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LITHIANS ARE TO PUSH VOTE ON ORDINANCE

Decide That, Since Council Will Not do Anything, an Election is Necessary

TO BE HELD JULY 30TH

Booster Organization is Getting Required Names on Petitions For Referendum

The Lithians at a special meeting of their executive committee last night decided to go right ahead with the initiation of the referendum on the ordinance for the prohibition of dancing on their pavilion in Lithia park, and petitions were being circulated this afternoon by members of the booster organization for the holding of a special election on this question July 30th.

Several efforts have been made by interested parties to either arrange so that the special election would not be necessary or so that the ordinance would be repealed, but no definite action had been taken by the council following their passage of the ordinance last Thursday night.

The special meeting of the council was held yesterday at noon ostensibly for the purpose of bettering the mixed-up situation relative to dancing, but again no definite action was taken.

The Lithians last night decided that, since the council was not willing to take any definite action, but was satisfied to continue to let the question drag, their organization would push the referendum to completion as quickly as possible. Thus, the members will procure the necessary 220 signatures on the petitions which will call the election for July 30th.

City Attorney Briggs this morning explained that any citizen over 21 years of age who had lived in Ashland for 30 days and in his precinct for 10 days would be entitled to sign the petition. It is not necessary to be a registered voter to sign the petition, Mr. Briggs stated.

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DOCTOR SAYS WOMAN WHO FEIGNED BIRTH HAD DECEIVED HIM

Nurse Also States She Was Fooled in Early Stage of Peculiar Case

PORTLAND, Ore., June 15.—(P)—Dr. W. O. Spencer, the "attending physician" in the Buchanan baby-fostering case, went on the stand today to continue his testimony in which he stated he was fooled by Mrs. Charles Buchanan's story of approaching motherhood.

Nurse Spalding testified also that she thought Mrs. Buchanan a natural mother at first and she was not a party to a deep-laid conspiracy to fictitiously elate the parental pride of the husband, who is suing for \$25,000 for wounded parental emotions. A motion for a non-suit order was dismissed today by Judge Rossman.

THIS ISSUE

is distributed gratis to the guests of The Lithia Springs and Ashland Hotel and to the campers at Lithia Park and Jackson Hot Springs camp grounds—a total of approximately 200 copies each day—in order that Ashland's visitors may know something of our city.

Lithia Springs Hotel
Hotel Ashland
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California Oregon Power Co.
Lithia Park Board
Jackson Hot Springs
City of Ashland
Talent Irrigation District

Pilot Lives



Lieut. Henry H. Ogden, "round-the-world flyer," escaped death at an air meet at Flint, Mich., when his plane crashed from an altitude of 150 feet. This photo was taken just after he crawled from the wreckage cut and bruised but not seriously hurt.

BRILLIANT SIGNS TO BE INSTALLED

Several Electric Signs Arrive and Will be Erected For Business Firms

Ashland will within a short time have several new electric signs to aid in making Main a brighter and more attractive street.

Electric signs have arrived for the following firms:

City of Ashland, to be placed at the Plaza; Citizens Bank, Park Garage, Palace Lunch, Claycomb Motor Company, A. A. Madden Tire Shop.

Leedoms tire shop and other business firms in the city are contemplating the purchase of electric signs in the near future.

This wholesale installation of electric signs, which were furnished by The Federal Electric Sign company through The XL Electric station, local representative of this company, is the result of the advertising campaign recently conducted here by the City of Ashland cooperating with the sign company, the electric station and the sign company's salesman, Frank Strickland, who has been here for several weeks.

Guy Good, proprietor of the XL, is making preparations to erect the various signs. A concrete base will have to be laid before the beautiful sign at the Plaza, which was purchased by the Lithia Park board and the chamber of commerce, can be installed. This will be one of the most pretentious and effective electric signs in Southern Oregon.

May Demand Vote On Wet Measures

WASHINGTON, June 15.—The senate judiciary committee yesterday unanimously reported eight "wet" bills to the senate with recommendation that action be indefinitely postponed.

