NATIVE SON OF JACKSONVILLE TO BE MARRIED

JACKSONVILLE, Aug. 15.—The engagement has been announced of John Franklin Miller, Jr., native son of Jacksonville, to Miss Dorothy Bennett of Sacramento, Cal. Mr. Miller is connected with a business firm in Placerville, Cal. The couple will be married September 26. Mr. Miller's father, John F. Miller, is a resident of Jacksonville.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Ricks of Medford were callers at the T. C. Norris home Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Jenkins and daughter, Olive, accompanied by F. A. Nelson and Mrs. W. S. Reed, daughter of Mrs. Jenkins, returned recently from an extended trip through southern Oregon and northern California, including Crater Lake, Oregon Caves and Crescent City.

Walter Bunch and sister, Mrs. L. L. Summerlin, and daughter, Laornne, of Myrtle Point were week-end guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bunch, and daughter, Minnie. Sunday they enjoyed the day at Crater Lake.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Applegate of Klamath Falls are spending a few days at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Chitwood.

Mrs. Cora Crump and granddaughter, Bettie; Mr. and Mrs. Harold Crump and Dave Lee left Friday for Crescent City, where they are spending a few days' vacation.

Mrs. George Maxwell visited last Monday evening with her husband at the mine near Ruch.

George Merritt was a business visitor Saturday at Phoenix.

Mr. and Mrs. Charley Chitwood and daughter, Dorothy, left Sunday morning for Portland, where they will spend a few days.

Mrs. Wanda Wilcox and Miss Genevieve Crowley of Oakland, who have recently completed a teachers' training course at the Ashland normal, were guests Saturday of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Bunch.

Mrs. Ed Severance was shopping in Medford Monday afternoon.

Let's have an evening get-together at the school house August 22 at 8 o'clock. A splendid program is promised. The committee will furnish ice and lemonade and your furnish your own cups and cakes for the family.

Mrs. Allison Moulton and son returned Friday from a two weeks' vacation spent at Olympia and Aberdeen, Wash., and at Portland, Ore. Mr. Moulton spent part of the time with them, bringing them home. They also visited at the home of a brother of Mr. Moulton at Seaside, Ore.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard McKee left Sunday to work at a packing house near Prospect. Mrs. McKee's mother, Mrs. W. A. Childers, is spending this week there with them.

Mrs. T. C. Norris had her tonsils removed at the Rogue River sanitarium last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Archie Sutherland and son, Harold, were calling on friends Saturday in Jacksonville.

Lyle Hartman is recovering from a six weeks' illness caused by an infected hand.

Miss Vivian Card left recently for Bridge, Ore., where she will visit with a friend, Mrs. Frank Culver, for a while, returning in time for school.

Mr. and Mrs. Kris Keegan spent Saturday night and Sunday at the home of Mrs. Keegan's brother, Fred Lewis, near Eutte Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. Millard of Klamath Falls were visitors at the S. E. Dunnington home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Dunnington and daughter, Margaret, of Klamath Falls were visitors at the S. E. Dunnington home Sunday. They returned home in the evening, leaving Margaret here to spend a few days with her grandparents.

Mrs. R. C. Kerr and daughters, Gertrude and Katherine, who have spent the summer here with Mrs. Kerr's parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Williamson, left Sunday morning for their home at Oakland, Cal. Mr. Kerr's mother, Mrs. Sarah C. Kerr, of St. Paul, Minn., accompanied them and will visit her son and family for a few months.

CENTRAL POINT

Saturday evening the young ladies of Miss Helen Carlton's class gave Miss Florence Hamrick a surprise "shower" at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Hamrick. Those present were the Misses Beatrice, Alice and Jessie Seabrook, Ruth Webster, Amy Johnson, Grace Merritt, Mildred Burger, Lynette Heymalhaleh, Wyvette Boswell, Elizabeth Duncan, Elizabeth Scott, Geraldine Fox, Ardis Casad, Loma and Florence Hamrick and Mrs. J. B. Hamrick.

