

EATON CHAUTAUQUA WILL OPEN FRIDAY FOR 7-DAY SESSION

EATON, Ohio, July 19.—Eaton's annual chautauqua will open Friday afternoon, July 21, and continue seven days. St. Clair post, American Legion, is sponsoring the course this season. The attraction, supplied by the Redpath bureau, will be presented in a tent on the campus of the high school building, Franklin and Israel streets.

Dr. Benjamin A. Arneson is announced as the morning lecturer. Miss Geraldine Hughes will be in charge of children's hour work. The chautauqua superintendent has not yet been announced. Dr. Arneson will begin his series of lectures Saturday morning, at which time Miss Hughes will take up the children's work. Program for the course:

Opening Numbers.

Friday afternoon—Introductory ceremonies; concert, Dunbar male quartet and bell ringers; evening, Dunbar quartet; lecture, "All Aboard," Elwood T. Bailey.

Saturday morning—Children's hour; lecture, "Our Constitution—An Obstacle or a Safeguard," Dr. B. A. Arneson. Afternoon—Metropolitan orchestra; children's hour. Evening—Metropolitan orchestra, character impersonations, with makeup, John B. Ratto.

Sunday afternoon—Community lecture, "Let's Get Together," Charles G. Jordan. Evening—Lecture, "International fraternity," Dr. Arneson.

Monday morning—Children's hour; lecture, "Anglo-Saxon Solidarity," Dr. Arneson. Afternoon—Comedy drama, "Friendly Enemies," in three acts; children's hour. Evening—Concert, the Misses Keller; lecture, "America Looking Ahead," Montaville Flowers. Lecture on Government.

Tuesday morning—Children's hour; lecture, "Political parties and Popular Government," Dr. Arneson. Afternoon—"The Magic of the Air" radio lecture, with demonstrations, Dr. Frederic C. Blake; children's hour.

Evening—Gilbert and Sullivan Light Opera, "Mikado," with complete musical score with orchestra.

Wednesday morning—Children's hour; afternoon musical and dramatic entertainment, Lillian Johnston company; children's hour. Evening—Concert, Lillian Johnston company; lecture, "The Man of Now," Dr. Charles S. Medbury.

Thursday morning—Children's hour. Afternoon—Junior pageant, "Conquest of Peace"; lecture, "Newspaper Headlines," an interpretation, Jesse H. Holmes. Evening—Premier concert, Knights McGregor, baritone; assisted by Alix Elmer, cellist, and Edna Wallace, pianist.

FOUR FINED \$100 ON LIQUOR CHARGES

Four fines of \$100 and costs, with suspended sentences of 60 days on the penal farm, were assessed in police court Wednesday morning as a result of police activities Tuesday night.

Frank Y. Thomas and Simon Atwell were fined as the result of a raid made at "Corncock college," south of Pennville, when Sheriff Wadman, Chief Eversman, Prohibition Enforcement Officer Manlove and Officer McNally seized a still and 20 gallons of mash, besides some "white mule."

The stills and the mash were in different houses, the stills being boarded up under a stairway on the Thomas place.

Officer Clessie Kendall and his keen nose furnished the other two recipients of fines.

John Mills and Orben Stalzer were in a car standing at Fifth and Main when Kendall smelled the liquor. The men when arrested claimed that they had secured the liquor in Dayton.

The cork had come out of the bottle and had spilled the stuff on Mills' shirt, it was said.

OBTAI NO CLUE TO ABNER'S WHEREABOUTS

Police officers are still without any clew as to the whereabouts of Taylor Abner, who suddenly disappeared Saturday noon, leaving his automobile parked behind the Himes Brothers dairy.

No cause for his disappearance could be found by the police, or surmised by Mrs. Abner. His wife said, however, that he did seem nervous and said that he was going to drive to Fairfield.

The description which was given to the police says that he was 37 years of age, 5 feet 6 inches tall, and weighed 133 pounds. He had light brown hair, and was slightly bald. He has a small blue mark on his cheek bone.

Four children make up the family, which was left without support by Abner's disappearance.

SWANSON'S SEAT IN U. S. SENATE IS IN JEOPARDY



Senator Claude A. Swanson, above, and former Governor Westmoreland Davis of West Virginia.

Former Governor Westmoreland Davis of Virginia is favored to defeat Senator Claude A. Swanson in the senatorial primary in Virginia. Davis is fighting the regular Democratic organization.

