

CUSTOMS MILL TO HANDLE OUTPUT IN MEDFORD VICINITY

In order to "give the little fellow a break," a customs ore mill for Medford and vicinity is being established here by J. H. Boldon of Cleveland, Ohio, who is bringing mining equipment valued at \$9000 to the Rogue River valley. The machinery is being set up in the agriculture building at the Jackson county fairgrounds. C. O. Clark, local mining man, announced Saturday.

"The effects of establishing this mill here will be far reaching," according to Mr. Clark, who pointed out that those with \$10 worth of rock and other small amounts will be able to bring their pay dirt to the mill, which is expected to be operated under a plan of \$2.50 per ton, with an 80 per cent savings guarantee.

"The fruit industry here wouldn't be worth much if it did not have pecking and cooling plants," Mr. Clark said, "nor would the lumber industry amount to much if there were not mills here. So it is with mining. We need a customs mill. He pointed out that with the hills full of small undeveloped mines, such an arrangement makes it possible for the owners to make them self-supporting, finance and operate on a sizeable scale. He said the miners here hoped to get along without outside capital by working in this way.

Among persons who have endorsed the establishing of the customs ore mill are W. B. Robinson, mining engineer, the southern Oregon Mining association, Fred Scheffel, city superintendent, George S. Barton, John Opp, E. W. Liljeberg and George Schumacher.

A portion of the mining equipment is in Cottage Grove at the present time, Mr. Clark said, but added that Mr. Boldon plans to move it here immediately. He said through this establishing of the mill, they expect to put between 500 and 1000 men to work in the hills.

"This air float machine is not new, but is adapted to cleaning coal, and one concern cleans 350,000 tons annually," Mr. Clark stated.

He related tests made at the War Eagle mine in Sarna Valley of which George Schumacher is custodian, that showed 60 pounds of quicksilver to the ton and 228.60 of gold per ton in with the coal, and added that this machine was peculiarly adapted to such material, and could also be used for the coal on Roxy Ann.

Noted Drys to Speak Here



Passyfoot Johnson and Hurricane Gales

The drys of Medford and vicinity are uniting in a mass meeting to hear these stalwarts of the old crusade. They especially invite those who are undecided on the liquor question and they challenge the wets to dare and hear them, Wednesday, May 18, at 5:00 p. m. at the First Baptist church, Fifth St. and Central Ave.

HOST OF BANKS WITNESSES WAX FAT ON COUNTY

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on the Banks former holdings, one of the party said.

Dr. Jouett P. Bray also arrived Sunday to attend the trial—not as a witness, he said.

Other Medford people here as spectators or witnesses are:

Mrs. E. E. Gore, Mrs. Walter J. Olmscheid, Mrs. Claudia Klum Lowd, Mrs. Octavia B. Waddell, Dr. J. F. Reddy, V. J. Emerick, Mr. and Mrs. Cap. Martin, Mr. and Mrs. R. Z. Nelson, Mr. and Mrs. Moore Hamilton and several state policemen from the southern Oregon district.

EGUENE, May 13.—Legal strategy of Assistant Attorney General Ralph E. Moody Saturday afternoon, in excluding L. A. Banks from further cross-examination, after asking him four questions, took the defense by surprise, and also placed them in the position of seeking further court delay, before a weary jury.

At noon Saturday Banks finished his own rambling version of the climax to the Jackson county turmoil he fomented in which he admitted firing the death shot, and tried to justify his deed by testifying that he believed his own life and the life of his wife were in danger. Banks was allowed to give his account without any of the usual restrictions, in order that state and defense attorneys present could study his mental condition. None of Banks' testimony will be given any weight by the jury, save as to its bearing upon his sanity.

The four questions asked by Attorney Moody were:

Evades Tax Issue.

"How long has it been since you paid any taxes in Jackson county?" Banks replied, "we paid between \$8000 and \$10,000 for 1932 taxes."

Later under cross-examination, he qualified this statement, by saying that A. J. Bischoff, his confidential secretary, "attended to all financial matters."

He was also asked about his non-payment of state industrial accident insurance dues, and suits arising out of the Black Channel mines, which he and associates purchased from F. A. Bates on a contract never fulfilled. Banks dwelt at great length upon the "Bates case" in Friday's session.

The state then asked Banks if all but five of the 38 legal actions pending against him were not for money due for labor or land. He reluctantly admitted they were.

"In practically every suit filed against you, you have filed an affidavit of prejudice against the presiding judge?" was the final query.

