

# GREAT CROWDS OPEN HYU-HEHE CELEBRATION

Ideal Weather Conditions Prevail—Band Concerts, Boxing Matches, Roundup Contests on Opening Day Fourth Big Day With Patriotic Parade and Fireworks.

ASHLAND, July 3.—Under ideal weather conditions the attendance at the Hyu-Hehe Round up and general celebration here promises to rival the enormous crowds of last year. The town is already full of visitors and the invasion will be at its crest by Wednesday morning, which will be the eventful day in the celebration calendar.

This morning the whistle at the round house gave the initial toot at 9 o'clock, which set the celebration rolling, followed by band concerts, boxing matches, tennis tournaments, and baseball games. The events of the roundup proper began at 1:30 p. m. Inasmuch as the major events on the program await the finals on Thursday, very few definite results are yet available. There was a monster crowd on the grounds, taxing even the capacity added since the last year's event.

**Program for Fourth.**  
The program on July 4, the big day, will be as follows, and with the exception of a baseball game at 10:30 a. m. the morning hours will be devoted to a patriotic parade, supplemented by a program of like tenor in the city park at 11:30, ushered in by the Grants Pass band playing "Columbia"; opportune remarks, E. V. Carter, chairman; "Red, White and Blue," sung by Mrs. H. T. Elmore, the Girls Honor Guard joining in the chorus; reading striking passages of President Wilson's message to congress, Ernest Abbott; address, Prof. Irving Vining; anthem, "America." Incident to unfurling the big flag by the Misses Mary Elmore and Marjorie Wolf, the band will play the "Star Spangled Banner." Daylight fireworks immediately following unfurling of the flag. Display consisting of the largest novelties in Japanese and American bombs, shells and rockets.

**Afternoon Program.**  
1:30 p. m.—Rogue River Roundup. Take autos to grounds on East Main street. Admission to grounds, 50c; grandstands 50c extra. Auto fare to grounds, 15c. Patronize the autos who display the official yellow auto license card.

2 p. m.—Water sports at the Natatorium.  
2 p. m. and continuous all day and evening. Dancing at the Hyu Hehe open air pavilion and at the Bungalow.

2 to 3:30 p. m.—Concert in Lithia Park by Dunsuir band.  
3 to 5 p. m.—Baby Show, held under the auspices of the Sunshine Society for charitable purposes.

4 to 5:30 p. m.—Concert in Lithia Park by Grants Pass band.  
6:45 to 8 p. m.—Concert in Lithia Park by Ashland band.

8:15 p. m.—Concert by Portland Police band in the new Chautauqua building.  
8:15 to 9:30 p. m.—Concert in Lithia park by Dunsuir band.

9:30 p. m.—Patriotic fireworks in Lithia park. The American flag, Liberty bell, a battleship in action and many other distinctive set pieces.

Visitors should bear in mind that the special train for Medford, Grants Pass and intermediate points leaves Ashland at 11:15 p. m. on Wednesday and Thursday.

Workmen are at it hammer and tongs getting the Chautauqua building ready for the initial concert by the Portland Police band for Tuesday evening. It will be worth the price of admission to view the interior of the fine new auditorium.

**Big Flag Unfurled.**  
The big flag to be unfurled at the patriotic demonstration on Wednesday forenoon is the gift of the Park Board of Ashland to the celebration. It is a fine creation, 49x75 feet in size.

The Ashland Red Cross auxiliary will install emergency headquarters at the society's rooms in Ellis block, where first aid will be available on short notice in case of accident.

The information bureau is in city hall under charge of W. H. Gowdy, where "I live here—ask me" will be much in evidence.

Rest rooms will be available in convenient quarters on the plaza under auspices of the Sunshine society.

The boxing bouts are being held in the morning, the preliminaries at 10:30, and main events at 11:15. They are staged under auspices of the Sunset Athletic club of San Francisco, on Tuesday and Wednesday.

# INDICT YEGGMEN FOR POST-OFFICE ROBBERY, PHOENIX

Not much surprise was created in this vicinity when the federal grand jury in Portland, in its report made Saturday, returned an indictment against William E. Collins and Sam Slide for burglarizing the Phoenix postoffice. Another indictment returned against the two men was for the attempted burglary of the post-office at Riddle. Slide was indicted under the name Sam Rubber.

Last week all the Phoenix and Medford witnesses who testified against Collins and Slide at their preliminary hearing in this city and who were summoned to testify against them at their trial in circuit court, gave their testimony again before the grand jury at Portland.

It will be remembered that at their trial in Jacksonville Collins and Rubber, alias Slide, were given their freedom on motion of their attorney, E. E. Kelly, when he called attention to a technical fault in the indictment. The erstwhile prisoners lost no time in heading northward. It is claimed that they burglarized a store in Glendale and committed other burglaries before they were captured in Riddle. The circumstantial evidence against the two men in connection with the Phoenix burglary is much stronger now than before, as on the third man connected with them in the Riddle attempted burglary was found several of the gold nuggets which were stolen from the safe of the Phoenix Mercantile company.

Several months ago Collins and Slide and two other burglars were released from the San Quentin, California, penitentiary. Prior to their incarceration at San Quentin, Collins served a term in the Walla Walla, Washington, penitentiary.

Collins and Slide are suspected of numerous postoffice burglaries in the Pacific Coast country, and the postoffice authorities are bending every effort to fasten on them as much as possible so as to keep them in imprisonment for years to come.

