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PIERCE WILL BE CANDIDATE FOR GOVERNOR

Present Executive Names His Formal Announcement From Salem

DROPS SENATE PLANS

Bert E. Haney Expected to Return Soon and Seek Senatorial Toga

SALEM, Ore., Feb. 22.—Upon his return to Salem today, Governor Walter M. Pierce reiterated his announcement made in Eugene Saturday night that he will be a candidate for re-election as governor. This positive statement from the executive sets to rest any doubt as to whether he would run for governor or United States senator. It likewise gives credence to the report that Bert E. Haney will return to Oregon soon and announce his candidacy for United States senator on the democratic ticket.

Mr. Haney's resignation from the shipping board will begin to President Coolidge this week, according to persistent reports coming from Washington, D. C. It is understood that he will leave at once with his family for Portland and will enter the senatorial race.

It is thought here that Governor Pierce had positive knowledge of Mr. Haney's contemplated action and for that reason gave up all thought of the senatorial race and decided to seek another term as governor of Oregon.

I. E. VINING WILL SPEAK AT LUNCHEON

Chamber of Commerce Function Tomorrow Will Be Interesting

I. E. Vining, who has just returned from a tour of Oregon and adjoining states, will be the chief speaker at the chamber of commerce forum luncheon at the Lithia Springs hotel tomorrow noon.

The luncheon will be somewhat in the nature of a patriotic program in observance of Washington's birthday. Committee reports also will be received as this will be the last luncheon of the current fiscal year.

BIG GOLD RUSH TO START THIS SPRING

Reports From Red Lake District Indicate Enthusiasm is High

TORONTO, Feb. 22.—Enthusiastic reports on the gold discoveries in the Red Lake district in northwestern Ontario are reaching Toronto.

The influx of prospectors has been steady since the first claims were staked out last fall, and preparations at other points indicate that the spring opening of the water routes may see a gold rush of proportions comparable to that of 1898 in the Klondike.

\$4000 In Radium Recovered From Waste Paper Car

SEATTLE, Feb. 22.—Seattle gasped in astonishment today as F. A. Osborn, professor of physics at the University of Washington and Captain Charles J. Hutchinson, a special investigator, returned from Sumner, Wash., with four tubes of radium, valued at \$4000, which has been recovered from a box car of waste paper.

The radium, accidentally dropped into a waste basket in a local physician's office, was the object of a \$1200 reward.

Young Girl Uses Revolver To Halt Trio Of Bandits

DENVER Col., Feb. 22.—Mrs. Irene Pearl Taylor, 18-year-old restaurant cashier, was being acclaimed a heroine here today following her successful battle against a trio of armed and masked bandits who sought to rob the restaurant cash register.

The bandits lined up a group of diners and took \$300 from them. They then made a rush for the cash register, but the plucky cashier whipped out a revolver and gave them battle. She was wounded twice in the fight which followed but successfully repulsed the bandit trio.

DE MOLAY DINNER AND DANCE TO BE ENJOYABLE EVENT

F. J. Newman of Medford to be Chief Speaker This Evening

Members of the Ashland De Molay will honor the memory of George Washington with a patriotic banquet at the Lithia Springs hotel this evening, starting at 7:30 o'clock.

Attorney Frank J. Newman, of Medford one of the recognized orators of Oregon, will be the principal speaker. There also will be short talks by members of the De Molay as well as special musical numbers.

Following the banquet there will be dancing in the ballroom until a late hour. The general public is invited to the function, with tickets at \$1.25 for the combined banquet and dance.

BROTHERS HELD FOR DEATH OF OFFICER

One of Pair Confesses He Shot Warden by Accident

NEWPORT, Wash., Feb. 22.—(LP)—Formal charges of murder were filed here today against Roland and Everett Van Blaricom, brothers, holding them for the death of Edward Jarrish, deputy state game warden, last Wednesday afternoon. One of the brothers, Roland, is said to have confessed that he shot the game warden by mistake when he only meant to frighten him.

COOLIDGE RECOVERS FROM SEVERE COLD

President Returns to Office After Several Days Illness

WASHINGTON, D. C., Feb. 22.—(LP)—President Coolidge returned to his desk today for the first time since he contracted a severe cold last Wednesday. He appeared to be in good health and indicated he was ready to take up his accumulated work. He is scheduled to address an educational meeting this evening.

