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THE PEOPLE'S FORUM.

To the editor:

Mr. Grower, would it not be a pretty good idea, while Mr. Greer is looking after the hotel situation, Mr. Galey getting the granite quarry on a paying basis, Mr. Hadfield and others rejuvenating the iron foundry, Mr. Enders building and establishing a new wholesale house, Ben Delsman putting in a box factory, the chamber of commerce pulling off the biggest Fourth of July ever read about, the city council getting out of the way of the boys with their fireworks, the W. C. T. U. recalling the sheriff, and the governor swatting the K. K. K.'s, for you to get your hammer and tongs out and at least go to making a noise about your markets, or the price you got for your apples last year? How does less than 50 cents net when you sell green apples per box, stack up with 20 cents per pound when you buy the dried ones back? Aren't you getting tired of raising fruit, good, had and indifferent, pouring it all into the same hopper? If it sells all right; if it rots, you pay the bills just the same; when you might, by establishing a cannery and a dryer, separate the good shipping varieties from the poor, giving you a better price for the former and at least something for the latter. When a salesman has only one way to dispose of fruit, he has to make the good sell the bad, as far as possible. Of course, we are told by some people that canneries do not pay. I suppose that all the people in the east that are canning the goods that you and I eat and which has been shipped across the continent, are starving to death. Don't we need to establish payrolls and home industries? That's the way I see it. It may be because I'm eating Ashland-baked bread, instead of that shipped in from Portland, but that is the way it looks to me. What! Do you claim that the merchant is to blame when you eat Portland-baked bread instead of Ashland? You go to Sam Hill! He gives you just what you call for. You demand home brew and see how quick you get it. No one crop country is a good place to live in. Let us prepare to diversify our crops and then we will come into our own. J. H. D.

TOURISTS AT ASHLAND AUTO CAMP GLAD TO PAY

(Medford Mail-Tribune)

J. H. Doran, the caretaker of the Ashland automobile camp grounds, says that he finds the sentiment very strong among the tourists in favor of the standardized pay camp over the free ones, and that the number who object to pay is exceedingly small against those who show a preference to the charge being made. Ashland has a standardized camp with the privilege of a ten-day stay. The first two days a charge of 50 cents per day is made, and additional days at the rate of 25 cents per day. Since May 22, the day upon which they began to charge, 925 cars were registered up to last night. One-third of the cars stay the second day and longer, so that the approximate receipts for the past two months in round figures are \$616. William Davis, the caretaker of the Medford automobile camp grounds, reports that he has registered 538 cars since March 20, and approximately one car out of every six, stay the second day and longer. If Medford would have been in a position to offer the tourists a standardized service this season, the income up to this time would have been approximately \$215.

CALIFORNIA PEOPLE VISIT IN ASHLAND

Mr. and Mrs. William Storm and Mr. and Mrs. Lee of San Diego, Calif. are in the city visiting with Mr. Storm's sister, Mrs. Sylvan Provost, and his brother, B. F. Storm. They will go to Medford for a visit with Mrs. Storm's sister, Mrs. Crowson, and will later visit Crater Lake. They are on an extended trip which will take them to the most northern territory of the United States—Alaska.

Rhythmic Philosophy

By Dick Posey

OUR MARBLE CAVES

Would you thread a quail's fairland, room after room, With their settings so airy and free, As fresh as the lily just sprung into bloom, Yet as old as the rim of the sea? Would you enter a realm that has never known time, Where the sands have been choked in the glass? Would you see vast stalactites a-glitter with rime That slumber while centuries pass? Then come to these halls where vast eons have trod, While none watched but the Eye from above; Where the marble gleams white as the great throne of God And the water drips pure as His love.

Ah, the wonderful patience that time could not stop, As the Builder his temple did cast, While he shaped forms and fancies from each crystal drop As the ages rolled into the past. Sweet silences reigned in these vast marble halls Ere Jehovah had fashioned the ear. Save the water that dripped from these glistening walls, Ever building and building each year.

And time dragged his steps o'er the long dreary trail, And mankind came into his own, San Salvador welcomed Columbus' white sail, But God's masterpiece slumbered unknown, And men founded homes in our beautiful land, On the shores of the far eastern sea, And builded a government splendid and grand, Granting freedom to you and to me; And westward they surged in a great seething horde, Ever building, and building with care, But the voice of that silence still whispered unheard, While Old Baldy stood sentinel there.