BLACKSMITH, FEARING WIFE, ASKS DIVORCE

EATON, Ohio, July 19.—Because she allegedly kicked him and tore his clothing, threatened to kill him and burn his blacksmith shop; abuses his children by a former marriage, and by her conduct has become the "talk of the neighborhood," Joseph T. Adams, of Fairhaven, wants to be divorced from Goldie Adams, whom he married Jan. 11, 1921. He filed his complaint for separation Tuesday in common please court. Alleging he fears his wife, Adams asked for a restraining order to prevent her from interfering with him, his property or children. Judge Risinger issued the order.

Not to Seek Office

Assistant County School Superintendent L. F. Schieser will not seek reappointment when his term expires in August, he has just announced. He will have completed a year's term next month. Following his appointment his salary was held up until a short time ago by court litigation. Mr. Schieser will represent a Cleveland firm in sales of first mortgage securities in this territory.

The county board of education has not announced if the assistant superintendent vacancy will be filled. Pending economy, the boards of education of West Alexandria and Lewisburg, units of the county school district, recently adopted resolutions favoring abolition of the assistant superintendent post.

A Compromise Suit.

After a jury and the witnesses had reported in common please court for the trial, a paternity case entered by Marie Baker against David Mears was compromised, settled and dismissed. Terms of the settlement were not given out.

Trial Date Set.

After several postponements, trial of a suit entered by Mary Yoursis against Timothy Glenn and Mary Glenn has been set for July 24, by Judge Risinger, in common please court.

Elected To Board.

Charles Gunite of Gratiot, was elected a member of the Preble county

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FUNK'S LAKE TRACK BEING MADE FASTER, SAFER BY CHANGES

WINCHESTER, Ind., July 19.—The Funk's Lake Speedway, west of this city, is undergoing extensive improvements. Plans are being worked out for making the local track much faster and safer. It is thought that when the improvements are made cars will be able to turn the track at a speed of 90 miles an hour. The local track is already one of the fastest half-mile dirt tracks in the country.

The plans call for raising the outside edge of the track several feet in some places and the construction of a concrete retaining wall completely around the outside edge of the track. A new circular stand will be erected, which will seat more than 3,000 people. The stand will be high enough so that the entire track may be seen from any seat in the stand.

Pits are to be built in front of the main grand stand on the inside of the track for the convenience of drivers and mechanics. An electrical timing apparatus will be installed, also. Racing fans all over the country are showing a marked interest in this track.

The purse for the Labor day race calls for \$1,000 first prize. The Labor day race is for 100 miles, a new feature for this track. The September race promises to be the biggest ever held at the speedway.

Gause Hears Complaints

Judge Gause of Newcastle, acting as special judge in the case of Wilbur Longnecker against Anna Tooker, informed complaint quo warrant heard the statements of W. G. Parry, attorney for Longnecker, and F. S. Caldwell and G. H. Ward, attorneys for Miss Tooker.

Longnecker and Miss Tooker are claiming the nomination for county auditor on the Republican ticket. The latter received a plurality of eight votes over Longnecker on the official vote count, following the May primary, and officially received her certificate of nomination. Later, Longnecker filed petition for a recount and the result gave him a plurality of 11 votes.

school examiners' board in a meeting of the county board of education. He was elected for a term of two years and succeeds Walter Waggoner of West Alexandria.

The board re-elected John W. Hoffman, of Eaton, as county school attendance officer.

Speaks at Eaton.

John J. Lentz, Democratic candidate for United States senator, spoke here this forenoon in the interest of his candidacy. His address was delivered from an automobile in the business section.

Propose Bounty Awarded Local Potash Producers

As a substitute for the potash tariff which has met with strong opposition from agricultural interests, it is now proposed to award a bounty to local potash producers, thus escaping the probability of taxing the farmer by higher prices and at the same time allowing sufficient financial inducement to foster native potash development. Dr. Jacob Lipman, director of the New Jersey state agricultural college, is enthusiastically supporting the bounty proposal.

"Local potash deposits must be developed," says Dr. Lipman. We have the plants and should use them, and as we progress and make use of the many by-products of our beds, the potash can be produced at an ever decreasing cost. We have inexhaustible deposits, enough in the green sands of New Jersey to supply the country for hundreds of years.

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