

REFUSE TO ALLOW COLVIG TO QUIT

Directors of Commercial Club Decline to Act on Resignation of President—Meeting of Club Is Called.

The directors of the Medford Commercial club refused to accept the resignation of Judge William M. Colvig as president of that organization at a special directors' meeting held Monday afternoon in the Exhibition building. A general meeting was ordered for Wednesday night, at which time it is hoped that Judge Colvig will withdraw his resignation and continue in his present position of president of the body.

R. H. Hanauer handed in his resignation as a director of the Commercial club, which was accepted. It is not known who will be elected as director in his place.

Dr. Reddy will give an illustrated lecture on his recent trip through Europe Wednesday evening and will also give a description of Monte Carlo, the gaming center of the continent.

Arrangements for the entertaining of the Golden State excursion, composed of representative California business men, which will visit Medford Wednesday afternoon, are being made. It is planned to take the delegates about the city in automobiles, and they will be entertained otherwise if time will permit.

Long March Ordered.

SAN DIEGO, Cal., June 6.—The officers of the provisional brigade now assembled here are preparing for a march soon to Los Angeles about 120 miles, but have not received word about the long march from this city to San Francisco mentioned in dispatches from the Northern city. The officers believe the two regiments will start for Los Angeles next Monday.

Lightning Stroke is Fatal.

KALAMAZOO, Mich., June 5.—Frank J. Hertebus of Vicksburg was struck by lightning during a storm while fishing from a boat in Mud Lake and instantly killed.

Look for "worth-answering" want ads and answer them all!

ASHLAND POWER PLANT COMPLETED

Will Furnish Juice to the City by the End of the Week—There Will Be Plenty of Power for the Needs of the City.

ASHLAND, Or., June 6.—Good fortune has so far attended the city in the installation of the municipal light and power plant. The plant itself is now being tested out and will be ready to furnish power by the end of this week. The distributing system, which is being installed by City Electrician Butterfield, is about all in, and the city's suit to compel the Rogue River Electric Light and Power company to furnish supplementary power has progressed so far and so favorably that it is anticipated Judge Calkins will issue a temporary injunction Wednesday compelling the company to comply with the demands made by the city.

For several days Superintendent J. C. Barnard, assisted by J. D. Castleman, has been "tuning up" the machinery at the power house and the results have been satisfactory. The equipment includes a 600 horsepower water wheel, which operates a 400 horsepower dynamo. Mr. Barnard says that, contrary to predictions which have been made by some there will be enough power and and to spare to furnish the city, except perhaps in cases of excessive dry periods in the summer. Even under conditions similar to those of last year, which was the driest that even the oldest inhabitant could remember, Mr. Barnard says there would be sufficient water to generate 270 horsepower and that last summer the load carried by the Ashland Electric Power and Light company's lines here never exceeded 200 horsepower.

SPEEDER SENTENCED TO 15 DAYS IN JAIL

LOS ANGELES, Cal., June 6.—Found guilty of speeding up Grand Avenue, at a clip exceeding 40 miles an hour, Elmer Wilson, son of Warren Wilson editor of the Los Angeles Journal, a trades paper, was today sentenced by Judge Chambers to serve a straight 15 day term in the city jail.

NEW CHAUTAUQUA BUILDING PLAN

Ashland Wants New Tabernacle Which Will Seat 4500 People—Chautauqua Has Steadily Increased in Popularity.

ASHLAND, Or., June 6.—Plans have been started for the building before another year of a new Chautauqua tabernacle which will seat about 4500 persons, or three times the seating capacity of the present building.

The Southern Oregon Chautauqua assembly, which has been held in Ashland for 19 years, has been steadily increasing in popularity. Last year the capacity of the present tabernacle was overtaxed several times and many were turned away. This is a condition which the leaders of the assembly realize will become more pronounced every year and they propose to launch the scheme for the larger building during the coming session from July 6 to 18.

A committee has been appointed to investigate the matter and decide on the necessary steps to be taken. This committee is composed as follows: E. E. Bagley, H. L. Whited, Mrs. E. N. Smith, C. W. Root and J. S. Smith.

The plan is to utilize the same site as the one occupied by the present building, but the style of architecture will have to be changed in order that the building may be large enough to accommodate the number desired. Plans have already been submitted and are now being considered by the committee.

HIS CANDIDACY WILL COST COMPANY \$60,000

NEW YORK, June 6.—The fact that Sol Rosenblatt had himself nominated for a member of the board of trustees of the Mutual Life Insurance Company, will cost that company about \$60,000. All that Rosenblatt had to do was get his petition signed by 100 policy holders. Now the company will have to print and send besides the administration ticket, the Rosenblatt "opposition" ticket, to the 600,000 policy holders in all parts of the world. This, it is estimated will cost not less than \$60,000.

A Hint From Paris



CRISME AND WHITE STRAW TOQUE WITH VELVET BOWS AND TANGLES.

HEROINE OF TWO WRECKS IS DEAD

VICTORIA, B. C., June 6.—Miss Minnie Paterson, the heroine of the Valencia disaster and Coloma wreck, died at Albarni Sunday. She made a memorable journey on December 8, 1906 over five miles of most difficult train, in a heavy storm to send the government steamer Quadra from Banfield after the storm had prostrated telegraph wires, to rescue Captain Allison and nine others who had abandoned hope when the bark Coloma was being driven ashore at Cape Beale, where she and her husband kept the lighthouse.

