

## NEW HEAD CRATER LAKE PARK MAN OF MANY DEEDS

"Divided allegiance doesn't get one anywhere," said Alex Sparrow, known to hundreds of Oregon tourists as the superintendent of Crater Lake national park who, after 10 years in that service, is returning to his stock ranch near Medford.

"I'm going back to my farm and I'm going to be a real dirt farmer, none of this necktie business," he declared with the smile that has won him so many friends at Oregon's tourist Mecca. "I've been at Crater Lake nearly ten years and a change will be good for us all."

Sparrow, with Mrs. Sparrow, who is a horsewoman and who has won several life ribbons on the coast with her entries, are in Portland today to meet Mr. and Mrs. Charles Goff Thomson who will succeed them at Crater Lake.

Thomson, who is a Cornell university man and has been in federal service for more than 10 years, has made 57 ocean trips and crossed the continent seven times but with apologies he explains that he has never seen Oregon.

"This old line of living in the land of your own people is all wrong. I've been back there in New York for the last three years and that was enough. We've hoped for years to get into just such a place as Crater Lake national park and nobody knows how thrilling it is to be on the way now."

Thomson refers to that brief period of his life when he was a newspaper man as his one great dark hour.

He spent 10 years in the Orient, part of that time as director of the Alabang Serum laboratory in the Philippines and later in charge of the military and civilian forces operating against "rinderpest" in the islands. Later he was assistant director of the bureau of prisons for the Philippine government. During the war he was in command of remount depots at Camp Gordon and Camp Dix and went to France in 1918, where he was cited for "exceptional meritorious and conspicuous services."

He was discharged as a lieutenant colonel. He is the author of several novels, among the best known of which are "Terry," a tale of the Hill people, and "The One Word," and his new book, "Time Is a Gentleman," will be out next spring.

During the last three years Thomson has spent most of his time setting down on paper his experiences abroad and trying to build the material into stories.

"There's just one thing about short stories," said he. "When you write a lot of fluff stuff, romance and love and just swing it together and shove it into the mail, if it's any good at all you'll probably get a good big check. But if you put your heart and soul into a real story, an Edison Marshall story, for instance—well—the check will be about a third of the other."

Mr. and Mrs. Thomson have two boys, 7 and 10 years of age. Mrs. Thomson, who is a St. Lawrence university graduate, shares her husband's enthusiasm in the new venture. They will leave with Mr. and Mrs. Sparrow Tuesday for Medford, where Thomson will assume his new duties at the national park office in that city until early June, when he will dig his way into the park.—Portland Journal.

## BISHOP SUMNER TO ADDRESS FORUM

Bishop Walter T. Sumner of the Episcopal diocese of Oregon will address the members forum of the Medford chamber of commerce tomorrow noon at the Medford hotel.

The bishop has been a resident of Oregon for the past eight years and in his church work, which has taken him in every part of the state, he has had the opportunity to study the needs of the people and the state at large. He is well known as an orator and the chamber is exceedingly fortunate in getting him to speak at the forum.



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## VALLEY BANKERS MEET AND FORM ORGANIZATION

The bankers of Jackson and Josephine counties met at noon Monday at the Hotel Medford and organized the Bankers' association of Jackson and Josephine counties. The chief purpose of calling the meeting was to consider the educational and agricultural programs of the Oregon Bankers' association. Andrew Miller, field secretary of the state association was present, and gave a very instructive talk on the activities of the state association.

The purpose of the educational campaign undertaken by the Bankers is to bring before the public a series of talks on elementary economics and banking, realizing that a clear understanding of the functions of a bank will benefit the entire community.

The following officers were elected: Chairman, B. E. Harder, president of the First National Bank of Medford; vice-chairman, Sam H. Baker, cashier of the Grants Pass and Josephine Bank of Grants Pass; secretary-treasurer, Floyd H. Hart, assistant cashier of the First National Bank of Medford.

