

LOCAL COMPOSER'S SONG A FEATURE C. OF C. FORUM

George E. Wilson introduced his new song, "Oregon, Land of Beauty" with a short address on his purpose in writing it and a recitation of the words at the forum luncheon yesterday. The song was sung by D. O. K. K. quartette, composed of George Wilson, Forrest Edmonds, Norman Merrill and J. W. Kirkpatrick, and received the hearty approval and applause of the forum.

Mr. Wilson stated that he hoped the song would become the official Oregon song and that his purpose in writing it was to create a better brand of state patriotism such as is met with in older states. Mr. Wilson hopes to publish the song soon and the issue will have a plate of Crater Lake in four colors on the front page. In addition to its local introduction he is planning to introduce it this spring at the Portland Rose festival.

The song has been submitted to Dr. Bates of the school of literature at the University of Oregon and according to Mr. Wilson, Dr. Bates stated that it included thoughts covering more of the natural assets of Oregon than any of the Oregon songs now extant.

The words are as follows:

Oregon! Land of Beauty.
Where the wild grape grows,
And Columbia flows
To the gates of the golden sea,
Where the flocks and herds
And the fluting birds
Fill forest and field and lea;
Where the white peaks rise
To coralline skies,
Majestic of Hope and Duty,
Oh, there is my home!
Where o'er I roam,
In Oregon! Land of beauty!

Sing! Each true son!
Sing of Oregon!
Sing of the spring green plain!
Sing of the pine
And mills and mines!
Sing of the golden grain!
Sing of the canyon,
Where salmon run!
Sing of the fir and fruit and tree!
Sing of the rose,
And shout calves!
For Oregon! Land of beauty!

From Portland's quays,
Where the seven seas
Send ships to Willamette's breast;
To Crater Lake,
Where the blue waves break
In the cup of Mazama's crest,
From the Round-up run
Of Pendleton,
To the Coos Bay pine and yew tree;
No land is there
That can compare
With Oregon! Land of beauty!

Refrain:
Oregon! Land of beauty!
Washed by the sunset sea,
Where each new morn,
Splendor is born;
Silvering lake and lea,
Where, when the twilight closes,
The mountains are molten sun,
Garden of glorious roses!
Beautiful Oregon!

Children in Spring Time
Mrs. C. Osborn, 7812 Hillside Rd., Cleveland, O., writes: "My granddaughter was troubled with a cough for nearly two years. She took Foley's Honey and Tar and her cough is now gone. It loosened the phlegm so she could raise it easily." Foley's Honey and Tar is just what children should have for feverish colds, coughs, "snuffles" and tight, wheezy breathing. Be sure to get Foley's. It checks croup and whooping cough, too. Sold everywhere.

BUILDING FIVE STRUCTURES FOR J. COUNTY FAIR

All plans for permanent buildings for the county fair grounds are now completed and at the meeting of the directors of the fair association last evening, W. L. Miller and H. D. Turner were employed to superintend the construction of same. The work will be divided into two crews as the construction work must proceed rapidly in order to be completed by September 13th the opening date of the fair.

There will be five structures built. The stock pavilion, the woman's building, the agricultural and horticultural palaces, the main entrance and eight units of the grand stand with a seating capacity of 1000.

The committee in charge of the tree planting reported that approximately one hundred trees have been set out but on account of the lateness of the season, the balance of the money contributed for that purpose will be held until fall, at which time the rest of the trees will be planted. The state of Oregon will provide \$1500 for premiums and the directors appropriated an additional sum of \$1400 so that a total of \$2900 will be available for prize money. None of this premium money will be spent for races as the laws of the state will not permit it, nor will any of this money come from the tax levy which the people voted, but will be derived from the admission and concession charges.

The appointment of superintendents of exhibits and superintendents of grounds with its various divisions was given serious consideration and the publicity campaign will be acted upon at the next meeting.

CALIFORNIA TEAMS ARRIVE CAMBRIDGE

BOSTON, May 25.—The track team of the University of California which will compete in the intercollegiate field championships in Harvard stadium tomorrow and Saturday arrived here today and had a little workout. Leland Stanford's team, the other Pacific coast invaders, arrived yesterday and Coach R. L. Templeton said his men generally were in good condition.

An innovation in the selection of men for tomorrow's heats in the track events was announced by G. T. Kirby, referee. Coaches were requested to send him a list of their starters in the order of their ability. With the ranking in hand, he said, contestants in the trial will be so arranged that stars would not meet on the first day.

SPOKANE YEGG RING BROKEN BY POLICE

SPOKANE, May 25.—Police here today said they had solved the mystery attending a long series of burglaries here with the arrest today of four men and the alleged confessions of three of them. The officers said loot valued at \$5000 had been recovered of an amount estimated at five times that sum. The loot included a piano stolen from a school house, a phonograph and carpet taken from a school house and a quantity of tools.

Harvard Crew Captain



George M. Appleton, who is leading the Harvard Varsity Eight this season and expects to show open water to Yale at New London, late in June. Captain Appleton rows bow.

