

FEEDING EAGLE SO HE'LL SCREAM

Something Will Be Doing On the Fourth and Nervous People Are Warned to Steer Clear of One Big Rousing Time.

A large and enthusiastic body of business men attended the meeting of the Fourth of July committee Thursday evening in the Realty association rooms and much progress was made in perfecting arrangements for the celebration to be held July 2, 3 and 4.

The celebration will be extensively advertised and Ed Andrews started in his automobile Friday morning to bill the surrounding country. The various finance committees are still at work and are meeting everywhere with good success. The advertising and program committees have their hands full preparing for the various reports and other amusements.

The horse and automobile races promise to be unusually good and considerable outside talent will be entered in an effort to pull down some of the valuable trophies offered. In all events it is the object of the committee to start exactly at the hour set and no postponements or delays will be permitted.

The race track will be the scene of most of the athletic contests, as well as motorcycle and bicycle races. Swimming and diving contests will be held in the Natatorium. Dancing will also be indulged in in the evening, and efforts are being made to have afternoon dancing as well. The fire department will enter two teams in coupling contests and exhibition drills. At the suggestion of Mayor Canon and others the automobile race course has been changed and the turn will be made at the Washington school, thus eliminating lower Main street from the course. The start will be made at Oakdale and Main streets and the course will be south on Oakdale to the county road, following this to the Jacksonville road and return to the starting point. The entire distance will be 75 miles and the contestants will be compelled to take the circle ten times. There are a number of powerful autos entered and the race should prove exceedingly interesting.

The baseball tournament will begin Sunday and continue throughout the celebration, while the other events will be held July 3 and 4. Grants Pass is boosting. Ashland is boosting, and with the live bunch of Medford business men at the head of it the celebration cannot help being a great success.

ANOTHER HOT WAVE HITS EAST

Mercury This Afternoon in Chicago Stood at 96 and Was Still Rising—Schools Are Closed at Omaha—Deaths Reported.

CHICAGO, Ill., June 9.—Another hot wave struck the middle west today. In Chicago at 2 o'clock this afternoon the mercury stood at 96 and was mounting higher. A cool lake breeze, however, served to relieve the situation here.

Reports from other cities show record breaking temperatures. In St. Louis street level thermometers this afternoon registered 104 degrees. In Milwaukee the temperature stood at 94 and several prostrations were reported. In Minneapolis the thermometer stood at 93. A temperature of 106 was reported from New Ulm and Montevideo, Minn. At Winnebago, Minn., the 100 mark was reached.

At Omaha the schools were closed today on account of the heat. A scorching wind swept through the streets this afternoon making a temperature of 99 degrees almost unbearable. A baby at the Childs' Saving institute died this afternoon from heat, the mercury in the building registering 102. Grain men say that the oats crop in southern Nebraska has been burned up, while wheat has been damaged fully 50 per cent. The corn crop was unharmed.

CARELESS ABOUT APPENDICITIS IN MEDFORD

Many Medford people have stomach or bowel trouble which is likely to turn into appendicitis. If you have constipation, sour stomach, or gas on the stomach, try simple buckthorn bark, glycerine, etc., as compounded in Adler-I-Ka, the new German appendicitis remedy. A single dose of this simple remedy will relieve bowel or stomach trouble almost instantly. For sale by Leon B. Haskins.

START WORK SOON ON COUNTY JAIL

Leonard and Goodhue Are Given Contract for New Structure—Will Accommodate 25 Persons and Will Cost About \$9000.

Leonard and Goodhue, contractors of this city, were given the contract for the construction of the new county jail at Jacksonville, at a meeting of the county commissioners in Jacksonville Thursday afternoon.

Work will begin immediately on the structure which will be two stories high, 42x44 feet, and constructed of reinforced concrete. It will accommodate from 20 to 25 persons and cost in the neighborhood of \$9000. The cells from the old jail will be used. The building will be finished by September and will be a great improvement over the present jail which holds only 12 prisoners.

The question of purchasing the Siskiyou toll road was referred over until July 5.

The commissioners visited the sites on Bear creek for which applications for new steel bridges have been made, one a mile below Central Point and another near Tolo. The proposition will be considered at the next meeting in July and one bridge at least will probably be built.

LOCAL BUSINESS HOUSES TO CHANGE

Russell and Toggery Bill to Change Locations—New Shoe Store to Open in Present Location of the Toggery.

There is soon to be quite a shake-up in the location of several well known firms in the city, due principally to the growth of their business, and there is to be at least one new store opened when the change comes. D. B. Russell and Toggery Bill are to move.

The interior of Duffield's present store is to be completely renovated and altered and into this D. B. Russell will move his confectionery store which is to be enlarged by the addition of new lines. Toggery Bill will move his men's shop into the location now occupied by Mr. Russell, and the room he vacates will be occupied by a new shoe store.

