

BUILDING ACTIVITY STILL CONTINUES ON EAST SIDE

Residence building activities still continue in Medford. As a matter of fact there has been no perceptible lull in this respect in some parts of the city for several months past. Especially true is this as applies to East Medford.

In this section many new and beautiful homes have been erected during the past spring and summer months, and there are now a number of new homes in course of construction. On Geneva avenue C. A. Knight has nearly completed one of the prettiest homes of the many which have recently been erected on this street. This last is a two story dwelling, has ten rooms and is replete with all modern conveniences. This house when completed will have cost \$6500.

Mr. Knight also has material on the ground for use in erecting another quite as beautiful a home on the same street, at the head of Minnesota street. There will be nine rooms in this one and it will cost \$5000. A large basement will be put under this house. In fact Mr. Knight has put basements under nearly all the beautiful homes he has erected in this vicinity.

On the east side of Geneva avenue the Messrs. Humphrey & Son have built a number of bungalow homes—and the finish in their construction work is not yet. At the present time they are giving their attention to the erection of a new bungalow for Judge Calkins, who will take up his permanent residence therein as soon as it is completed. This bungalow is being built on Minnesota street. It will have seven rooms; will be modern in every particular and will cost \$4700.

The Humphreys have but recently completed a six room bungalow on Minnesota street at a cost of \$3700. They have also built one on Roosevelt avenue, near Minnesota street, at a cost of about \$5500, and which has been sold to A. F. Hazelrigg. These same gentlemen are now having plans drawn for a six room bungalow to be built on the corner of Roosevelt avenue and Minnesota street.

Contractor B. F. Fifer has charge of the work on all of these several buildings, also those being erected by Mr. Knight.

On East Main street, near the home of H. G. Shearer, D. W. Driskel is having built a beautiful six room residence. An especially fine feature in connection with this home is the fact that there has been a large basement put under the building of equal size with the entire floor plan. This is to be occupied by a heating plant and to be used for a variety of purposes for which such a large basement can so conveniently be utilized. J. W. Smylie, the east side contractor, is in charge of the carpenter work on this building. It will cost about \$3500. Mr. Driskel and family are recent arrivals from Idaho.

BILL TO DEPORT MEXICAN JUNTA

WASHINGTON, Aug. 12.—Senator Smith of Michigan today introduced in the senate a bill providing for the deportation of the Mexican constitutionalists' representatives from the United States. The measure declares: "Any alien taking advantage of a temporary or permanent residence in the United States to conspire for the violent overthrow of a foreign government in either North or South America with which the United States is at peace shall be arrested and, if convicted, be deported."

GERMAN OFFICERS ARRESTED AS SPYS

STETSEN, Germany, Aug. 12.—Military circles here today believe the arrest last night of Captain Stein of the third regiment of field artillery on a charge of espionage is likely to turn out as disastrous for Germany as did the case of Colonel Alfred Redl for Austria.

Captain Stein fled yesterday when he was summoned before the colonel of the regiment. He departed on the first train, but was arrested and returned here.

Colonel Redl was charged with selling such important information to foreign nations that the Austrian government was forced to completely change its mobilization plans. Redl was arrested, but committed suicide on May 25 last.

WELFARE SCHOOL O. A. C. TO OPEN MEDFORD SESSION

The traveling general welfare school of the Oregon Agricultural college opens tomorrow afternoon in the high school building. Sessions will be held Wednesday afternoon and evening—Thursday morning, afternoon and evening.

The college is being assisted in this work by a lecturer and an exhibit from the Oregon Social Hygiene society and by J. D. Mickle, state dairy and food commissioner of Oregon.

Interesting and instructive domestic science lectures and demonstrations will be given at both the afternoon sessions. Social hygiene talks Wednesday afternoon, Wednesday evening for men only, Thursday afternoon for boys, Thursday evening for young men.

Wednesday, August 13
2:30 to 3:30—Explanation of the work and fifteen-minute talks on "Home Decoration," Mrs. Robbins; "Pure Food Legislation," J. D. Mickle; "Social Hygiene," Mr. Cummins.

3:00 to 5:00—(1) "Social Hygiene," Mr. Cummins, special lecture from the Oregon Social Hygiene society; (2) "Domestic Science and Art," Mrs. Robbins and Miss Groves.

