

CHAMBER URGES BIG DELEGATION FOR LAKE JAUNT

Medford Business Men To Go Directly Diamond Lake For Friday Festivity.

To help celebrate the opening of the North Umpqua highway from Roseburg to Diamond lake, the Jackson County Chamber of Commerce is eager to have a large delegation of Medford business men take part in the festivities to be held at Diamond lake at 12:30 Friday. Four counties, Douglas, Klamath, Josephine and Jackson, will participate in the celebration.

Medford business men are asked to go directly from here to Diamond lake, leaving at their convenience but timing their trip so as to arrive at the lake by 12:30, the hour set for the serving of lunch at a U. S. forest service facility after the arrival of an organized caravan from Roseburg. Ceremonies will be held after lunch.

Everyone Welcome

The caravan from Roseburg was organized by the Roseburg Chamber of Commerce and V. V. Harpham, supervisor of the Umpqua national forest, in which Diamond lake lies. Officials of Jackson, Josephine, Klamath and Douglas counties and the state highway commission will take part in the celebration, the chamber of commerce said. Everyone is welcome to go to the lake to witness the ceremonies.

The chamber of commerce emphasized that those going from here will motor directly from Medford to Diamond lake and not travel to Roseburg to join the organized caravan. Klamath Falls business men will also go directly from their city to the lake, it was stated.

MOFFAT REMAINS ON SCHOOL BOARD

John P. Moffat succeeded himself as a member of the Medford district school board as 34 registered voters cast ballots in the annual board election yesterday at the senior high school. The vote was unanimous.

Mr. Moffat will serve for three years. His election to the board came after he had served out the expiring term of C. C. Lemmon, who moved out of town last autumn. Only one vacancy was to be filled by yesterday's voting.

Other members of the school board, whose terms have not expired, are Dr. R. E. Green, N. H. Franklin, Eugene Thordike and M. B. Jarmin.

Births

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Albert of 423 Beatty street, in Sacred Heart hospital this morning, June 18, a boy weighing eight pounds, four ounces.



O-O-OOMPFA GIRL—Amid all the speculation about what it is that makes an "oomph" girl, the students of Ernest Williams Music School in Brooklyn came up with a formula all their own and elected Alma Adams (above) as their "Ideal Oomph Girl." Alma does her "oomphing" on the big bass tuba in a popular all-girl orchestra, and she really rings the bell.

MRS. DEWEY SLOSSON, PIONEER WOMAN OF UPPER ROGUE, PASSES

Word has been received here of the death of Mrs. Dewey Cornelius Slosson, 92, at Fairhope, Ala., on May 23.

Mrs. Slosson was the first white woman to settle, with her husband, on the upper Rogue river, near where the present California Oregon Power company plant now stands. Her husband, E. C. Slosson, erected a sawmill there, using a water-wheel for power. This was in 1875.

Welborn Beeson of Ashland is a nephew, and Mrs. Slosson is remembered by many of the old-timers of the valley. She was a sturdy pioneer type. After a five-year residence in this county, the Slossons moved to Alabama where they spent the remainder of their days.

According to Mr. Beeson, many of the older houses at Central Point were partly built of lumber sawed at the Slosson mill.

Dam Fund Approved

Washington, June 18.—(AP)—The Works Progress Administration notified Senator McNary today that the president had approved \$145,650 to clear and grub the Cottage Grove and Fern Ridge dam and reservoir sites in the Willamette valley.

The Phoenicians were the first to exploit countries bordering on the Mediterranean.

MISS CARLYLE JOINS HEALTH DEPARTMENT FOR SUMMER DUTIES

Miss Elizabeth Carlyle of the University of Oregon Medical school has been assigned to the Jackson county Health department for field work this summer, it was announced today by Dr. A. E. Merkel, public health officer. Miss Carlyle arrived yesterday to remain until about September 1.