COURT HALL'S TEAM PLAY PASS SUNDAY

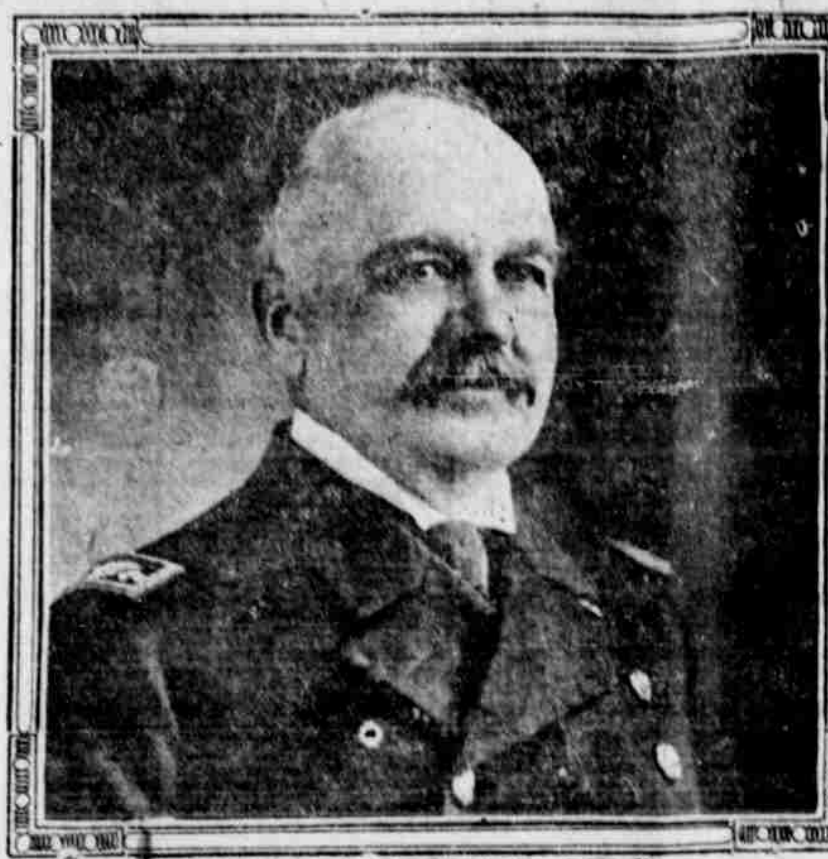
Court Hall will take the Medford Invincibles to Grants Pass again Sunday and expects to repeat the victory of the last game between the two teams. Baker is out of the Grants Pass lineup and Joe McCarthy, the boy whose playing at shortstop helped win the game for Medford, will be seen in that position again Sunday. Joe will play with Medford the rest of the season. A large number of fans are going to the Pass and the team will go in automobiles as formerly.

Noted Man-Bird



Earle Ovington, the young Boston aviator, is the star performer these days at Belmont Park. Last Saturday he entered his Bleriot, which had been tuned up to the minute, and started a flight, which he expected to excel any he had previously made since his arrival in this country. He quickly rose to a height of about 700 feet, when he discovered that the upper atmosphere was so thick with fog that he could not see the earth. He kept on rising for about 200 feet more when he realized that any height he might reach would add nothing to the spectacle of the after-

To Command Atlantic Fleet



The transfer of the command of the Atlantic fleet by Rear Admiral Seaton Schroeder to Rear Admiral Hugo Osterhaus, which it was thought would take place June 1, has been postponed, as Rear Admiral Osterhaus has to be in Washington to attend the sessions of the "Plucking" board, of which he is president. It is expected that it will take place a week later.

HUGE FRAUD IS CHARGED

Banker Arrested at New York On Charge Involving \$12,000,000 Coal Land Deal—Bail Is Fixed at \$10,000.

NEW YORK, June 9.—On charges of fraud involving a \$12,000,000 coal land deal in West Virginia, Thomas Latimer, a Pittsburg banker, John Phillips of Richmond, England, and Henry Derudder of London, were arrested on fugitive warrants at the Waldorf Astoria hotel this afternoon. The arrests were made at the request of Pittsburg police. The men were arraigned and committed to the Tombs in default of \$10,000 bail. The men denounced the arrest as a malicious attempt to interfere with a legitimate transaction.

Look at the ads that offer employment and you'll find the right one soon. Haskins for Health.

noon, as he would be invisible, and then he started on a little cross country flight to Hempstead Plains and return.

KOHL HAS GOOD CHANCE FOR LIFE

Millionaire Clubman Shot by French Maid Resting Easily at Hospital—Girl Is Hysterical and Screams Denunciations.

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., July 9.—C. Frederick Kohl, millionaire clubman, shot yesterday by Adele Verge, French maid, who had just lost a suit against him for false arrest, today was resting comfortably at the Adler Sanatorium, to which he has been removed. Although at first it was believed that his wound would prove fatal, it was said by physicians today that he had a chance for recovery. An X-ray examination, it was stated, would be held today if Kohl's condition permitted.

Adele Verge today is in a semi-hysterical state. She is wildly excited, crying and laughing in turns. In every sentence she asserts she was hooded from place to place by Kohl and by detectives whom she charges he employed, and whose statements about her made it impossible for her to refrain situations. She was placed under the influence of opiates last night and at midnight transferred to the city prison.

