

SAM HILL ASKS LOCAL HELP FOR PACIFIC HIGHWAY

Sam Hill, the good roads advocate, writes as follows from southern California, where he is conducting a campaign in behalf of the Pacific highway:

"Santa Barbara, Feb. 15, 1914.
"To the Editor:
"Major Bowley has written me that the women's clubs have started a movement for tree planting along the Pacific highway and have asked that I stop and speak on my return, which will be about March 15. Please tell the ladies it will afford me great pleasure so to do. Also I will make an address, if desired, at Ashland on the following afternoon or evening. My address will be Arlington hotel, Santa Barbara.

"On February 20 will be held a meeting at the chamber of commerce at Los Angeles of all road officials south of San Francisco. I am invited to be present and would appreciate a letter or wire from the Commercial clubs of Medford and Ashland endorsing the Pacific highway plans and urging its continuance through California. Thus far little has been done by California to join hands with her northern neighbors. You are at liberty to publish this both in Ashland and Medford.

"Yours truly,
"SAMUEL HILL."

PORTLAND, Feb. 19.—In pursuance of a plan to have the main trunk highway from British Columbia to Mexico officially designated as "The Pacific Highway," the commercial bodies of Portland will be asked to take up the matter with the Los Angeles chamber of commerce. At present the highway is known in British Columbia, Washington and Oregon as the Pacific highway, but in California it has other designations, being known through a portion of the state as "El Camino Real."

The name Pacific highway, it is felt, is a very expressive one, and it is desired it be preserved throughout the entire length of the highway. Those behind the movement are Samuel Hill, president, and Frank Branch Riley, vice-president of the Pacific highway, and Julius L. Meier, president of the Columbia River Highway association.

M'INTYRE AND HEATH AT THE PAGE TONIGHT

The kings of laugh-producers, McIntyre and Heath, who have been stage partners longer and more congenially associated than any two professionals known to the world, will appear at the Page tonight in the world-famed musical novelty, "The Ham Tree." To the millions and a few more who have seen these inimitable negro impersonators no recommendation is required. These two artists have been closely allied on and off the stage for forty years. They are so familiar with each other's acts, movements and thoughts that their performance, which is so exact, might be classed as a perfect machine. Some people wonder why a large proportion of the public visit their performance time after time, and apparently enjoy themselves as if they had never seen the performance before. One never seems to tire of seeing McIntyre and Heath, especially now that Manager Cort has surrounded them with a notable cast and the most marvelous dancing chorus this country has ever seen. Every member of the cast has been selected with care.

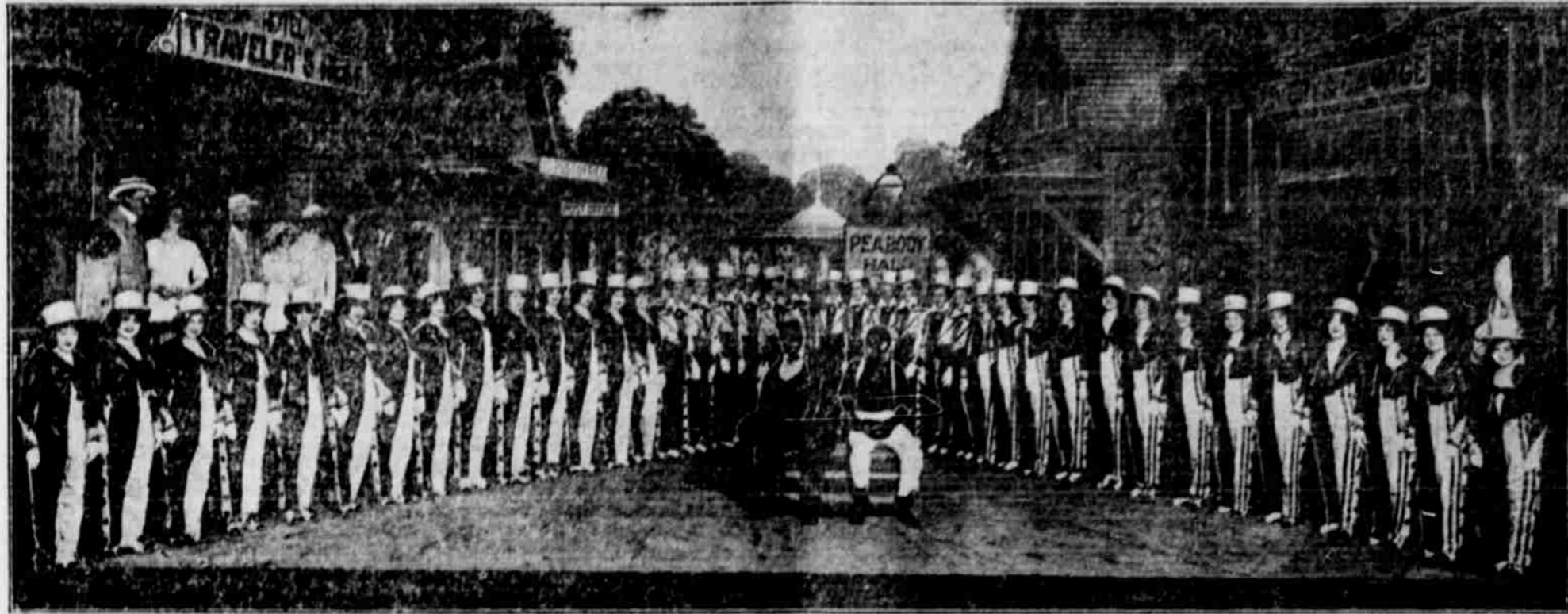
KIDDIES COMING TO PLAY AT THE PAGE

Twenty-six youngsters, everyone between 8 and 15 years of age, will play at the Page Saturday and Sunday nights, in their three act musical comedy, "The Academy of Stars," an attraction unique besides being highly interesting.

