

FIX PLANS FOR ARMISTICE DAY PARADE AT 11

Veterans of All Wars Asked to March—Award for Best Decorated Student Car—Fraternal Orders to Take Part.

Earl Davis, chairman of the Armistice Day parade committee, announced last night that plans for the procession, which will put into formation at the Washington school from 10 o'clock to 10:45, and start their march at 11 o'clock through the streets of Medford, were practically completed.

Rehearsals of the Elks band, the High school band and the American Legion drum corps will be held today and early tomorrow morning in the music to be played in the march.

All Civil War veterans, Spanish War veterans and ex-service men in the World War, are urged to participate in the parade, regardless of whether they have uniforms or not, according to Mr. Davis.

The city schools have all been invited to have their student bodies turn out for the event, and tomorrow's parade will have representatives from the high school, St. Mary's academy, and the four grammar schools of Medford, as well as the rural schools throughout the county.

The local high school student body have offered three prizes for the best decorated student cars to enter the parade. They were announced as being, first prize, \$10; second prize, \$5 and third prize, \$2.50. Between 25 and 50 cars have already been pledged by the students.

Beside the veterans of the three wars and the school children there will be an impressive showing of the various fraternal and civic organizations of Medford, including the Elks, the Masons, the Knights of Columbus, the Odd Fellows, Woodmen of the World, Rebekahs, Daughters of the Nile, Daughters of Veterans, the D. A.

MRS. CARTER WINS SUPERINTENDENCY, MAJORITY OF 224

County School Superintendent Susanna Homes Carter defeated R. L. Cornwall, Democratic opponent, by a majority of 224 votes, according to the official count completed yesterday afternoon.

The official count was:
Mrs. Carter 5167
Cornwall 4943

Mrs. Carter, recognized as one of the leading educators of the state, carried the city precincts, but was opposed in many of the rural districts.

The official count on other county offices is:

Sheriff: 5829
Jennings 4650
Stacy 4650

Jennings' majority 1170
Commissioner:
Bursell 5488
Ashpole 4333

Bursell's majority 1147
Coroner:
Conger 6320
Sweeney 3317

Conger's majority 2993
Alex Sparrow, up for county judge, received 8757 votes; County Assessor J. B. Coleman received 8773; County Treasurer A. C. Walker 8595 votes, and County Clerk Della Stevens Meyers, 8557. All were unopposed.

The canvassing board next week will start the counting of initiative measures votes, and city elections if the county.

LOS ANGELES, Cal., Nov. 10.—(AP)—Aimee Semple McPherson's tale of a strange abduction, now nearly two years old, has been brought again into the secret quarters of a grand jury. Newspaper stories put it there. They had linked the Angelus temple evangelist's experiences before another grand jury to recent indictments charging the district attorney and seven others with gross corruption.

BUENOS AIRES, Argentina, Nov. 10.—(AP)—News that President Hoover is planning a visit to South America, including Argentina, was widely received here. The government already is preparing a cordial welcome.

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3 CARLOADS ROGUE VALLEY TURKEYS TO EAST MARKET

Turkey growers of the Rogue River valley ship three express cars of turkeys to the New York market next Thursday, Friday and Saturday, and contracts are now being procured by the Poultry Growers Association of the Farm Bureau, under the direction of Manager Clay D. Parker.

The turkeys are being shipped on the pool basis, bringing 33 cents per pound on delivery for No. 1 birds, and the balance when the sales are completed and the returns all made. The shipments are being made through Savage & Co., of New York, who have posted \$40,000 in the Jackson County Bank to the credit of the Farm Bureau for the handling of the shipments.

A representative of Savage & Co. is in the city. It is one of the largest and most reliable produce firms in New York City.

The Poultry Association and Manager Parker were busy all day yesterday negotiating sales, and through their efforts local growers escape the slump in the California turkey market, which always comes at this time of the year.

The Farm Bureau will ship two cars of hogs to Portland the coming week.

Next Saturday afternoon members of the Farm Bureau will hold a meeting to discuss the re-organization of the Farm Bureau. R. H. Kipp, manager of the agricultural department of the Chamber of Commerce will be a speaker.

FAIRMONT, W. Va., Nov. 10.—(AP)—The apple crop produced in the orchards of Mrs. W. E. Bartholow of Union district, Marion county, this year is proving unusually large, in one respect at least. She has on display one apple weighing 15 ounces and measuring 14 inches in circumference, and another only an ounce lighter, which are the largest seen in this district in many years.

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JANITOR SETS SUICIDE BLAST; WRECKS HOUSE

Portlander Turns on Gas in Tightly Chinked Room—Electric Spark of Buzzer Causes Terrific Blast—Farewell Note Found.

