

CIRCUS GAMBLERS HALTED IN PICKING OF LOCAL VICTIMS

Gamblers in the side show of the Howe's Great London circus were doing a land office business fleeing would be local sports by operating three spinning wheels for money and watches. These operations were started directly after the circus parade had returned to the lot about 1 p. m.

The play was so bold and with money in sight that word of it soon flew around town, especially the news that the gamblers always won, and soon some of the victims found their way to Chief of Police Timothy with complaints. The first that that busy official heard about the gambling games was at 2 p. m. and he hurried at once to the circus grounds. Of course when he hove in sight the gambling had ceased. The chief read the riot act to the gamblers and warned the circus management about the games, and prohibited absolutely any games of chance of any kind. That ended the gambling in the side-show or elsewhere for the day as the chief or some other policeman was on watch all the time.

The largest single local loser playing the games lost \$80 in a lump, and many were the five or ten dollar losses. It is said. Chief of Police Timothy was so busy handling the street crowds and in using his auto in helping take the G. A. R. and W. R. C. from the American Legion hall for the cemetery for the exercises there and never dreaming that anyone would have the nerve to put on open gambling at the circus lot did not visit that place until he heard the reports of what was going on.

There were no accidents or other troubles during the day despite the big crowd down town and the two parades. The gamblers operating the spinning wheels in protest of the chief's ban, called the wheel's "games of skill."

Notice
To land owners under Medford Irrigation ditch: There is a meeting called for at the Red Top School House for 2:30 p. m. Sunday, June 4. All East Side water users be sure and come. 61 Committee of Land Owners.

A millinery meeting will be conducted by Miss Florence Pool, county home demonstration agent on Thursday afternoon, June 1st, for the women of Central Point at the home of Mrs. Joe Bogart of Central Point. All women interested are invited to attend.

BROTHERLY LOVE IN BUSINESS IS PLEA TO FORUM

Chancellor George H. Bradford of the Ellison-White Chautauqua was the speaker of the day at the chamber of commerce forum luncheon at the Hotel Medford this noon. He spoke on closer and better relations between business men and on the versatile education of all of one's faculties.

The speaker told of a man who had had time to do nothing but make money. He had not developed himself so that he could enjoy good books, he had no religion, he could not comprehend grand opera, his education was concentrated on making money and he retired at the age of 65 with \$3,000,000, and two sons each of whom he pensioned at \$12,000 a year. The speaker left the impression that this man did not enjoy himself.

He urged that everyone stop and think for a minute, and endeavor to call to mind some person who would be benefitted by some small act of kindness. Mr. Bradford stated that in order to know who will be the great men of tomorrow one has but to listen to the names of men mentioned by school children and by the poor.

He urged business men to assume a brotherly attitude toward each other and suggested that if a merchant should fall into a strained financial condition that the chamber of commerce meet and vote to aid him and tide him over the strained period. This he advocated as a much better plan than to wait until a mortgage on the man's business had been foreclosed and then buy his business at a reduction and get his customers.

The speaker ended by saying that the American boys in the war had taught the world how soldiers should die but that the time for dying was past and that it was now time for Americans to show the world how to live like brothers.

E. C. Clement, inspector of the postal service gave a short talk on the workings of that great organization and quoted some astounding statistics. He also urged that business men and others give their letters the "once over" before mailing in order to save trouble and exorbitant expense. He told how he had given Bill Warner the first civil service examination held in Medford for rural mail carrier and how Bill became rural carrier No. 1, and carried the mail over the first rural route from this city with a horse and wagon. He designated Bill as "now the Hon. Wm. J. Warner, First Class Postmaster in a First Class Post-office."

Col. Payne gave a short address on

the merits of the Citizens' Training camp to be held at Camp Lewis this summer and urged the members of the forum to induce their friends and relatives to attend to better fit themselves in civil life and to make themselves more valuable to their country in case of need.

Aubrey G. Smith acted as chairman and the large assembly sang several songs under the leadership of Secretary Frohbach who acted in the absence of D. E. Millard.

JESS INGRAM'S OPPONENT LOOKS GOOD TO FANS

Jack Connor, the boy from Oakland, has arrived in Medford for his fight with Jess Ingram, and from all appearances, it looks as if Jess would have to go some Friday night if he stays in the ring ten rounds. Jack is the type of fighter people like to see, a mixer from the first tap of the gong and his seven years of ring experience should assure local fans an interesting main event for Friday's smoker.