And then, afterwards, in the Builder's own time, When the ripeness of harvest was right, He lifted the veil from the temple sub'lime, And a world stands aghast at the sight!

Because the Medford camp lacks the conveniences of a standardized camp, the tourists are not attracted here, nor are they anxious to stop any longer than necessary. Valuable data is being secured this year in both Ashland and Medford camps, which will undoubtedly influence the citizens of Medford in making their camp a source of income instead of an expense to the taxpayers.

PUPILS OF MADAME TRACY YOUNG IN CONCERT RECITAL

The advanced pupils of Madame Tracy Young gave a concert program last evening at the Armory, under her supervision, which has never been equaled in Ashland, or perhaps in the state, taking into consideration the fact that the average age of the pupils is less than 20 years. While this was the first public appearance for a number of those taking part, the music could not have been excelled by professionals, and demonstrated the wonderful ability, technique and skill of the teacher. It would have been a herculean task for a critic to select the best number of the concert, so good were all the selections given.

The program began at 8 p. m., and continued until a few minutes after 11, being one of the longest concert programs ever held here, and thoroughly appreciated from beginning to end by the audience. Madame Young has spent much time and energy preparing for the concert, both in coaching the pupils and in other details, and the people of Ashland are very much indebted to her for the fine program which they had the privilege of hearing, as the result of her efforts.

There was no admission charge to the concert, but a collection was taken up between the first and second parts of the program, the total sum being donated by Madame Young to the Civic Clubhouse fund.

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At the program's close, Mrs. Robertson and her pupils served the visitors with cool, delicious punch.

TELEPHONE EMPLOYEES TO HAVE PICNIC SUNDAY, 25TH

The annual picnic of the employees of the Pacific Telephone and Telegraph company in the Rogue river valley, will be held Sunday at the Elks' picnic ground on Rogue river, and all plans have been completed for the event of the year in telephone annals. Athletic sports of every description will be indulged in, and some very handsome prizes will be hung up for the winners of the different events.

Ashland merchants have very generously donated a number of prizes to be offered, and the picnic committee is thankful to all who have taken this method of aiding the success of the affair. The following have donated prizes:

Suggs Millinery, Elhart's Drug Store, Porter's Confectionery, Murphy's Electric, Ford Garage, Dickerson's Paint Shop, Stock's, Ideal Grocery, Holmes Grocery, Plaza Market, Simpson's Hardware, Detrick's Groceries, Mitchell's Clothing, Plaza Confectionery, Ashland Studio, Provost Hardware, Isaac & Co., Kay & Morrison, Enders' Dry Goods, Hodgkinson's Jewelry, Enders Grocery, Price's Confectionery, Krugger Brothers, Elkhorn Gun Store; Square Deal Grocery, East Side pharmacy, Irwin's, Bond & Atkin, Golden Rule, Johnson's Jewelry, Plummer's Grocery, Rose Brothers, McGee's, Ninninger & Warner, Class A Garage, Swenson & McRae, McNair's Drugs, Darling Studio, and Perrine's.

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ROBERT HERRIN AND DORTHEA FRULAN WED

Robert Herrin and Dorthea Frulan were married Wednesday, June 21, at the home of Gladys Hastings in Portland, and arrived in Ashland the latter part of the week, after having witnessed the Rose Festival at the metropolis.

Mr. Herrin is the only son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Herrin, who reside north of the city on a ranch. Mrs. Herrin is the only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Frulan, of 661 B street. Both Mr. and Mrs. Herrin have a wide circle of acquaintances in and about Ashland, who wish them every happiness in the world. The newlyweds will make their home with the groom's parents on the home ranch.

NARCOTICS ARE STOLEN FROM OFFICE OF DR. WOOD

Burglars gained entrance to the private office of Dr. E. A. Woods some time Tuesday night and carried away a considerable quantity of narcotics, which the doctor carries in stock for use in his practice. The thieves entered the office by way of the transom. They did not molest anything else in the office. No clue has been found in the case, though it is thought by police to have been the work of local characters.

