

FRUIT EXHIBITS GREATEST NEED AT EXPOSITION

Ben Sheldon who is spending the month at the San Francisco exposition assisting in the Jackson county exhibit, writes as follows to Judge Tou Velle under date of August 3, requesting exhibits of fresh fruit:

In the first place, the Oregon building as a whole is second to no state building on the grounds. The Oregon commission had the same amount of money as Washington and certainly has done much better than that state. I was in the Canadian building yesterday and took occasion to slide up to three different attendants and say: "My time is limited. Can you suggest what state buildings on the grounds are worth seeing?" Without an exception the Oregon building was mentioned and usually only one or two others.

No Favoritism Shown

The structure itself attracts attention and much favorable comment. The exhibits are, as a whole, good. The two features that are given the most attention are Crater Lake and the myrtle wood of Coos Bay. The booth given to southern Oregon, including Josephine and Douglas counties as well as Jackson, is as well located as any in the building, in fact I think our location is the best. It is apparent that Jackson county has the best of this exhibit but it is because the other two counties have not sent down the stuff for exhibit. As between Ashland, Medford and Grants Pass, there is no favoritism shown. When Klamath county decided to all alone and not put their exhibit in with the other three counties, it was given a space 12x12 at the back end of this booth. They put in an exhibit which the commission condemned and it was removed and Klamath county has a part of the end wall back of our booth, which is covered with deer heads and grains. The space 12x12 which they vacated has been turned into a representation of Ashland's mineral spring with a fountain in a bower of ferns with a fountain run by the forcing of a current of air from below. It makes a decidedly effective exhibit but is at the back end of the booth in a rather inconspicuous location. Frohbach's processed stuff is in good shape and makes a good display. The fresh fruit is pretty scant there being nothing but Newtown apples that are really showable.

Securing Tourist Traffic

The one thing needed to keep the exhibit up to snuff during the remainder of the fair is a good supply of fresh fruit as it comes in. I hope you, or the commercial clubs of the two towns, can manage to get a fair supply of real good fruit down here as soon as available. It will not take much. A dozen boxes of first class stuff is better than a hundred of poor or only fair stuff.

We have arranged for all the attendants at the various booths of the building to send inquiries regarding roads and an auto trip into Oregon, to this booth and I have posted Frohbach so that, if I am not here, they will get the right direction. We have been able to send at least four auto parties that wanted to go into Central Oregon, by way of Medford and Crater Lake.

I have partially arranged with some of the California representatives for such concerted action as we can make, to get the scenic route up through the Sacramento valley to Medford, out by Crescent City and down through the coast counties of California, advertised through Southern California. It is going to be a big job and one that has no end but we will make a good beginning to say the least.

Talk Scenic Route

Ravin of Hood River and myself have a date to appear before the executive committee of the California Auto club this afternoon. He is to try to get their co-operation for a blow out on "Henson Day" and I shall talk Siskiyou grade and the big "Scenic Loop." Don't think this meeting will amount to much itself but it will be an introduction which I can follow up later. I find that this association puts out bulletins at intervals, giving the conditions of the roads. I want something in the next bulletin referring specifically to this tour. I also have a date for Friday with the Standard Oil company which sends out "Road Condition-Bulletins" monthly. I shall try to get them to make some special mention of this trip.

The exhibit in the horticultural building is good. Our Oregon exhibit has as good a location as any in the building. Its principal feature is, of course, the immense apple advertising Hood River, but the Willamette valley and southern Oregon each have as much space and both sections have pretty fair exhibits. Eastern Ore-

PYTHIANS FLOCK TO CRATER LAKE'S NOVEL CONCLAVE

Crater Lake is receiving unprecedented publicity this year. Many people of wealth and national reputation are visiting this wonderful scenic spot of the west and all agree that its wondrous beauty has never been exaggerated by writers.