"Fighting" Joe Blackburn will scrap Kid Meadows in a six round semi windup which promises to be a hot one. Welty the Idaho Wildcat will met Romeo Hagen for a four round return match. Since the match will be a clean break affair, it should be even better than their first tangle.

Midget Moran of Sidney, Australia, will fight K. O. Kid Sullivan of the Scapoose Athletic club in a curtain raising event for the fly-weight championship of the valley. Medford glove enthusiasts are staking heavily on Sullivan, but the Sidney battler shakes a mean mit and is out for blood.

The fight card for Friday night will be staged in the large up-stairs hall. All ladies are cordially invited.

NO IRISH REPUBLIC

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vide manner we will have no grounds for complaint, but if they become members of the government without signing that declaration the treaty is broken by that very fact."

After Secretary Churchill's speech Arthur Griffith and Michael Collins said the colonial secretary had made a perfectly fair presentation of the situation.

"I must now in fairness," continued the secretary, "set forth the reason

which I understand led or forced the Irish provisional government (Collins faction) to enter this compact, which is fundamentally opposed to the treaty. They declared conditions in southern Ireland were degenerating so rapidly that they had not the power to hold a freely contested election, that sporadic conflicts would have resulted in many parts; that the ballot boxes would have been burned and persons and candidates intimidated or prevented in taking part in the election and that no coherent expression of the nation's will would have resulted.

A Terrible Condition

"If that is true, it is a very terrible reflection upon the Irish people and their capacity to use the democratic institutions to which they have so long and so loftily proclaimed their devotion. It is also a reflection upon the

government which while urging us continuously to withdraw our forces in order to make the whole of the Irish people see that we were acting in strictly good faith, has not been able in the whole of six months that have elapsed to organize an efficient and adequate police force capable of maintaining the treaty position.

"The second reason advanced was that the progress of disorder and lawlessness had become so extensive in the counties since the British troops withdrew and the disbanding of the royal Irish constabulary that the government could not possibly guarantee the security of life and property if these securities were challenged by an active and violent republican minority.

"This minority, it was explained, constituted mainly a comparatively small number of armed men, violent in method and fanatical in temper, in many cases disinterested or impersonal in motive. But behind these,

strengthening, disgracing and multiplying these, were a large number of common, sordid ruffians and brigands, raiding, murdering and pillaging for personal gain or private revenge."

Later on in the debate, in which the Ulster group assailed the government's policy, Mr. Churchill frankly admitted that British troops were being held in Dublin as a preliminary step to military operations, if these become necessary.

RELFEST, May 31.—(By Associated Press). Sir James Craig, the Ulster premier, announced today he and the Marquis of Londonderry, the Ulster minister of education were going to London today at the British government's invitation to confer regarding the situation in Ireland. He said they were going on the distinct understanding that they would not meet the Dublin representatives.

Mr. Collins will return from London

to Ireland this afternoon. Mr. Griffith will remain in London for a few days.

WOMAN'S ILL MAKE UNHAPPY HOMES

"There is no question but what the ill of women conspire against domestic harmony. The husband cannot understand these troubles and the physician finds it hard to cure them, therefore the overworked wife and mother continues to drag around day in and day out with headaches and backache, fretful and nervous."

Such women should be guided by the experience of women whose letters we are continually publishing in this paper. Many of them declare that they have been restored to health, strength and consequent happiness by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound after doctors and all other medicines had failed to help them. It will surely pay women who suffer from such ailments to try it.

SAYS IT PUT HIM BACK ON FEET TWICE

Freed of Rheumatism Two Years Ago By Tanlac, Los Angeles Man Tries It Again When He Becomes Victim of Stomach Trouble

"For the second time, Tanlac has put me on my feet, and you may know by that what I think of it," said William T. Hardin, 1409 Garden St., Los Angeles, Calif.

"Three years ago, I had rheumatism in my shoulders and neck so bad I could hardly work. I tried medicine after medicine only to get worse, but finally I got hold of Tanlac, and I haven't had a trace of rheumatism since."

"Then last summer my stomach got out of order. I lost my appetite and what little I did eat made me feel bloated all stuffed up and miserable. I always felt weak, tired and worn out, and was so nervous I couldn't sleep."

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