

Local and Personal

Leaves for East—Yetta Olson left last night by train for Port George, Iowa. Kelly Return—E. E. Kelly returned this morning on the Oregonian from a brief business trip north. Here from New York—C. Solomon of New York was in Medford today attending to business. Ashland Visitors—Among visitors in this city from Ashland yesterday was Mrs. A. C. DeMera, the Ashland Tidings states. Geffert Has Operation—Frank Geffert, of the Burnham Apartments underwent a major operation this morning at the Community hospital. From Eugene—A. Strader of Eugene is among Medford visitors, having arrived this morning on the Oregonian for a two-day stay with friends. Here for Memorial Day—Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Ingram of Harrisburg, Ore. arrived this morning on the Oregonian to spend Memorial day in Medford. Finishes Return—Mr. and Mrs. B. R. Finch and son returned this morning on the Oregonian from Portland, where they had been on business for a day.

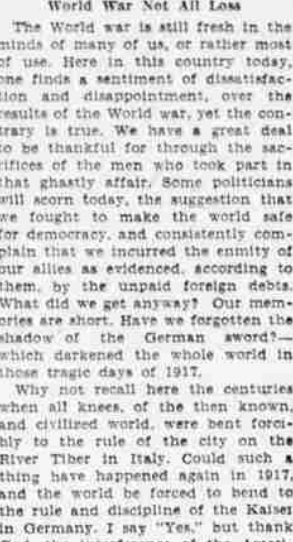
Precipitation Noted—During the 12-hour period ending at 5 a. m. today, a trace of precipitation, the same amount that came during the preceding 12-hour period, was recorded by the weather bureau. Visit Here—The Ashland Tidings states that Mrs. Jennie Hervey and Miss Agnes Hervey, both of Ashland and their guest, Mrs. Harriet Dunning of Lakeview, were visitors in Medford Tuesday afternoon. Patients at Hospital—Among patients at the Community hospital yesterday were June Cassidy of 326 Portland avenue; Mrs. J. W. Lawrence of route 3, and Mrs. J. L. Malone of this city. Church Meet Cancelled—The meeting of the Women of Zion Lutheran church, previously called for Friday, at the home of Mrs. Elizabeth Phillips, has been cancelled, it was announced today. Eugene Visitor—Miss Jane Hansen is a guest of Miss Katherine Keys in Eugene for Memorial day. Miss Keys was formerly in charge of the book-keeping department at the Cunderella shop in Medford and is now employed by the same company in Eugene.

PARADE FEATURES TRIBUTE OF CITY TO SOLDIER DEAD

(Continued from Page One.) try. His talk was so direct and pointed, and delivered with such sincerity, that the assembly crowd applauded heartily when his remarks were finished. The meeting was opened and closed by an invocation asked by Rev. W. R. Baird, who also led the singing of "America" before the assembly was adjourned. The address by Mr. Bancroft follows: "Once again, as citizens of Medford, we pause from the busy hustle of business affairs to soberly and reverently reflect upon the memory of those whose achievements in the past have made it possible for us to enjoy all the blessings and pleasures which are ours in this great country today. "In every city, town and hamlet in America, this, the most beautiful and sacred of our national holidays is being observed today in a dignified and reverent manner. "The occasion which has brought us together this morning, is one that should especially cause us to remember and honor those who trod the earth before our time, and who have passed from our view and are now in that beautiful land where earthly trials and sorrows beat them no more, and who have heard the Master's voice say, 'Well done, thou good and faithful servant.' "Remember, Living. "I believe this occasion should cause us to remember and honor those whose achievements have also been written into the pages of history, but who are still with us. We should remember on this day that the achievements and works of those who have passed to the great beyond, and of those who are yet here, have been, to a great extent, responsible for the sense of security which you and I enjoy in this country. "While perhaps the chief purpose of Memorial Day, since its inception in 1868, has been to respect those who brought honor to this country in times of war, I feel, nevertheless, that we should also remember those who have nobly served their country in times of peace. "Patriotism should not be expressed only when the country is in dire straits. Patriotism is an outward expression of love for one's country, and is as necessary in times of peace, as in times of war. The solemn procession you and I have just witnessed was truly an exemplification of patriotism. In that procession we saw represented an organization having its origin in the memories and associations of the war of the American revolution. We saw veterans of more recent conflicts, and we saw men in uniform who assure us protection for our national defense, and safety, in order that we may continue to champion the cause of humanity and guarantee to our citizens that justice and liberty will ever be maintained for America. These fraternal organizations in the parade were also represented purely from their desire to express their patriotism in times of peace. Wars Reviewed. "Our patriotic parade today and

