

SPECIAL TRAIN TO CARRY ASHLANDERS TO FAIR FRIDAY

ASHLAND, Sept. 13.—A special train from here to Medford will accommodate the crowd going to that city Friday, which is "Ashland day." It will leave at one o'clock in the afternoon, returning about ten p. m. Fare will be 55 cents for the round trip. This is a special concession in behalf of the Jackson county fair. The committee appointed by the commercial club has asked every auto owner in town and vicinity to take his family to the fair on that date and as many from neighboring families as he can accommodate. This request will augment the crowd.

The public schools will also be closed on Friday afternoon. At a meeting of the Business Men's Association on Monday evening it was voted to close the stores on the afternoon of Friday. Badges for one and all are available. One-half of the round trip train rate will be allowed children under 12 years of age. The schools will close in plenty of time to allow pupils to take the train at one p. m.

The appeal issued here is to attend the fair at least one or two days. You can't do any better. If you have "that tired feeling" it will be a good tonic. If you are ailing it will be better than medicine. If you are nervous it will lift the pressure. If you are worried it will dispel your gloom. If you have the blues it will cheer you up. It will help, as well, those who have no affliction.

Let's be there. Remember the time and place, at Medford, Friday afternoon, Sept. 15.

SULLIVAN FIGHTS DUNNE IN ILLINOIS

CHICAGO, Sept. 13.—Their campaigns for nomination completed, republicans and democratic candidates at the Illinois state primary today waited for the counting of the ballots which will mean success or defeat for them.

While there has been a spirited contest over virtually every state office nomination, the struggle for the republican gubernatorial nomination overshadowed the others. This was a three cornered battle between Frank O. Lowden, backed by the regular republican organization in Cook county and the state; State Senator Morton D. Hull, championed by the faction led by former Governor Charles S. Deneen, and Frank L. Smith, who worked independent of any slate or factional backing.

Governor Dunne, opposed for the democratic nomination for chief state executive, by William B. Brinton, asserted that he had no fear of defeat through the eleventh hour endorsement of his rival by the Sullivan faction and the regular Cook county democratic organization.

MEXICAN CROSSED SEAS THREE TIMES

BERLIN, Sept. 13.—Dr. Krum Heller, a Mexican diplomatist with proper credentials, was compelled by the British to cross the Atlantic three times before proceeding to Switzerland, according to the Overseas News agency. He is quoted in the Tagesblatt of Berne, Switzerland, as saying that he started from New York four months ago, having obtained from the American government a certificate of identity in addition to his Mexican papers. According to this account, a British agent attempted to search Dr. Heller's baggage on the steamer in New York harbor and on being prevented tore the seal on Dr. Heller's letter from the American government. The steamer was taken to the Orkneys, where Dr. Heller is said to have been detained several weeks, it being reported that he was carrying messages from the United States to Germany. He was then sent to Scotland Yard, the news agency says, and finally back to New York, whence he proceeded to Switzerland by way of Spain and France.

PRICE OF BREAD ADVANCED TO SIX CENTS, MILWAUKEE

MILWAUKEE, Sept. 13.—Loaves of bread which formerly sold for 5 cents were today advanced to 6 cents in Milwaukee. In some cases where the loaf has been reduced in weight the price remains unchanged.

G. A. R. VETERANS IN ENCAMPMENT ASHLAND PARK

ASHLAND, Sept. 13.—Civil war veterans attending the old soldiers' reunion are most comfortably housed at the tent headquarters in Chautauqua park. Up to Tuesday noon 90 had been registered, with 40 tents erected. All points throughout the valley are represented.

Monday was preparation day, with an address of welcome by Mayor Johnson, the response coming from Col. Bradbury, of Medford, commander of the organization. There was a reception at G. A. R. headquarters in the armory, with songs and speeches. Campfires will be regular events each evening throughout the reunion.

Tuesday afternoon's program was by Ashland people, and on Wednesday Medford returned the compliment. Exercises are being held in the chautauqua tabernacle, close at hand and very convenient for the aged and infirm.

Among attendants all are Civil war veterans with one exception. This refers to Capt. W. F. Söner of this city, 90 years old last fourth of July, who served in the Mexican war with Co. C, First Illinois Infantry, responding to the second call. The oldest veteran present, 91 years, is Wm. Edley, of Medford, of Co. F, First Indiana cavalry. The "youthful" old soldier in the bunch is O. M. Wilson of Talent, 56 years old, who served at different enlistments with Co. F, of the 12th, and Co. G, of the 44th U. S. infantry.

The Woman's Relief Corps is taking an active part in the reception and entertainment of guests. About 20 members of the association have jassayed away since the 1915 reunion at Medford. Of this number five were from Ashland and nine from Medford.

DECIDED DECREASE IN INFANTILE PARALYSIS

NEW YORK, Sept. 13.—There was a decided decrease in the epidemic of infantile paralysis during the twenty-four hours ending at 10 a. m. today. There were only nine deaths, one-half of yesterday's toll, and thirty-one new cases, seven fewer than yesterday.

HOT WORK AT GUNS MAKES SOLDIERS STRIP



Firing a gun is hot work. The picture shows British soldiers sending a curtain of fire, or barrage, on the west front. The men strip to the waist to withstand the heat.

BRITAIN HOLDS FAST TO GERMAN EXPORTS

NEW YORK, Sept. 13.—Importers here were disappointed by information that Martin W. Wyvell, who was sent to London by the state department to negotiate for the release of German and Austrian goods to the value of several million dollars, detained at Rotterdam, is soon to leave England for America without having obtained from the British authorities more than a promise to consider the applications in due time.

