN ON OCTOBER 5

Two Churches Selected to be Used ...

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH

Not Intended ... Connection With Public Schools

After full consideration by Superintendent of Schools, George A. Briggs, and by the board of education, plans have been made to organize a week-day school of religion on Monday, October 5, it was announced this morning, by Rev. J. C. Mergler, pastor of the Presbyterian church, and one of those interested in the school.

Pupils in the third, fourth and fifth grades will be admitted to the school upon the presentation of a card of application, signed by their parents or guardian.

The school will be conducted in two sections, the first for pupils of the Junior high school, and the second for the pupils of the Hawthorne school. The pupils of the Junior high will attend their week day school of religion in the Congregational church, while those of the Hawthorne school will attend at the Methodist church.

By holding the school in these two churches, the pupils will be able to go to and from the public school buildings without crossing any of the main streets of the city, it was pointed out.

The period of instruction will be one hour per week for each pupil requesting admission to the school.

The school will be open to all pupils from the grades indicated, without regard to their church relationship, and the assurance is given by Rev. Mergler that the teaching will be without sectarian bias.

Parents desiring further information can get in touch with the pastors of the following churches: Baptist, Congregational, Nazarene, Methodist, or Presbyterian, all of which have representation in the Ashland Evangelical Association of Week Day Religious Education.

Pastors of other churches are urged by Rev. Mergler to cooperate in the movement, and to become members of the association.

Lansdowne Did Not Want to Make Trip in Big Dirigible

LAKEHURST, Sept. 23—(U. P.)—The trip of the Shenandoah on which the dirigible was wrecked, was ordered by the navy department against the efforts of Commander Zachary Lansdowne, to have it postponed, it was shown in documents in the evidence introduced at today's session of the navy inquiry board.

Captain George W. Steele, commandant at the Lakehurst air station, presented correspondence between Lansdowne and the navy bureau of aeronautics, showing that Lansdowne desired to postpone the flight, because the mooring and refueling facilities had not been tested.

The correspondence showed that in June, when the flight was first ordered, Lansdowne asked that it be postponed until the second week in September. When he received orders for the flight, he telegraphed the bureau of aeronautics on August 4, recommending postponement again "on account of the limited time for preparations at Scott Field and at Detroit.

SIX ARE HURT IN TACOMA COLLISION

TACOMA, Sept. 23—(U. P.)—Six persons were injured, none of them seriously, and others shaken up, in a head-on collision between two Tacoma-Seattle interurban trains, south of Kent at eight a. m. today. Fog obscured the view. Each conductor thought he had the right of way. Service was resumed without difficulty.

Williamina—Clay products plant ships one order of 12 carloads to Washougal.

... There's ... in This ...

Off the famous ... shoals this 510-pound sturgeon was captured and carted to New York, where, cut up, it brought fancy prices in the open market.

(International Newsreel.)

PRINCESS MAFALDA OF ITALY MARRIES PRINCE PHILIP OF HESSE EARLY THIS MORNING

By THOMAS B. MORGAN
(United Press Staff Correspondent)

RACCONIGI, Italy, Sept. 23—(U. P.)—The Houses of Savoy and Hesse were joined here today when beautiful Princess Mafalda, second daughter of the King of Italy became the bride of Prince Philip of Hesse, nephew of the former German Kaiser.

Within the royal chapel here, shut out from the gaze of the curious, the ceremony was performed. It was simple enough to have marked the marriage of commoners, yet with regal touches of beauty and display.

The wedding party was limited to the closest circle of the royal family. The King, Queen the Crown Prince and the princesses were present while the House of Hesse was represented by the immediate relatives of the groom.

For the first time in modern days, nuptial mass was celebrated for the wedding of a Catholic to a Protestant. The Pope himself had agreed that this might be done for the beautiful princess, especially as the daughters of the House of Savoy have been staunch in the faith of the Roman church. The celebration of the mass had been sought by Mgr. Beccaria; but behind it was manifestly the veiled request of Italy's royal family itself.

And, while the wedding itself had no political significance, the deed of the Pope may be important as marking a new step in healing old differences between Church and state.

The royal procession to the altar was headed by King Victor with the bride leaning on his arm. The other members of the royal family followed. The bride was bewitchingly beautiful. Wearing the precious lace trousseau, the heirlooms of the House of Savoy, a special present to her from her grand-mother, Queen Margherita, she was indeed a royal bride. The rest of her apparel was the handiwork of the Italian war orphans and the result of the particular attention of her mother, Queen Helen, who watched the ceremony with tender devotion.

On the right of the church, another procession was formed in which the bride-groom occupied the chief place. He was accompanied by many of the former princes of the reigning houses of Germany.

To the strains of a melodious wedding march, the two processions proceeded to the altar. Each took its place before the sanctuary until the music ended, awaiting the word of the officiating bishop, Monsignor Beccaria, chaplain of the royal household.