Few Medford people are aware of the wide publicity the Knights of Pythias are giving Medford and Crater Lake in preparation for their conclave to be held August 16 to 19. They are daily receiving many letters with requests for reservations for rooms, meals and transportation. The S. P. and other railroads of the north-west have granted a one and one-third fare for the round trip. A San Francisco paper devotes considerable space to the K. P. conclave, stating in part that a large delegation will leave there August 15th and return the 20th with a round trip fare of \$16.80. In their write-up they give a picture of Crater and a very good description of the surrounding country.

A great many are coming from Portland and intervening points and from northeastern Oregon and northern California by autos. Most of the visitors will reach Medford Monday morning, August 16, and start for the lake early Tuesday morning. By a large bonfire that evening a program will be rendered to the public. Next day a large class will be knighted in the old crater on Wizard Isle. This class will include many prominent men of the northwest. The return trip will be made Thursday. The local lodge will serve meals at the lake to all members of the order and their families who want to eat with them. It will surely be a festive time for Pythians of the northwest and a splendid time for Medford citizens to show the true "Medford Spirit" and reap the reward.

NEW YORK HIGHEST BARTLETT PEAR MARKET

NEW YORK, Aug. 7.—California Bartletts yesterday averaged \$1.55; bulk selling, \$1.40 to \$1.80. Chicago averaged \$1.50; Washington, \$1.45.

Boston, California \$1.20. Shipments from California August 2 and 3, 140 cars.

STOLE BRIDE, LIFE TERMS AWAIT JUSTICE "IN HIGH"

TOLEDO, Ore., Aug. 7.—Within less than twenty-four hours after they had kidnaped, attacked and robbed Mrs. R. R. Lakin, a twenty-four year old bride of four months, Harry Jones, aged 26, and Charles Reynolds aged 28, had been indicted by the grand jury here today, pleaded guilty in court and sentenced to the penitentiary for life. Judge Hamilton in pronouncing sentence complimented the citizens of the county upon the fact that no violence had been done against the prisoners. Nevertheless extra guards were posted at the jail tonight. Mrs. Lakin's condition was reported serious tonight, but it was said she would recover.

gon did not respond and has no space.

In Oregon Building

In the Oregon building, we are fortunate in having practically three exhibits in three different sections of the building; the Southern Oregon booth proper, the fine exhibit of Crater Lake views, both the Kiser pictures and the transparencies; and third the game exhibit of Bartlett's. This last is decidedly good and is in another section of the building, so the visitor is hit by a Jackson county exhibit which ever way he turns.

The building is well attended and the crowds are pouring through all afternoon. The morning attendance naturally is not large. We are fortunate in having a first class building as a whole for it attracts visitors where a single exhibit would not.

To Shorten Movies

The Rogue river valley moving pictures are too long for the particular use needed here. For a general use, to give an evening's entertainment, they are fine, but to run with five other sets of pictures, the longest of which does not take more than 30 minutes, our pictures get tiresome and do not hold the crowds. I find that the attendants are getting into the habit of leaving out from one to three reels in their presentation. As there is first class stuff in all reels, and something in each that might be left out without harm, I am in hope that Mr. Allen can arrange to shorten them down into a more compact and more interesting show.

REMAKING BABIES RESCUED FROM MISERY OF LIFE IN NEW YORK'S TALL TENEMENTS DURING HOT WEATHER

Marvelous Hospital Which Manufactures Useful Citizens out of Bent and Broken Little Bts of Human Driftwood—Saves Little Lives That Would Otherwise "Go Out."

BY KENNETH W. PAYNE

NEW YORK, Aug. 7.—Rebuilding babies—tiny boys and girls made over to order—this is the miraculous work of the most wonderful hospital in the world!

As the first torrid heat of July burst over New York's gritty east side, I went out to this marvelous clinic on the edge of the tall tenements in order to learn just how the greatest city in America, where the summer suffering of babies is the worst in America, has prepared for its annual baby saving campaign.