Admits Prejudice Claims.

Banks first denied this, but under close questioning admitted prejudice affidavits had been filed, but without his knowledge "in some instances."

Later, he admitted that he was in court, when an affidavit of prejudice was filed against Circuit Judge James T. Brand, and had made no objection. "It was my position," replied Banks

evatively, "that Judge Norton should have heard this case." Banks, in his writings, bitterly attacked Judge Norton.

The state based its move partially upon the established law theory of "false in one statement, false in all."

Attorney Longman for the defense, informed the court in asking for the recess the defense would finish its case Monday. The state is expected to take Tuesday for rebuttal, and the testimony of its alienata. Wednesday will be devoted to the final arguments, and instructions of the court, according to the present outlook.

Calm Saturday.

Banks in his Saturday testimony, indulged in no frenzy, or melodramatic moves, but was calm and cool, though he wore a worried look, and signs of sleeplessness showed in his face.

Under the piloting of Attorney Longman, Banks was questioned until his testimony led to the faithful morning of March 16. No word of regret or remorse came from his lips.

"Banks declared that 'so many threats were made against my life' that I was under guard, whenever I went to an assembly of the 'Good Government Congress.' They were volunteer guards—got no pay. When I entered the Army, the applause was deafening, as the people knew I did so at the risk of my life."

He testified that County Judge Earl Fehl and Henrietta B. Martin, president of the "Congress" had asked him to attend the meeting at Lake Creek, because "I had made up my mind to go to the mountains for three or four weeks" the next day.

A packed courtroom heard Banks on the stand.

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HI-TIMES STAFF WINS PRAISE FOR YEAR'S EFFORTS

Contributed

The last issue of the Medford Hi-Times, official paper of the Associated Students of the Medford high school, under management of the present staff, Bill Cummings, editor; Mel Benson, manager; Jack Wood, advertising manager and their efficient corps of assistants, was published and distributed last week.

This issue was one of the newest, neatest and best edited of the year and is a credit, not only to the staff, but to the Medford high school faculty and student body.

As an evidence of the high type of this publication in the contest for school papers, conducted by the Press club of Whitman college, at Walla Walla, Wash., for this school year, the Hi-Times was only excelled by three school papers, Benson Polytechnic and Grant high of Portland, and Garfield high of Seattle, for all schools in the Pacific northwest in class A, composed of the larger cities. This is a great compliment to the Hi-Times staff, for all the editorial issues of the year and not one special issue. The principal criticism of the local publications was for large heads at the bottom of the first page and for not placing the editorials in the column under the mast-head, both of which are merely matters of judgment and are not serious criticisms. Opinions of editors vary materially regarding heads and make-up of papers. The Press club complimented the Hi-Times, by saying "First page excellent, good type selections, paper has fine news coverage and is well edited."

Among the illustrations of the current issue is a picture of the cast of the senior high school play, pictures of Ralph Bailey, Noel Benson, newly elected president of the student body; David Lowry, Wildon Colbaugh, Max Hae and Lucian Clement.

The editor for the Hi-Times next year is Dorothy Gore and Jack Wood is the new business manager.

The Hi-Times has been printed by the Commercial Printing department of the Mail Tribune and the management, superintendent and the mechanical force want to take this opportunity to pay their compliments to Editor Cummings, Manager Benson, and all the other members of the staff directly connected with the publication. They are a clean-cut, gentlemanly class of young people, have been energetic and enthusiastic in their work, and it has been a decided pleasure to work with them.

MEMORIAL POPPY SALE BY LEGION MAY 26 AND 27

Medford will observe Poppy day this year May 26 and 27, it has been announced by Mrs. Walter Olmscheid, chairman of the poppy committee of the Medford unit of the American Legion Auxiliary. The unit is making extensive preparations for the observance of the day and is hoping for the full cooperation of all citizens of Medford.

Memorial poppies, to be worn in honor of the World War dead, will be made available to everyone in the city by volunteer workers from the Auxiliary unit. The red paper flowers for the sale have been ordered from the U. S. Veterans' hospital at Portland, Ore., where they have been made by disabled World War veterans.

"Poppy days are the days for personal tribute to the men who lost their lives in the country's service," Mrs. Olmscheid explained. It is a day when all can show that they still remember and honor the sacrifices made by those who defended America during the great war crisis, and that they are carrying on for America in time of peace. The poppy is a patriotic symbol which means honor for the dead and service for the living.