The following bankers were present:

**Medford.**  
First National Bank, B. E. Harder, Oris Crawford, Floyd H. Hart; Jackson County Bank, C. W. McDonald, V. H. Vawter, Scott Davis, W. I. Vawter; Farmers and Fruitgrowers Bank, F. E. Wahl.

**Ashtland.**  
First National Bank, J. W. McCut, F. D. Wagner; Citizens Bank of Ashtland, V. O. N. Smith.

**Grants Pass.**  
Grants Pass & Josephine Bank, G. P. Jester, Sam H. Baker, A. H. Cass, J. L. Calvert; First National Bank of Southern Oregon, H. D. Norton, R. K. Hackett, K. Hammerbach, E. J. Schumaker.

**Gold Hill.**  
Gold Hill Bank, P. H. Bell.

**Central Point.**  
Central Point State Bank, J. O. Isaacson.

**Eagle Point.**  
Eagle Point State Bank, H. E. Campbell.

**Talent.**  
Talent State Bank, E. O. Adamson.

## FINE GERMAN TOWN FOR STREET FIGHT

DUESSELDORF, Feb. 13.—(By Associated Press.) The town of Gelsenkirchen has been fined 100,000,000 marks to be paid tomorrow in consequence of the incident there yesterday between German police and French gendarmes.

The burgomaster, the chief of police and the policemen believed to be guilty in connection with the affair, have been arrested. The French authorities, it was added, are investigating.

## SALVATION ARMY TO HAVE SALE FEB. 14-15

Beginning at 9 o'clock each morning of Wednesday and Thursday, Feb. 14th and 15th and continuing until 5 o'clock the Salvation Army will conduct a sale of clothing at very moderate prices. Articles of clothing for men and women and children will be offered for sale at prices which those of small means can afford to supply themselves.

Those in need and who are unable to pay anything, will be taken care of. Remember the dates, 14th and 15th, and the place, the Army hall.



**Closes at Rialto Tonight**  
Old policemen will tell you that a great many crimes are revealed by reason of the criminal's belief that he has been found out. He sees accusation written in every face, in every searching eye, in every gesture.

Sam Bass even thought he could read it in the tones of a voice over the telephone, and confessed to the amazement of his townspeople.

The powerful character of Sam Bass was created by George Pattullo, noted star writer for The Saturday Evening Post, in his gripping story, "The First Degree," starring Frank Mayo at the Rialto theatre closing there tonight.

**Page Your Dictionary**  
Page the flappers' dictionary: Lucy accuses John of "nibbling." Girls, do you know what that means? Well, in this case it means that Wanda Hawley meant that Wallie Reid was flirting with other girls when she thought she should be getting his undivided attention. The former is Lucy and the latter John, in "Thirty Days," the late Mr. Reid's last picture, which will be presented for four days at the Rialto theatre, beginning tomorrow. You'll say it's one of Wallie's best pictures.

## May Robson at the Page Tonight



The ever-popular favorite with Medford and southern Oregon people, May Robson, will be seen at the Page tonight in "Mother's Millions," which is claimed to be her best play, and a rousing welcome will no doubt be given her by a large audience.

Don't miss seeing Miss Robson tonight. If you do you will miss a treat and be sorry afterwards.

"Mother's Millions" is full of the brightest comedy, the sweetest, tenderest pathos and the most sensational emotion.

The character of "Harriet Breen" is a very different one to those Miss Robson has been playing and she has surprised her audiences in doing such fine heavy emotional—almost tragic work, but with it all, she has her comedy scenes, which are so much looked for. It would not be May Robson if she didn't bring the laughs and smiles.

The cast is large and excels in ability and appearance.