It is likely, however, with many drys, including Sen. Borah of Idaho and Sen. Glass of Virginia, advocating a show down vote that the senate will have an opportunity to express its modification sentiments.

Smallpox Found In The Artillery Camp

ASTORIA, Ore., June 15.—(P)—A case of smallpox was discovered today in one of the batteries of the Oregon Coast artillery of the national guard, which arrived at Fort Stevens today.

Restriction of the troops to the army post and a wholesale vaccination has been ordered by the medical officers.

Blaze Claims One Life; Controlled

INDEPENDENCE, Ore., June 15.—Hundreds of men battling a forest blaze have brought under control the fire that has already claimed one life when a falling cable killed Joe Shiply Horner, a Portland high school boy fire fighter, and that has threatened to destroy a big timber stand near Valsec.

CELEBRATION WILL HAVE SUNDAY EVENT

Public Address and Music in Park to Feature July 4th Program Here

Preparations are progressing for the sesqui-centennial celebration of Independence Day, which will include a program for July 4th and July 5th, according to announcement of the chamber of commerce celebration committee.

The Sunday program will include music and a patriotic address, the speaker to be announced later, at 4 p. m. The Monday program will include the parade at 11 a. m., under auspices of the Kiwanis club; athletic contests and band concerts in Lithia Park, dancing in beautiful Lithia Park pavilion, baseball at Jackson Hot Springs under the management of the local American Legion, in the afternoon; and magnificent fireworks in the evening and dancing in the park, sponsored by the Lithians.

SUMMER CLASSES AT LINCOLN TO START

School to Open July 22nd, and Continue to July 30th, Announced

The summer term of school will begin Tuesday, June 22, at the Beach Street School and will be in session for six weeks, ending July 30, 1926. The sessions will be in the forenoons only from 8 till 12.

The critic teachers in charge are regular members of the Normal School faculty. This guarantees expert supervision. The following groups of children should attend: First: All pupils who were conditioned in one or more subjects by the regular class room teacher; Second: those who were not strong in any or all their work; Third: all pupils who are not gainfully employed.

The school is without cost either to the districts or to the pupils except the books used which are already in their possession. The pupils of Talent, Phoenix and Medford, or any other district are welcome to attend.

No promises can be made as to the amount of work any pupil can do. That will be left to the teachers in charge of the school. Their recommendations will be accepted so far as the Ashland pupils are concerned.

Guardsmen Arrive At Camp Jackson

MEDFORD, Ore., June 15.—Five special trains bearing troops of the Oregon National Guards rolled in today with all reported well and no mishaps enroute. The guardsmen were marched to Camp Jackson for the two weeks training.

Big Area Imperial Valley Is Flooded

ALCENTRO, Calif., June 15.—(P)—Flood waters today covered more than 60,000 acres in the volcanic region of the Imperial valley today, following the collapse of a section of the new protective levee on the Colorado river. All arable land is undamaged as yet.

Flaming Flapper Talks On Sanity

LOS ANGELES, Calif., June 15.—Clara Bow, the "flaming flapper" of the movies, told the lunacy commission here today what she thinks of the mental condition of Robert W. Savage, ex-grit star of Yale and scion of millionaire eastern family.

"I believe him sane, but suffering from an ego complex," she stated. Savage is having his sanity tested by the state because of an alleged attempt to kill himself after a swift jilting by Miss Bow.

Carl Magee and His Children



Carl Magee, New Mexico's fighting editor, on trial for manslaughter in connection with the accidental killing of John B. Lassiter at Las Vegas, N. M., is shown here with his two children. Magee is in the center, with his son, Theodore, on his right and his daughter, Gertrude, on his left.

Anti-Climax of Editor's Struggle for Freedom of Press is in Magee Trial

LAS VEGAS, June 15 (UP)—Carl Magee, militant New Mexican editor who was first to tilt the lid of the Teapot Dome scandal, went to trial here today charged with manslaughter in connection with the shooting of John Lassiter, a bystander, during a hotel lobby fist fight.

To Magee the tragic accident occurred as an ironic anti-climax after he had all, but won everything that he had fought for in his crusading editorials during seven years of tooth and nail political conflict.