During the Valencia disaster she also won fame for her heroic work. Several medals were awarded her and the Canadian government gave her a silver service.

She never recovered from the privations she suffered when she made the trip which resulted in the crew of the Coloma being saved.

Locusts Appear in South.

RICHMOND, Va., June 6.—Seventeen-year locusts have suddenly appeared in thousands in Chesterfield county exactly as the department of agriculture predicted. A complete letter "W" is on each wing of the big insects, and they have tiny red claws. Old Virginia folk lore has it that this locust is a harbinger of war.

WILL ENTERTAIN EXCURSIONISTS

Preparations Made to Greet California Business Men When They Reach This City Wednesday Afternoon on Their Way North.

Preparations are being made for the entertainment of the Golden State excursion, composed of representative business men from various California cities, who will visit Medford for a short time Wednesday afternoon and the delegates will be taken for a tour of the city in automobiles. A number of automobile owners have already offered the use of their machines. About thirty automobiles will be required but these will no doubt be forthcoming for the occasion. A short tour of this sort will display the advantages of Medford settled than any other means, considering the short time the visitors will be in the city.

POISONOUS SPIDER FROM TROPICS VISITS ASHLAND

ASHLAND, June 6.—A big, hairy tarantula, the poisonous spider of the tropics, was discovered in a bunch of bananas at the Ashland Trading company's store a couple of days ago. The pleasure of finding this curiosity fell to Merrill Lovelady, a clerk. The bunch of bananas was hanging in the front of the store, when Lovelady took hold of it and brought it within a few inches of his face in order to inspect the bananas. What was his horror to discover the huge spider almost within striking distance. Lovelady emitted one yell, threw the bunch of bananas into one end of the store and turned a back somersault into the other. When he recovered his equilibrium and his self-possession he attacked the spider with a stick and succeeded in killing it. It is now on exhibition in the store window.

"Gallery" of Bibulous Ones.

LINCOLN, Neb., June 5.—The Lincoln Excise board has adopted a rule requiring friends and relatives of habitual drunkards to furnish pictures of the bibulous ones for the better information of the saloon keepers and their bartenders.

WALKED OVER RIM OF CRATER LAKE

Bakowski's Fate Figured Out by Searchers, Who Fail to Find Body—Snow Still 14 feet Deep at Arant's Camp.

KLAMATH FALLS, Or., June 6.—Superintendent F. W. Arant and Ranger H. E. Momyer of Crater Lake national park, has returned from another search for the remains of B. B. Bakowski, the daring photographer who lost his life in the park during the winter. They made a thorough investigation and are now firmly convinced that the unfortunate man walked over the rim of the lake and went down the steep incline. In the basement of the cabin at the rim of the lake they found the photographer's coat, in which he had wrapped a number of little trinkets. In his camp, a short distance from the rim of the lake, his personal effects were found by a previous searching party. These were removed to the government headquarters in the park. Among the effects was a diary showing the progress he had made on his trip from Fort Klamath to the lake. The diary started with January 21 and ended with the 31st. This would indicate that Bakowski met death on February 1.

The searchers found the snow had drifted against the rim of the lake, making it appear solid. It is their opinion that Bakowski ventured out too far and lost his footing. It is hardly probable he went down to the water's edge. The steep incline is quite rough and likely the body is wedged in some crevice or caught on some jagged rock. It will be impossible to find it until the snow gets off and even then it may never be found. The search will have to be made by letting men down with ropes. It is not known where he went over the rim, which will make it hard to locate the body.

The missing man's camp, his coat in the basement of the cabin and his camera cases on the foundation of the new stone hotel all show that he left his quarters to be gone but a few minutes. The snow is still about 14 feet deep and it will be several weeks before any further search can be made.

LIFE-TERMER GETS LEAVE OF ABSENCE

Man Who Killed Another Is Freed So He Can Aid His Parents—Governor West Is Carrying Out His Idea of Reform.

SALEM, Or., June 6.—For the first time in the history of this state a prisoner in the penitentiary was granted a leave of absence by the governor yesterday, when he instructed Superintendent James to liberate a life-term convict, whose name is withheld on account of relatives residing in Salem. Governor West says this is a still farther step toward prison reform in this state, and although such a step has never before been taken, he believes his plan will succeed. The prisoner was sentenced to the penitentiary for life as a result of killing a saloonman in eastern Oregon in a drunken quarrel. He has aged parents in Salem who have mortgaged their farm in eastern Oregon and, according to the governor, are living from hand to mouth and in extreme destitute circumstances.

The prisoner's leave of absence will extend until the first of the year, and during that time he must keep steadily at work and earn sufficient money to support his parents through the winter. The provisions are that at any time he is out of work he must report either to the governor or the superintendent of the penitentiary, and if discovered taking another drink of liquor he will be sent back to the institution immediately with the understanding that he will remain there for life. Governor West says the man is capable of doing much work, and will provide for his destitute relatives. The governor is informed that the prisoner was a hard drinker while in eastern Oregon and this habit caused the murder.

Woodford Not To Go.

Assistant Postmaster Ralph Woodford will not go to Oroville, Cal., to receive instruction regarding the administration of the postal savings bank to be started in Medford June 12. S. A. Morris, postoffice inspector, will come to Medford instead and will personally supervise the inauguration of the new institution.

JOHN R. ALLEN

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