

# PLAN RING CARD AND AIR MEET AT DIAMOND JUBILEE

### Committee Outlines Big Entertainment Features for June Celebration—Street Decorations Are Discussed

Preliminary arrangements were completed last evening at the weekly session of Oregon's Diamond Jubilee celebration general committee for a big wrestling or boxing event on Tuesday night of Jubilee week of early June. Promoter Mack Lillard gave assurances he will have the best talent available for this feature and is now beginning plans for the athletic card, which will probably present some of the outstanding boxers or wrestlers of the Pacific coast.

All committee chairman last evening reported encouraging progress. Floyd Hart, of the aviation committee, told of plans to have quite a number of airplanes present from Portland and Washington to take part in an aviation meet planned for Saturday, and it is probable plans will also be present from other sections of the Pacific coast.

Decorations Discussed  
A number of attractive designs for street decorations were shown by John Moffatt, chairman of the decorations committee. Medford will present a true holiday atmosphere during the celebration using the pioneer motif, including covered wagons, gold pans, miners' picks and shovels. The ruling color scheme will be blue and gold, in keeping with the official colors of Oregon. This committee will meet again Monday evening to discuss further plans.

Preparations for the Pioneer parade are shaping up rapidly. Chairman J. Verne Shangle reported. He said cooperation has been extended from numerous sections of the state, especially in the offering of stage coaches for use in the parade. Six old-time stage coaches are already assured, with the probability there will be two or three more. Four wagons, all of which were actually used in crossing the plains, have also been obtained. One of these wagons is over 100 years of age. Mr. Shangle was spending today in the Gold Hill section with John Hayes, a member of his committee who has been locating considerable pioneer material for parade use.

Carnival Coming  
Plans for the concessions are progressing rapidly. W. W. Allen, chairman reported. One of the highest type carnivals has agreed to show in Medford for one week, adding revenue to the jubilee fund. There has been and there is now a large demand for concession space in Medford during that week.

Plans are entirely completed for the industrial exhibit. W. A. Gates, chairman, reported. The exhibit will be held in the Natorium and will provide sufficient space for the display of the products of quite a number of manufacturers throughout the state. This exhibit will be open every evening, beginning with Monday evening.

Preparations are steadily going ahead for the band contest to be held during Jubilee week. Wilson Wait reported. This feature will be of special interest to the many music lovers in Medford that week. Amazing progress pervades the activities of all committees, giving ample assurance that Medford and Jacksonville will be ready to welcome the influx of the thousands of visitors during that week, set aside primarily to pay tribute to the efforts of pioneer fathers and mothers who were so instrumental in the establishment of statehood 75 years ago. Throughout the week this thought will underlie all activities, giving every Oregonian opportunity to honor pioneers, here and gone, whose works will never be dimmed by the passage of years.

Pageant Tells Story  
The entire story of pioneer hardships and glories will be faithfully portrayed in the pageant "Over-Under-Over" (Land of Plenty). Quite a

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### Southern Pacific

## President to Open Exposition



President to Open New Fair. This photo shows President Franklin D. Roosevelt and Mrs. Roosevelt as they visited the World's Fair in Chicago last summer. Left to right: Mayor Edward J. Kelly of Chicago, Gov. Henry Horner of Illinois, Mrs. Roosevelt and the President. It was largely because of the impression of the Fair that he got from this visit that the President agreed to open the New Fair May 26 by remote control. Mrs. Roosevelt will also participate in the program.

number of the members of the cast for this masterful production have been already selected and are now beginning earnest preparations. Details for lighting and seating arrangements at the fairgrounds have been completed.

Through the cooperation of the Snider Dairy and Produce company, large signs are being painted immediately on trucks running between Medford and San Francisco, transporting Rainier beer for southern Oregon consumption.

These trucks make regular trips to the Golden Gate city and are seen by thousands of city dwellers, as well as residents of the numerous towns and cities en route. The signs will be sufficiently large to be read from quite a distance and are expected to pass on the Jubilee message to thousands of prospective visitors between now and next June.

## ASK \$20,000 DAMAGES IN AUTOMOBILE CRASH

A damage suit for \$20,000 alleged injuries has been filed in circuit court by Patricia Carlon against Harvey A. Smith, as a result of an auto accident at the intersection of North Oakdale and Fourth streets June 17 last.

The complaint alleges that the crash was due to the negligence of the defendant, and that the plaintiff sustained contusions of the face and lower part of the spine, and is now forced to wear glasses. It is alleged the injuries will be permanent.

Attorney O. H. Bengtson appears as counsel for the plaintiff.

## P.-T. A. HEAD SAYS SALES TAX ONLY HOPE OF SCHOOLS

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to provide adequate revenue to correct the evil. Substitute bills contained very objectionable phases unknown to the average citizen. The sales tax was the only measure offered which provided immediate relief upon adoption, as well as inexpensive collection.

At the time of the special session, Mrs. Kleitser explained, Wheeler and Curry counties were facing an 82 per cent tax delinquency. The average over the state was 43 per cent.

Warnings of Optimism  
"The people," Mrs. Kleitser warned, "must not be too optimistic over the recent increase in payment of taxes. The people able to pay have chosen to take advantage of the bonus offered, but when they have paid we will again be facing the same tragic situation created by those who are unable to pay. The child shouldn't be penalized because he is living in any particular district."