Mr. Wyvell, who is a former foreign trade adviser to the state department, went to England in the latter part of June and since has been making efforts to induce the German government to permit the German and Austrian goods to come through. The importers are informed that he was told

SELECTING SITE FOR ARMOR PLANT

WASHINGTON, Sept. 13.—Delegations from nearly all of the principal cities of the east and south gathered at the navy department today to urge the advantages of sites offered for the \$11,000,000 government armor plate plant authorized in the new naval appropriation bill. More than 300 men were on hand when Secretary Daniels began his hearings, most of the delegations being headed by senators and congressmen.

Many cities not represented by spokesmen sent in written briefs in behalf of their claims. Several days ago that while all propositions would be considered final, decision would have to come through the British embassy at Washington.

HUGHES FINISHES INITIAL CAMPAIGN; TAKES VACATION

NEW YORK, Sept. 13.—After a series of conferences with republican and progressive leaders upon his return here today from a trip which took him into twenty-five states, Charles E. Hughes planned to leave late in the afternoon for his summer home in Bridgehampton, L. I., to remain until his departure Sunday night or Monday morning on his second speech-making tour.

Discussing the tour just ended, the candidate said: "We had a most successful trip. Everywhere a great deal of interest has been shown and the cordiality of the people has been very marked. In this respect the situation in Maine is no different from that in other states. I feel there is every reason for confidence."

Mr. Hughes reiterated his conviction that the present republican campaign management would be effective without a change in the personnel.

Callers on Mr. Hughes today were to include a delegation of United States senators, A. B. Fall of New Mexico, Charles Curtis of Kansas, James H. Brady of Idaho and Reed Smoot of Utah, and George W. Perkins, Hamilton Holt and Dr. Jacob Gould Schurman.

FULL CONFESSION BY TRAIN ROBBER

MARTINSBURG, W. Va., Sept. 13.—Charles Jefferson Harrison of San Antonio, made a full confession of the train robbery with which he was charged in the United States court here today before Judge Dayton. Sentence of twelve years' imprisonment in the penitentiary at Atlanta, Ga., was imposed.

The robbery of a Baltimore & Ohio train near Central Station, W. Va., on October 8, 1915. More than a hundred thousand dollars in unsigned bank notes was taken from the express car.



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"Show me the cheapest paint you have. I'm going to paint my barn."

"Here you are, Sir," said the salesman as he brought out a gallon can.

"This is the cheapest?" inquired the customer.

"By far," answered the salesman. "We've three other grades that sell for considerably less, but this is the cheapest—in the long run."

Now that set me thinking, because every day I meet folks who, when they want a new car, look for the "cheapest."

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There are other cars costing \$300 or \$400 less, and they are probably mighty good cars for the money. But more costly than this 3400 r. p. m. Chalmers in the end.

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Oregon has but one Normal School. This school is located at Monmouth. Excellent as the work of this school it is utterly unable to supply but a small part of the need for trained teachers for the State.

Of more than 6,000 school teachers in the public schools of Oregon, but 13 per cent have been trained for their profession of teaching in Normal Schools.

It is a well established fact that our one Normal School cannot supply the needs of the entire state. That is why we ask for your work and vote for the proposed Eastern Oregon State Normal School at Pendleton, Oregon.

GIVE EASTERN OREGON SQUARE DEAL

Eight counties in the Willamette Valley have employed during the past five years, 203 teachers who have graduated from the Monmouth Normal as against 38 Monmouth Normal school graduates for the eight leading counties of Eastern Oregon.

During the past five years the attendance of students from nine Willamette Valley counties was 377 students as against 91 students from nine of the leading counties of Eastern Oregon.

Owing to the crowded condition of our one Normal at Monmouth and also the distance and expense of attending, students from Eastern Oregon are compelled to go to neighboring states to secure their training as teachers.

ONLY COSTS 4 CENTS PER \$1,000

The annual maintenance cost of the proposed State Normal School in Eastern Oregon amounts to but one 25th of a mill or 4 cents on a thousand dollars of taxable property. Isn't it worth this to have your children trained to become useful and productive citizens?

STRONG ENDORSEMENTS

Among those who strongly endorse the establishment of the proposed Eastern Oregon Normal School are Governor Withycombe, J. H. Ackerman, President of the Monmouth State Normal; W. J. Kerr, President of the Oregon Agricultural College; P. L. Campbell, President of the State University; Robert C. French, former President of the Western Normal, and practically all of the leading educators of the State. J. A. Churchill, Superintendent of Public Instruction, voices the sentiments of those who are most familiar with the need of its adequate Normal facilities when he says:

"Oregon's greatest need for its rural schools is the teacher who has had full preparation to do her work. Such preparation can best come through Normal School training."

"I trust that the voters of the state will assist in raising the standard of our schools by establishing a State Normal School at Pendleton. The location is central, the interest of the people of Pendleton in education most excellent, and the large number of pupils in the public schools will give ample opportunity to students to get the amount of teaching practice required in a standard normal school."

All the above educators insist that a Standard Normal School must be located in a town of 5000 or more population and having enough grade pupils for teaching practice.

VOTE RIGHT

By voting YES for No. 308 you will help to give to the school children of Oregon the same advantages enjoyed by the school children of our neighboring states. Vote YES for No. 308.

Eastern Oregon State Normal School Committee
By J. H. Gwinn, Secy., Pendleton, Ore.

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