The evening was passed in various amusements, chief of which was a mock marriage ceremony in which Miss Mildred Burger impersonated the bride and Miss Beatrice Seabrook, the groom, and which created no end of fun.

Miss Florence received many useful and beautiful presents, in fact a tub full, and the opening and examining of these filled the remainder of the evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Day of Portland were Sunday guests at the home of Mr. Day's grandmother, Mrs. W. W. Scott. They are spending a few days in southern Oregon and dividing their time between their old home of Grants Pass, and their relatives in Central Point.

Early Saturday morning the home of Mrs. Martin, west of the railroad track was completely destroyed by fire. Volunteers to fight the flames responded promptly to the call of the city fire bell but the flames had gained such headway, it was impossible to extinguish them and the house was burned to the ground. Mrs. Martin was not at home at the time the fire broke out. Some of their furniture was taken out of the burning building and saved.

Mrs. Lulu Dusenbury, her son Arthur and Miss Lucile Lovelace of Gold Hill were dinner guests at the Boswell home Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Scott are the proud grandparents to a seven pound grandson born to their daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Andrus at Klamath Falls Saturday night, Aug. 11th.

Violet and the little son are both doing nicely and Mr. and Mrs. Scott are living in the clouds at present.

The Sunday evening services at the Union church were conducted by the young men of Mrs. Davidson's class and were appreciated by a good sized congregation.

Several choruses were sung besides other special numbers of music including a solo by James Harris, the words of which were composed by Major Andre just before his execution and was "Jesus Is My Hiding Place."

A solo was sung by Neal Weir of the Bible Institute and "The Wayside Cross" was sung by Clifford Boswell, Earl Beall, James Harris and Rafael Benson.

Lawrence Collins gave the main message of the evening which was "Praise," taken from the 150th Psalm, and he also told of what he hoped his plans were to be for the next year.

Among the last Sunday's visitors to Crater Lake were Vera Davis, Elizabeth Scott, Lester Scott and Harry Lampert.

Johnnie Chipling of Grants Pass spent the day Sunday in our city visiting friends.

Mrs. W. B. Harris has been on the sick list the last few days and is under the doctor's care.

H. H. Lord who has been seriously ill is improving. Arhtur Lord who spent the winter in California has returned home for the present.

Mr. and Mrs. Wyatt and son Dickie were dinner guests at the Louis Grimes home one evening recently.

Mr. and Mrs. George Simpkins and babies of Medford were in town Sunday afternoon visiting relatives.

Edson Randall of Medford was a Sunday evening visitor at the Christian Endeavor.

Mrs. John Hesselgrave and family returned to their home from a few days outing at Diamond Lake last week. They were accompanied by Mr. Reed of Aromas, Calif., who returned to his home to resume his school duties.

Mrs. Myrtle Denton and son Delbert passed through our city one day recently on their way to Eureka where Delbert will remain for the coming year's school.

Miss Leola Hesselgrave, who has been spending her vacation with her home people, returned to California to begin her school work in Aromas where she taught last year and has been re-elected for the coming school year.

The fire bell again called out the fire company Monday afternoon when it was discovered Guy Eddy's woodshed was on fire. Grass had been burned around the place in the forenoon and was thought to have been entirely extinguished but there must have been a few embers left to smolder and these caught a pile of fruit boxes on fire and were in a blaze when one of the neighbors chanced to see the fire and reported it.

All the family were away from home at the time. No damage was done, owing to the prompt response of the fire fighters, except a corner of the woodshed was burned.

The Rebekah Past Noble Grand club which was organized last winter held its August meeting last Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Mary Richardson, who was assisted in entertaining by Mrs. Ernestine Rostel.

Those who enjoyed the afternoon were as follows: Mesdames Clara Vincent, Emma Gleason, M. C. Merritt, Ida Henderson, Rostel and Richardson.

Dainty refreshments of fruit salad and cake were served.

Mrs. J. E. Weaver entertained Mrs. Etta G. Lunt of Corvallis last Friday.

Miss Gertrude Terry spent a couple of days in Medford recently as the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Eldred.

