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MEMORIAL DAY IS COMMEMORATED BY FITTING PROGRAM

COLONEL MAY, SPANISH AMERICAN WAR VETERAN WHO LED ASHLAND BOYS, DELIVERS AN ADDRESS AT ARMORY.

HISTORY OF EARLY PIONEER DAYS RECALLED BY DECORATION OF INDIAN FIGHTERS GRAVES IN HILL CEMETERY.

Yesterday, Memorial Day, Ashland paid tribute to its own and the nation's dead with all that is fine and noble in the city's civic spirit. With an ideal day for the commemoration exercises the program for the day was carried out without a hitch of any kind. Credit is due to the American Legion for their part of leadership in planning the day's program. Shortly after 8 o'clock in the morning Memorial Rock in Lithia Park was decorated by the American Legion. The parade then formed at the Plaza and marched toward the park and stopping a point above the bridge threw flowers on the water in honor of the nation's sailor dead.

Parade to Cemetery
At 9:30 o'clock the parade started for the Ashland cemetery. In order of procession after the Ashland band came the First Company Coast Artillery corps of the Oregon National Guard, the American Legion, Spanish American War Veterans, the G. A. R. members, patrol one and two of the local Boy Scout troop, the Women's Relief Corps, Daughters of the American Revolution, and the children of Ashland. The two women's organizations and the parading children were laden with flowers with which to decorate the graves. With colors flying, the parade, two blocks in length made its way directly to the cemetery where the feature of the exercises was the dedication of a monument to the soldiers of all past wars.

Dedicate Monument
The Memorial Tablet, made of Oregon granite from Blair's quarry eight miles east of Ashland, was erected by means of popular subscription from the citizens of Ashland at a cost of approximately \$700. G. A. Briscoe, superintendent of city schools, unveiled the monument and made the acceptance speech. He expressed the wish of the citizens of Ashland that the tablet might be "a permanent memorial, reminding those that come after us of the glory of the republic, the bravery of its defenders and the holiness of its ideals." Mr. Briscoe was followed by Capt. A. W. Thomas, who made a dedication speech for the G. A. R. and decorated the monument. Glenn Simpson, commander of the Ashland Post of the American Legion, followed Capt. Thomas as speaker. H. C. Emery, assistant cashier of the First National Bank, spoke for the Spanish American War Veterans. Rev. Charles F. Koehler led the assemblage in prayer. The Women's Relief Corps were next in the dedication ceremonies with a pleasing program delivered by officers of the organization. The officers were Mrs. Howard, president; Mrs. Coder, vice-president; Mrs. Lowe, junior vice-president; Mrs. S. A. Peters, Sr., secretary and Mrs. Bush, chaplain. At the conclusion of the program by the Women's Relief Corps the Daughters of the American Revolution decorated the monument.

Spray for the Coddling Moth
On account of the weather the coddling moths are coming out a little later this spring than usual, but the last few warm days are bringing them out and spraying should be general from now until about the 15th of June. In other words this application should be on June 15; to 4th, large orchardists are spraying possibly this week in order to finish up by this date. Orchardists that have only two or three days spraying can make this application the last of this week or the first of next.

On account of this first brood stringing along from the first of June to possibly to the first of July it is advisable to keep the fruit thoroughly covered during the month of June. In order to do this thoroughly it is best to repeat this application within ten days or two weeks, in other words making a double spray of this first coddling moth spray.

As most of the moths at this time come from the apple orchards it is best to spray them first and follow immediately with the pears. It is well to use six pounds of dry arsenate of lead to two hundred gallons or twelve pounds of paste. It is also well to use a spreader in this application. Distillate oil emulsion has given good results when used at the rate of two gallons to two hundred gallons. There is a commercial caseinate spreader on the market known as "Spreado." It is a very promising product. It should be used at the rate of one pound and a half to two hundred gallon tank.

Decorate Graves
All graves in the cemetery that had not been decorated by private individuals were strewn with flowers by the Women's Relief Corps. The natural ceremony of the place supplemented by the color of flowers on decorated graves lent an air of sublime beauty to the cemetery, nestled in the scenic grandeur that is nature's gift to Ashland.