In a letter received from Maisie V. Wetzel, field supervisor of the Medical school, a list of varied and interesting experiences in the field of health work is revealed for Miss Carlyle. She is a graduate of the Deaconess hospital in Spokane, a former instructor of home hygiene and care of the sick classes in Sand Point, Idaho. In 1920 she was assigned to the Sleeper Davis hospital in Peking, China, where she was dean of the school and also instructor. She has done some private duty and general duty in Forest Grove and Portland.

In 1937 she became superintendent of the Isabelle Fisher hospital in Tientsin, remaining there until her leave this year.

BOX CAR ROBBERY NETS THIRTY DAYS

John M. Darling, charged with robbery of a Southern Pacific boxcar of several boxes of canned milk, entered a plea of guilty in justice court yesterday and was sentenced to 30 days in the county jail, and fined \$4.50.

Everett V. Walker, charged with the same offense, on a felony count, waived preliminary hearing and was ordered held under \$1,000 bonds to await grand jury action. The pair were "jungle" denizens.

William E. Searight, charged with driving a truck on the Pacific highway at an unreasonable speed, was assessed \$10 and costs.

The value of Tunis as a Mediterranean port was established in 1893 by the digging of a channel 6.2 miles long. The city itself has existed since the Carthaginian epoch.

GYPSY BAND HELD IN THEFT OF AGED COUPLE'S SAVINGS

\$460 Removed From Paralyzed Woman's Pocket In Home Near Roseburg.

Roseburg, Ore., June 18.—(AP)—Five members of a gypsy caravan were in custody here today after having allegedly robbed an elderly couple of their life savings amounting to \$460. Deputy Sheriff Cliff Thornton, reported today. Thornton said that the money in \$20 and \$10 bills was recovered in a search of an automobile, where the bills were located in a feather stuffed pillow.

The Gypsy party, Thornton said, stopped at the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Sellers at Reston. On a pretext of getting water for children they invaded the house in which Mrs. Sellers, a paralytic, was confined to a wheel chair. The Gypsy woman, Thornton reported, claiming healing powers, placed their hands on the invalid and after their departure it was discovered that a small sack in which the money had been kept had been removed from an apron pocket.

Held For Police

When the report of the robbery was received by the local officers, it was learned that the caravan was proceeding along the highway near the southern border of the county. Henry Shirliff, service station manager in Canyon creek canyon was notified and was deputized by telephone. He halted the caravan and held the party until the arrival of state police and sheriff's deputies about 20 minutes later.

Taken into custody were Rachael Marks, 21; Rusba Miller, 30; Roseta Calacotch, 35; Melva Miller, 28; and Pete Ephren, 24. They were continued in custody today in lieu of bail fixed in the sum of \$2,500 each.

PARCEL POST TO DEPART EARLIER

Registered mail and parcel post intended for dispatch on the southbound train leaving at 5:40 p. m. must be deposited in the central postoffice by 4:40 p. m. and at station No. 1 at 31 North Bartlett street by 4 p. m. Postmaster Frank DeSouza announced today. A change in the train departure time went into effect yesterday and Mr. DeSouza emphasized especially the mail closing time at the substitution.

As an extra service a truck will go south daily at 6:30 p. m. but registered mail and parcel post may be dispatched only by train. Mr. DeSouza explained. First class mail for dispatch on the truck must be deposited at the sub-station by 4:30 p. m. and at the central postoffice by 6 p. m., he stated.

LOCAL COUPLES TO WED IN RENO

Reno, Nev., June 18.—(AP)—Marriage licenses issued here recently included: Ernest G. Childreth, 20, Medford, and Kathleen F. Cook, 19, Ashland; Lowell C. Casey, 24, Medford, and Dorothy L. Baker, 19, Butte Falls.

George Holmes, 32, and Margaret Sheehy, 21, both Grants Pass.

Lee F. Orr, 27, and Lillian Davis, both Medford.

Ernest G. Childreth is listed in the city directory as residing on Maple Park drive. He was formerly associated with the Rogue River Chevrolet company.