As the last strains of the music died away Monsignor Beccaria appeared on the altar steps, wearing the rocchetto and stole. He gave the sign and the bride and groom appeared before the altar. Two ring-bearers emerged from the sides carrying the rings respectively of the bride and groom. They took their places near their respective parties.

Monsignor Beccaria took the ring of the groom and placed it upon the finger of Mafalda. He then did likewise for Prince Philip.

Monsignor Beccaria delivered a short address recalling the Christian virtues of all the women of the House of Saxoy and invoking the care of the new Prince and Princess of Hesse in the training of their children.

There was further music and the procession reformed with the Prince of Hesse leading Princess Mafalda now of Hesse from the church.

The historic edifice, which recalled so many notable incidents in the long story of the House of Savoy, was decorated throughout. Tapestries, damasks and palms were placed in profusion about the walls and in the sanctuary flowers gave the scene another touch of the wedding atmosphere.

Princess Mafalda is the first daughter of the House of Savoy to marry a Protestant. The dynasty from the beginning has been strongly and devotedly Catholic, taking up the battle of the Popes on many occasions.

The wedding was entirely performed within the grounds of the royal castle of Racconigi, which is one of the summer residents of the royal family. The townsfolk were naturally curious to get some glimpse of the popular princess but the simplicity and intimacy with which the event took place did not permit the slightest peep from the outside world. There was no driving in state through the principal streets nor blare of trumpets, nor dazzling cuirassiers escorting the royal couple. The simplicity was in keeping with the expressed wish of the princess.

NEW SAYS COMMERCIAL AVIATION IS PROVED

WASHINGTON, Sept. 23—(U. P.)—Now that the feasibility and efficacy of the air mail service has been proven by the post office department, the government should make definite plans to lease the existing route to private companies, Post Master General New told the special air craft board today.

He wpointed with pride at his department's operation of the plane service from the Pacific to the Atlantic coast, and declared that it demonstrated that commercial aviation is a possibility.

TODD'S EVIDENCE IS DISCLOSED TODAY

KELSO, Wash., Sept. 23—(U. P.)—The evidence that A. Ruric Todd, Kelso ex-mayor has to support his charges of murder which he placed against George Norris, was that several persons were said to have seen Norris running from the scene of the slaying of Thomas Dovery, newspaper editor, it was revealed here today. Norris laughed when told of Todd's revelations.

La Grande—O. W. R. & N. Railroad to spend $100,000 on track improvement near here.

Scott Wore Three Suits to Avoid Baggage Fee

LONDON, Sept. 23—(U. P.)—By wearing three suits of clothing, a Scotchman evaded the extra shilling a pound that the European air routes charge for all baggage in excess of 30 pounds.

When an Imperial Airways air liner landed at Basel the pilot noticed that one of the passengers was prespiring abnormally.

"What's the matter—feel sick?" inquired the pilot solicitously.

"No," replied the Scotchman, "but I'm dar-r-rnd hot," and he forthwith commenced pealing off several suits of clothes. "You see," he said by way of explanation, "I wanted to save on that shilling a pound for extra baggage. The trip was hot, but the saving was worth it."

NOW IS TIME TO CLEAN UP STATES CATE

Blight Should be Cut Out Before Frost Turns Leaves Says Agent

Because of the serious infestation of pear blight in many orchards this season, it is necessary at this time to insist upon a thorough clean-up before the leaves are off the trees, says C. C. Cate, county pathologist. This is absolutely the best time to make a thorough clean-up, because all infection can be readily detected before all the leaves take their natural fall browning. At this time limbs that are infected with blight show a distinct browning of the leaves, which will not be so noticeable in a few days time, especially if there is a little frost.

As fast as the pears are off the trees, growers should follow up with blight cutters and be very careful that all infections are taken out. Blight that has slowed up before picking has started to run again at this time, and trees can be ruined in a short time if not looked after.

It is imperative that this work be done at once and inspectors will serve ten day notice on all growers who do not start to work at once. This work must be done this fall in order to give time for the inspectors to follow up the work, to see that it is done thoroughly.

Huntley Held Over to Grand Jury on Slaying Charge

MEDFORD, Sept. 23. — When arraigned before Judge Glenn O. Taylor Monday afternoon, Hyman Huntley, local S. P. section laborer, was bound over to the grand jury charged with murder in the 2nd degree in connection with the killing of Jessee James Gibbs early Sunday morning. As in all murder cases no bail was set.

Huntley made no testimony. The evidence, binding him over, was given by the arresting officers. His wife was present during the arraignment, but like her husband, also made no testimony. The evidence given Monday was similar to reports already printed.

After the inquest the body was taken in charge by the Perl Funeral Home, where funeral arrangements were made.

Huntley, who weighs nearly 200 pounds, appeared in court with one side of his face completely black and blue, caused from a blow given him by Gibbs before the latter was stabbed to death by the former.

Hillsboro is spending $250,000 on new buildings.

Klamath Falls—Building permits for August totaled $263,500.