Mrs. Lyle Dawson and son Bobby returned to San Francisco Friday after a two weeks vacation spent in our city and northern parts of Oregon.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Tex are taking their vacation this week and Mrs. Ellis Clark is officiating in the post office during their absence.

Mrs. C. E. Martin entertained her mother, Mrs. Charles Gray, and her sister, Mrs. Hill of Ashland and another sister, Mrs. D. J. Puckett, of Keno, one day recently.

Pear picking is on in full blast this week and many of the orchard men have finished their first picking. Many of our local people are either working in the orchards or the Medford packing sheds.

The Men's Gospel Team with Chas. Hezmalhaleh as song leader and Lawrence Collins as speaker went to Brownsboro and held services Sunday afternoon. Mr. Webster and family, Mr. and Mrs. Davidson, Mrs. Case, Mrs. George Davis, Rev. and Mrs. J. M. Johnson, James Harris, Edson Randall and Mr. Weir attended the service.

NEW YORK DEMOCRAT QUITS HIS POSITION

ALBANY, N. Y., Aug. 14.—(AP)—Lieut. Gov. Edwin Corning has resigned as chairman of the New York state democratic committee because of ill health.

The resignation applied only to the committee chairmanship and no indication was given he intends to relinquish the post of lieutenant governor. Corning's term in that capacity expires January 1.

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Clowns Real Circus Attraction

The Christy Bros. circus, which will be here next Saturday, August 18, for two performances, has an army of clowns as one of the features of the program, and you will not only laugh at them, but with them. And these mighty monarchs of merriment and wit have a philosophy all their own, which is to make two laughs grow where none had been before, and unlike most philosophers, they have the ability to make their philosophy come true.

The street parade for which the Christy circus is distinguished, will leave the show grounds promptly at noon. There are a tremendous variety of features, extravagant displays, and superlative condition of people and things in the Christy circus street pageant which has brought this great combined animal show and circus an enviable prestige. All the performers, and all the beautiful horses participate. All the animal cages are open to view, and the ponderous elephants, the clumsy camels, the herd of reindeer, the band of Cheyenne Indians, the six sacks with their continual fanfare, and the scores of funny clowns give animation to the swiftly moving procession.

Performances are scheduled for 2 for the afternoon and 8 for the night show. Doors will open an hour earlier so that all may leisurely visit the menagerie.

DEMAND DEFEAT OF GOV. SMITH ON NEGRO ISSUE

BIRMINGHAM, Ala., Aug. 15.—(AP) Resolutions asking that democrats of Alabama vote against Governor Smith, democratic presidential nominee, to preserve white supremacy in the south were adopted at an anti-Smith meeting here last night.

The resolution said that newspapers are trying "to mislead the democrats of Alabama to vote for one whose record is or stands for racial equality. No man believing as Smith does regarding the liquor laws and the negro need expect the vote of Alabama." They declared also that the purpose of the Alabama conference of anti-Smith democrats is the "eternal elimination of Alfred E. Smith."

Dr. A. J. Barton, one of the leaders in the movement against Smith, declared in an address that the New York governor is now on the defensive.

Mr. Elliott is treasurer of the body and Hugh Lock, Birmingham permanent chairman.

Boy Driver Kills Old Man.

SAN FRANCISCO, — William Brady, 15, was charged with manslaughter after the automobile he was driving without parental permission struck and killed William Kelly, 64.

BRYAN'S BROTHER DENIES ISSUE IS PROHIBITION

DONNEBORG, Neb., Aug. 15.—(AP)—Charles W. Bryan, candidate for governor of Nebraska, and democratic vice-presidential nominee in 1924, told the Associated Press here today he would support the democratic ticket, from the president down.

"I have made no statement, however, dealing with personalities," he said, referring to his support of Governor Smith of New York. "I preferred to wait until the presidential candidate formally launches the campaign with his speech of acceptance.

"I do believe, however, that this campaign will be decided on economic questions, specifically farm relief. The prohibition issue, which I have objected to having injected into the national campaigns, was brought to the fore by the republican party, in order to befuddle the public and lead them away from the real issue of the campaign—an economic issue. They wanted to do this so they could hold the government four years longer, but if Nebraska can be taken as an indication, they will fail in their effort this year.