The clinic which I visited wages only a part of the campaign. It is huge, but a most fascinating and extraordinary part. It is the famous dispensary for deformities and joint diseases. It is the largest clinic in the world engaged in this work.

It is the only one in New York where babies under four years of age are cared for. Here methods new to science have just been applied on a scale seldom attempted elsewhere, and are working wonders of baby mending.

50,000 Treatments Annually

Daily through its open doors drift from the teeming canyons of the east side close to three hundred pitiful little bits of twisted, broken or ill-made humanity! Yearly 50,000 different treatments are given and 4500 pieces of useless human machinery are remodeled and rebuilt in its strange repair shops, and turned out in the form of useful, happy American citizens.

There is baby Jimmy Doyle, for instance, a happy, healthy youngster, normal in every way except that he had no left foot when he was born, and only a misshapen clubfoot on the right side. Had he grown up this way he would have been stunted physically and mentally—an unhappy charge on the community at large.

The doctors at this hospital not only have given Jimmy Doyle a useful right foot, by means of a remarkable plastic operation, but are actually growing a good foot on the stub of his left leg, useless since birth.

Multiply this case by 300, and you have the work being done every day by this hospital! The little cripples neglected in the past, are now sharing in the philanthropy which was instituted milk and ice depots, visiting nurses, fresh air camps and free clinics for children afflicted with other ills.

Infantile paralysis, a growing terror in this country, is being cured in this hospital.

Up on the fifth floor are two spick and span gymnasiums, whose walls are mirrors. There I saw several little curly heads, too small to talk, sitting on tables and performing endlessly various simple motions of arm and body.

Exercise for Little Ones

Day after day these little ones come to the gymnasium and repeat their exercises in front of the mirrors with the aid of a nurse. Watching themselves in the mirror helps them concentrate on the muscular effort.

Window boxes of babies line the balconies of the hospital except in the most inclement weather! Stiffly stretched on an iron frame lies little Frank Marclano, one of a long row of them. Tuberculosis of the spine is his affliction.

A "jury mast" as it is called, to which he is strapped, causes the extension of the upper part of his spine and his little feet are held in two cuffs and a series of straps by which the lower part of the spine is extended.

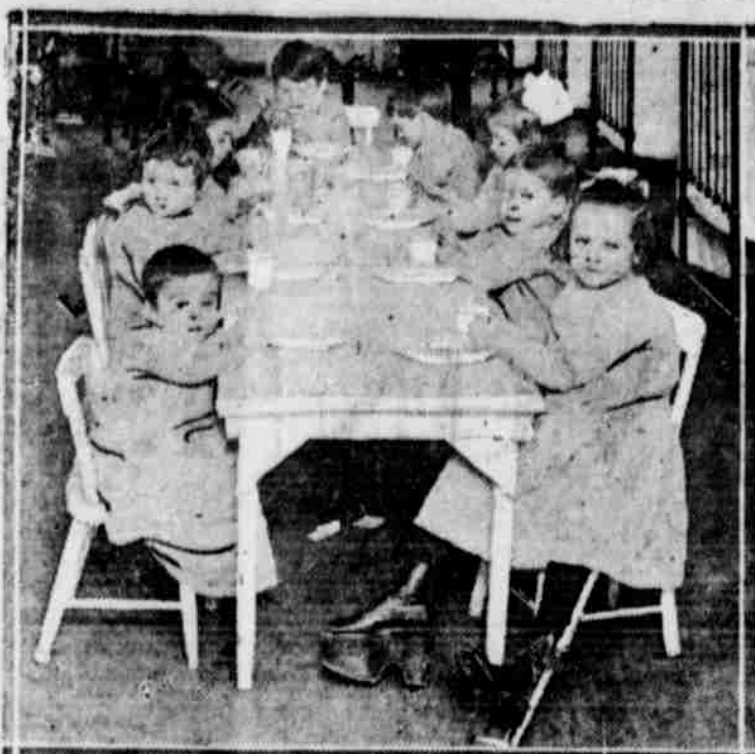
Thus the diseased vertebrae are kept apart, no strain is put on the spine, and after months of patience on this rack Frank will be cured!

