

HOLD SWIMMING MEET FOR SCOUTS AT GRANTS PASS

A swimming meet for all members of the Crater Lake Boy Scout council will be held at Grants Pass Friday, August 19, with the first event scheduled for 10 a. m. All scouts registered in Jackson and Josephine counties are eligible to enter the contests. Extra points will be awarded for all scouts participating who have earned their life-saving or some other badge of merit. Individual prizes for high-point scouts in the meet, troop pennants, and a silver loving cup, will be given. The cup to be awarded for the winning troop in the council. The following list of events will be on the program: 1. Scout life-saving team races, two boys on each side. Each troop may enter as many teams as it wishes. Scouts will be divided into two classes, first and second according to ability. 2. Diving in the water. 3. Will of the wisp, a novelty race. 4. Egg race. 5. Medley; half of the distance to be swum in swimming suits and the remainder in full dress. 6. Fancy diving, including the jack knife, swan, back dive, and other forms of the contestants' own choosing. 7. Plunge for distance.

ADVANCE GUARD OF ARTISAN CONCLAVE ARRIVE IN VALLEY

Plans are under way for the annual national Artisan convention, to be held in this city from August 10 to 14, with seven state officials from Portland and Salem here to make program arrangements. Frank D'Arcy, Ernie Lapine, Mrs. Minnie Smith, Frank Shaw, "Doc" Allen of Portland and Frank McFarland, Salem, arrived here yesterday as members of a special committee. J. J. Quinn, also with the party and head of the Portland lodge, had a hard luck Wednesday when a cavity in a back tooth bled for hours in spite of every effort by physicians to stop the flow of blood. He soon recovered, however. The local Artisans will stage a minstrel show at the Grange hall in Eagle Point Saturday night, July 21, the proceeds to be used to defray the expenses of the conclave, following the negro entertainment by 16 actors, a dance and supper will be sponsored by the Eagle Point Grangers. Members of the company put on the same show in Medford June 8. Last year Artisan conclave was held at Seattle, Wash.

JACKSON COUNTY HAD 101 STUDENTS O. A. C.

Jackson county had 101 students among the 3718 total long term students last year at the Oregon State Agricultural college, according to a detailed report of the year's registration just issued by E. B. Lemmon, registrar. Total enrollment for the year, including summer session and other specially classified students reached a high mark of 5311 as compared with 5087 the year previous. This county also has seven regular students in the 1928 summer session which has enrolled 707 regular students and a total of 1385, including the junior summer session. For the year 1927-28, students were enrolled from five foreign countries—Canada, China, India, Korea and Russia; three territories—Alaska, Hawaii and the Philippines; the District of Columbia, 25 states besides every county in Oregon.

NEW SHASTA TIME IN EFFECT SUNDAY

Beginning Sunday, July 22, the southbound Shasta will leave Medford at 6:55 p. m. instead of 7:20, reaching San Francisco at 10:30 a. m., an hour earlier than under the present schedule, according to an announcement by A. S. Ross, general agent for southern Oregon. The morning northbound Shasta will leave Medford at 10:37 a. m. instead of 11:27, and will arrive at Portland at 9:10 p. m. instead of 10:15 as at present. New Legion Honor Roll When visiting Legionnaires come to the Medford convention in August they will find here the finest American Legion honor roll in the entire state. The new board, which already has been elected and is now ready for the painting of the names, is 25 feet long, and in the central position in the heart of the business district is bound to attract a great deal of favorable comment. It will carry nearly 700 names of local Legionnaires in good-sized letters, with provision being made to take care of 100 additional names as the local membership increases. Albany mayor starts campaign for better fire protection.

DELAYED PLANE ARRIVES HERE, THEN HOPS OFF

Delayed by motor and insecto trouble which developed in Texas, plane No. 14 of the National Air Reliability tour arrived in Medford this forenoon and left at noon for Portland in an effort to overtake the 22 other planes of the tour which visited Medford last Monday. No. 14 is a Travelair ship and it is expected to overtake the tour at Spokane or in Montana. The trimotored Richfield Fokker monoplane, which was scheduled to arrive here yesterday en route from Portland to San Francisco, passed over Medford today shortly before 1 o'clock without stopping. It was flying high and apparently in a great hurry to reach its destination, where it is reported the father of W. Talbot, president of the Richfield company, died yesterday. The plane left Portland around 11 o'clock this forenoon.