Exercises at Armory
After the exercises at the cemetery the parade broke up and without formation proceeded to the Armory where Memorial exercises were held with Col. John L. May as the principal speaker. Captain Thomas of the G. A. R. presided at the exercises at the Armory. Rev. Oldfield led the audience in the opening prayer. Col. May was introduced by Mayor Lamkin who made a short address commemorating the nation's dead. Mayor Lamkin

Men Working on Roads to Attend Guard Encampment

Members of the First Company Coast Artillery of the Oregon National Guard who are working on the highway will be able to attend the annual encampment of the guard according to a telegram received here this morning by Capt. William M. Briggs, from the state highway commission at Salem. Permission to attend the camp could not be obtained at first by a number of the boys working on the roads in this locality from their immediate engineering chiefs.

The highway commission is taking up the matter of paying the men while absent from their work and at the encampment. Favorable action is expected on the matter.

HISTORIC VIRGINIA UNIVERSITY HOLDS CENTENNIAL MEET

CHARLOTTESVILLE, Va., May 31.—Famous educators and churchmen were here today at the opening of the University of Virginia Centennial celebration. The exercises will conclude on June 3.

Dr. William Alexander Barr, D. D., dean of Christ Church Cathedral, New Orleans, opened the celebration this morning, with an address on the influence of the University of Virginia on the religious life of the nation. Rev. Henry Van Dye, San Diego, Calif., was to preside at the vespers services in the evening.

Following the enrollment of delegates from institutions from the United States and foreign countries Wednesday, Governor Westmoreland Davis, Virginia, was to deliver the address of welcome. He will be followed by Edwin Anderson Alderman, president of the university. A pageant, "The Shadow of the Builder," will be presented in the evening in the Green amphitheatre.

Thursday and Friday various groups will meet in separate discussions, which will be interspersed with joint sessions where speakers will discuss the many phases of collegiate endeavor. Among the other speakers on the program are Jules Jusserand, French ambassador; M. Gabriel Hanotaux, commander de la Legion d'Honneur; Sir Auckland Geddes, British ambassador; Rev. Henry Wilson Battle; John Bassett Moore; Thomas Watt Gregory, former U. S. attorney general, and Hamilton Fish, professor of international law and diplomacy Columbia University.

CARTER PROPERTY DAMAGED BY FIRE WILL BE REPAIRED
The two story residence on the corner of Gresham and Pearl streets, owned by E. V. Carter, which was damaged by fire Tuesday evening will be repaired at once it was announced today. The roof was burned and considerable damage done to the house furnishings. The loss, covered by insurance, is estimated at \$2,000.

Renters occupying the house at the time of the fire were Mr. and Mrs. Donald Whitney and Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Sanford. The damage did not necessitate vacating of the house by the families.

BRIDE - ELECT HONORED BY GIFT SHOWER
The young women of the Presbyterian church were charmingly entertained last evening at the home of the Misses Poley. Mrs. Icenhauer and Miss Allen assisted as joint hostesses. The affair was in the nature of a shower in honor of Miss Nellie Ross, whose engagement to Arthur Wick has been announced. The bride elect received many pretty and useful gifts in a huge May basket.

The hostesses had arranged a delightful and novel entertainment and served dainty refreshments.



Ashland Post, No. 14

ASHLAND, OREGON

Glenn E. Simpson, Post Commander.
H. G. Wolcott, Vice-Commander.
Ralph Hadfield, Historian.
Wm. Holmes, Treasurer.
Donald Spencer, Adjutant and Legion Editor.



About two years ago Ashland Post No. 14 American Legion issued a warning to the people of Ashland concerning persons representing themselves to be ex-service men and who apparently were soliciting in the interest of ex-service men. Ashland Post No. 14 with, at this time to renew that warning. The reason for our renewal of the warning is very apparent to those who recently subscribed to (or at least thought they were subscribing to) what was known as the Loyal American, a paper supposed to be published in the interests of ex-service men.

They paid 49 cents for a postal card that should not have cost more than 1 cent, because the business is a fraud, and the cards are returning almost daily as unclaimed. This rascality was practiced upon our people within the past three weeks, but the rascals will be run down and brought to (time and their operations will be published as a protection to REAL ex-service men.

Another practice that was recently tried out upon our people was that of a supposedly ex-service man who solicited your subscription by a petition calling upon the members of our legislature to grant all ex-service men a bonus of \$1.25 for each day they were in service. Such a thing is just a straight hold up, on

the face of it, and is cost strenuous—day possible. The old flag will fly with a deeper significance on this day than has been its custom, and as it passes in the column of parade carried as it will be, by an old gray head, stop and think what that same operation, done by a much younger man, 56 years ago has meant to this great nation of ours, and for you, directly. If he had not carried that flag 56 years ago, you would have had no occasion to be proud that you are an American today.