7:15 to 8:10—"Social Hygiene," for men only, Mr. Cummins and Professor T. B. Beckwith.

8:15 to 9:30—Illustrated lecture, "Municipal and Town Improvement," Professor Arthur L. Peck.

Thursday, August 14
9:30 to 10:30—General session, twenty-minute talks, "Chemistry of Foods," Professor M. R. Daughters; "Floriculture," Professor A. L. Peck; "Home Betterment," Mrs. Robbins.

10:30 to 11:30—(1) "Domestic Science and Art," Mrs. Robbins and Miss Groves; (2) "Pure Food and Pure Water," Professor Beckwith.

2:30 to 3:30—General session, twenty-minute talks, "Chemistry of Foods," Professor M. R. Daughters; "Pure Milk," Professor Beckwith; "Buying for the House," Mrs. Robbins.

3:30 to 5:00—(1) "Domestic Science and Art," (2) "Social Hygiene," boys' meeting, Mr. Cummins.

7:15 to 8:10—"Social Hygiene," young men's meeting, Mr. Cummins and Professor Beckwith.

8:15 to 9:30—Lecture and demonstration, "Food Adulteration," J. D. Mickle, state dairy and food commissioner.

POWERS AGREE ON BALKAN POLICY

LONDON, Aug. 12.—Sir Edward Grey announced today that the powers have agreed on a policy of autonomy for Albania and for the disposition of the Aegean Sea Islands captured by Greece from Turkey. He said he expected Turkey would heed the demands of the powers regarding Adrianople, and intimated that the powers had hinted that the Balkan States could demand a cash indemnity from the Porte if it disregarded the will of the powers. He also warned the Balkan people that they must not assume that the failure of the powers to interfere to date would not mean that they would not intervene if there is sufficient provocation.

MONTAG SWORN IN AS U. S. MARSHAL

PORTLAND, Ore., Aug. 12.—John Montag became United States marshal for Oregon today when the oath of office was administered by Federal Judge Charles S. Wolverton. Montag relieved Leslie M. Scott who has been marshal for the past two years.

GENERAL CHANG HSUN EMPEROR OF CHINA

LONDON, Aug. 12.—Peking despatches received here today say General Chang Hsun has declared himself emperor of China and will fight his way to Nanking, which city he has selected as his capital. Reports also are current in Peking of a coming uprising in which the Manchus will attempt to recapture the imperial power.

MISS BRADFORD SCORES SUFFRAGETTE CAMPAIGN



NEW YORK, Aug. 12.—Miss Edith Bradford startled local suffragettes today when she told them she believed most of them were in the campaign, not for "Votes for Women" at all, but for their own exploitation.

A number of them asked her to come into the movement, figuring that a prim donna who had risen to such vogue as she had when singing in the original production of "The Chocolate Soldier," Strauss' comic opera founded on Bernard Shaw's "Arms and the Man," would lend influence to it.

"You know," she said with a sweet smile that was childlike and bland, "I have suspected for a long time that the leaders of this movement care nothing about suffrage, and they really would be disappointed if women could vote. I think they are to be found in the movement because they get a chance to see their names in the newspapers, and partly because they, as officers of some women's organization, acquire a little power, which they love to exercise."

"As long as women can't get votes these leaders may pose as martyrs—and most every woman likes to be a martyr to a brutal husband, an erring son, or some other cause. What else besides the love of notoriety or hysteria, which is, of course, nothing but acting, could move the London suffragettes to such excesses? These poor women in London have become intoxicated with notoriety and they would not be happy unless they are talked about or lampooned in the newspapers."

"I would like to say this: If the newspapers were to quit publishing anything about the suffragette campaign the maiden ladies now pretending to try to starve themselves to death would go back to their knitting and the kittens."

Miss Bradford received her musical education in America and Paris and has a voice of unusual range and sweetness. She will open in a new musical play, "Adele," the latter part of this month.

TAINTED MEAT SOLD IN TACOMA

TACOMA, Wash., Aug. 12.—Warrants are to be issued tomorrow for nine meat dealers here, who are alleged to have been endangering the health of Tacomans by the use of "freezium" in preserving meat, especially hamburger and sausages. If convicted they will be amenable to a fine not to exceed \$100 and in danger of having their city licenses revoked.