Lewell C. Casey is a mechanic at Pierce-Allen Motor company. His parents live in Butte Falls.

Lee F. Orr is employed in the meat market at Gates Groceries.

The name "Balkans" is Turkish for "mountains."

BEACH SANDS OF OREGON CONTAIN MUCH CHROMIUM

New Discoveries Hint Essential War Mineral May Be Recovered in Quantity.

By HOWARD W. BLAKESLEE
Associated Press Science Editor
Seattle, Wash., June 18.—(AP)—Two discoveries about chromium, an essential war mineral which the United States lacks, were reported to the American Association for the Advancement of Science here today.

A new source of chromium has been found in the black sands of Oregon and a new scientific method of locating chromium promises to turn up more American deposits.

Chromium makes stainless steel. It comes from Chromite, a mineral usually appearing in the form of heavy, black rocks. The country now imports half a million tons a year, and all the present known American deposits, if worked to exhaustion, would not supply chromium needs for more than two or three years.

Geologists Reports

The chromium reports were made by John Elliot Allen of Portland, state geologist of Oregon. Oregon's black sands are deposits where the ocean once rolled in six miles farther than the present beaches, from Coos Bay and Marshfield, southward.

The black sands lie in lens-shaped formations. More important is the new prospecting technique. This is based on the discovery that the earth, in forming its crust, has laid down the semi-precious black rocks in regular formations. These may be parallel zones, or steps or crossed formations somewhat like floor boards above beams.

229 Deposits Found

Most of these deposits are small, where they appear at the surface. But with the knowledge of prehistoric formation, a geologist can take a known outcrop as his reference, and with a compass point to the places where other deposits will likely lie. Deposits have been traced in this way for five miles.

Mr. Allen said that in Oregon 229 chromite bodies have been found, 42 of them big enough to yield more than 100 tons each and one probably 100,000 tons.

Montana and California have the other principal known home deposits of chromite.

INSTALL DE MOLAY HEADS WEDNESDAY

Installation of DeMolay officers will be held Wednesday at 9 p. m. in Masonic temple. The public is invited to attend.

Officers to be installed are: Master councillor, Ed Evanson; senior councillor, Don Wimer; junior councillor, Don Wood; senior deacon, Bob Bryant; junior deacon, Wilson Church; senior steward, Bud Hoover; junior steward, Jim Elliott; orator, Bill Thordike; sentinel, Newton Crossfield; chaplain, Frank Dixon.

METHODISTS TO OPEN CONCLAVE WEDNESDAY

Portland, June 18.—(AP)—Church leaders conferred with Bishop William C. Martin of Omaha today on the program for the five-day Oregon Methodist church conference opening here tomorrow.

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Bucharest is known as the "city of joy" because its name is derived from the Albanian word "bukur," meaning joy.

BIBLE CONFERENCE TO BE HELD JUNE 24-29 AT LAKE OF THE WOODS

An interdenominational Bible conference will be held at the Boy Scout Camp at Lake of the

Woods during the week of June 24 to 29 inclusive. Reservation may be made through the Rev. C. R. Luther of Central Point, conference dean.

Scheduled speakers include the Rev. Oscar Lowry, the Rev. J. Achen Smith of Salem and the Rev. Hugh P. Andrews of Washington.

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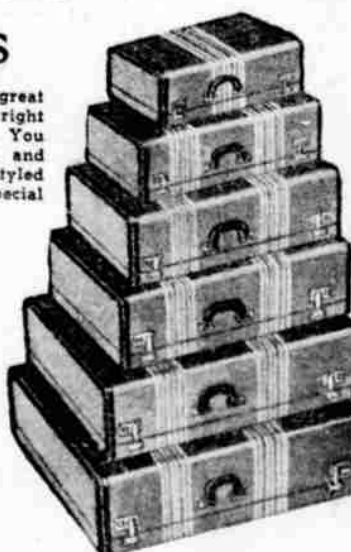
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