Remember these things and bare your head to the old flag and the man who carries it as he passes you in parade this year.

We greet the youngest eligible to the Women's Auxiliary to the American Legion, Little Miss Freeman, daughter of Comrade A. Bert Freeman and wife, who is now two whole days of age.

Once more the Standard Oil Service Station sounds out their appreciation of the ex-service man when it secured the services of our comrade Harvey Cliff. Harvey can do anything from fixing a Ford (yes he means) to selling gas to run a CAR.

Too busy to prepare any more this time.

CHAUTAQUA BUILDING BOASTS LARGE DOME

Ashland is again to the front for honors. As far as can be learned from investigations, the Chautauqua building in Lithia Park, built six years ago at an expense of \$20,000, not only has the largest dome in the United States without a supporting pillar but is the only building of its kind in the country. E. O. Smith, the architect who planned the building, states that to his knowledge there are no duplicates of the superstructure used in the Chautauqua building.

The dome is constructed on the egg shell principal of equal strength at all points and is able to withstand enormous pressure. Mr. Smith stated that it would be almost impossible to weaken the dome by pressure exerted from the top. Snow, a danger to many roofs, has very little effect on the Chautauqua building dome because of the uniform pressure exerted at all points of the roof. Uniform pressure has a tendency to strengthen the dome rather than weaken it, Mr. Smith said.

Although somewhat resembling the Mormon Tabernacle in Salt Lake City in exterior appearance there is no comparison in the style of architecture, Mr. Smith states, as the Tabernacle dome is constructed on a different principal. Mr. Smith states that supporting rafters have recently been placed in the Tabernacle which makes the Chautauqua building dome its peer regardless of classification in architectural design.

It is believed by Mr. Smith that if the original plans and specifications for the Chautauqua building had been followed there would not be the possibilities for echoes within the building. A gallery was originally planned and it is believed that such an improvement would eliminate the echo now noticed within the building. However, it is thought that a large audience crowding the building would absorb the sounds.

ESPEE COMPANY FRIENDLY BOOSTER FOR ASHLAND
"Oregon Outdoors," a 30-page folder advertising Oregon scenery and resorts, is just from the press and is a work of art. It shows a double top spread picture of Crater lake and one of the best pictures of Lithia Park it has yet been our pleasure to view.

The Southern Pacific department has certainly been a good and valuable friend to Ashland. The very generously keep her scenic attractiveness before the people on every occasion of the issuance of new literature. "Oregon Outdoors" is issued in many thousands and are distributed in every section of the United States and abroad. It is very valuable advertising.

WAR NURSES TO FARM IN FAR NORTH COUNTRY

EDMONTON, Alta., May 31.—For young women from Montreal, all overseas nurses during the war, have to Spirit River in the Grande Prairie region of northern Alberta to farm co-operatively. They were spurred to the adventurous enterprise by the success which thousands of former soldiers have made upon the land. Efforts were made to discourage them from pioneering into the new north country. But their answer was that after their three-years war experience, pioneering has no terrors for them. Two Misses McLean, Miss Ellis and Miss MacNish comprise the quartette.

What they plan to do is to file a homestead of 160 acres each, making a total section, to which will be added another section of free grant land by reason of their overseas service. They will live together and farm their land co-operatively. They propose to do their farm work with their own hands and before leaving Edmonton equipped themselves with overalls, riding broches, boots and other masculine paraphernalia.

Spring Building Activity Given Added Impetus

Spring building activities are underway. Billy Briggs bungalow on Granite street is nearing completion and Will Dodge is starting a fine 5 - room home on the Boulevard on the first lot this side of the Ray Minkler property, besides several other new residences are under consideration and planned. The outlook is good for much building activity this spring. All kinds of building materials, including plumbing and labor are down nearly to pre-war levels and those who have been putting off building operations on account of excessive costs are getting ready for operations.

GRANTS PASS MAN APPOINTED LIME QUARRY SUPERINTENDENT

GOLD HILL, Ore., May 25.—C. W. Courtney of Grants Pass, ex-superintendent of the state lime plant at Gold Hill, was reappointed in that capacity by the board at its recent official meeting at Gold Hill for the purpose of reopening the plant.

