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The Red Cross Workers Drive Hard

The Red Cross workers in this district are driving hard. Red Cross week will go down in history. The drive for the \$100,000,000 Red Cross fund is being executed vigorously all over the United States.

In this district the work began with a meeting in Cowley's Rest Room on Monday afternoon, when R. H. Paxson, team captain, organized the work for this district. Three squads were formed and the work was divided among them. Monday evening the big dinner at the University Club, Medford, was given by the club for the army of workers who were to start the big drive the following day. The dinner was a delightful affair, both from the material standpoint and the social. Much praise was given the University Club for the fine dinner and the hospitality extended to the visitors. Following the dinner and the social hour, the Red Cross men went across to the Public Library campus to hear the address of the evening. The program opened with several splendid numbers by the Choral Union chorus, led by George Andrews. The evening was grand and the music in the open air was a delightful treat. After the music Rev. W. B. Hamilton introduced the speaker of the evening, Edgar B. Piper, editor-in-chief of the Oregonian. Although Mr. Piper does not make any pretensions as an orator, he delivered what has been pronounced by many as a masterly and scholarly address. He brought out clearly the fact, that is beginning to be realized, that the great World War is, after all, the inevitable struggle for supremacy between the two vital principles of civilization—the old and the new, or autocracy and democracy.

Tuesday morning at 9 o'clock the local Red Cross squads began their work of soliciting from house to house for funds. The local squads are: No. 1, R. W. Elden, J. C. Herring and Rev. P. S. Bandy; No. 2, Wayne Leever and H. T. Pankey; No. 3, R. H. Paxson, who is also captain of the local team, Mayor W. A. Cowley and Lee B. Franklin, with Guy Tex and E. S. Palmer

Musical Arts Quartet

Well Known Chicago Quartet Secured For West This Summer



MUSICAL ARTS QUARTETTE.

THE Musical Arts Quartette, which the Ellison-White Chautauquas are presenting for 1917, is one of the most popular male voice ensembles known to Chautauqua and Lyceum circles. This is the same quartette that formed the male section of the famous Albee Octet which created such a fervor of enthusiasm throughout the East and Middle West. Choice readings, piano-logues and the other delights associated with a quartette of the first rank make up a musical program of refined fun and artistic merit.

ASHLAND CHAUTAUQUA. JULY 11 TO 20

as alternates. The first two squads went by auto, the last squad by "foot passage."

At 1 o'clock the tired, hungry workers were given a fine dinner at the Red Cross headquarters by the Red Cross women. The different squad leaders made their reports and planned the work for the afternoon after the dinner. By night they had raised \$347.25.

Several business men have devoted practically all their time to this work since, and all or parts of the different squads have been out every day. Up to noon today (Thursday) approximately \$670 had been raised. The work will continue until Monday noon.

The men of the local team feel especially grateful to the ladies of the Red Cross for furnishing them a fine dinner every day at 1 o'clock. On Tuesday Mrs. E. S. Palmer, chairman of

the local auxiliary, had charge of the dinner, with Mrs. Anna Lane and Miss Grace Upton assisting. On Wednesday Mrs. R. H. Paxson had charge, with Mrs. Wayne Leever and Mrs. J. L. Cornutt assisting. Today Mrs. R. W. Elden had charge, and Mrs. H. T. Pankey and Mrs. W. H. Ferguson assisted. Mrs. P. S. Bandy will have charge of the dinner Friday.

Annual School Meeting

The annual school meeting was held Monday afternoon at the High School. W. A. Cowley was re-elected by acclamation to serve three years on the school board. Mr. Cowley thanked those present for this evidence of appreciation. J. W. Jacobs was re-elected by acclamation, also, to serve one year as clerk of the board. Mr. Jacobs has held this position for 13 years, which is an honorable record. I. C. Robnett will be the new chairman of the board. L. L. Norcross is the other board member.

Old Resident Called Home

Last Thursday afternoon, June 14, Thos. H. Weedon dropped dead while working in his garden on his farm about 2 miles north of Central Point. He had been subject to heart trouble for some time, and it is believed that he became overheated while working in the garden and that the fatal attack was caused thereby. The funeral was held from the residence on Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock, Rev. Paul S. Bandy officiating. Interment was in Central Point cemetery.

Mr. Weedon was born in Cincinnati, Ohio. He was 76 years old and had been a resident of Jackson county for 19 years. He was a rancher and had been a Mason. He is survived by his widow, Lucinda Weedon, and six children: Mrs. Pearl Duncan of Langell Valley, Klamath county, Wm. Weedon of Klamath Falls, C. T. Weedon of Dunsmuir, California, Arista Weedon of Ashland and G. C. and Shirrel Weedon of Central Point. Mrs. Weedon's parents, William and Mrs. Gregory, also live in Central Point.

The Seventh Day Adventists will hold revival services here beginning tonight. The meetings will be held in a large tent one block north of the Savoy Theatre. Pastor Rhodes of North Dakota will preach.

LOST! Who lost a bank pocket book in Central Point last Sunday? Owner may have same by paying for this ad.

Guy Tex, the local post master, and Henry Riley, an employe of Cowley's Emporium, are going to take the examination for a commission in the army tomorrow. If they can pass a satisfactory examination here, they will be admitted to the officers' training camp in August, where they will receive the "finishing touches" before receiving their commissions as Second Lieutenants.

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