PLAYGROUNDS ARE VERY POPULAR WITH THE YOUNGER SET

During these hot days the wading pool at the children's playground off East Main street is a popular place for the younger generation, ranging from blonde little ladies to dusky brothers. The begin arriving on the scene before 9:30 in the mornings, some of them bringing their lunches, carefully wrapped, and keep coming all day, until by evening there are usually 100 or more playing on the grounds. Six swings, four teeters, popular for tag games, two slides, a baseball diamond, very much in the rough as yet, due to the weedy surface, and the wading pool around a boxed-in sandpile, offer a variety of fun which obviously appeals to all the youngsters. There are two or three girls who bring their little brothers and sisters to the playground each day and keep them there as long as they can while the mothers work up town. From 2:30 every morning of the week except Sunday, Miss Melba Williams supervises the group until noon. Then from 1 to 2:30 o'clock she is on hand to referee the inevitable squabbles. Miss Marjorie Kelly assists from 2:30 to 5 o'clock. As the sand in the pile is not very deep, Medford people who have room in their cars on return trips from the coast are requested to bring back a sack or two of beach sand, for the good of the cause. Sacks may be secured by calling at the playgrounds.

CANADA LIBERALS OVERWHELMED

VANCOUVER, B. C., July 19.—(AP)—The liberal movement of J. D. Maclean was overwhelmed in yesterday's provincial elections in British Columbia, the conservative party, under the leadership of S. F. Tolmie, winning by a large majority. Results at noon showed that 29 conservatives, seven liberals and one labor candidate were elected, while 11 seats of the legislature still were in doubt. Premier Maclean was himself defeated in Victoria and two of his ministers also were rejected. Donald Donaghy, minister of finance, in Vancouver, and E. D. Barrow, minister of agriculture, in Chilliwack. The other ministers were leading in their constituencies.

'Lion and the Mouse' At Craterian Tonight

If enthusiasm is a guide to success, then this afternoon's audience acclaims "The Lion and the Mouse" the greatest hit yet. Everyone knows the phenomenal triumph of Charles Klein's stage play, both in New York and on the road where five companies presented it. "Ready Money" Ryder, dominant and merciless lion of industry, is opposed by an aged judge who makes a decision inimical to his fortune. For revenge Ryder suggests that the old man buy certain stocks and, concealing the letter in which they were regularly ordered, he publishes the fact that the old man has accepted them as a bribe, thus ruining him. Shirley, daughter of the judge, orders things to the end of taming the lion, reinstating her father and winning the boy. This is a bare outline of the story, a story which has stood the test on its own merits. The strident tones of the "lion's" plangent speech of the "mouse" coming from the screen with perfect and pleasing naturalness. And through the varying moods of the picture runs the magnificent accompaniment. This is the first of the great Vitaphones. May there be many more. See "The Lion and the Mouse" by all means, for the two grandest "talents" that the big show is without question the finest (stalking picture) presentation that has been brought to Medford. Two Wizards Meet. ROCHESTER, N. Y., July 19.—(AP)—Some new wizardry in motion pictures is being shown. Thomas A. Edison is to visit George Eastman shortly for a demonstration. The details are a secret.

Daily Meteorological Report

Forecasts, July 19, 1928. Medford and vicinity: Fair tonight and Friday. No change in temperature. Oregon: Cloudy in west and fair in east portion tonight and Friday. No change in temperature.

LOCAL DATA

Table with columns for Temperature (Obs.), Highest (last 24 hrs.), Lowest (last 24 hrs.), Rel. Humidity (P.M.), Precipitation (inches), State of weather, and Lowest temperature this morning. Includes data for Medford and other locations.

Observations Taken at 5 A. M. 120th Meridian Time

Table with columns for City, Barometer, Wind, Clouds, and other weather data for various cities including Baker City, Bismarck, Boise, Denver, Des Moines, Fresno, Helena, Los Angeles, Marshfield, Phoenix, Portland, Red Bluff, Roseburg, San Jose, San Francisco, Santa Fe, Seattle, Spokane, Walla Walla, and Winnipeg.

PERSONALS

Miss Theresa Coats of Duluth, Minn., arrived in Medford today to spend a week at the home of her sister, Mrs. Theodore Ahern. Joe Prier, University of Oregon law student employed in the forest service, 20 miles from Eugene during the summer months, was a business on a Crater Lake stage leaving here this morning. He will return to work in a few days. Miss Anna Edmunds of the United States court in Honolulu, who is making an extensive tour of the western states, went to Crater Lake today. An article written by Irvin Cobb and published in a magazine years ago, describing the beauty of the lake, has always stayed in her memory, Miss Edmunds said, so she decided to see for herself. Out-of-town business callers in Medford today included J. J. Cowan of San Francisco and M. R. Whitehead of Portland, both representing the Pacific Fruit Export company; E. L. McKinley of San Francisco, formerly secretary for A. S. Rosenbaum, general agent for the Southern Pacific traffic department. Miss M. R. Smith of Marshfield went to Crater Lake this morning on a stage, expecting to spend a day at the resort.