## New Books at County Library

**Fiction.**  
Love Conquers All, Benchley; Young People's Pride, Bennett; Down the River, Brink; The Boy Greaves, Brown; The Wind Blows, E. E. C. The Hidden Force, Cooper; Gigolo, Ferber; Americans All, Heydick; Cappy Ticks Bedlam, Kynes; The Mysterious Office, Lee; The Tale of Trolan, Locke; Peewee, MacHarg; The Altar Steps, Mackenzie; Dittie Towards the Stars, Nexor; Captain Blood, Sabatini; The Chain, Towne; Psychology and the school, Cameron; Non-Fiction.

Our Unconscious Mind and How to Use It, Pierce; Applied Psychology for Nurses, Porter; Psychology, Woodworth; Little Essays of Love and Virtue, Ellis; What and Where Is God?, Swain; The Community Church, Zumbrennen; Human Nature and Conduct, Dewey; The Use of Money; How to Save and How to Spend, Kirkpatrick; Teaching by Projects, McMurray; The Secrets of Distinctive Dress, Pickens; Invisible Exercise, Lee; The Asatlas, Brahman; Cocks and Langshans; Plymouth Rocks; Ducks and Geese, Denny; Orphingtons, Drenstedt; Wyandotters, Drenstedt; Rhode Island Poultry Keeping, Jackson; The Campuses, Platt; Building With Assurance, Morgan; How to Plan, Finance and Build Your Home, Southern Pine Association; Butiks, and How to Make Them, Miller; Clark's O. N. T. Designs for Gifts; Plots and Personalities, Iosson; Modern Drama in Europe, Jameson; Kinfolks, Cobb; The Book of American Negro Poetry, Johnson; Longer Plays by Modern Authors, Cohen; One-act Plays by Modern Authors, Cohen; Best Plays

of the Year—1921-22, Mantle; Our Short Story Writers, Williams; Nights and Days On the Gypsy Trail, Brown; Asia at the Crossroads, Powell; The China's Place in the Sun, High; The Letters of Franklin K. Lane, Lane; George Washington, Thayer; History of Oregon, Carey; You and Your Laundry, Frederick.

**Pamphlets.**  
O. A. C.—The Efficient Kitchen.

U. S. Agricultural Economics Bureau, Farmer's Telephone Companies, Choosing a Tractor.

U. S. Agricultural Department—Producers Co-operative Milk Distributing Plants, Internal Browning of the Yellow Newtown Apple, Tebb; Barley, a Superior Variety for Irrigated Land.

U. S. Biological Survey Bureau—Beaver Habits, Beaver Control and Possibilities in Beaver Farming.

U. S. Dairy Division—Proportioning the Ingredients for Ice Cream and Other Frozen Products by the Balance Method.

U. S. Education Bureau—Applied Science Course for High School Boys; Supervision of Rural Schools; Kindergarten First Year Curriculum.

U. S. Entomology Bureau—Grasshopper Control and Its Relation to Cereal and Forage Crops; More Important Apple Insects; Lime-sulphur Concentrate; Angoumois Grain Moth; Weevils in Beans and Peas.

U. S. Feed Marketing Bureau—Marketing of Mill Feeds.

U. S. Forest Service—State Forestry Laws of 1921.

U. S. Plant Industry Bureau—Production of Tulip Bulbs; Alfalfa Root Studies.

U. S. Public Roads Bureau—Portland Cement Concrete Roads.

## TURKEY BACKS UP ON WAR THREATS AND STALLS ANEW

CONSTANTINOPLE, Feb. 13.—(By Associated Press.) Ismet Pasha's report of the Lausanne conference is expected to clarify the political atmosphere here, especially as regards the Smyrna situation. The Turkish foreign minister, whose return from Switzerland has been delayed by the weather, will explain, it is believed, that the peace negotiations attempted at Lausanne have been postponed rather than abandoned and that adjustments are possible.

Mustapha Kemal Pasha and some of the ministers of the Ankara government have gone to Smyrna for the meetings of an economic congress. A representative of the Russian soviet government is to attend also and this recalls the recent rumors of an Anglo-Moscow agreement reached at Lausanne.