Dictatorship For Germany is Asked

BERLIN, Feb. 22.—(LP)—Continuing their campaign to scrap parliamentary government in Germany, the Nationalists today introduced into the reichstag a motion tantamount to a demand for a dictatorship of President Van Hindenburg and his cabinet.

Their motion proposed abolition of a constitutional provision that the chancellor and cabinet require the reichstag's confidence for the conduct of governmental affairs.

OMAHA MURDER CASES SOLVED BY CONFESSION

"Maniac Sniper" is Arrested in Iowa and Admits His Guilt

TWO PEOPLE KILLED

Man Giving Name of Carter is Caught in Small Town in Iowa

OMAHA, Neb., Feb. 22.—(U. P.)—Omaha's "maniac sniper," who recently shot and killed two persons here and wounded two others seriously, has been captured five miles north of Bartlett, Iowa, according to a long-distance message received here this afternoon.

The man under arrest gave the name of Carter, and has confessed the slayings, Bartlett authorities notified Omaha police.

For the past several weeks police have been prosecuting a frantic search for the mysterious sniper who waylaid pedestrians and shot them in the back with a rifle as they walked along the streets in outlying sections. Police believe the man under arrest is a maniac.

ASHLAND HIGH TO PLAY GRANTS PASS

Local Basketball Quint Expects to Win Tonight's Contest

Grants Pass high school will play Ashland high school's speedy basketball team at the armory this evening. Undaunted by their double defeat at the hands of Medford, the local team is expecting a fairly easy victory tonight.

The Ashland girls will play the Grants Pass girls in a preliminary game which will start at 8 o'clock.

CAST IS SELECTED FOR LEGION SHOW

Director Jack Coyle Pleased With Talent Which Will Take Part

Selection of the cast for the local American Legion's show, which will be given March 8-9 at the Vining theatre has been completed, according to Jack Coyle, director, who said he was well pleased with the talent and fine spirit of cooperation.

He stated he had several surprises in store for those who attended the show. The Legion is determined to give Ashland the fastest moving clean-cut show ever produced here. The whole production, from opening overture to the grand finale, is carefully timed and planned so that the delays and waits that so often mar an amateur performance are entirely eliminated.

Comedy will predominate throughout the play. Laughs follow in rapid succession and those who have seen the rehearsals say it is certain to be a success.

Public Schools Stage Programs

Public schools enjoyed a partial holiday today in commemoration of the anniversary of the birth of George Washington. Schools convened this morning at which time suitable patriotic exercises in keeping with the day were held, and were then dismissed for the remainder of the day.

Banks and public offices also remained closed, although in all other respects the business life of the city was carried on as usual.

George Washington's Character Revealed By Penknife Given to Him by His Mother



(From an etching by E. Dunlap. Copyright, 1919, by the Anderson Art Galleries, Chicago.)

Not the famous hatchet of George Washington, but a dainty white-handled penknife reveals better his character.

So says Dr. Paul F. Bloomhardt, professor of biography at Wittenberg College, Springfield, O.

Washington's father gave the hatchet, as even school children remember, in February, and George struck down a choice tree in the orchard. Later he confessed, and promptly.

But the penknife was given to him by his mother. She was so pleased with the lad's behavior, that she gave him the bit of fine cutlery, cautioning the young man always to obey his superiors.

This knife he carried as a talisman. It was a part of his personal equipment as general of the American who fought for their liberties in the Revolutionary War.

At the lowest ebb of the Revolution, with a weak Congress failing to provide even food for his half-clad men at Valley Forge, Washington once wrote out his resignation.

He struggled with himself. This was his greatest battle, says Dr. Bloomhardt, who studies and teaches the lives of Great Americans.

General Knox came into the cabin which was general headquarters at the valley and Washington showed him the resignation as written.

Knox was dumfounded, and did not know what to do until his eye caught the glint of the penknife on General Washington's desk.

Knox knew its story, and without any utterance, gently pushed the keepsake under the clenched hands of General Washington.

Washington flushed.

Knox said, "You were always to obey your superiors. No one has commanded you to cease leading this army."

Within half an hour the resignation was tossed into the log fire, and the great Washington carried on.