The arrests will be made upon complaint of City Chemist G. L. Pitchford who has just finished testing samples taken from twenty-four meat markets scattered throughout the city. The warrants would have been issued today but for the absence of Assistant City Attorney Carnahan who will prosecute the cases in police court. The names of the dealers to be arrested are withheld until the warrants are issued.

CASTRO FAILS TO WIN REVOLUTION

WASHINGTON, Aug. 12.—Official reports today from American Consul Voetter at Caracas to the state department say the uprising in Venezuela, led by Cipriano Castro is a failure. Voetter's despatch also confirmed earlier reports that General Torres and his officers, who had headed the revolution in the eastern part of Venezuela, have been captured.

BITTER ATTACK UPON M'ADOO ON BEHALF OF BANKS

WASHINGTON, Aug. 12.—A bitter attack on Secretary of the Treasury McAdoo as a result of his charge that there is "a concerted action by New York banks," to depress the government's two per cent bonds in an effort to defeat the democratic currency bill was voiced in the house today by republican members.

Representative Mann of Illinois demanded that Secretary McAdoo resign unless he proved his charges. Representative Fitzgerald defended McAdoo.

"The minority," he said, "is not seeking facts but is trying to muddy the waters."

A resolution introduced by Representative Mondell, requiring McAdoo to submit proofs substantiating his charges, was defeated 210 to 55.

In Memorium

Hall of Medford lodge, No. 83, I. O. O. F.

Whereas, in view of the loss we have sustained in the death of our beloved brother, Isaac Woolf, P. G. Whereas, he had been an earnest and faithful worker for the good of the order during his twenty-seven years' membership in this lodge. Therefore, be it

Resolved, that we, as members of Medford lodge No. 83, I. O. O. F., extend our heartfelt sympathy to his bereaved wife, who has lost a loving husband, and may the heavenly father remove the clouds of sorrow from her heart.

Resolved, that the charter of this lodge be draped for a period of thirty days; that a copy of these resolutions be spread on the minutes of this lodge; that a copy be sent to the bereaved widow; that copies be sent to the local paper and the Pacific Odd Fellows for publication.

R. J. LOCKWOOD,
E. W. BRAINERD,
L. O. HOWARD,
Committee.

BACK TO NATURE CONTROLLING IDEA GARMENT MAKERS

CHICAGO, Aug. 12.—Eve's original costume is easily rivaled and, in its effects, surpassed by the bunch of women's clothing displayed here today at the exhibition of the National Garment Makers. The designs are the most daring in the history of the organization, the keynote of the whole affair being "back to nature," which in this case means mightily near "back to nudity."

Flesh-colored bathing suits, slit skirts, tremendously slit, and ballroom gowns composed largely of nothing are on display as the real latest. Living models will wear the creations at the exhibition tonight and it is expected the very walls of the building will bulge with the crowd.

One of the real novelties of the display is a Buster Brown bathing suit of flesh tinted silk. The bodice is sleeveless and too low for Chicago regulations. It has no skirt, but bloomers which do not reach the knees and with a large gap between the bloomers and the tops of the half hose, which are a part of the costume.

It is expected that when the bathing suit is filled with girl tonight she will be the big attraction of the show.

LACK VOTES TO IMPEACH SULZER

ALBANY, N. Y., Aug. 12.—Falling in an attempt to muster enough votes to put through the resolution introduced by Majority Leader Levy, providing for the impeachment of Governor William Sulzer on charges of malfeasance in office, Tammany Hall members of the state legislature announced this afternoon that they would not attempt to call the session to order until 8:30 o'clock this evening.

WIFE DRENCHES HUBBY WITH FOAMING BEER

SACRAMENTO, Cal., Aug. 12.—Because he likes his "high ones" a bit too well, John Plummer is sadder and wiser today.

Plummer is said to have liked the bright lights to the exclusion of Mrs. Plummer and the babies. Mrs. Plummer hoped and prayed. Nothing doing. Then she took drastic action.

"Come out of this sir," she said, surprising hubby in the act of quaffing the foam from a huge glass of beer in a local booze emporium. After dashing the amber fluid into hubby's flushed face, Mrs. Plummer yanked him into the open and gave his boon companions "a piece of her mind."

Seasoned rounders aver they are not likely to forget the lacing she handed out, and swear they never again will be found guilty of inviting Plummer to "have one."

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