All contributions will be used for relief work among the disabled veterans and their families living in the city of Medford.

WORK ON HIGHWAY NEAR COMPLETION

ASHLAND, May 15.—(Spl.) The two bridges being constructed over Bear creek north of Ashland in the building of the new highway unit are nearly complete and will be finished by Wednesday of this week. Hand rails on both bridges and walks on one are the only additions to be made.

Wednesday will also see the grading of the road completed and work on paving will be started immediately. Cement for the 20-foot wide concrete paving is beginning to arrive from Gold Hill from the Beaver Portland Cement company. The work will require 25,000 bags of cement, each bag containing 100 lbs. of cement. Twenty-six railway cars will be required to transfer the cement to Ashland.

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OLD SOUTHERN PACIFIC GOING TO WORLD FAIR

Standing proudly among the giant modern locomotives, the historic "C. P. Huntington," tiny pioneer engine of the Southern Pacific, will occupy a position of honor at the Century of Progress exposition which opens in Chicago May 27.

Glistening in new paint and bright polish, the diminutive locomotive was loaded on a flat car at Sacramento this week and is now on its way to the World's fair.

COWS IN ASHLAND ARE GIVEN POISON

ASHLAND, May 15.—(Spl.) Officers are seeking to solve the mystery surrounding the alleged poisoning of three cows owned by T. S. Reedy who resides on Wimer street. According to police, two of the milk cows died and an autopsy performed by a veterinarian revealed the cows had died as a result of arsenic poisoning. A third cow was reported near death. The cows were in a pasture land where it would have been impossible to have secured arsenic poisoning from fruit trees. Belief was expressed the poison was given the cows.

COUNTY CIVIC LEAGUE WILL MEET TUESDAY

The Jackson County Civic League will hold their regular monthly meeting on Tuesday, at 8:00 p. m., at the Presbyterian church. The newly announced quartet will sing.

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BOURBONS OPPOSE STATE SALES TAX

PORTLAND, May 15.—(P) Voting down a majority resolution committee report that no action be taken on the matter, the Multnomah county Democratic committee Saturday approved a minority report opposing the state sales tax which is to be voted on at the special election July 21.

John J. Beckman, Austin F. Fiegel, Jr., Donald E. Long and Mrs. Hedwig brought in the majority report declaring that inasmuch as neither the Democratic national platform nor the platform adopted by the county convention last June contained any mention of a sales tax, the committee had no proper right to endorse or proscribe it.

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Girl Scouts Give Plays In Phoenix

PHOENIX, May 15.—(Spl.)—Girl Scouts of Phoenix presented two plays and musical numbers at the church Thursday evening. Proceeds of the program will be used to register members into the scout order.

The program:

Piano solos by Mrs. Percy Woods; reading by Doris Bell; two plays, the first cast including Francis Glover, Shirley Chaplin, Mary Jean Barnes, Kathryn Louks, Harold McAbee and Doris Bell. The second cast was: Natalie Wilcox, Jeanette McAbee, Virginia Hight, Jean Garrison.

Sunday evening a special Mother's day program was observed at the Presbyterian church. The Girl Scouts attended this service in a body, with their mothers.

"B.O." GONE—admirers flocking!

ANOTHER LETTER! SHE'S HAVING DATES GALORE SINCE SHE WENT HOME. AND SHE ADDS, "THANK LAURA AGAIN FOR INTRODUCING ME TO LIFEBOUY!"

SO MY LITTLE "PLOT" SUCCEEDED, MOTHER



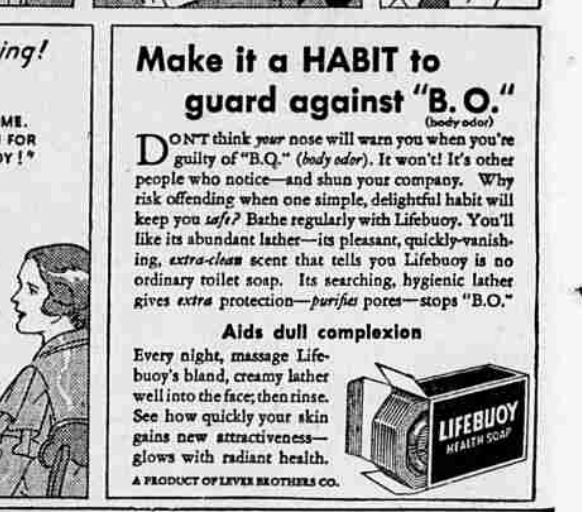
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