DR. REDDY WILL CARRY HIS SUIT TO HIGHER COURT

Following a jury verdict in Justice court yesterday afternoon in favor of F. V. Medynski, who brought suit against Mary Reddy and J. F. Reddy for the possession of the storehouse formerly occupied by the Reddy Jewelry store on East Main street, an execution was drawn up today by Judge Glenn O. Taylor and served on the tenants, giving Medynski, the landlord, possession of the disputed premises. Before the execution was served this forenoon, Dr. Reddy stated he was planning to appeal the case to the circuit court and that he would continue to run his real estate and mining brokerage office as usual. The case was heard by a jury yesterday before Judge Taylor and included considerable complicated testimony. Medynski claimed that Mrs. Reddy had assigned the lease for the room to her husband, who was engaging in another business, the jewelry store, for which the lease had been signed, having been close several weeks ago. Medynski claimed that Mrs. Reddy's consent had not been asked in regard to the change. Mrs. Reddy denied that the lease had been assigned to her husband, as Medynski claimed.

BEN SHELDON SAYS HOOVER WILL WIN

Hoover will be elected president, in the opinion of Ben Sheldon, who returned yesterday after attending both national conventions as the representative of a Los Angeles newspaper. Jackson county's former representative believes the normal republican strength added to Hoover's large personal following will be far too much for Al Smith, with all his fireworks, to overcome. "At Kansas City and on my travels," said Mr. Sheldon, who motored over 11,000 miles since leaving Medford the last of May, "I found many republicans who said that if Hoover had not been nominated they would have voted for Al Smith, but with Hoover leading the party they were for him all down the line."

AUTO CRASH BRINGS ACTION IN COURT

A. H. Carr and V. W. Mills, arrested last evening by City Traffic Officer G. J. Prescott for reckless driving, each pleaded not guilty in Judge Taylor's court this forenoon and will be given trials tomorrow forenoon. The two men were involved in an auto collision at the intersection of Bartlett and Third streets last evening and were arrested shortly after the crash, which damaged Mills' car badly. Carr's truck and Mills' machine were both up side down on the armory lawn. Both men escaped injury with the exception of a few scratches suffered by Mills on his face.

ASSESSING WORK IN JACKSON CO. NEARLY FINISHED

Deputy assessors of Jackson county, who have been in the field since March 1 will complete their work for the year within the next week or 10 days. According to Assessor J. H. Coleman, the work has been delayed somewhat by the inability of the deputy assessors to catch citizens at home. "In several homes it has been necessary to make five or six trips," said the assessor. "When we called in the daytime they were out, and when we called in the evening they had gone to the movies." Most of the work for the year has been completed, except utility and roads and a small section on Griffin Creek, which is completed by leaving no official plat, and no allowance being made for roads. Tabulation of the valuations will be completed by the second Monday in September, when the board of equalization meets. "Several who have built new homes," said Assessor Coleman, "think they can escape by refusing to answer the doorbell. The deputy catches the doorbell until it plays out and then makes an arbitrary valuation on the home. When the owner comes in to pay his taxes, he kicks like the dickens. They would help the deputies and themselves if they heard the doorbell the first time."

Too Much Bridge.

OCEAN GROVE, N. J., July 19.—(AP)—In the opinion of Mrs. Ella H. Blake, treasurer of the W. K. T. U. of Pennsylvania, "There is a national brainstrom of bridge. In my childhood days it would have been considered a sin. We must show some there is something more worth while."

Great Joy in Tammany.

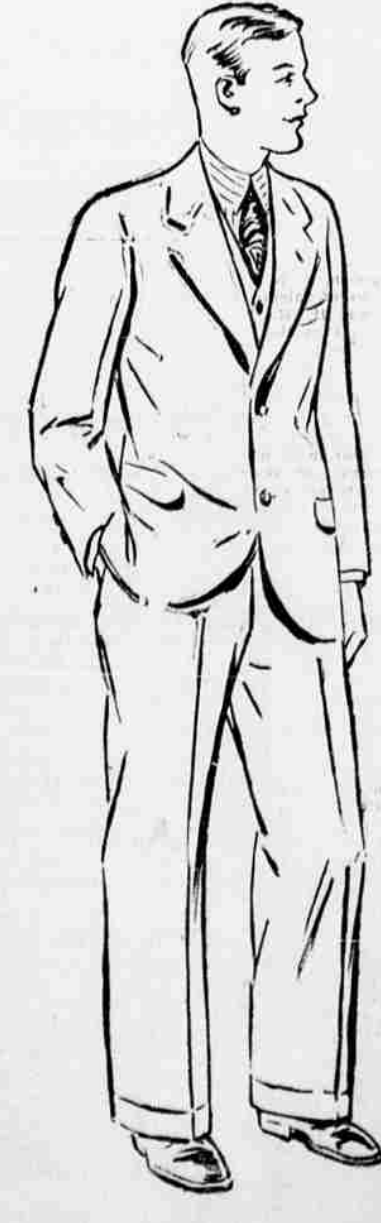
EAST WILMINGTON, N. Y.—There is great joy in Tammany Hall, Election? No. Mr. O'Quinn has broken the log of the first time. He did a 49 and with a handicap of 29 won the job and prize of the national democratic club.

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