On the 22nd of August, 1925, Magee was assaulted in the lobby of the Meadows Hotel here by former Judge D. J. Leahy, a political foe whose defeat for reelection he laid to Magee. While prone on the floor withstanding Leahy's kicks Magee fired, according to the testimony witnesses. The ill directed bullet killed Lassiter just at the moment the latter had started forward to the editor's assistance.

The fatal shooting was the culmination to year upon year of political, journalistic and legal struggle unparalleled in recent American history. From the time Magee came to New Mexico in 1919 with the avowed intention of defeating the Republican state machine led by Albert B. Fall he has been the storm center of state affairs.

HUGE SUM ALLOWED WASHINGTON PARKS

SEATTLE, Wash., June 15.—The expenditure of nearly \$300,000 in the state of Washington this year has been approved in the federal highway forest program, according to advices to the district forester here.

Acid Explosion Is Cause of 11 Deaths

GARY, Ind., June 15.—(P)—The death toll from the blast which wrecked a large coke oven at The Illinois Steel plant yesterday stood at 11 today, with 47 injured. The cause of the explosion has not been determined by officials.

Negro Hanged For Killing Officer

GUTHRIE, Ky., June 15.—Overpowering county officers, a mob of several hundred today hanged a negro to a tree here. The victim was enroute to prison after shooting a white deputy sheriff.

State Highway board will receive bids, June 24, Garibaldi-Hobsonville section of Roosevelt Highway.

BETTER CITIZENSHIP IS NEED OF AMERICA

Normal School Teacher Tells Forum of Need for Advancement of Education

"America needs more loyal, more devoted and more understanding citizenship in dealing with adult education," said Professor A. C. Strange, who will be head of the department of education for the Southern Oregon Normal school, at the Chamber of Commerce luncheon today.

Adult education includes the elementary work dealing with the foreign born, the illiterates and the educational work with uneducated people carried on by extension divisions and correspondence schools of the universities and colleges.

"There are a great many foreigners such as Italians, Greeks, Poles, Russians and Jews who do not readily become Americans. The great problem of these people who are not assimilated readily, can only be solved by greater and stricter enforcement of immigration laws."

Schools have been organized under the direction of various organizations in the United States and three hundred and fifty thousand people in various cities and communities of America are being taught in American language, history, geography and customs.

Mr. Strange, who has been leader of the Americanization department of the state board of education, spoke of the educational problems among foreigners in Oregon.

"The work in Oregon is with the foreign born who are not yet naturalized. These live principally along the Columbia River and the coast. There are some colonies of Italians, Jews, Poles, Finns and small groups of Swiss, Dutch and Japs. Schools have been organized for these people and from fifteen hundred to two thousand are enrolled every year in about fifteen towns of the state."

Professor Strange was introduced by J. A. Churchill, president of the Southern Oregon Normal School. G. F. Billings was chairman of the day.

Three Travelers Of The Road Arrested

Three transients, who were wandering about town early this morning and failed to give a satisfactory account of themselves, were fined \$5.00 each this morning by City Judge Frost. They will work out the fine in jail or work on the streets, said the police officials, as they are without money to pay the fine.

Plebiscite Quits; Found Impractical

ARICA, Chile, June 15.—The Tacna Arica plebiscite has been declared impractical and will be abandoned. A full meeting of the plebiscite commission held here approved the motion of General William Lassiter, chairman of the commission, who succeeded General Pershing, to this effect.

French Minister Of Finance Has Quit

NEW YORK, June 15.—Following the resignation of the French cabinet, the franc dropped in exchange quotations here. French bonds also declined sharply.

PARIS, June 15.—Raoul Peret, minister of finance, resigned today and Premier Briand was expected to resign this evening unless he could successfully remodel his cabinet.

Minister Peret charged that he had not been supported in his efforts to save the treasury from bankruptcy.

WEATHER
Fair in south portion
possibly showers near coast; light easterly winds.

Pilot Killed



Elmer Partridge, pilot, was killed when the plane inaugurating the Chicago-Minneapolis air mail service crashed near St. Paul. He is believed to have fainted and lost control of his ship, which was a new one of his own design.