The hatchet showed the truth-stuff of the boy; the penknife showed the stability of the man.

The knife should replace the hatchet, Dr. Bloomhardt says.

The knife is among the Washington relics in a Virginia Masonic lodge.

FAMOUS STANFORD SURGEON IS DEAD

Sleeping Sickness Takes Life of Dr. George B. Somers

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., Feb. 22.—(LP)—Dr. George B. Somers, aged 63, noted physician and surgeon, died here yesterday following an illness of two weeks from sleeping sickness. Dr. Somers had for years been on the medical staff of Stanford Medical School and was a nationally known medical authority.

Klamath Traffic Cop Fights; Then Pinches Himself

KLAMATH FALLS, Ore., Feb. 22.—County Traffic Officer E. E. Knowles did everything Saturday but tell how the fight came out.

He got into an argument with Leo Popovich, reputed bootlegger, and when it became too heated for words, the officer doffed his star, his gun and other accoutrements of his office and fought it out with Popovich in a doctor's office.

After the fight Knowles swore out a warrant against himself and went to Justice of the Peace Emmitt where he pleaded guilty to a charge of fighting and paid a \$10 fine. But he neglected to tell the court who won the fight.

INDIANS WILL GET PAYMENTS IN FEW WEEKS

Klamath Tribe Will Receive \$100 Per Capita From Government

FROM TIMBER LANDS

Two and Possibly Three More Payments Expected During Year

KLAMATH FALLS, Feb. 22.—Cash payment of \$100 per capita to Klamath Indians of Oregon has been authorized by the interior department.

The total sum to be distributed amounts to \$122,600 and is derived from profits of timber sales on the reservation. The purposes of the payment is to assist the Indians in their spring farming activities as three consecutive years of bad crops are said to have depleted their resources.

Officials at Klamath Agency said today that they had received no notice of the payment.

Surprise was expressed that the amount allotted was only \$100 per capita, it being believed that in view of existing conditions a much greater sum would be allowed.

During 1925 three payments were made, totaling \$300 per capita.

It is believed that in view of the large surplus now on hand in the nation's treasury, credited to the Indians because of timber sales, two and possibly three more payments will be made this year.

CIVIL WAR VETERAN ANSWERS LAST CALL

A. Dahuff Passes Away at Family Home Early This Afternoon

A. Dahuff, Civil war veteran and pioneer Ashland resident, passed away at the family home, 440 Palm avenue, at 1:30 this afternoon at the age of 84 years. He had been in ill health for the past several weeks. The funeral will be held at 2:30 Wednesday afternoon from the Stock Undertaking parlors, with members of the G. A. R. assisting in the services.

Mr. Dahuff was born at Upper Sandusky, Ohio, and was in the service almost throughout the Civil War. He came to Ashland a quarter of a century ago and has since resided here.

Besides the widow he is survived by three children. They are Mrs. E. O. Smith of this city, Enos Dahuff of San Diego, and Earl Dahuff, a mail clerk who is now in the city.

FREE BEER MAY GO TO MAKERS OF LAWS

Schlitz Brewery Offers One Case to Every Member of Congress

WASHINGTON, D. C., Feb. 22.—(U.P.)—If they want it, all members of congress can get a case of Schlitz beer for nothing. The brewery today notified Congressman Hill of Maryland that it would gladly present the law makers each with a case of beer to prove its contention that its malt product is not an alcoholic beverage. Members of congress have not yet announced whether or not they will accept the offer.

Americans Flee To Safety Zone

PEKING, Feb. 22.—(LP)—Seventeen Americans who were outside the Sinyang City wall during the heavy bombardment yesterday have been transported to safety, word which was received here today said.

Cattle Rustling On Big Scale Is Done In Arizona

TUCSON, Ariz., Feb. 22.—Aroused over the most daring piece of cattle rustling perpetrated in this section of the country in recent years, cattlemen and authorities in both Cochise and Pima counties are pressing charges against three men alleged to have stolen and shipped with the aid of forged health and shipping certificates, more than 200 head of cattle to Los Angeles last week, where they were sold at the stockyards.

Two of the men, Sam Barrows and Melvin Smith, prominent cattlemen, are facing felony charges in both counties, while a third, James Meadows, has been arrested in Cochise county only.

