

GREATER ASHLAND CELEBRATION SET FRIDAY, SATURDAY

Bathing Beauty Contest Winner Will Be Crowned at Banquet Friday Night Parade, 3 P. M. Saturday

ASHLAND, July 14.—(Spl.)—Reports from all committee chairman at a meeting at the Lithia hotel Tuesday indicated that plans for the Greater Ashland celebration have been definitely completed for entertaining a huge crowd Friday night and Saturday.

Several new suggestions in the program were adopted at the meeting. Queen Gertrude Wenner, fourth of July bathing beauty contest winner, will be crowned at the banquet Friday night, with Grand High Five William M. Briggs and his Lithians in charge.

To Lay Cornerstone. Ceremonies surrounding the laying of the cornerstone for the new \$30,000 motion picture theater to be built by Walter H. Leverette were assigned at the meeting to Mayor Thornton S. Wiley and the members of the city council.

The city officials will take over the formal duties at the site of the new building at 1:30 p. m. Saturday immediately following the winner's roast in Lithia park.

A free children's theater matinee was changed from Friday morning to Saturday morning at 10 o'clock, at which time motion pictures of the children will be made.

Manager Lee B. Ryan of the theater announced at Tuesday's meeting that a cameraman will be here throughout the celebration to film all activities, in addition to taking motion pictures of other local features.

Plan Golf Tourney. An 18-hole boys golf tournament, for both men and women, is being planned for Friday and Saturday by Chairman Will Dodge and his committee as an integral part of the celebration, and an inter-city exhibition tennis match between Ashland and Medford players will be arranged for Saturday morning at the Lithia park courts. Jean Eber-

Senate Committee Studies Pictures



This action picture was part of the Paramount newsreel film which was shown as evidence before the senate civil liberties committee in connection with investigation of the South Chicago steel strike riot, May 30.

hart has charge of the latter event. Finance Chairman W. F. Knox told the group that \$321 had been raised for the celebration and that only about \$25 remained to be subscribed.

Y. D. "Bert" Miller, parade chairman, related great progress in securing parade entries.

Closing stores during the parade was discussed, and it was decided to ask the chamber of commerce to ascertain the sentiment of merchants.

Cleanup Stated. Paul Fennell, chairman of the street decoration and cleanup committee, tentatively set the hour of 7:30 p. m. Thursday for a party of committee members to don overalls and stage a window-washing bee up and down Main street. He said appropriate street decorations would be up by Thursday.

There will be no long speeches at the banquet scheduled for Friday at 6:30 p. m. Chairman J. W. McCoy said. Visitors, instead of hometown folks, will be featured, and a repre-

sentative from each nearby community will be called upon for brief addresses.

Dancing at the hotel both Friday and Saturday nights, and the grand opening of the hotel are being arranged by Walter H. Leverette and Hubert W. Esry, hotel manager.

The Ashland band, with Ward Croft directing will pep up the various features of the Saturday program of the Greater Ashland celebration, with a concert in the plaza at 11:30 a. m., as a general invitation to the world that a free wiener roast awaits everybody. In the lower part of Lithia park, the band will also play in the park during the wiener roast.

At 1:30 p. m. on the lot adjoining the Jordan Electric, where the cornerstone laying of the New Lithia theater will be held, the band will also give a concert.

And the band will be featured in the grand parade at 3 p. m. This, music will be enjoyed at all of the main celebration events during Saturday.

MADMAN STABS BOY TO DEATH ON ROAD

QUINCY, Calif., July 14.—(AP)—Scott Bays, 19, was killed today when an apparent madman, Sheriff L. A. Braden reported, plunged a knife into the youth's heart.

Bays and a companion had stopped on a road to take pictures when a grizzled, middle aged man emerged from a thicket.

"What can we do for you?" Bays was quoted as asking.

"You can't do anything for me. I'm going to kill you," the man was said to have replied as he drew a knife and lunged at the boys.

MINE MUD EFFECT ON FISH IN ROGUE WILL BE STUDIED

New State Department of Geology and Mineral Industries Promises Co-operation to Gain Facts

PORTLAND, July 14.—(AP)—The new state department of geology and mineral industries, cognizant of complaints from sportsmen and commercial fishing interests, promised co-operation today in scientific studies to determine the effect of mineral sludge on fish life.

The department will consult the state game and fish commission and federal authorities to learn if mining activities are destroying fish, particularly in the world-famed salmon and trout stream, the Rogue river.

Budget provisions presented the governing board by E. K. Nixon, new director, allotted \$16,004 for grubstake loans, \$8000 for equipment and operation of laboratories at Grants Pass and Baker, and \$15,750 for the administrative offices at Portland.