"Everybody knows I am for prohibition, but it isn't the real issue in this campaign," he concluded.

THREE YOUNG MEN SNATCHED FROM DEATH BY DECREE

LONDON, Aug. 15.—(AP) Three young men condemned to be hanged this morning received a reprieve from Sir William Jayson-Hicks, the home secretary, under highly dramatic circumstances within twelve hours of the time set for their execution.

The trio were convicted of robbing and assaulting an elderly man near Brighton and when the victim died of his injuries were convicted of murder. The criminal appeal court refused to intervene and the home secretary, after receiving various representations, announced officially only late Monday night that he was unable to advise his majesty to intervene.

The executioners arrived at the prison yesterday and rectifiers had their final interviews with the condemned men.

Commutation of the death sentence to penal servitude for life was recommended.

The announcement reached the prison as relatives were bidding the prisoners farewell. One of the men had given his sister flowers which he had received from the chaplain. "We were all on the verge of breaking down," said his sister, "when the governor of the prison walked in and asked us to wait in another room. We waited for twenty minutes. Then the governor said, 'All the boys are reprieved.' We did not know what to do. Percy (one of the condemned men) shouted and hugged his mother, and nearly suffocated his wife and me. Then he broke out laughing. It was like a man come back to life. All he said was: 'I knew it all along and God has shown you how innocent I am.'"

15 YEAR-OLD GIRL SHOOTS PEDDLER

NEW YORK, Aug. 15. — (AP) — Fifteen-year-old Mary Arenel walked into the East 104th street police station today and admitted that she had shot Saferio Pantelleona, a peddler nearly four times her age, as he sat on the porch of an east side tenement last evening.

Mary said Pantelleona had taken advantage of her. She fired five shots at the 35-year-old man, one of which took effect in his left side. He was taken to a hospital where his condition was said to be serious.

The girl contended that she was alone when Pantelleona was shot. First reports to the police were that she had been accompanied by a man who had fired twice.

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WEALTHY ARMY OFFICER TRIES TO KILL HIMSELF

TACOMA, Wash., Aug. 15.—(AP) Sergeant Leon J. Redding, 46, member of the quartermaster corps detachment at Fort Lewis and one of the wealthiest non-commissioned officers in the army attempted suicide in his quarters at the fort this morning, shooting himself five times through the mouth with a .22 caliber revolver.

One bullet lodged near the base of his brain, but he was conscious when taken to the fort hospital and after a preliminary operation, surgeons said Redding had a good chance of recovery.

Sergeant Redding, it was learned from Tacoma officials, was about to be placed under arrest on a Tacoma justice court warrant charging him with a statutory offense involving a young girl. Two Tacoma deputy sheriffs, Paul Mottan and Robert McLean, had called to serve the warrant when Redding asked permission to change his shirt.

Redding was married about a year ago, officers at the post recalled. A few months later his wife died. Since then Redding has been despondent at times and it was the opinion of his friends that grief had unbalanced his reason. His health, too, had been poor, officials at the post indicated.

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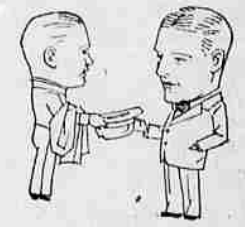

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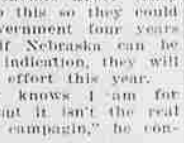

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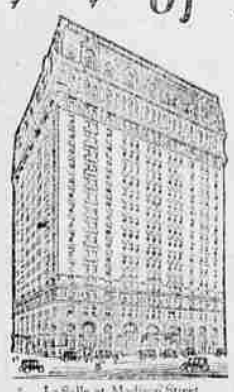

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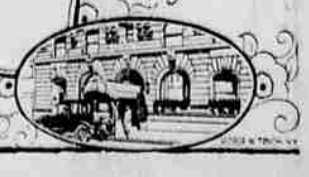

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