THE WEATHER

Oregon and Washington—Fair, with gentle easterly winds.

PATRONS OF LOCAL AUTO CAMP STATE ASHLAND IS B...

Declare Local Camp Furnishes More and Better Accommodations Than Any Camp They Have Visited. Patrons Come From All Parts of Country. Praise Attendants.

Ashland has an auto park of which she may well be proud, and almost every patron of the camp becomes a booster and a "returner" according to testimonials which have been given the park board by many of the patrons of the camp.

At the opening of the season, as has been customary in the past, a big register book was placed in the community house, and in this, the guests were requested to register. Many of them were so enthusiastic over the Ashland camp that they wrote their opinions of the beauties and comforts afforded by the camp grounds.

These patrons came from almost every section of the country, every state, with the exception of Florida, being represented by those registering in the book. In addition, Canada, Hawaii and Alaska furnished representatives, who stopped in the Ashland camp.

A few of these testimonials, picked at random from the registration book, follow:

S. H. Peat of San Diego—"This is a wonderful camp, and we will certainly return."

C. W. Ostell, Long Beach—"You have a wonderful park, in every respect."

George Spencer, Berkeley—"The most delightful camp grounds we have found since we left Berkeley. Have much enjoyed your hospitality."

Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Schulte, Fullerton, Calif.—"We think this is a wonderful camp ground. We have made more friends here than in any other camping place on our trip. Thank you for your courtesy."

T. P. Bowerman, Philip, S. D.—"An excellent camp. Have enjoyed it immensely, especially the wonderful community house. This would be fine for programs."

Fred H. Smith, Los Angeles—"Second trip to Camp Ashland, and from Canada to San Diego there is no better camp to be found."

Mrs. E. J. Wilber, Kokomo, Ind.—"We love your beautiful park. Nature is at its best here."

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Mills, Long Beach—"We have enjoyed four days in the lovely park here, and much appreciate the management."

H. M. Harden, Long Beach—"The most beautiful camp and park we encountered on the trip. The city of Ashland is to be congratulated upon the character of its reception to tourists."

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Montgomery, Estalline, S. D.—"We have traveled from coast to coast, and from Olympia, Washington to the Mexican border, and this is the finest auto park we have been in."

Rupert S. Gleason, Berkeley—"From Los Angeles, thus far, without hesitation, we say that Ashland has the best auto camp in our 2500 miles of travel."

L. T. Long, Huntington Park, Calif.—"Ashland has service, beauty and comfort, together with a pleasant smile and a good word from all."

H. F. Sheehan, Los Angeles—

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MANY ROYAL ARCH MASONS HERE SEPT. 24

Reunion of Chapters to be Held Here Tomorrow Evening

Nearly a dozen chapters of Royal Arch Masons will be represented at the Royal Arch reunion, to be held tomorrow evening, under the auspices of Siskiyou chapter No. 21, R. A. M. of this city, it was announced this morning by W. H. Day, secretary of the local chapter.

The routine schedule, following the official notice which is contained elsewhere in this issue, will occupy the time of the delegates at the gathering early tomorrow evening. The meeting will be held in the Masonic hall here.

The chapters represented at the reunion will be from the Southern Oregon and Northern California territory, Day stated.

Grand High Priests from two states will be present at the gathering. They are John K. Kollock of Portland and Charles H. King of Sebastopol, California.

Other noted visitors who it is expected will attend the reunion, are Grand Master Kelly of Albany, Past Grand Master Baillie and Grand Secretary Cheney of Portland and Grand Commander Mages of Klamath Falls.

Delegations will be present from the Medford, Jacksonville, Grants Pass and Klamath Falls chapters, representing Southern Oregon localities. Invitations have been extended to California chapters as far south as Chico.

C. A. Malone, F. D. Wagner and A. J. McCallen are the members of the local committee in charge of arrangements.

FRENCH DEBT COMMISSION LANDS IN N. Y.

NEW YORK, Sept. 23—(U. P.)—The French debt commission arrived in America today to arrange for the payment of approximately four billion, two hundred million dollars, owed to the United States government as the result of war loans and accrued interest.

Headed by Finance Minister Joseph Caillaux, the commission was greeted at quarantine by Garrard Bigelow Winston, under secretary of the treasury, Myron Herrick, American ambassador to France, and Emile Daeschner, French ambassador to the United States.

Before sailing, Caillaux and

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Warner Boys Are Indicted on Charge of Auto Theft

Chief of Police George McNabb, returned from Portland last night, where he was called to testify at the fall grand jury session, now being held in that city.

The case upon which McNabb testified took but a few minutes, according to the Chief. Herman and Ellis Warner, Canadian youths, arrested here two months ago on a charge of automobile theft, were indicted for the violation of the Dyer act, and were remanded to prison when they could not furnish bond.

The Warner boys were taken into custody here by Chief of Police McNabb and a state traffic officer, and charged with stealing an automobile in Portland and driving into California with it.