

OMAR MURPHY IS INDICTED, BAIL IS FIXED AT \$3000

Omar W. Murphy, charged with manslaughter, as the result of an alleged beating administered to his wife, on April 1st, was indicted by the grand jury Monday, on the preferred charge. He is at liberty on \$3000 bonds. Mrs. Murphy died about a month ago.

Murphy was arraigned in the circuit court this morning and entered a plea of not guilty. His bond was continued, and no date set for the trial. As a result of the action of the grand jury, the preliminary hearing will be dismissed. It was postponed Monday afternoon.

The report on the analysis of the stomach of the dead woman was received Monday by the district attorney. The report, according to the district attorney's office, showed normal conditions with no evidence of poison. No date has been set for the resumption of the coroner's inquest, which was held in abeyance pending the return of the analysis.

Besides the indictment of Murphy, the grand jury, which convened Tuesday, returned four other true bills and adjourned after making a formal report that they had been in session.

F. M. White, a farmer living on the hill road between Jacksonville and Gold Hill, was indicted for possession of a still, and possession of mash. White was arrested in a raid on his place Monday night by the sheriff's office and federal prohibition officers, stationed in this territory.

A 15 gallon capacity still, three quarts of finished product and 40 gallons of mash were seized. Two counts were returned against White.

According to Sheriff Jennings, White admitted ownership and possession, and said "he was selling what he could not drink himself."

T. E. Eddy, a junkman, arrested a year ago in connection with dog poisoning, was indicted on a statutory charge, involving a ten year old Gold Hill girl.

Merrill Betts was indicted on a charge of driving an automobile while intoxicated.

POLICE CHIEF ADAMS WARS ON JAYWALKERS

Chief of Police Adams has started a war on jaywalkers in the downtown districts and the stopping of cars in the middle of the street while making purchases. The public is requested to travel the intersections and quit ambling kitty-corner across Main street. This is made necessary by the heavy traffic occasioned by the national guard encampment and the traffic laws covering the same will be strictly enforced. The public is also warned that, in the event of an accident while "jaywalking," the driver of the car has been held blameless by several court decisions. The same applies to the stopping of cars willy-nilly in the path of traffic.

GIRL FALLS FROM TREE, BOTH ARMS BROKEN

While climbing about in a large apple tree in play with other children yesterday afternoon, Marjorie Marshall, 10 year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Verne Marshall, fell out of the tree to the ground and fractured both arms.

ASHLAND BOY GETS A 15 DAY JAIL TERM

J. E. Freeman, 17 years old, of Ashland, pleaded guilty yesterday in Judge Taylor's court to the charge of operating a motor vehicle without an operator's license, preferred against him by Chief of Police McNabb, and was sentenced by Judge Taylor to 15 days in the county jail.

The boy appeared in court to answer the charge of reckless driving on the streets of Ashland, preferred against him by State Traffic Officer J. J. McMahon, and pleaded not guilty. It was then that the additional complaint was lodged against him by Chief McNabb and to this he pleaded guilty.

MEDFORD CHURCHES TO ENTERTAIN FOR NAT'L GUARDSMEN

The Chamber of Commerce committee in charge of the entertainment of the members of the National Guard were glad to accept the proffered aid of the facilities afforded by the local churches for social and other entertainment of guardsmen. For some time the local Ministerial Association and committees from the young people's societies have been preparing for their share in providing for the comfort and pleasure of the guard.

The social halls of the First Methodist and First Baptist churches, the Salvation Army and the Y. W. C. A. will keep open house during the encampment. Reading and lounging rooms with writing and other features will be provided with attendants constantly in charge. A number of additional writing stations will be established about Main street with complimentary stationery and postal cards.

The united young people's societies will provide three double social functions in the city, and at the request of the Guard officers and the entertainment committee, will sponsor a great camp fire entertainment at the bivouac camp of the guard when off on field maneuvers June 23. The social functions in town will be in the social halls of the Baptist and First M. E. churches at the same time. With the possibilities of many hundreds of soldiers in the city at one time it will doubtless tax all the entertaining facilities to care for them.

In addition to the social program, the churches are cooperating with Lieut.-Col. W. S. Gilbert, chaplain of the 82nd brigade in arranging the religious program for the Sundays of the encampment. A male chorus made up of the quartets of the city will sing at the military services at Camp Jackson, at 9 o'clock Sunday morning, at which the entire command will attend, and the congregations of the city and all civilians are cordially invited by Chaplain Gilbert to be present.