Neither the Medford police nor the Jackson county authorities know anything about Donald Matheson, the accomplice of Slide and Collins in the Riddle affair. He was also indicted by the federal grand jury.

# COSSACKS RAID ANARCHIST'S DEN

PETROGRAD, July 3.—A force of Cossacks, acting under orders from the provisional government, raided the villa of former Minister Durovov, which since the revolution has been the headquarters of Maximalists and anarchists, many of whom were returned exiles from America. The government has given order to arrest criminals among the anarchists and also persons who helped to release offenders detained in the Kresti prison. When the Cossacks entered the yard several bombs were thrown by anarchists. The bombs, however, failed to explode.

The Cossacks did not reply, but on entering the villa they found the body of a well known anarchist named Afin, whose comrades declared he had committed suicide. Arrests were made and the villa is now in the hands of the troops.

# TEACH FRENCH TO MEMBERS OF THE SEVENTH COMPANY

The boys of Company Seven are to be instructed in the French language before they leave for active service. Mrs. Alan Braekinreed offered her services yesterday to Captain Vance, as instructor and the offer was promptly accepted. Mrs. Braekinreed will start at once and hopes to be able to give a dozen lessons or more before the final call is received. Mrs. Braekinreed is a native French woman, and has had many years of practical experience in teaching the language. The experience of English and American soldiers on the western front has shown the value of a knowledge of French, even a few words often being the cause of saving serious misunderstandings between the soldiers and French civilians. The members of Company Seven are very glad to have this opportunity before they leave for the front.

# YAKIMA LABOR STATUS IS MENACE TO CROP HARVEST

NORTH YAKIMA, Wash., July 3.—The state council of defense, meeting here this afternoon, unanimously adopted a special committee report, declaring that labor conditions in Yakima valley constitute a menace to food production, and asking Governor Lister to call upon the federal government for protection in the Cle Elum, Ellensburg and Yakima districts.

# BUFFALO BILL MEMORIAL TO OVERLOOK 4 STATES



The national monument to the late Colonel William F. Cody, "Buffalo Bill," will be situated on Lookout Mountain, near Denver, Colorado, as here shown, 2000 feet above the city and at a point from which parts of four states, Colorado, Wyoming, Nebraska and Kansas, may be seen.

# HOW RAINFALL VARIES IN DIFFERENT SECTIONS

Precipitation as recorded at the different stations in the valley for the month of June:

	Inches
Hillcrest orchard	.10
Holloway orchard	.05
Foothills orchard	.11
Newhalls orchard	.03
Modoc orchard	.21
Experiment station	.12
Hall ranch	.03
Aloha ranch	.00
Gardner's ranch	.21
Orchard Home	.06

**NOTICE.**  
Barber shops will be open Tuesday, July 3d, until 10 o'clock p. m. Closed all day Wednesday, the Fourth. 88\*

# COAL COMPROMISE COSTLY TO CONSUMERS

WASHINGTON, July 3.—Clifford Thorne, representing the Iowa League of Municipalities, told the senate interstate commerce committee today that if tentative coal prices arranged last week between the operators and the council of national defense became permanent they would cost consumers \$700,000,000 over last year's soft coal bill.

# ROOSEVELT'S SONS IN FRANCE WITH TROOPS

PARIS, July 3.—Major Theodore Roosevelt Jr. and Captain Archibald Roosevelt have arrived in France to join the American expeditionary forces.

# KLAMATH FALLS TO CELEBRATE OPENING OF RAILROAD JULY 4

KLAMATH FALLS, Or., July 3.—Beginning of construction of the Klamath Falls Municipal railroad to Dairy, Oregon, the first unit of the Strahorn central Oregon railroad system, was being celebrated here today and tomorrow. Today has been designated "Railroad Day" and the afternoon's exercises are planned to close when Mrs. Robert E. Strahorn turns the first shovel of dirt for the new line.

Robert E. Strahorn, Spokane railroad promoter, who is president of the Oregon, California & Eastern Railroad line, which is intended to web central Oregon, and who has the contract for reconstructing the Klamath unit, is to speak at a banquet to be given tonight.

George Palmer Putnam, secretary to Governor Withycombe, will represent the state executive at the banquet. Other speakers will be William Paul Johnson, chairman of the Klamath Falls committee, Bishop Matt S. Hughes, Portland, and W. D. Cheney, Seattle.

The Klamath Falls Indians will help commemorate the coming of the railroad and have sent their own band from the reservation to parade in the pageants to be held today and tomorrow. Tomorrow a patriotic demonstration will be held. Visitors are here from many sections of Oregon and California.

# CHAUTAUQUA AUDITORIUM TO BE OPENED TONIGHT

The new chautauqua auditorium at Ashland will be formally opened tonight with a concert by the Portland Police band, an organization of 42 pieces which won first prize at the Panama-Pacific exposition at San Francisco. Added to that unusual attraction on the evening of the Fourth will be Miss Myrtle Stedman, one of the leading screen stars of the world, who will appear in person and render

a number of the popular songs of the day. This combination will be the greatest musical treat in the history of southern Oregon. On the evening of the 5th an all-star vaudeville attraction will appear with ten big features. Doors open promptly at 7 o'clock each evening.

## Independence Day

Let each man think, as he celebrates the Birthday of our Nation, what independence means. It gives him the right to live his life, unhampered by laws to restrict his freedom or his progressiveness. If he desires to save money and thus provide independence for his old age, every facility for doing so is his. And he will profit by his wisdom.

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