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## PERSONAL

We take great pleasure in notifying theatergoers of Medford and vicinity that we have just completed a contract with Messrs. Schubert, producers of the world famous "Passing Show," whereby that gigantic, gorgeous, glittering musical spectacle will be presented at the Page Theater for one night, Tuesday, June 1st. The production, which is the most extensive and spectacular affair in America at the present time, will be given here in its entirety, exactly as presented the past four weeks in San Francisco, and at the New York Winter Garden last year. "The Passing Show" is truly a beautiful spectacle, spirited, full of action, and is a laughing show, too; for there are many comedy scenes with bright lines galore. Medford will see the original company, including Willie and Eugene Howard, Roy Cummings, Will Philbrick, John Burke, Edward Basse, Helen Carrington, Leeta Corder, Emily Miles, Alexandra Dagmar, Peggy Brown, Billie Shaw, Dolores Suarez, Florence Cummings, the marvelous "Dorsha" and 125 of the world's most beautiful women from the New York Winter Garden. So large is the company and production that a special train of fifteen cars is necessary to transport it. Owing to intense interest in this engagement, mail orders should be sent in at once. Prices: \$1 to \$3. Send check or post office money order to Page Theater for the amount of ticket purchase. PLUS war tax of ten per cent. Enclose a self-addressed envelope, to insure safe return and avoid error in name and address. No Phone Orders Accepted. No Seats Laid Aside. Seat Sale Opens Thursday, May 27th. (Signed) GEO. A. HUNT, MANAGER, PAGE THEATER.

## MONEY SCARCE, H. C. L. TUMBLES, CREDIT NORMAL

NEW YORK, May 22.—Paramount influences of another unsettled week in the stock market embraced the more restricted credit situation, the nation-wide movement against high prices, freight congestion and weakness of Liberty bonds on heavy liquidation. The increased discount rates ordered by the federal reserve board and the absolute lack of time funds at all the principal financial centers directed renewed attention to the scarcity of money for all but the most essential and legitimate purposes. Financial interests viewed with satisfaction the extent of the campaign to deflate commodity costs and local banks announced their intention to co-operate with officials of the central bank. Recent liquidation of securities in this market has already aided materially, it is said, towards restoring normal credit conditions.

## WEALTHY SLACKER STILL AT LARGE

PHILADELPHIA, May 22.—Grover Cleveland Bergdoll, the wealthy draft dodger who escaped from non-commissioned army officers at his mother's home here yesterday in a high-powered motor car, was still at liberty today. Both federal and city authorities said that an all-night search had failed to reveal even the direction in which he went. Department of justice agents declared they were convinced that Bergdoll was aided in his escape.

## GALLEY BOY SHOT IN POOL HALL RAID

BREMERTON, Wash., May 22.—Quinn Claro, a galley boy on the United States destroyer Waters was in the marine hospital today being treated for a serious bullet wound in the head and three thousand marines were lined up for inspection today while A. Yamashita, proprietor of a pool hall raided by a party of marines last night, endeavored to identify the raiders. Claro was shot during the raid, in which, it is alleged, guns were used. The pool hall was wrecked and it is claimed rooms in a hotel above the hall were broken into. The reason for the raid has not been ascertained.

Scarlet Fever Epidemic. YAKIMA, Wash., May 22.—The town of Mabton, which has a population of about 1000, was quarantined this afternoon by Dr. H. H. Smith, county health officer, on account of a scarlet fever epidemic, which has developed rapidly within the last few days. There are about 65 persons down with the disease. School has been dismissed for the year and churches, theaters and other meeting places closed.

Allied Council Acts. PARIS, May 22.—The council of ambassadors today discussed the contention of the Germans that war material destroyed by them remained their property. It was decided that armaments, whether destroyed or delivered to the allies according to the terms of the treaty must be considered allied property.

Irish Still Burning. LONDON, May 21.—Destruction of several more police barracks, military huts and court houses in Ireland and other outrages are recorded in an official report received here from Dublin.

## CHURCH MERGER OF PRESBYTERY

PHILADELPHIA, May 22.—Presbyterians accomplished a giant stride toward church unity today when the merger with the Welsh Calvinistic Methodist, also known as the Welsh Presbyterian church was officially consummated. This action and a decision to wage unceasing war against desecration or legalized attacks on Sabbath observance, marked today's session of the general assembly, the governing body of the Presbyterian church in the United States. The union with the Welsh church transfers 15,000 communicants to the Presbyterian church with 150 churches, 100 ministers, 600 elders, six synods and 16 Presbyteries.