The situation is a tragic one for teachers of the state, too, Mrs. Kleitser emphasized, and the teacher's poverty is reflected in all business channels. She told of one instance where a teacher from another county appealed to the Portland Teachers' association for aid. She had been paid in arrears for two years. They were cashable by one man in the county where she taught, and he demanded a 50 per cent discount. "It is under such circumstances," Mrs. Kleitser declared, "that many schools are kept open."

The name of the county was revealed by the Parent-Teacher officer, but not for publication, through a desire to protect the teacher in the case.

Tuition Poor Plan  
In one of the southern states the problem has been met by tuition charges. In a city of 15,000 population every grade pupil attending school must pay \$3 per month and every high school student \$5.50 per month. As a result, 200 children in the district are deprived of education because their parents can't pay the fee.

These figures, Mrs. Kleitser stated, were released by the United States commissioner of education. Figures from the same source show that one of every two cities in the United States has been compelled to drop some important school services. Twenty-five thousand teachers have been dropped from the payroll and a million additional children have come into the schools in need of education. Such was the discouraging cycle drawn by the educational leader, who also lamented the tendency of people to believe "just half the truth."

So many half-truths have been dispensed since passage of the sales tax, she added, that she is urging all Parent-Teacher association members to investigate that measure and all other legislation for themselves.

## Ward Department Heads

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If there is anything you want to know about plumbing just ask Earl Wymore, head of that department.



Ward's plumbing business has made some rapid strides forward under Earl's supervision. Earl now has a complete stock of all the necessary parts and fixtures.

Earl says: "Styles in plumbing change as often as any other line and Ward's take pride in stocking everything that is new and better. During Ward Week we are offering some unusual values in bath sets and fixtures."

Charles Elson has been manager of Ward's Shoe department for the past several years. Charlie, as he is known to people all over southern Oregon, is an expert shoe fitter. Charlie believes he has fitted more southern Oregon people than any other individual in Medford.

He is always on the lookout for the newest styles in ladies and men's shoes and the most serviceable work shoes it is possible to buy. Charlie says: "We have some of the best values ever offered in the shoe department for Ward Week."

C. M. Hon, head of Ward's large furniture department, is an experienced furniture man. Mr. Hon, known by hundreds of southern Oregon home owners, is always glad to help anyone with their furnishing problems.

Mr. Hon says: "We have bought an extra large amount of furniture for Ward Week this year, but at the rate inquiries are coming in I know we will not have enough to last nine days. Furniture prices are rising rapidly and all lines will be higher after Ward Week—a tip to the wise is sufficient."

Bernice Messal, head of the hosiery and lingerie department, is featuring a new line of hosiery that is becoming very popular with Medford women. Bernice has a new hosiery tester, which shows every pair of hose sold to be in perfect condition, and she asks southern Oregon women to take advantage of this "new Ward service."

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## MONKEY STEALS SPECTACLES OFF M'PHERSON NOSE

A monkey at California-On-the-Rogue, removed the spectacles of Fred J. McPherson Sunday as he was passing by the simian's cage and, to date, only the frame of the glasses has been recovered. The monkey removed the lens and hid them, and did a good job of it. It required considerable maneuvering to regain the frame. McPherson came to town yesterday from Shady Cove, where he resides, and reported his mishap to friends.

The loss of the spectacles came with lightning swiftness. The monkey, feeling playful, just stuck a long arm through the bars, whisked off the glasses and then retreated to the far corner of his cell. The simian was reluctant to part with his loot. He removed the lens, and played with the frame until they were wheeled away from him. His monkey companion enjoyed the episode, seemingly.

A search of the cage was made, but there was no sign of the lens. The thoroughness of the disappearance gives rise to the suspicion that the monkey may have swallowed them. So far the animal has given no signs of internal distress.

McPherson was at the popular resort as host to Verne Brophy, cowboy, as the result of losing a bet on the weight of a steer. McPherson bet Brophy that a beef he sold to the Economy Groceteria would not weigh 1200 pounds. The steer weighed 1208 pounds.

The search for the missing lens continues.

## WAR ON BLIGHT DECLARED NEED

Blight conditions prevail in the orchards of the valley, according to Fruit Inspector Howard Warner, and he urges all fruit growers to take precautions to combat the insidious bacteria before it gains a foothold and becomes a menace. The blight is reported by Warner as serious in some orchards.

Prevailing weather conditions, plus heavy irrigation, are listed as contributing factors causing the blight. Pears and all other fruit and crops are progressing favorably and rapidly. The pears now range in size from a pea in a large marble.

Grain is up and many fine stands exist. A few alfalfa growers with early crops are making arrangements for the first cutting.

be very low during Ward Week," according to Bernice. "Be sure to see the lovely underthings we have secured for this event."

Quick RELIEF CORNS - TENDER TOES! Dr. Scholl's Zino-pads

## MISS LOGAN WINNER IN DRAWING CONTEST

Miss Vivienne Logan, who recently came to this city with her mother, Mrs. Rose L. Logan, to reside at 905 West Tenth street, was awarded second prize in the "Ann Harding" drawing contest, sponsored by the Lithia theater in Ashland, it was announced here today.

Miss Logan pictured the popular actress in a profile pose with black and white water color. Instructors at the Southern Oregon Normal school judged the contest.

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