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The board proposes to lease the Gold Hill quarry and aerial tramway to the local cement plant and open a shellard deposit here in the valley and supply the marl in conjunction with ground limestone for fertilizers. If these two plans are adopted it will be the means of keeping the Gold Hill lime plant in constant operation and supply the farmers of Oregon limestone fertilizers at the minimum cost. The plans of the local cement plant, in assisting the state plant, likewise will give a reduction in cost per ton of the limestone quarried at the state plant, due to the advantages of this quarry and the shorter railroad haul to the cement plant.

The capacity of the present equipment at the Gold Hill quarry of the lime plant, for crushing limestone ready for the two plants, is about 100 tons a day, which will be ample to supply the wants of both concerns.

The cement plant is now operating two quarries. The principal one is five miles below the plant and the rock is shipped to the plant by rail, while the other quarry is located at the plant in Gold Hill. Operating at the state plant will not increase the output of limestone, but will reduce the output at the other two quarries.

O. A. C. POULTRY EXPERT MAKES ASHLAND VISIT

By JOHN H. FULLER (Sec. Chamber of Commerce.)
Professor H. Cosby of the O. A. C. extension, director of the poultry department, spent the afternoon here in company with the secretary of the Chamber of Commerce and Fred C. Hollibaugh, visiting some of the poultry ranches in and about Ashland. Mr. Cosby expressed the opinion that no place on the Pacific coast presents better opportunities for this industry than sections of the territory in and about Ashland. Relative to the market conditions at the present time Professor Cosby stated that the Co-operative state association is achieving excellent results. Asked if the low price prevailing recently tended to discourage the increase in the business, Prof. Cosby stated that only the amateur poultry raiser tended to become discouraged and drop out and on the other hand the old experienced poultry raisers were increasing the size of their flocks and are raising more chickens than ever. It is Professor Cosby's plan to designate a particular ranch and commence a series of demonstration meetings at such location. The first meeting will be held somewhere near the date of Aug. 1. The ranch of Mr. Gottschalk south of Ashland was visited and may be designated as the place for these gatherings. The Southern Oregon Poultry association will hold a meeting at the time of this demonstration and plans will then be advanced for the big poultry show in connection with the Ashland Winter Fair next December.

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"Money Is Not Necessary" Says Student President

UNIVERSITY OF OREGON, Eugene, Ore., May 31.—"Two things are necessary to acquire a college education — ambition and energy.

With these two qualities, money is a non-essential," declares Carlton R. Savage, president of the Associated Students of the University of Oregon, who has made his way entirely, thus backing up his statement that money is not a necessary condition of a college education.

Mr. Savage, who will graduate in June, and who was elected to the highest office among the students, has turned his hand at a multitude of jobs in order to earn his own way. He has served as a waiter in a restaurant, as a maid-of-all-work in a private home, putting in wood, working in a cafeteria, waiting tables at Friendly Hall and as laundry agent. During the summers he has worked in the harvest fields, in the forest service and has clerked in a country store.

"My four years at the University of Oregon," he says, "have made me a firm believer in education, and have made me a better citizen."

"PURPLE CIRCUS" PLAYS ASHLAND, GRANITE STREET

The "Purple Circus", renowned as the possessors of the only "horned tiger" in existence, pitched its tent in Ashland Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Stearns, 71 Granite street. The circus company was formed by 25 members of the city's youthful younger set having homes on Granite street. The entertainment is said to have been a "regular affair" by those who paid five cents admission price into the coffers of the "company" and swelled the entrance receipts to \$7.50. The profits of the business venture were spent for ice cream at the close of the performance.

The parade started on Granite street at one o'clock. An elephant, coyote, and the horned tiger featured the parade. Listed among the human attractions of the circus were giants, clowns, and the Gold Dust Twins.

A boxing match and swimming match formed part of the afternoon's entertainment. The swimming match was the attraction of a side show for which separate admission was charged. Success of the event depended on the ability of a wooden match to float in a pool of water.

The staff of the juvenile circus was complete even to the employment of an advance agent who, days in advance of the event, decorated conspicuous places on Granite avenue with posters and board bills announcing the attractions of the "Purple Circus." As the company said "even the grown ups turned out to see our circus."

A notable fact in history is that the world has always stepped to freedom over the bodies of her martyrs.