"Ever since my first trouble with the Kohls in 1909 when, after the elder Mrs. Kohl had brought me from France to become her maid they discharged me at Riverside on accusations that were without foundation, and caused my arrest when I asked an explanation and satisfaction. I have been hooded by detectives hired by the Kohls and pursued from house to house, from city to city, and from state to state," she said. "They said I was eccentric at Glenwood Inn, Riverside, and that I slapped the face of a hotel clerk there. Of course I did. The main insulted me. I did only what any woman would have done."

"I am sorry for what I did yesterday. If I had the day to live over again I would rather turn the gun on myself. I think that is what I contemplated during the two years I carried the weapon."

As she talked to newspaper men at the city prison today the girl laughed hysterically, then wept and at times screamed her denunciation against those whom she accused of persecuting her.

The New Hat

A fellow feels fine when he wears a new lid; He steps all the brisker and feels like a kid; Just stop to think, and you'll realize that A sure place for smiles is beneath a new hat. —TOGGERY BILL (Of Course.)

Way to Success

In business or pleasure, Most everyone knows A man may succeed By the cut of his clothes. Dame Fortune is smiling, And she always will For the man who buys clothing OF TOGGERY BILL.

A Few Specials for Saturday

JEWELRY AND WATCHES

\$1.00 Watches cut to 65c
17-Jewel Elgin and Walthams cut to \$8.35
Large Lot of Watches in Gold Filled Cases cut to \$10.95
Alarm Clocks cut to 65c

Also a big cut in prices on BRACELETS, CHAINS, LOCKETS and in EVERYTHING IN THE HOUSE
KELLER THE JEWELER
103 WEST MAIN STREET

MEDFORD OPERA HOUSE - SIX NIGHTS

GORMAND & FORD CO.
Featuring
Little Miss Mildred Ford
Standard Repertoire—Opening Bill,
"Wedded, But No Wife"
"LENA RIVERS"
"TRISS, THE GIRL FROM THE WEST"
6-Piece Orchestra—6 Big Vaudeville Acts
16 People in Cast.
Prices—25c, 35c, 50c.

MEEKER'S JUNE CLEAN-UP

THIS SALE HAS BEEN A WONDERFUL SUCCESS DURING THE FIRST WEEK JUST CLOSED. PEOPLE HAVE RECEIVED WONDERFUL BARGAINS ON SEASONABLE GOODS AND ARE TELLING THEIR FRIENDS AND NEIGHBORS. WHAT BETTER, BIGGER ADVERTISEMENT COULD WE WANT?

<p>COME TODAY</p> <p>\$6.50 AND \$7.50 WHITE DRESSES</p> <p>CLEANUP PRICE \$3.98</p> <p>Men's 65c Poms Knit Underwear (cream only)</p> <p>PER GARMENT 39c</p> <p>50 dozen 10c ladies' Handkerchiefs.</p> <p>JUNE CLEANUP 5c.</p>	<p>COME TODAY</p> <p>HUNDREDS OF BARGAINS LEFT</p> <p>MUSLIN UNDERWEAR AT REAL BARGAINS</p> <p>Gowns, Drawers, 50c up Corset Covers, 29c up We are agents for the "Adjusto" made Skirts.</p> <p>25 yards of Toweling, 18-inch, for \$1.00</p> <p>\$7.50 Mouseline Silk Underskirts.</p> <p>JUNE CLEANUP \$5.00</p>	<p>COME TODAY</p> <p>WASH SKIRTS AT COST PRICES</p> <p>Saturday Special</p> <p>75c Embroidery, 27 inches wide, big bargain, per yard.</p> <p>27c</p> <p>25 ladies woolen Tailored Suits, worth \$25.00.</p> <p>June Cleanup \$9.99</p>
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This is a Sale for the People. When Meeker's advertise Bargains the people know they will get them.

<p>PARASOLS</p> <p>The season's latest; just one-fourth cut off of regular prices.</p> <p>Pongees, fancy tucked, Persian Plaids.</p> <p>Get in, early stock hunters.</p>	<p>LACE CURTAINS</p> <p>Every pair must be closed out.</p> <p>\$8.00 values \$6.00 \$4.00 values \$3.00 \$2.00 values \$1.50</p> <p>All others in proportion.</p>	<p>INDIA LAWNS</p> <p>We are making reductions you cannot fail to take advantage of.</p> <p>10c values 8 1-3c 12 1-2c values 10c 15c values 12 1-2c 20c values 15c</p> <p>All others in proportion.</p>	<p>WOOLEN DRESS GOODS</p> <p>We are endeavoring to sell every yard of Summer Woolens in our entire stock.</p> <p>50c values 30c 65c Berges 40c \$1.00 Panamas 70c</p> <p>Many Suit Patterns cut to half.</p>	<p>SUMMER SILKS</p> <p>Fancy Rajahs 45c Navy Foulards 75c Silk Poplins 50c</p> <p>We have the Coral and King's Blues. Just received.</p>
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