COMPLETE PLANS PROSPERITY WEEK AND ROSE SHOW

Plans for Prosperity Week are progressing as rapidly as possible and within a few days announcements will be made as to the details of the program for each day.

Prominent men are being solicited to be present on the days when the irrigation development, that has taken place, will receive its recognition, as well as on the opening day of the Brownlee mill, the largest one in the Rogue River valley.

Although some of the committees of the Retail Merchants Bureau have completed their work of soliciting funds for the expenses that will necessarily be incurred, there are still several committees who have not finished in the territory assigned to them. Until all report it will be impossible for the general committee to complete final arrangements as they will not be in position to know the extent which their activities will cover.

The Greater Medford club committee in charge of the Rose Show which will be held on Flag Day, June 11th, is very active and in this feature alone, Prosperity Week will have one of the greatest attractions in years to bring people to Medford.

British Officer Killed.
CAIRO, Egypt, May 25.—(By the Associated Press)—Wilfred Cave, a British officer, assistant commander of police here, was shot and killed today, while returning home from a bicycling trip.

German U-Boat Rammed.
BERLIN, May 24.—(By Associated Press). The German battleship Hanover and the submarine S-18 collided during night maneuvers last night near Sassnitz. Ten sailors on the submarine were killed.

SUMMER RESORT DIAMOND LAKE IS PROGRESSING

Preparations are now going on for the establishment of a summer resort at Diamond Lake in time for the opening of the season late in June, or simultaneous with the opening of the Crater Lake season, July 1st. Medford and Jackson county men are back of this venture.

Recently the government granted George L. Howard, deputy sheriff, a fifteen years concession to establish and maintain business enterprises at Diamond Lake in connection with this project, and a company known as the Diamond Lake Improvement company has been organized with a capital stock of \$25,000 to take over Mr. Howard's concession and establish and maintain a pleasure resort, hotel, and the like. The incorporators of the company are George L. Howard, P. B. Harrison, J. W. Wakefield, E. F. Robinson and Fred Wahl. Of the capital stock, already \$20,000 has been subscribed.

Because of limited time the company can only provide partial equipment for the resort this year, but when the season opens will have a general store, eight tent houses and 12 boats in operation, and outfitting, gasoline and auto accessories on sale, and will be prepared to serve meals to all visitors. By the opening of the 1923 season, however, the company plans to have an ample hotel and other features of an alluring summer resort ready.

Harding Initiated.
WASHINGTON, May 25.—President Harding was initiated today to the Phi Alpha Delta, a legal fraternity. The initiation took place at the White House. Chief Justice Taft and General Pershing were among members of the fraternity present at the ceremonies.

MEDFORD LEGION AIDS IN SEARCH OF MISSING SON

The following word has been received by A. J. Crose, Adjutant of Medford Post of the American Legion:

"An aged father, lying at the point of death is calling piteously for his son, according to word received by department headquarters from the Frank Burns post at Condon, Oregon. All efforts made by Harry N. Nelson department adjutant to locate Fred Clarence Rice have been in vain and this final resort is being made to the press of the state to assist in finding the boy. He was last heard from in December when he was in Bremerton Navy Yard, but he left there, leaving a Portland address which he never reached."

This post is also trying to locate Thomas Ryland, whose last known address was general delivery, Medford, Oregon.

HOLD UP MEN ACTIVE ON THE MILKY WAY

LOS ANGELES, May 25.—The milky way has been discovered by automobile holdup men according to the police. Just before dawn an exciting three-cornered hunt was on, milkmen hunting safely, holdup men hunting milkmen and police hunting holdup men. Reports of four holdups came in as the police machine was getting under way to investigate the first. A recent change by milk companies discontinuing monthly accounts with customers, and requiring cash upon delivery for milk makes all milk drivers money collectors and two holdup men in an automobile taking advantage of this, today started out taking "the cream" out of the collections. The chase by police was fruitless up to dawn.

Oregon Horsemen Meet.
ENTERPRISE, Ore., May 24.—The cattle and horse raisers association of Oregon began its ninth annual convention here today with stock raisers present from all parts of the state. The sessions will continue tomorrow. Fred H. Bixby of Long Beach, Calif., president of the American National Livestock association is on the program to speak Thursday afternoon.

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Thirty days after such delinquency the property will be advertised and sold for the amount of such delinquency, together with penalties and costs of such sale in accordance with Section 148 of the City Charter.

Date at Medford, Oregon, this 15th day of May, 1922.

MARY HASWELL WEBBER,
Treasurer of the City of Medford, Oregon.

CHANGE IN SCHEDULE

EFFECTIVE MAY 25, 1922

ASHLAND-ROSEBURG STAGE

Daily Except Sunday

North Bound Read Down.		South Bound Read Up.
Lv.—12:00 Noon	Ashland	Av.—3:45 P. M.
Lv.—1:00 P. M.	Medford	Lv.—4:00 P. M.
Lv.—4:00 P. M.	Grants Pass	Lv.—1:00 P. M.
Av.—7:30 P. M.	Roseburg	Lv.—8:30 A. M.

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