Turkey's attitude toward the allies, both at Smyrna and elsewhere, appears to have changed for the better, and the Ottoman authorities at the "closed port" are reported more conciliatory toward the naval commanders.

### Ship Not Seized

WASHINGTON, Feb. 13.—The Cuban government has been advised by the state department that the Cuban steamer Miguel Ferrer, had not been seized by prohibition enforcement officers nor had it been refused clearance papers by agents of this government.

## 106 BODIES TAKEN FROM DEATH TRAP, ONLY 2 SURVIVE

DAWSON, N. M., Feb. 13.—(By the Associated Press.)—With 106 bodies recovered and 14 still missing, buried under huge piles of debris in mine No. 1 here, demolished last Thursday by an explosion workers today began mucking out the wreckage which litters the workings.

Only two men of the 122 who were in the workings when the explosion occurred survived. Neither can shed any light on the probable cause of the blast. They were in an old isolated working and saved their lives by burying their faces in a water-soaked sweater for nineteen hours before venturing into the main entrance.

After thirty bodies had been removed yesterday, officials of the Phelps Dodge corporation announced that all possibility of there being men still alive in the workings had vanished.

P. G. Beckett, general manager of the corporation, W. W. Hildon, New Mexico state mine inspector, Daniel Harrington, supervising engineer of the United States mine rescue cars here have been making daily trips through the mine. Thus far, all declare it is impossible to make any official statement as to the cause of the blast.

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## JAPANESE ENVOY SAYS NOTHING TO GO TO WAR FOR

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 13.—Assurances that Japan and the United States have no vital mutual problems that conflict or any which cannot be adjusted by better understandings and a desire to be fair were given here today by M. Hanthara, Japan's ambassador to the United States and by Charles B. Warren, United States ambassador to Japan.

M. Hanthara recently appointed, is on his way to Washington to assume his new duties. Mr. Warren also is on his way to the capital where he will present his formal resignation after serving as his country's chief diplomatic representative at the Mikado's capital since June 1921. Their sentiments, optimistic almost without exception, were expressed at length at a banquet in their honor last night.

Ambassador Hanthara made it plain in a brief formal address in England that all the Japanese want is "to be accorded the same fair treatment you accord to other people, in other words, no unfair discrimination on account of race or nationality."

Although the speaker did not refer specifically to the nature of the question he was discussing, it was assumed he had in mind the treatment of Japanese immigrants in this country. M. Hanthara praised the Washington armament agreement and said they already had given evidence of practical value.

**Destroyers at Cristobal**  
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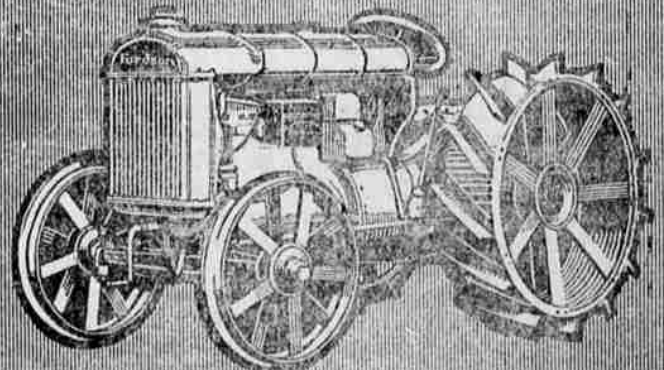
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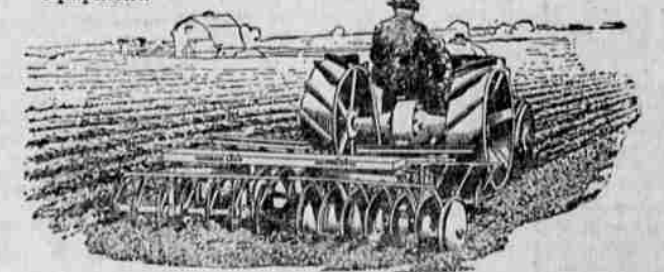
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