Rev. J. B. Coan, formerly chaplain of the 87th Field Artillery, has been requested by Chaplain Gilbert to assist in the service. Invitations are issued to all the soldiers to attend the regular services of the churches where special programs are being prepared.

A small pocket size folder containing the invitation and an outline of the churches' part in the religious and social affairs arranged for the guard will be provided each member of the visiting organization. The Y. W. C. A. facilities will especially be available for those officers and enlisted men whose ladies will be in the city. The Salvation Army will be in charge of this camp canteen and will have the assistance and cooperation of the young people's committee when needed.

KUBLI'S WIN SUIT IN DITCH CONTEST

In the suit of B. H. Baldwin and Sol C. Stone against Maude, Chester C. Harold, Edith L. and Edward Kubli and Jackson county, for an order permitting the construction of channel for mining operation beneath the Kubli irrigation ditch, in the Applegate, the court Tuesday handed down a decision in favor of the defendants.

The court decreed that Baldwin and Stone should build a new channel for their mining operations, rip-rap the work so as to prevent cave-ins, and pay the cost of the construction and the costs of the suit.

The Kubli ditch was built in 1860 and was the first irrigation ditch built in this county.

MEDFORD WORKING FOR CONVENTION OF U. S. WOODMEN

The chamber of commerce is making special arrangements to take care of I. I. Book, head consul, Woodmen of the World, who will be their guest on June 15, 16, 17 and 18. Mr. Book comes to southern Oregon at this time to view the situation personally with regard to choosing a location for the Woodmen's next national convention.

While Mr. Book will make his headquarters here in Medford at the Hotel Medford, he will spend some time in Ashland and Grants Pass. A continuance of the past practice of the Woodmen of the World to hold their national conventions either in or near a national park gives southern Oregon in general and possibly Medford in particular, quite an advantage toward securing the next convention.

The local chamber is working diligently upon these bigger and better things for Medford, and while its board of directors has been in office only since April 1st, they are getting quite a few noticeable returns on their efforts.

The entertainment committee of the chamber for this year's activities consists of Floyd H. Hart in charge, with the following citizens as his helpers: Chairman, W. W. Walker, O. O. Alenderfer, R. P. Cowgill, H. S. Ducl, C. E. Gates, B. E. Harder, Larry Mann, John Orth, Paul Scherer, Hamilton Patton, Geo. M. Roberts, Earl S. Tummy and Charles Wing.

POSTPONE MEETING TO AID MEDFORD

The entertainment committee of the Chamber of Commerce are meeting with fine co-operation in their plans to entertain the Oregon national guard while encamped here during the period of June 12 to 26. The last and possibly the most noticeable sacrifice was that made by Fuhat Burkan temple, Dramatic Order of the Knights of Khorassan. This entertainment committee is in receipt of the following letter from Fuhat Burkan temple:

"The temple decided to postpone the date of the ceremonial concert and dance which was set for June 20 at Klamath Falls. The new date will be July 18. This action of the temple was taken after considerable discussion as to the importance of the wonderful undertaking of the Chamber of Commerce in transporting its guests to the Crater lake national park on June 20. We trust that these few cars made available by the temple's action will be of some benefit to the chamber."

A BUSINESS DIRECTORY O. N. G. ENCAMPMENT

Captain Pitt, of the local Salvation Army, proposes placing a business directory in front of the army's service tent during National Guard encampment days, and he offers free space to the local merchants who wish to advertise themselves. Ad cards should not be larger than 5 1/2 by 7 inches, and the captain will place these on his bulletin board as they come in. Such a directory will also serve as a guide to many of the guardsmen during their stay in Medford.

Churches are especially invited to place their cards.

"We will also distribute to the men at the camp any special treat or treats on behalf of Medford citizens who care to show their hospitality in this manner," said Captain Pitt.

'THE MIKADO' TO BE GIVEN TONIGHT AT CHAUTAUQUA

Col. Geo. O. Falls made a most effective plea for international understanding and cordial relations between civilized nations at the Chautauqua last night.

He has a frank and engaging personality combined with a remarkable speaking facility. Those present gave him the closest and most sympathetic attention.

The Baughman-Pefferle Duo which had given the afternoon's musical program, presented in a clever and pleasing way the opening numbers of the evening's program.

Mrs. R. Knapp Breed, the feminine "chick" Sale is giving today's afternoon entertainment of costumed impersonations.