PORTLAND, Ore., Nov. 10.—(AP)—When an apartment house janitor rang a buzzer in Chalmers P. Parsons' apartment here tonight, he unwittingly pressed the button that set off an explosion, killing Parsons and wrecking the lower floor of the apartment house.

Parsons was in the kitchen of his apartment at the moment. An burner in his gas stove were open, and all cracks about the doors, windows and dumb waiter chinked tight with rags.

On the telephone stand nearby was a note scribbled on an envelope, and addressed to his wife. The note said: "Mary: Florence has your stock in the safe in an envelope. Good bye, Mary. Am sorry to cause you any more trouble. God forgive me. Chalmers."

The explosion was terrific and wrecked the lower rear portion of the building. Partitions were blasted away, windows were crashed and furniture was smashed in many rooms, and occupants of the building thrown from their feet.

CORVALLIS, Ore., Nov. 10.—(AP)—Co-operation of educational institutions and chambers of commerce in spreading knowledge of advantages of Oregon and the northwest was advocated last night by President W. J. Kerr of Oregon State college in an address to the association of chamber of commerce secretaries in semi-annual meeting here.

LONDON, Nov. 10.—(AP)—Educational progress throughout the ages was the feature of Friday's brilliant pageant in the annual lord mayor's show given by Sir Kynaston Studd, London's new chief executive.

AWARD TROPHIES SPECIAL HONORS AT STOCK SHOW

PORTLAND, Ore., Nov. 10.—(AP)—The eighteenth annual Pacific International Livestock exposition closed here tonight, with an announcement of trophy awards for special honors in the show. The condition and battle trophy for the best pair of Aberdeen-Angus calves in the show went to J. A. Scollard of Chehalis, Wash. The John L. Smith trophy for the best Holstein produce of dam exhibited at the exposition was given to William Bishop of Chimacum, Wn.

The Holstein silver tea set for the best calf herd at the show was taken by the Carnation milk farm, Seattle, Wash.

Isaac E. Staples silver tea set trophy for the best Jersey calf herd was presented to F. R. Bain, La Lomita ranch, Palms, Cal. The J. C. Penney herd from Emma-dine farm, Hopewell Junction, N. J., took the Starline silver tea set trophy for the best Guernsey calf herd. The Penney herd also took the handsome Guernsey cup for the best set of sire, consisting of four animals, any age and either sex.

The Webb trophy for the best open flock of Shropshire sheep in the show was won by the sheep of G. H. and J. J. Thompson of Macleay, Ore. The Julius L. Meier trophy for the most attractive and best kept stalls in the beef barns was captured by A. D. Dunn Jr., Warato, Wash., who had seven-teen stalls filled with Shorthorn cattle.

The coffee cup silver trophy for the best stall in the dairy division went to F. R. Bain, La Lomita farm, Palms, Cal.

PORT WORTH, Tex., Nov. 10.—(AP)—In a whirlwind roundup almost as spectacular as the one-man hobby last night of a mail car on a Texas and Pacific train, police here today had recovered all but \$270 of the \$52,000 loot and had under arrest a man identified by Mail Clerk M. E. Pruett as having perpetrated the holdup.

COOS COURT HIT IN JURY REPORT FOR LAX METHODS

MARSHFIELD, Ore., Nov. 10.—(AP)—The Coos county grand jury today made a second report on affairs as conducted by the county court since Jan. 1, 1927. The report contained criticisms of the business methods used by the court during that period, saying that the bookkeeping system was not coordinated with that of the county clerk, and that legal counsel should be employed by the county to pass on all actions of the county court.

The county was declared to have a deficit of \$216,499, and the grand jury urged that part of the school tax money now returned to school districts be used to lower the deficit, stating that the saving to the county would be \$85,000 per year.

SALEM, Ore., Nov. 10.—(AP)—Salem and vicinity experienced one of the wettest 24 hours in history when 2.48 inches of rain were recorded for the period ending at 7 o'clock this morning, bringing the total precipitation to 4.13 for the past 48 hours. The rains have boosted the Willamette river to 5.4 an increase of 7.5 feet since Friday morning, December 11, 1927, with 2.11 inches, was previously the wettest day.

ROOF OF ASHLAND DEPOT DAMAGED

Considerable damage was done to the passenger station at Ashland when the roof of that building caught fire Friday noon, according to reports sent into the Southern Pacific district office here. The origin of the fire is as yet unknown.

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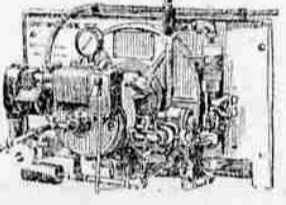
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