CHESS PLAYER MAKES NOVEL SUGGESTION

D. Looney, a champion chess player, from Weed, Calif., is in the city. Having just gotten out after a tussle with pneumonia, he is here recuperating. Mr. Looney suggests a novel scheme of chess board for the park. He suggests a board be constructed out of cement, with squares about two each way, so as to permit the players to walk around through it to make their moves. The chessmen would be turned out of cedar and be high enough that the players could move them while standing erect. It is a novel and attractive scheme and no doubt would draw chess players from all over the country, if carried out.

BRIDE-TO-BE IS GUEST AT DELIGHTFUL PICNIC

Several pre-nuptial affairs have been given for Miss Nellie Beaver, a Junior high teacher for a number of years, whose marriage to Ed. M. Stannard, of Berkeley, Calif., occurs on the 28th of the month, the latest being a picnic party among the profusion of greenery and brilliant flowers at Encanto Heights, the mountain home of Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Yockey at the edge of town. The guests of the party were the families of A. M. Beaver and Walter Herndon; also Mrs. Agnes Herndon and Miss Amy Stannard, of Berkeley.

COUNTY SEAT BOYS FLIRTING WITH TROUBLE

No doubt you have seen how lively rats or mice scamper off to their holes when a cat suddenly appears among them. That is exactly the way several boys scampered away from the city reservoir west of town one day this week when Marshal Doc Jones suddenly swooped down upon them when they were swimming in the clear and majestic waters of the reservoir, says the Jacksonville Post. One of the boys was so scared that he ran clear home to town with only the clothes that he wore when he first came into this world of sin and sorrow. The marshal intends to keep a sharp lookout and next time the boys use the reservoir for a swimming pond, they are likely to go home minus their skins as well as their clothes.

RED CROSS ENTERTAINS DISABLED VETERANS

Sixty-five disabled war veterans were passengers on train 53, passing through Ashland last evening. They were on their way to San Francisco to attend the convention being held there of men disabled in the late war. The local Red Cross chapter served the men with coffee and sandwiches at the depot, and the Ladies Auxiliary of the American Legion presented them with flowers.

Among the number were sufficient musicians to make up a good band and they played a number of selections while the train was in the station.

FORMER ASHLAND MAN TO BE BURIED AT ROCK POINT

George Damon, recordkeeper of the local lodge, Knights of Macabees, received the following telegram today: "Henry L. White, formerly of Ashland, will be buried at Rock Point, Oregon. His body will arrive at Gold Hill Sunday morning on train 14."

REV. MRS. CHAMPIE MARRIED TO FRANK PATTERSON TODAY

Frank Patterson, Medford artist and photographer, and Mrs. Josephine Champie, pastor of the Christian church of this city, were united in marriage at the First Christian church of Ashland at 7:30 o'clock this morning, Rev. C. F. Koehler officiating.

The church had been quietly decorated without the knowledge of the contracting parties, and presented an elegant appearance. Quite a host of friends and members of the congregation were present to witness the ceremony. Promptly on the hour, the bride, attractively dressed in white, bearing a beautiful bridal bouquet, and leaning on the arm of the groom, followed the officiating clergyman to a place at the front of the church where the wedding took place.

After the ceremony the newlyweds left on a journey to the Josephine caves and Portland for a trip which will cover about six weeks. They have not yet fully decided where they will make their permanent residence, but their many friends of course hope that Ashland will be the community of their choice.

CITY COUNCIL PASSES ON SEVERAL ORDINANCES

The city council met in regular session on Tuesday evening, with Councilmen Shinn and Pierce absent. Several ordinances came up for consideration and were disposed of.

An ordinance prohibiting the sale or giving away of liquor was strengthened by adding some necessary words and will make the drawing up of a complaint less intricate than it has been heretofore.

The ordinance in regard to the selling and exploding of fireworks in the city limit was repealed, which leaves the city law the same as the state law in this connection.

A special ordinance was brought before the council, placing a special license on jitney busses during the celebration on the third and fourth of July. Upon the council tying on the vote on this measure, the mayor exercised his right to vote and defeated the ordinance.

An ordinance to grant concessions for temporary businesses and amusements in the park and other parts of the city during the celebration, was taken up and passed.

An ordinance was passed to renew the present rights as they now exist between the Southern Pacific company and the city regarding keel-tain water and light privileges.