NORMAL STUDENTS WILL HOLD REUNION

Party to be Held at Peninsula Park, Mrs. Sowers Tells in Letter

A picnic reunion of former students of the old Ashland normal will be held at Peninsula Park, June 21, says a letter from Mrs. R. H. Sowers, secretary, to Miss Lydia McCall of this city.

The reunion will start in the afternoon and continue through the evening. Dinner will be served at six o'clock in the gymnasium.

A large number of former students have accepted invitations to the reunion and people are expected to attend from all over the state. It is hoped to make the reunion an annual affair and to form a permanent organization of these normal students.

Mrs. Sowers requests that those who wish to come will send in their names or communicate with Miss McCall. The list includes, in addition to graduates those who attended school but did not graduate.

TWO INCH SNOW IN IDAHO YESTERDAY

SPOKANE, Wash., June 15.—A 2-inch snow fall in Wallace, Idaho yesterday.

Philomath College Head Is Deposed

PHILOMATH, Ore., June 15.—H. Dixon Broughton, president of Philomath college for the past four years, was deposed at a recent meeting of the trustees, it became known yesterday.

Dr. D. T. Gregory, president of the Shenandoah Institute, of Dayton, Va., was selected in his place.

Brazil Leaves The League of Nations

GENEVA, June 15.—Brazil resigned from the league of nations yesterday as a result of the dispute over the permanent league council memberships which began last March when Germany's application first came before the council.

Coolidge Dines Negro President

WASHINGTON, June 15.—President and Mrs. Coolidge and cabinet members today dined President Borno, negro president of the West Indian Republic of Haiti at an official luncheon at the White House.

Charges Assault And Sues Adjustor

ASTORIA, Ore., June 15.—A civil suit for slander and personal injury was filed today by Mrs. Bessie M. Hemperly of Seaside, who alleges Nathan Baker, of Portland, insurance adjustor, assaulted her in a dispute over a settlement of fire loss.

NEED MORE TO SUPPORT BALL CLUB FINANCE

More Money Necessary to Retain Present Personnel of Local Team

LIVELY MEETING HELD
Grants Pass Protest to be Left to Decision of Directors of League

Ashland has a winning baseball team and Ashland must support that team, was the slogan adopted at a peppy baseball meeting last night, which was attended by about 20 of the most enthusiastic fans.

Manager John Enders and A. C. N'ninger, one of the local baseball club officers, brought out the fact that the baseball players had shown a splendid spirit, fighting gamely to put Ashland at the top of the league. In the last two games their opponents were in the lead in the ninth inning in each game, but the locals fought to the last minute, coming out victorious in each game.

Most of the players are newcomers in Ashland, and, because of the fact that there are not any too many jobs available here for strangers, several of them have been unable to retain permanent work, although all of them are good workers and anxious to stay on the job.

With the small salary which the club has been able to give each of the players for the games, several of the men are facing a situation where they must either be given some financial aid or they will have to leave for other parts where they can procure more steady work.

Each of the speakers recommended that the business men and fans of the city should raise a monthly guarantee of a few hundred dollars in order to retain the present personnel of the team, which the leaders think will be certain to give Ashland a league-leading team before the end of the season.

A guarantee of more than \$100 a month was raised among the few attending the meeting last night and the leaders expressed confidence in being able to raise two or three hundred dollars more per month among the business men and fans for the rest of this season.

The attendance has been excellent, but the cost of preparing the (Continued on Page Three)

VARE ADMITS THE SIGNING OF NOTE IN HIS CAMPAIGN

WASHINGTON, June 15.—William S. Vare, wet, and the Republican nominee from Pennsylvania for the United States senate, was recalled to the witness stand today by the senate committee investigating primary expenses in Pennsylvania.

He admitted he endorsed a friend's note for \$150,000 of the campaign funds.

Ashland

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Klamath Falls
Oregon Caves
Rogue River Fishing Spots
Klamath River—Fishing
Jacksonville—Coasty Seat
Crater Lake—Open Later

Beautiful Siskiyou Mountains
Diamond Lake—Fishing