On another floor are rooms filled with remarkable electrical appliances. Here general paralysis is cured by patient daily massage. Sometimes the children come here for four or five years before they are completely mended!

A victim of the terrible Triangle Shirtwaist fire of March 25, 1911, is among those whose cure at this hospital has been most marvelous. She is Esther Harris, 20, who during the holocaust, slid four stories down the elevator cable wires, then fell five floors.

One of the Victims
One hospital discharged her after

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Remaking babies. Top picture shows little patients at lunch in New York's famous dispensary for deformities and joint diseases. Below, Jimmy Doyle, aged 3, for whom the doctors are actually building a real, new foot.

six weeks as an utterly hopeless case. A physician who came to her home said she would never be able to use her paralyzed limbs again. She was admitted to the hospital for joint diseases and put to bed with a 25 pound weight pulling her head and 15 pounds on each foot!

Later a great iron hand leather collar was put about her neck and electrical treatment and massage was applied.

Today I saw Esther Harris climbing a long flight of stairs in the hos-

pital as easily as any human could! Modern science has miraculously repaired the damage to one bit of human machinery which the greedy negligence of employers wrought.

The making of useful people out of the little ones treated in the hospital begins even before they leave its doors. A special instructor is employed to educate them in handicraft. A fair has just been held at which the work of the hospital children, some of whom can hardly talk, sold for a total of \$1900.

WEED TO PLAY MEDFORD SUNDAY AT LOCAL GROUNDS

On the baseball program for tomorrow at the local park will be Weed vs. Medford. This headline on the bill boards alone should cause the fans to turn out in droves and give the local boys all the help in the way of rooting that they are capable of devoting out. Two weeks ago Medford was defeated by the Weed boys in a close and exciting game by the score of 7 to 5. The local boys claim they should have won the game, as they outthrew, outfielded and played better ball in many other departments than the boys from the lumber camp.

Weed has always been Medford's keenest rival. When one of the two lose a game to the other the loser, almost invariably, scour the country for miles around for new material to make amends for the drubbing. This will be the case tomorrow. The locals will present the strongest lineup of the season, and if they show the same degree of improvement as they have in the last few games, they should come out of the contest on the long end of the count.

The Weed club will be accompanied by a band and a large crowd of supporters. It is reported, but not confirmed that a special train will be run from Weed. It is certain that the California posters will bring sufficient of the "long-green" to cover anything that appears, as was the case at Weed two weeks ago.

The game will start promptly at 2:30 p. m.

AUSTRALIAN BAND MAKES HIT IN MEDFORD

The Australian Student Tourists appeared at the Natorium last evening and gave an entertainment equal to any seen in the city this season. From the opening of the first song until the drop of the curtain in the last act the small audience present showed signs of appreciation by their loud applause.

The young men, thirty-five in all, are guests of the Commercial club. They will appear at the Natorium again this evening. In the afternoon a free exhibition of swimming will be given by Otto Stenberg, one of Australia's best swimmers. He holds

several records for both fast and fancy swimming.

This evening's performance will be followed by a dance for which the Australian boys' band will furnish the music.

There is more Catarrh in this section of the country than all other diseases put together, and until the last few years was supposed to be incurable. For a great many years doctors pronounced it a local disease and prescribed local remedies, and by constantly failing to cure with local treatment, pronounced it incurable. Science has proven Catarrh to be a constitutional disease, and therefore requires constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio, is the only Constitutional cure on the market. It is taken internally in doses from 10 drops to a teaspoonful. It acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. They offer one hundred dollars for any case it fails to cure. Send for circulars and testimonials.

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GAME CALLED AT 2:30