A new parking ordinance was considered and passed. This makes a radical change in parking on all the paved streets of the city. The new ruling provides that all cars shall back to the curb instead of driving in forward, and that when standing with the rear wheel against the curb the right front wheels must not be further than five feet nor nearer than three to the curb. No light are required on machines where parked near a street light, but they must display lights when parked in dark areas.

Another item of interest was a petition which was presented, asking that a boxing commission be appointed for the city of Ashland. The mayor presented the names of H. K. Tomlinson, P. K. Hammond, I. E. Vining, L. F. Ferguson and A. C. Ninninger to the council for members of such a board. They were confirmed by the council with Mr. Ninninger as chairman.

Various other minor matters were taken up and disposed of during the session.

FORMER ASHLAND GIRL TO ENTER MISSION WORK

Miss Hattie Mitchell, from the Indianapolis school of missions, expects to be in Ashland a few days this week to visit her relatives, the Poley family. Miss Mitchell is en route to the Willamette valley to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Horace Mitchell, former Ashland residents. She expects, after visiting her parents and friends to embark this fall for Africa, where she goes as a missionary. The best wishes of a host of Ashland friends will go with her in her new field of work.

TALENT PEOPLE HAVE PICNIC PARTY IN PARK

A birthday party was given to Mrs. L. J. Sleppy, of Talent, by her friends and relatives, Friday evening in Lithia park. There were 25 present and a fine time was enjoyed by all. A bounteous supper was served.

NEWLYWEDS WILL VISIT IN ASHLAND

A Honolulu dispatch to the Oregonian says that Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Day, who were married there June 3, will leave shortly for the mainland where they will spend their honeymoon motoring on the coast. Their itinerary includes a visit to Ashland, where the bride's father, George Hamlin, resides. Mrs. Day was formerly Miss Frances Hamlin, for eight years an instructor in St. Andrew's priory, Honolulu.

PIONEER REPUBLICAN AND MASON IS DEAD

EUGENE, June 26.—Silas M. Yoran, one of the oldest pioneer residents of Lane county, prominent for many years in republican politics of Oregon and high in Masonic circles, died at his home here Saturday, at the age of 87 years.

Epworth Leaguers On Gypsy Tour

Sunburned and tired, but happy and enthusiastic over what they declare the most gorgeously scenic round-the-circle trip in the west, Methodist Epworth League members returned the latter part of last week from their annual outing. This year the outing shaped itself into a regular gypsy tour, lasting ten days and covering 500 miles of valley, mountain and sea shore roads. From Ashland to Crescent City, Calif., and return by another route was the trail followed.

Leaguers who heard the red gods call and up and followed were: Mr. and Mrs. High and little daughter, Dr. and Mrs. W. J. Crandall, Mrs. Eric Weren, Mrs. Burroughs, Mrs. Edna Clark, Isabelle Wattenbarger, Hazel Bruner, Edna Kennedy, Ethel Reid, Jean Anderson, I. C. Wilson and John O. Rigg. Loaded into two cars and two Fords, festooned with camp equipment, they left Ashland Tuesday, June 6, at 8:30 a. m., which by a strange coincidence, they say, was exactly the time planned for departure.

Through Medford and Grants Pass over the highway, their itinerary brought them to Waldo for the first night's sojourn under the stars. Here, the beauties of smoking cook fires and boulder-strewn couches were demonstrated, but undaunted, the pilgrims drove over the mountains the next day and camped Wednesday night in the giant redwoods of the extreme northwestern corner of California. Noon of the next day saw the party in camp on the beach at Crescent City, where for three days all the pleasures of life on the sea shore—bathing, clam digging, fishing for crabs, hunting for agates, and the pursuit of the elusive sand flea, were enjoyed to the last notch. The best of luck was encountered in unearthing the modest and retiring clam, but it is reported a few of the Leaguers were not so lucky when it came to eating him.

However, no casualties ensued, and Monday morning the gypsy trail was taken up again. Through Brookings and Gold Beach, over roads wonderfully smooth in parts and excruciatingly rough in others, the caravan journeyed to Port Orford, which the Leaguers say boasts the most beautiful camping grounds on their route, set among the famous cedar trees of that section, with the open sea for a background. Tuesday the trail led through Bandon, North Bend, Marshfield and over the old Coos Bay wagon road to Camas Valley, where the last camp was pitched at an abandoned sawmill. The occasion was celebrated as "stunt night, the occupants of each car pulling off a little entertainment for the others, each in turn. Next day, the Pacific highway was encountered at Dillard, and followed to Ashland and home.