TAKING PICTURES AT CRATER LAKE

Local Man Heads Party to Rim Sunday; To Return Tomorrow

Motion pictures of Crater Lake scenes are being taken at the rim of the lake today by C. S. Piper of The Oregonian Screen Review. They will be shown in motion picture houses throughout the country.

A party headed by Richard W. Price of the Lithia Springs hotel and Crater Lake lodge, left here at 5:30 yesterday morning for the snowshoe dash to the rim of Crater Lake, expecting to reach the lodge before nightfall yesterday. They will return tomorrow night.

Besides Mr. Price and Mr. Piper the party included Judge Lawrence McNary of Portland and John Maben of Ashland.

PICTURES OF CLUB WORK TO BE SHOWN

Five Reels of Boys' and Girls' Activities to be Here Tuesday

Motion pictures of boys' and girls' club work, showing the Ashland and Klamath Falls students boarding the Southern Pacific at the Ashland station for the summer school at O. A. C., scenes at the summer school, the state fair and the Pacific International Livestock exposition will be shown tomorrow at the junior high school, starting at 2:30 p. m. The same pictures will be shown in the high school gymnasium at 7:30 tomorrow evening.

The Southern Pacific spent several thousand dollars making these five reels of pictures. County Club Agent Fowler will be present and ready to enroll boys and girls in any of the numerous clubs.

All parents or students interested in the club work are invited to attend.

Further Slides Of Snow in Gulch Are Feared By People

BINGHAM CANYON, Utah, Feb. 22.—(LP)—Heavy snow which fell in the mountains surrounding this city this afternoon caused inhabitants of the gulches to fear further slides and add to the quota of death and destruction of Wednesday's avalanche which took a toll of nearly two score of lives.

Warning was again issued to inhabitants of Metal Canyon to vacate their premises and be on the lookout for another slide.

Work has been virtually suspended at the ruins of Wednesday's disaster as a careful check indicates that all bodies have been taken out.

STALLING BY MEDFORD WINS SECOND GAME

'Smart' Basketball Causes Downfall of Ashland, 23 to 21

EXCITEMENT IS TENSE

Locals Get Bad Breaks in Fast Contest; To Play Two More

"Smart" basketball, which, for high school boys, seemed a bit too unsportsmanlike, permitted Medford high school to defeat Ashland high school in a fiercely fought game at the local armory Saturday night, 23 to 21.

Up until the last few moments of the game Ashland outplayed the boys from Medford, but when Medford got its coveted two-point lead, it resorted to its well known "stalling" game and was able to fiddle the time away beneath the Ashland basket without attempting to score another point and without giving the Ashland team an opportunity to tie the score.

Fans in frenzy during the last few minutes of play, with local fans in a frenzy of rage over the Medford "stalling" tactics. Once during the excitement Coach Hughes of Ashland made a dash for Coach Callison of Medford, so incensed was he over the tactics used by Medford to gain the victory.

For the most part, it was an exciting game to watch, with Ashland high school holding the upper hand at all stages until the final quarter. The score

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CAMPAIGN AGAINST WORLD COURT OPENS

Senators Borah and Reed Open Fight in Chicago This Afternoon

CHICAGO, Ill., Feb. 22.—(LP)—Washington's birthday was celebrated here today by opening a national campaign against the world court. United States Senators William E. Borah and James Reed are the central figures in today's program.

STEEL VEST SAVES MOTORCYCLE POLICE

Four Bullets Strike Protector When Speeders Fire at Him

EAST ST. LOUIS, Ill., Feb. 22.—Walter Vincent, motorcycle officer, today owes his life to a steel vest worn by him last night. He gave chase to a speeding automobile at Lake Drive and the autoist emptied a revolver at him. Four bullets struck his steel vest. The speeders escaped.

Bankers To Play At Grants Pass

A group of Ashland bankers left this afternoon for Grants Pass where the regular monthly meeting of the Southern Oregon Bankers' association will be held this evening. The volley ball team of local bankers will play a return game with the Grants Pass bankers prior to the business session.

Circus Owner Held On Cruelty Charge

LONG BEACH, Cal., Feb. 22.—Al G. Barnes, noted circus owner, was charged with cruelty to animals in a complaint filed here today by the sheriff of Los Angeles county. Barnes is alleged to have permitted employes to mistreat animals of his show menagerie.