## THRONE DRAPERY OF KAISER SOLD

NEW YORK, May 22.—Throne draperies, the throne room hangings and furniture said to have graced several of the erstwhile royal palaces of former Emperor Wilhelm of Germany, were put up for auction today. These are the royal household furnishings brought here a month ago by Valdemar Povelsen of Copenhagen who declares one of Berlin's most reputable art firms vouches for their authenticity.

## CHINESE TROOPS QUIT FOR 'HOP'

AMOY, China, May 19.—(By Associated Press.) Troops from Chekian province who have been stationed in Fukien province are joining the forces of the southern government for the reason that the south offers more pay, the source of which is the tax on opium. The southern military authorities are forcing the farmers to cultivate much opium under pressure.

## HUNGARIAN PEACE SIGNED JUNE 4TH

PARIS, May 22.—The peace treaty with Hungary, it was decided by the council of ambassadors today, will be signed in the Grand Trianon palace at Versailles June 4. The Hungarian delegation presented to the council a note notifying the council of the appointment of Ivan Prasnowski to succeed Count Apponyi who resigned as president of the delegation.

## ASHLAND AND VICINITY

ASHLAND, May 22.—With the exception of adopting a specific name for the organization, a chapter of the Daughters of the American Revolution has just been organized here by Mrs. Edith B. MacCracken, organizing regent for the Ashland district. Mrs. MacCracken will affiliate with the local unit from the Chicago chapter, the largest in the nation. The organization was effected at a meeting held at the library, 17 names appearing on the roll, whose papers have been approved as reviewed by the national chapter. The list includes, in addition to the organizing regent as affiliated, Mrs. Miriam D. Way, Mrs. Jessie E. Dodge, Mrs. Minnie L. McAllister, Mrs. Elizabeth T. Barrett, Mrs. Jessie N. Curry, Mrs. Glendora C. Wilson, Mrs. Jennie J. Gilbert, Mrs. Ida J. Van Natta, Mrs. Marcella I. Mitchell, Mrs. Mary F. Swigart, Mrs. Caroline M. Schuerman, Miss Grace H. Chamberlain, Miss Blanche E. Hicks, Miss Carrie M. Mitchell, Miss Elizabeth D. Palmer, Miss Harriet R. Dayton. Nearly a dozen additional names are available, as soon as qualifications of applicants are passed upon by the national chapter. These qualifications pertain to lineage and certain other requisites which establish identification as to "revolutionary" antecedents, the study of genealogy having been given an impetus which is both entertaining and instructive. Miss Chamberlain, Mrs. Dodge and Mrs. Schuerman have been appointed a committee to draft by-laws, and later on a further committee will be delegated to recommend, if not select a name for the new chapter. The name Ashland has been suggested, but this is non persona grata to many who think the designation should be derived from either aboriginal nomenclature or some romantic prefix relating to the colonial period. The name "Siskiyon" has been mentioned. Altho this is aboriginal, the term is nowise applies to the Revolutionary epoch in history like some of the Indian names current in the east. In

due season, on or about June 24, the chapter will hold another meeting, at which time the adoption of an appropriate title will probably be decided upon. True to educational ideals and upholding substantial improvements, the ladies at this gathering voiced their approval of certain measures on the ballot, notably those in behalf of the state university, agricultural college, also the normal and elementary schools.