Members of the party report much interest in Ashland's Ford and Fourth days along the road, and state that many declared their intention of being in Ashland for the two big days, "with bells on." According to John Rigg, some of the denizens of Del Norte county, Calif., have never heard of Mr. Volstead and his well-known act, as some members of this upright caravan were asked to sample the local brand of "chain lightning." He also says that the scenery held such an attraction for one of the ladies of the party that she was forced to tie herself to her camp cot nights to keep from wandering around in it in her sleep.

All the amateur gypsies unite in raving over the beautiful redwoods, the hillsides blazing with rhododendrons and alzoa, the little rivers that drop down toward the sea, and the sight of the sun sinking in the broad Pacific. With profound regret, it is said, they dropped their roving career for the old routine again.

RANCHER PREDICTS DEATH IS FOUND DEAD IN CHAIR

KLAMATH FALLS, June 25.—S. W. Neat, 50 years of age, who resided on a small chicken ranch on the Keno road about one mile from this city, was found dead in a chair in his house about 8 o'clock Friday night, by M. R. Spencer, a neighbor. Neat had predicted he would die in this manner, neighbors said. Death was believed due to heart failure.

Coroner who took charge of the body, said Neat had probably died the night before. He was sitting in a natural position with his head thrown back, and apparently had left bed because of shortage of breath.

In reply to a telegram, G. W. Neat, a brother residing at Yelm, Washington, replied that he was leaving immediately for this city.

SURPRISE PARTY GIVEN FOR ELLWYN DUNLAP

Ellwyn, the little son of Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Dunlap, of 266 Third street, was very pleasantly surprised Wednesday afternoon by eight of his little friends, it being his eighth birthday.

After playing various childish games and partaking of refreshments of strawberries and cake, they departed, having had an enjoyable time and wishing Ellwyn many more happy birthdays.

Those present were: Cleo Sherard, Margaret Fitzwater, Lloyd Keene, Claudie Keene, Clifford Goodlet, Elizabeth Wolcott, Lenora King and Bonita Dunlap.

HAPPY SURPRISE SPRUNG ON MRS. ANNA MOSS

The home of Mrs. Anna Moss, on the Boulevard, was the scene of a happy surprise last night, when a number of friends came in dressed in bungalow aprons and loaded with ice cream and cake. The evening was passed in games and music.

Those present were: Mesdames Cora Dodge, J. B. Harrell, George Robinson, S. A. Peters Sr., Ruth Guisinger, Emma McKibben, Cliff Payne, Abbie Hood, James Putnam, Will Rice, R. C. Porter, E. D. Jennings, Mary Erickson, Jane Clapp, Mary Meade, Charles Keltton, Henry Reid, C. J. Brady, Alfred Moss, Anna Moss and Miss Mildred Moss.

PARENT-TEACHERS WILL SHOW MORE PICTURES

The Parent-Teachers' association have been assured by the management of the Vining theatre that if "Little Lord Fauntleroy," the moving picture sponsored by the body, is a success financially, they will be glad to co-operate in the future and allow the Parent-Teachers to share in presenting other good entertainments for the children.

Notice of Appointment of Executor and to Present Claims

In the County Court of the County of Jackson in and for the State of Oregon.

In the Matter of the Estate of Virginia Fales, deceased.

Notice is hereby given, that I, Abraham Lincoln Lamb, have been appointed by the said court as the executor of the estate of Virginia Fales, deceased. All persons having claims against the said estate are hereby required to present the same, duly verified, to the undersigned, or his attorneys, Briggs & Briggs, in the Pioneer block, in Ashland, Oregon, within six months from the date of the first publication of this notice.

Date of first publication, June 7, 1922. ABRAHAM LINCOLN LAMB, 41-4wed

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

NOTICE is hereby given, that the undersigned has been appointed executor of the estate of James C. Gibson, deceased, by the county court of Jackson county, Oregon, and has qualified. All persons having claims against said estate are notified to present same to me at the law office of W. J. Moore in Ashland, Oregon, with proper vouchers and duly verified, within six months from the first publication hereof, which is June 21st, 1922.

BERT H. SMITH, 43-5-wed Executor.

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