the origin of Decoration Day both suggest speaking of wars—why they were fought, and what good they did us. "The first war of importance in which the people of this continent were seriously involved, was the American branch of the great seven-year war, usually referred to as the French and Indian war. Through it everything north of Mexico, with a few minor exceptions became English speaking. This could not have been accomplished other than by war. Was the cost of that war worth while to us? Let us here pay our tribute of respect to the memory of a man whose name is seldom, if ever, heard in assemblies of this kind, yet who was, however, responsible for the beneficial results of that French and Indian war—a man to whom every English speaking person owes a great debt of gratitude. That man is William Pitt. "The Nation Created. "Soon afterward, as history measures time, came the war of the American Revolution, which resulted in the creation of a new infant nation. Thirteen separate communities, not often too closely related in practical affairs, were made one as a result. The bondage of the far away foreign court was entirely eliminated, and with it also was brought into action sentiment that prompted the writing of the Declaration of Independence. "All through our history we have had Indian wars, and without them this country would not be what it is today, as they afforded the opportunity for our pioneer fathers to display that dauntless courage and indomitable spirit which served as the foundation upon which has been built this great nation of which you and I are so proud. "The War of 1812 certainly was a benefit to us because it secured us protection against the previous intolerable treatment of Americans on the high seas. "Indivibility Proved. "The Mexican war extended our boundaries and took in additional territory. Eighty-five years of national life since the writing of the Declaration of Independence, had not answered the question of whether the United States of America was one nation, and indivisible, up to the time of the Civil war. As a result of the Civil war, the United States of America became as one. One can not listen to the Gettysburg address, without realizing the important part which it played, in supplying the final and lasting answer, that this nation could not long endure unless we were absolutely united in purpose as Americans. You and I of the younger generation should ever deem it an honor and privilege to associate with veterans of the Civil war whose ranks unfortunately, are thinning considerably as the years go by. "Those valiant souls should be an inspiration to the rest of us, and their splendid example should serve to reaffirm our faith in the government of the United States, that form of government which gives us more freedom than is the portion of citizens in any other country on earth. "Then followed distressing conditions in Cuba in 1898. Our sense of justice and our desire to serve humanity, so deeply stirred our people, that it was decided that Spanish rule in Cuba must end. As a result of the Spanish American war, the United States was placed in an important position among the nations of the world. Our influence, of course, was greatly enlarged and our interests and our opportunities naturally became far more pronounced than heretofore. Right, might I say that had

Paul Muni in Craterian Picture



World War Not All Loss The World war is still fresh in the minds of many of us, or rather most of us. Here in this country today, one finds a sentiment of dissatisfaction and disappointment, over the results of the World war, yet the contrary is true. We have a great deal to be thankful for through the sacrifices of the men who took part in that ghastly affair. Some politicians will scorn today, the suggestion that we fought to make the world safe for democracy, and consistently complain that we incurred the enmity of our allies as evidenced, according to them, by the unpaid foreign debts. What did we get anyway? Our memories are short. Have we forgotten the shadow of the German sword— which darkened the whole world in those tragic days of 1917. Why not recall here the centuries when all knees, of the then known, and civilized world, were bent forcibly to the rule of the city on the River Tiber in Italy. Could such a thing have happened again in 1917, and the world be forced to bend to the rule and discipline of the Kaiser in Germany. I say "Yes," but thank God, the interference of the American Army and Navy made such a world wide dilemma impossible. The lives laid down through patriotic instinct, and the money expended by this country, entirely removed this menace to our American independence. This brief review of what has been accomplished in the past, I hope has emphasized the thought that we must never cease to be grateful, and acknowledge our heartfelt thanks for those who have kept the flag of America flying so that we may enjoy those privileges which are ours today. What of the Future In closing might I ask a question, which I think is appropriate this morning. What about the future? What are you and I going to do to preserve and defend that heritage which has been given us through the sacrifices, courage and determination of those who went before us? You might say we have no problems facing us today which call for united patriotic efforts. We are not at war. Aren't we? What about the deep inroads that have been made by Communism? We have an important job on our hands right now and no member of a veteran organization or a patriotic organization can afford to desert the ranks at this time. The ideals and principles upon which this nation was built, and has prospered are seriously threatened by those who would seek to overthrow our government. Can we sit idly by and let those who encourage the incitement of industrial unrest, sabotage and the provoking of general strikes take the leadership after all that has been sacrificed in years gone by to make this a land of the free for Americans? Citizens who have a love and respect for their country—citizens who have any spark of patriotism in their blood should do everything possible to stamp out this curse which is fast gaining ground—this curse which is a direct challenge to our American liberty. Communism is not just another topic for you and I to discuss in our daily walks of life. It is a real thing and the most vicious enemy which confronts America today. Read some Communist literature and see for yourself if you do not think we are justified in asserting our patriotism to combat this foe of American society. Religion Needed May I remind you that this is a God-fearing Christian nation. America would never have been what it is today had it not been for the recognition of its dependence upon the Supreme Being. Communism is atheism, and the future of our children at least should be sufficient reason that we concern ourselves with a substantive activity that would take away from us that trust in God which we have always cherished and without which we could not long survive. Today we bow our heads in reverence to the memory of those gone on. We express our respect and gratitude to those still here. Let us rededicate