The grubstake will be issued under state law allowing a \$50 loan to prospectors for a five-year period with the understanding they repay with 10 per cent of the profits from mining ventures.

The department will take over all data on mining compiled by the state planning board. A collection of mining books will be loaned by Oregon state college.

The department will also conduct a clearing house for mine properties, issuing monthly bulletins listing sites and available purchases.

LEGION TURNED DOWN ON PLEA FOR TENTS

SALEM, July 14.—(AP)—The war department has turned down Governor Martin's request for tents at the American Legion convention in Albany, the governor said today.

The war department also opposed a congressional bill to make the tents available because of lack of hotel facilities.

ALDEN GALBREATH KILLED IN CRASH OF LOGGING TREE

Alden Wallace Galbreath, 33, Gold Hill logging contractor was killed instantly at 8 o'clock yesterday morning in a timber camp near Yreka, Calif. He was struck by the top of a spar tree which snapped off and crashed to the ground.

The firm of Kindle & Galbreath was engaged in logging operations on Soap creek for the California Fruit Growers association. Mr. Galbreath was working in the logging camp directing operations when the accident occurred.

Mr. Galbreath was born on July 31, 1899, in Yreka, Calif., the son of Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Galbreath who now reside in Gold Hill. The family moved to Jackson county and Alden attended county schools. He had been a resident of Gold Hill and vicinity for 23 years and was widely known in southern Oregon.

Mr. Galbreath is survived by his parents, his wife Beatrice, a son, Douglas, and a step-daughter, Bonnie.

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The body will be brought to Medford tomorrow morning by the Koonz & Bills funeral home of Hill. Funeral services will be held at 2:30 tomorrow afternoon in the Perl chapel, the Rev. E. S. Bartlam, rector of St. Mark's Episcopal church, officiating. Interment will be made in the Biskiyau Memorial park.

Sea Sickness on Wane

SAN FRANCISCO (UP)—Sea sickness is on the decline, according to Dr. William M. Wildman, for 13 years chief surgeon of the Dollar line. He says it passed out when people stopped sitting around in their deck chair and thinking about it.



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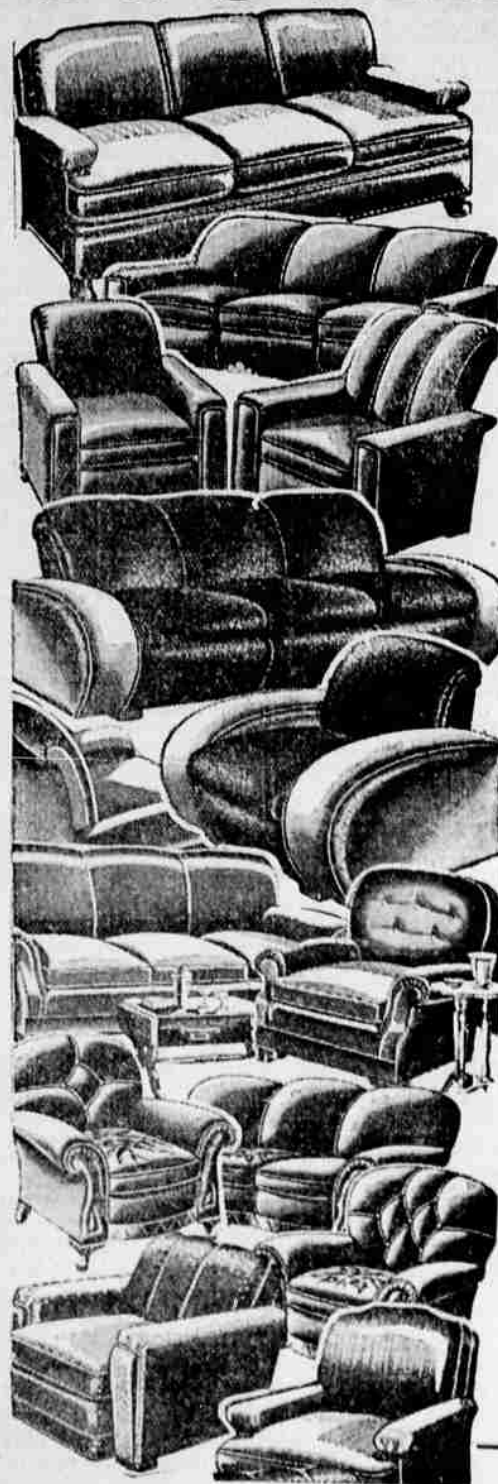
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