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RHODODENDRON FESTIVAL IS NOW CLOSE AT HAND

Coronation of Queen Rhododendron On May 22 Will Be Beautiful Affair

The annual rhododendron festival to be held in Florence Saturday, May 22, promises to be a brilliant success. A very expensive program is being prepared and arrangements to entertain the largest crowd ever assembled in Florence.

The coronation will be on a barge or boat near the city dock, Hon. E. E. Benedict being selected to crown her majesty. The queen-elect will be conveyed to coronation in a "dandy" supported by four big husky "dandy" wallahs, and preceded by the Grand Marshal of the Day, John L. Furnish, who will have his sword drawn and flourishing it, shout to the multitude to "make way" for the royal party.

The "dandy" in which she rides will be made of rhododendron wood and flowers and will excel in beauty any now in use in the far east; it would make Lew Wallace's Prince of India "mad as a wet hen" to see it, for it surpasses in grandeur the one in which his adopted daughter Lael was supported.

She will be met at the landing by Hon. E. E. Benedict who will escort her and the Maids of Honor to the most glorious palace of rhododendron ever conceived.

After the coronation T. A. Yost, Lord Mayor of Florence, will deliver an address of welcome to Her Majesty, Queen Rhododendron, maids of honor and subjects, kneeling at her feet, will turn over to her two keys made of rhododendron; one the key to the city and the other the key to the hearts of her subjects.

Following this will be the naval parade on Sluslaw bay amid music from Florence band and firing of salutes from Glenada side.

On return to the city wharf the Queen will be escorted in her "dandy" to her permanent palace, where she will listen to an address on the Sluslaw Bar Improvement issue delivered by the Hon. L. E. Bean of Eugene, then will be dined at Bay View hotel at 12 o'clock.

In the afternoon, beginning at 2, the school exercises and address by H. W. Thompson of Eugene, followed by the boat races and athletic sports. In the evening a dance will be given in honor of Queen Rhododendron and her Maids of Honor. Music furnished by Gardiner orchestra, with piano accompaniment. The Queen will lead the grand march.—Florence West.

FLOUR ADVANCES IN ALL CITIES OF NORTHWEST

Portland, Or., May 16.—Advances in food prices of general interest to consumers are being made in the flour and butter markets. Yesterday morning there was an effective advance of 20 cents a barrel in all grades of domestic flour. This brings the wholesale price of patent flour up to \$6.25 a barrel, the highest price at which flour has been quoted in the local market for many years.

The advance is due not only to high price of wheat, but to the fact that stocks of flour in the northwest have run down to the danger point. The smaller mills have nearly all exhausted their surplus of flour and the larger mill are said to have barely enough to carry them through to the time when new-crop wheat will be available. A similar advance of 20 cents a barrel occurred in the Seattle market Friday. In the East flour prices are even higher than on the Pacific Coast.

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MRS. O'FLYNG AT METHODIST CHURCH

Mrs. Gertrude Johnson O'Flyng, of Tacoma, will give an interpretive recital at the Methodist church Monday evening, May 17. Mrs. O'Flyng received her O. B. degree from Willamette University, and has studied under Eastern teachers. She was for two years at the head of the department of Oratory of Philomath College, and has had a wide experience in platform work. She has earned an enviable reputation as an entertainer and is sure to fill the house at a second recital.

Mrs. O'Flyng gave a recital in this city last November under the auspices of the Epworth League of the Methodist church. Those who heard her will be delighted at the announcement of her second appearance before an Eugene audience.

She will give an evening of miscellaneous selections, giving ample opportunity for her great versatility and impersonating ability in handling subjects of so different a character. Her rendition of pathetic portions of her program will bring the tears to the eyes of the most impassive nature; the exciting scenes make the eyes sparkle and the pulse move faster, while her laughable characters are simply irresistible. Admission, 25 cents.

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RANCHER KILLED WIFE WITH CLEAVER

Hillsboro, Or., May 16.—Because his girl wife gave him skim milk for breakfast instead of cream, John D. Roselair picked up a cleaver and crushed in her head.

The murder occurred Saturday morning in a lonely mountain home ten miles above Buxton, this county, and 29 miles from Hillsboro, near the scene where Walter Johnson killed Elmer Perdue early in July of last year.

Removing the woman's bloody clothing and destroying all traces of the crime, Roselair set things to rights about the house and waited until 10 o'clock last night, when he traveled 29 miles through the rain and darkness to this city and surrendered himself at an early hour this morning to Sheriff Hancock.

He admitted the killing and said they quarrelled over the milk for the coffee and that his wife threw a milk pan at him.

FAST TRAIN TO BAY CITY JUNE 1

Portland, May 17.—Orders for the assembling of the equipment for the new 27-hour limited train for the Portland-San Francisco service have gone forth from Chicago. If the equipment required for this solid-vestibule Pullman train, which will be electric lighted throughout, can be gathered together in time, the crack service will be inaugurated one week from yesterday, May 23. If delays are encountered, the opening of the new service will be put off for another week.

South bound, the new 27 hour train will have a daylight run through Oregon.

The train will leave Portland and San Francisco simultaneously, at either 6 or 6:30 p. m., arriving at destination at 9 or 9:30 p. m., the following day.

NOTICE.

Sealed proposals will be received by the building committee of the B. P. O. E. Lodge of Eugene until June 24, 1909, for the purchase of their property situated on West 8th street between Willamette and Olive streets; 40 feet front on 8th by 160 feet deep, with a two-story brick building on the same, 40x80 feet.

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Address all bids to F. W. Osburn, at the Eugene Loan & Savings Bank. L. T. HARRIS, Chairman. R. M. DAY, Secretary. Building Com.

ATTENTION, IOWA PEOPLE.

All Iowa people will meet to hold a picnic in the Campbell and Walker grove between their hop houses on the electric line running to the river west of Springfield on Thursday morning at 9 o'clock a. m., May 27, '09. All welcome. Bring your baskets well filled. Badges will be issued. Come one, come all, and have an all day good time. A good program. By order of committee, C. D. ANDREWS, Chm. E. F. Chapman, Pres. Association.

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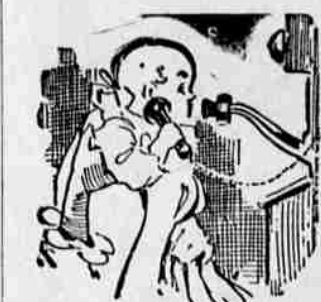
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