Tonight is one of the really big nights of the Chautauqua season. A great crowd is expected to hear "The Mikado." This popular comic opera is presented by the May Valentine company, and is a musical event long to be remembered.

Tomorrow the Charles Mitchell Mixer Concert. The featuring one of America's leading violinists, gives the afternoon's program at 2:30. Miss Lucile Dunbar, formerly of this city, now Mrs. Mitchell, is the capable accompanist in the trio.

Can you imagine yourself filling 100 different jobs in as many weeks? Oney Fred Sweet, "In the Other Fellow's Shoes," will tell you how it goes.

CALIFORNIA VISITOR IS PLEASED WITH MEDFORD

H. Thomas of San Francisco, who has been a visitor to Medford during the past week, is one of the many who have been impressed with the wonderful natural advantages of Medford and this section of Oregon. Mr. Thomas, who is better known throughout the west as the Schilling chef, has traveled extensively and is thoroughly competent to express an opinion upon this subject. In conversation with a representative of the Mail Tribune this morning he was enthusiastic over the possibilities of this section and predicted the future of Medford in glowing colors.

"It is a generally accepted fact that it takes an outsider to fully realize the advantages of any city or section," said Mr. Thomas. "In the course of my travels, covering many years, I have visited many countries of the world, and, as far as the United States is concerned, I know every section of it almost as well as I know San Francisco. There are few cities in this country that have the wonderful location, the equitable climate and the natural advantages of Medford and this section of the state of Oregon."

"During the few days I have been in this city I have been impressed with the civic spirit that prevails in Medford, and particularly with the constructive work that is being done by your Chamber of Commerce to herald the advantages of this section to the world. The data at the command of visitors is exhaustive and the interest that is manifested in visitors will be productive of results. Medford is just getting well started upon the pathway that leads to success and some day it should be a metropolis of note. With all the advantages at its command it should be the leading city between Portland and San Francisco."

Mr. Thomas will remain in Medford until Saturday in connection with the Schilling chef prize offer, made through the columns of the Mail Tribune.

ROSEBURG MAN FINED \$250 FOR HAVING MOONSHINE

ROSEBURG, Ore., June 10.—Russell Bryant, who resides near this city, was fined \$250 in the local justice court today when he entered a plea of guilty to a charge of possessing liquor. Sheriff Starmer and deputies found four bottles of moonshine hidden in the hay in Bryant's barn, they informed the court.

No, neighbor, "silver plates" have never been used to close holes in the skull. That instance which you are so sure about is just another piece of popular misinformation.

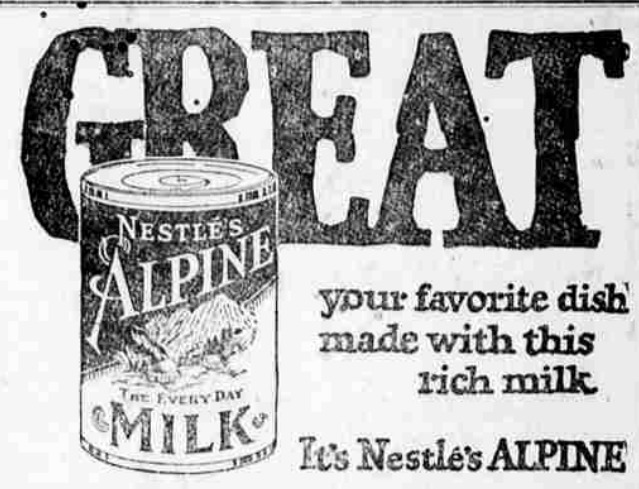
MEDFORD TO HAVE 2-STATE TRAFFIC COPS HEREAFTER

It is now learned that Jackson county will have two deputy state traffic officers instead of one, as heretofore, with their headquarters in Medford, the two being J. J. McMahon and Charles P. Talent, the former well-known Medford man who has been the state traffic officer in the Grants Pass district for the past year or more.

J. J. McMahon, who is a sergeant in charge of several southern Oregon counties, will continue to make his headquarters in Medford and will patrol Jackson county north to the Josephine county line, and also the Crater lake highway, with occasional short visits of inspection to look after the other counties.

Charles P. Talent will have charge

of the county south of Medford to the California state line and also the Grants Pass mountain road. Mr. Talent, who is now breaking in his new job, and J. J. McMahon and family successor in the Grants Pass district, will continue to reside in Jacksonville. He will be here in a short time to take charge of his new duties. He and his family will move back to Medford at once.



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