The "Kiddies," as they are popularly called, are mostly orphan youngsters who in one way or another have come under the observation of Supt. H. M. Draper of the Des Moines, Wash., children's home, and by him have been trained in their own theater to play various band instruments in a manner ranking well with organizations of older persons.

Similarly they have been taught the art of entertaining and their delightfully comic activities on the stage cause a whirlwind of merriment from start to finish, in one instance causing a spectator to remark that he laughed "all over his face and half way down his back" at their antics.

Group of World's Greatest Dancing Chorus With McIntyre & Heath in The Ham Tree at Page Tonight



NEWS FROM ASHLAND AND VICINITY

J. G. Adams, a unique prohibition lecturer of Texas, and known throughout the west, has located in Ashland and purchased Mrs. A. E. Stephens' home on Allison street.

Charles L. Wimer of Bend, who was formerly a student of the Southern Oregon State Normal school, has purchased the residence of Rev. J. A. Lavesque on the boulevard, opposite Union street, and will greatly improve the place.

Robert L. Vining, an Ashland product, who has become wealthy in Alaska in the past ten years, is preparing to put in a \$20,000 opera house in Ashland and has negotiated with Mrs. McConnell of Salem for her business block on East Main street, adjoining the Memorial hall block. The Valley barber shop has a lease on its quarters that runs for a year yet, and efforts are being made to have the barbers surrender their lease, and also to provide new quarters for Rose Bros' confectionery. Vining is at Seattle and is holding the architect there who drew the plans for Vining's theater at Fairbanks, Alaska, the largest theater in that territory. Mr. Vining's brother-in-law, Mr. Minkler, owns Memorial hall. He is a brother of Professor Irving E. Vining.

Professor W. E. St. John, who was instructor in Latin in the Ashland high school last year, and Miss Vivian Miller, who was assistant librarian in the Ashland public library and an Ashland raised girl, were united in marriage at Hollywood, near Los Angeles, February 14.

The mineral springs campaign is developing new features every week. The latest was the development of a new lithia spring on Emigrant creek, just below the springs of Gillette, Silver and Bailey, by the committee who are behind the enterprise. They obtained an option on the tract from J. J. Murphy before developing their find to the bed rock. It is a very portable water and the flow is extensive, equal to the largest spring on the old lithia of the above-named parties. It is free from the iron sediment in the old lithia, and it is a better table water than the one that has created so much interest. This makes four desirable springs the committee has under bond—one on the old Songer place, one on the Shepherd place, one on the Berkeley place and the one mentioned.

Circuit Judge Harris of Eugene, as district exalted ruler of the Elks, will address Ashland lodge, No. 944, Saturday evening.

R. L. Burdie and Benton Bowers have \$14,000 invested in a bunch of stock cattle in the state of Sonora, Old Mexico, and Mr. Bowers has received a telegram from his brother, who is in charge of them, that the constitutionalist government has raised the export duty from \$5 to \$10 per head American money, which is prohibitive. The Mexicans say exporting stock cattle impoverishes their country.

The following Ashland delegation left to attend the Eugene convention: H. A. Frohbach, George Kramer, O. H. Johnson, Geo. W. Trefren, L. A. Neil, E. D. Briggs, E. T. Staples, S. B. Stoner, J. R. Crossall, J. J. McNair, C. W. Banta, William Myer, Geo. W. Seager, A. M. Beaver, W. A. Schwindley, Henry Enders, Carroll Wagner, H. F. Pohland, F. G. McWilliams, Bert R. Greer, Frank Jordan, C. H. Vaupel, E. V. Carter, R. L. Burdie, M. E. Briggs, D. D. Good, Benton Bowers, A. L. Strickland, D. D. Norris, D. Perozzi, Don Whitney.

H. E. Inlow has been re-elected superintendent of the city schools at Forest Grove, Washington county, at an increased salary. Mr. Inlow is a graduate of the Southern Oregon State Normal school and is among the many graduates who have done so well that the work of the school has made such a strong showing even

though it has been idle for the past few years.

The preliminary work of the citizens' committee to organize the town for the normal school campaign has been well headed up and the meeting Tuesday evening developed the following:

Arrangements for advertising and promoting the big mass meeting at Armory Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock sharp consist in a rivalry of the two sections of town to get the largest crowd there and do the most boosting. This is in charge of the ladies, who are selling tags at 10 cents each, as well as promoting other novel means of arousing interest. There will be no soliciting of funds at the meeting and the admission is free.

Following the meeting, the town and vicinity will be canvassed for membership for the "Normal School association," the constitution and by-laws of which were adopted last night. This association is for the purpose of raising funds and conducting the campaign. The town has been mapped out and committees were appointed to give the town a thorough canvassing immediately following the mass meeting.

The qualification for membership is the signing of a written pledge offering to give \$10 or more, payable in monthly installments. After the town is canvassed the members will meet March 9 and elect officers, perfect permanent organization, get into the campaign and follow up the work already done by the Alumni association.

FLOOD OF OUTSIDERS TO DICTATE TO OREGON

NEW YORK, Feb. 19.—The Presbyterian church will send 250 temperance workers into Washington, Oregon, California and Colorado, in an effort to swing these states into the "dry" column at the next fall election.

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They will take with them motion picture films teaching lessons against the sale of alcohol. Plans for the crusade were perfected today at a meeting for the Presbyterian board of temperance.

Charles Scanlon, secretary of the board, said that at a meeting of the temperance commission of the Federal Council of Churches, to be held tomorrow in Philadelphia, he would ask the thirty religious denominations that belong to this organization to unite with the Presbyterian board in this work.

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