Roxy Stars



Clauette Colbert and Warren William head the cast of Panto Haines' "Imitation of Life" at the Roxy theater for today and tomorrow. Rochelle Hudson, Ned Sparks and Louise Beavers, the eminent colored star, are also featured in this two-fold story of mother and daughter in love with the same man and the racial conflict that rises in the breast of a young colored girl, who appears white. Esther Ralston in Picture At Rialto "The Marines Are Coming" to the Rialto theater screen tomorrow, when irrepressible William Haines opens in the thrill-saga of life and love among the "leathernecks." As the carefree bad boy of the Marine corps, who plunges into disgrace through love of a woman and then wins an uphill fight for redemption, in the thick of a Latin-American conflict, the screen's breeziest star is said to enjoy an ideal role for his own brand of fast-talking, faster-acting entertainment. Heading the all-star supporting cast are lovely blonde Esther Ralston, the distinguished Conrad Nagel, fiery little Armida, and Edgar Kennedy. Use Mail Tribune want ads.

EARLY PRESS TIME IN HOLIDAY OBSERVANCE

In accordance with the annual custom, the Mail Tribune went to press early this afternoon to allow employees to participate in the observance of Memorial day. The paper went to press shortly after conclusion of the parade and the memorial services at the Presbyterian church. NON-UNION ORCHESTRA HALTS LABOR DANCERS ENCELSEIOR SPRINGS, Mo., May 30—(UP)—Zealous union members provided union-brewed beer and a TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY FOR RENT—Nice, clean, small house, well furnished, fireplace, hardwood floors, built-in, etc. Tel. 369-J-2. WILLYS Sedan, cannot be sold from new, only \$298.00. PIERCE-AIRAN MOTOR CO. Dodge and Plymouth. FOR RENT—8-room, strictly modern, nice home, furnished or unfurnished, built-in, refrigerator, hardwood floors, furnace, beautiful shrubbery, etc. S. A. Kroschel, 522 West 4th.

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Eden Precinct

EDEN PRECINCT, May 30.—(Sp)—Mrs. L. C. Hulse of Cave City spent Saturday night and Sunday at the Mary O. Carey home south of Phoenix and returned to her home at Cave City Monday. Walter Germer and G. A. Parker made a trip to Butte Falls last Sunday, where they purchased a lot of wood pipe to convey water for irrigation on their land. Mrs. Chas. Dunlap of Central Point spent last week with the Barnums at their orchard home north of Phoenix. Bert Bell and family spent last Sunday at the home of Mr. Bell's brother, Tommy, west of Talent. They brought their son in from Klamath Falls for medical care. Many of the home owners along the Pacific highway are improving their property by having their residences painted. Among the enterprising ones are J. Frank Wortman, Mrs. Ida Lockwood and H. I. Wright, near the Blue Flower lodge. Road workers have completed the line of yellow paint in the center of the highway between Medford and Talent. After night this is a perfect guide to motorists. Cleanup day was well observed at the Phoenix cemetery Tuesday and greatly improved the looks of this beautiful city of the dead. No prettier cemetery can be found in the valley than the one at Phoenix. Haying in the fields between Phoenix

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