Sap-And-Salt-In-The-Woods To Entertain Ashland Children

Final arrangements were made last night at a formal meeting held at the Austin Hotel in Ashland for the children's party to be given by Jesse Winburn at Long's Cabin, now known as Sap-and-Salt-in-the-Woods, six miles up the Ashland Creek Canyon. Professor Vintag acted as Chairman.

Mrs. F. G. Swendenburg was chosen general manager of the event, and the following committees were appointed:

Reception—Mrs. F. G. Swendenburg, Mrs. Lamkin, Mrs. George O. Jervis, Mrs. John W. Dill, Medford, Mrs. Chas. T. Sweeney, Mrs. E. A. Welch, Mrs. J. P. Hittson, Jacksonville, Mrs. G. A. Gardiner. This committee was empowered to choose additional members.

Entertainment—Miss Edith Sweeney and Mrs. Francis Montgomery.

Decoration—Miss Anna D. Kopp.

Refreshments—Mrs. J. H. Fuller, Mrs. F. H. Johnson, Mrs. Bert Moses.

Music—Mrs. E. A. Wood.

Children's Welfare—Mrs. Cadwell, Mrs. G. L. Loomis, Miss Eva Poley and Miss Nellie B. Ross.

Caterer—Mrs. Ben Garnett.

Children between the age of 5 and 14 years who have been invited by members of the Reception Committee and Mr. Winburn, will be welcomed also other children between those ages. No child will be denied.

167 STUDENTS TO GRADUATE FROM STATE UNIVERSITY

UNIVERSITY OF OREGON, Eugene, Ore., May 31.—On the 20th of June, 167 students will be graduated from the University of Oregon. This is the largest of the 43 graduating classes turned out by the University.

Of those graduating, 126 will receive the degree of bachelor of arts, 24 bachelor of science, 4 bachelor of science in education, 13 bachelor of business administration, 1 bachelor of music and 5 bachelor of law.

The commencement address will be given by Mr. Edgar B. Piper, editor of the Morning Precedent. The baccalaureate address will be given by Virgil Johnson, of the class of '96 who is now general secretary of the National Association of Travelers' Aid Societies with headquarters in New York.

BUYERS STRIKE IS THREATENING COAL FAMINE

CHICAGO, May 31.—A buyer's coal strike, now prevalent as precipitating the country into a coal famine similar to that of last year, according to Amodeo J. Casey, editor of a coal magazine, here today.

So serious is the condition, that Chicago town banks are devising systems of loaning money to consumers in an effort to encourage purchase of coal at the reasonable rates said to be existing at this time. Unless coal is purchased now, Casey said, an inevitable famine will take place during the fall and winter. The railroads now are in a position to handle coal shipments, he added. In the fall and winter months, shipments from the mine will be more infrequent because of the lack of coal at the mines, shut down due to the lack of demand.

"The possibilities of trouble are greater this year than they ever have been," Casey declared. "The mines are capable of storing a small amount of coal. But this amount will not be sufficient to meet the needs during the cold spell."

Coal production since the first of the year has been 115,258,000 tons compared with 153,553,000 last year, Casey said. This is due to the lack of demand.

"I do not see anything now that can avert a serious shortage of coal next winter, unless the consumer wakes up to the appeal of the operators to buy now, so as to keep the mines in operation, Casey concluded. "Those who have heeded the repeated warnings and have obtained their winter's supply of coal have every reason to congratulate themselves when the cold weather comes."

each car being chaperoned by one of the ladies on the committee.

The Medford and Jacksonville children are to meet at the Hotel Medford at 12 o'clock noon, and will be brought to the Hotel Austin by stage and there they will be transferred to other cars and conveyed up the canyon, carefully chaperoned. Mrs. Judge Gardner will take the children from Jacksonville to Medford by auto.

Some children will be taken to the party by their parents in their own cars, and if they have additional room they are requested to stop at the Hotel Austin and help take some of the other children with them.

The entertainment will consist of various games, prizes to be given to the winners. There will also be fancy dancing by a party of children from Medford, and other features of interest to the little ones. The music will be furnished by the children of Ashland.

Refreshments will be served at 4 o'clock and the children will leave for home about 5 o'clock, arriving at the Hotel Austin about 6. The Medford and Jacksonville children will reach home about 6:30.

Parents are requested to dress their children in rumpers or play clothes, and if the weather be cool to supply them with suitable wraps. In the event of bad weather the party will be postponed to a later date.

Any member of the Reception Committee will supply further information if called upon by parents. JESSE WINBURN.