## EAGLE POINT EAGLETS

Henry Childreth and wife of Ashland came up Saturday evening to visit his brother, W. L. Childreth, our blacksmith. Charles Kingle and wife were here Saturday afternoon on their way home in Lake Creek. There was a meeting of the directors of the Eagle Point ditch company and among other business transacted elected John L. Robinson as ditch boss. There was a meeting of the town council and among other things attended to appointed our mayor, John M. Nichols to order material for a new floor on our footbridge, with proper bed pieces, and make any other alterations necessary to secure the safety of the bridge. Among the other business callers Saturday afternoon was L. K. Haak and daughter, Miss Winifred, Geo. Given and son Charles, Mike Sidley, Sr., Mike Sidley, Jr., and Miss Helen Sidley of Lake Creek, H. D. Mills and family of Butte Falls passed thru here on their way to Butte Falls. Carl Esch received by parcel post Saturday evening two crates of day old chicks from Portland. We had a very interesting session of our Sunday school Sunday morning and among those who have been members of our bible class was Miss Margaret Singleton, and at the close of the school bid farewell to her teacher stating that she expected to start for Kentucky today, Wednesday. Her presence will be greatly missed and her many friends are wishing her a prosperous journey and a happy home in the state of her adoption. Miss Singleton and her brother John D. have been the joint owners of what is known as the Singleton farm, now owned and occupied by Carl Esch and his father, and while among us have been among the leading business people of the community and they will be greatly missed by those who have been their near neighbors. Among the guests at the Sunnyside Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Satchwell, Mrs. Will G. Steele, Miss Jean Steele of Medford, L. W. Campbell, Portland, Mr. and Mrs. R. C. McGill, D. B. Morrow, Medford, Dave Burdick, R. L. Burdick, Morgan Anderson, Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Johnson, Otis Johnson, Belle Johnson, Joyce Johnson and Perline Johnson of Ashland. Dr. and Mrs. C. C. Van Scoyoc, Margaret and Charles Van Scoyoc, Eugene Vilm, Mr. and Mrs. John A. Moffatt, Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Moffatt, Miss Alberta Moffatt, Eugene and D. Moffatt, Mrs. Mary Wright of Albany, Ore., Gus the Tailor, Medford, Frank Meyers, Dorby, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Nell and sons Donald and Herbert and Miss Matney of Medford, W. A. Sumner, Miss Grace Dye, D. R. Wood and wife, R. P. Nell and wife, Alta Norcross, Gretchen Kraemer, Ashland, Lester Bradshaw and Earl Tucker, Brownsboro, Fern Donaldson, Mrs. R. Bruce Keown, Nellie Donaldson Keown of Medford and A. A. Betts. Mr. Hovey, the forman on the All-vista orchard, was a business caller Monday morning and in speaking of the shower we had that morning said that he thought these little showers, that most of the farmers and orchardists welcome, were a detriment to the fruit instead of an advantage, as he claims it draws the moisture from beneath the surface and then the dry wind dries it up with what moisture comes from the showers—a novel idea to me, but it may be so, who knows? Mr. Adamson, the Trail mail carrier, took up to the free ferry a 3 1/2-inch centrifugal pump for Charles Bloss to use in pumping water from Rogue river to irrigate his land. People are beginning to realize that with water on the land they can make it produce twice as much hay or grain and without water they cannot raise a garden. Benj. C. Sheldon, one of the prominent candidates for the house of representatives was out here Monday for dinner but as usual was in an awful

hurry, but perhaps after next Monday his nerves will not be under such a strain. Mrs. Myrtle Von der Hellen and her daughter, Miss Dorothea motored into town Monday. Among other callers Monday were Mr. Joy, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Bellows, Vern Matthews, Henry Meyer of Lake creek, Everett Abbott who was on the stage coming from Butte Falls going to Sams Valley to work in a saw mill, Robert McCabe and family, Fred Pettigrew, Harvey Stanley and Dr. Kirchgessner. There was a small force of men working on the irrigation ditch, the water of which runs thru the grist mill, a limited amount, said water being used for irrigating some of the gardens around town, under the direction of the new ditch boss, John L. Robertson, and he had to throw up the job and go home about noon to see a baby boy that had arrived that forenoon and John feels quite proud that it is a boy. The intelligence came over the wire Monday morning that Edward Hensley had passed of Sunday night. The funeral was held at the Antelope cemetery, religious services conducted at the grave by Rev. Millard of Medford. There was a fine attendance and the floral offerings were very beautiful. The remarks by Mr. Millard were very appropriate and impressive. As there has already been a notice given in the Medford Mail Tribune it is not necessary for me to add more on the subject. L. F. Ivenhoe and family arrived here Monday afternoon from Oakland, Calif., and engaged a room for the night, moving into Mrs. Van Scoy's house Tuesday, temporarily. Frank Neil, the bookkeeper for the Eagle Point Construction company on the Crater Lake highway, was in town late Monday afternoon on his way to the Union creek camp. He said that they had about 50 men on the pay roll and forty horses at work. That just before he left they were demonstrating with a tractor and had ordered a large tractor which would go up Wednesday. I understand that the tractor expects to do the work of three three-horse teams in a day and if that is the case they will be able to finish up a strip between Silver camp and Whiskey creek without the expense of establishing another camp. This last information I received from R. G. Brown, one of the firm. Mrs. L. A. Belle of San Francisco spent Monday and a part of Tuesday at the Sunnyside. She is a representative for the Designer Publishing company. Mrs. Anna Rice nee Anna Matney, one of our old neighbors from 50 down to about 25 years ago who moved to Washington about 1892, came down to visit some of her old friends and is going out to Klamath county to visit her brothers and sisters. She is stopping at present at the Sunnyside. She has one of her little grand daughters with her. Thomas Anderson, a young man, came in Tuesday on the jitney and engaged a room at the Sunnyside and is still here. J. M. Wilfley was in town Tuesday he recently arrived from California. Thomas Collis, Mrs. Findley, Mr. and Mrs. Jap Andrews and B. E. Haney of Medford, Sam Courtney, Ray Harnish and W. C. Clements of Eagle Point, were guests at the Sunnyside today. Mrs. Clements and Mrs. Ray Harnish went to Medford so their husbands rounded up at the Sunnyside.

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