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FIVE CONCERTS HAVE "SYMPATHETIC SURROUNDINGS"

(United Press.) PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 5.—Philadelphia's experiment of giving free Sunday afternoon concerts in halls hung with beautiful paintings and holding world-famed statues has not with success. More than a thousand persons have crowded the galleries of the Philadelphia Academy of Fine Arts at each of the concerts given thus far. In planning the "musical" the committee of the Academy wanted to "fill the need of music for the people on Sunday" and to give music in "sympathetic surroundings."

Although hundreds of seats are provided a complete informality reigns at the concerts. Those who moved walk from gallery to gallery viewing the paintings while listening to the music. Some of the leading musicians in the country have been engaged. Ancient Quaker "blue laws" keep Philadelphia closed on Sunday. It is, however, permissible to give entertainments where no admission fee is charged. The concerts will be continued as long as the contributed funds last.

If you want something good, durable and right up to the minute in style in Shopping Bags, Hand Bags, you will find them at Silverthorn's Family Drug Store. Daily 4 times Weekly 1 time.

Bandon—Old Oregon Avenue hill approach to be graded and graveled. Singer Sewing Machine Agency is now with Coolidge Paint Store. Singer machines for sale. New machines rented. Phone Main 7. 12-5-17. R. WOOLSEY, Agent.

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Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets—the substitute for calomel—are a mild but sure laxative, and their effect on the liver is almost instantaneous. They are the result of Dr. Edwards' determination not to treat liver and bowel complaints with calomel. His efforts to banish it brought out these little olive-colored tablets.

These pleasant little tablets do the good that calomel does, but have no bad after effects. They don't injure the teeth like strong Epsom or calomel. They take hold of the trouble and quickly correct it. Why cure the liver at the expense of the teeth? Calomel sometimes "loosens" the teeth. So destroy friends. It is best not to take calomel, but to let Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets take its place.

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Home Independent Telephone Co.

MANY ENLIST TO ESCAPE CONSCRIPTION

Men Crowd Recruiting Offices in Order to Dodge Selective Service Armies.

PORTLAND, Dec. 5.—Thousands of young men in the three Pacific northwest states, Oregon, Washington and Idaho, are enlisting in the navy to escape the selective service armies.

The local recruiting office of the navy, whose territory includes a large part of the northwest, is unable to handle the great number of men applying for enlistments. Every chair is taken and even standing room is at a premium in the recruiting office. Hundreds are applying daily.

Recruiting officers are advising men to apply for any rating in order to be accepted. Later they can be transferred to the rating most desired.

It is expected by navy officers that congress will enact a law whereby drafted men can be transferred to the navy, as the navy needs a large number of men since the merchant fleet has been placed under the control of the navy department.

RICKEY AFTER HENDRICKS TO MANAGE CARDINALS

By H. C. Hamilton (United Press Staff Correspondent)

NEW YORK, Dec. 5.—Recent abortive efforts of Branch Rickey to get Jack Hendricks as manager of the St. Louis Cardinals may not have been expended in vain after all. Thwarted in his first attempt, Rickey is still eager to sign the Indianapolis manager to a contract that will hold water, and his plans are going ahead.

Rickey was genuinely sorry when he failed to get the star of the minor league circuits, but he was doubly so when he found that baseball men were negotiating him of tampering with a man under contract to another club. Eager to maintain an excellent standing in the sport, he sought out those with whom he had come in contact in trying to make the deal and did his best to convince them he had nothing in view but a manager and believed himself free to sign that manager. Whether it was true that he would have been getting something for nothing did not enter into it at all, he said.

Hendricks, like Rickey, was greatly disappointed when it developed at the Louisville season of minor leagues that James C. McGill would not let him go without compensation of some kind, but gladly issued a statement that set him and Rickey square in the eyes of the baseball public.

"I want you to know," Hendricks wrote Rickey, "that I do not feel that you are in any way to blame for having made me the proposition; nor do I feel that anyone is to blame, as the whole responsibility should be placed on my shoulders."

And in connection with this statement, Hendricks declared after all negotiations had been called off that he was solely to blame for the whole occurrence and gave a complete history of his dealings with Rickey. Hendricks declared there was no pre-arranged meeting between himself and Rickey, but stated he met the Cardinal president in a Chicago hotel, applied for the position and was accepted. There was not, Hendricks said, a third party connected with the deal in any manner. Rickey had stated he made an offer to Hendricks by means of a third party, who acted as intermediary. He probably referred to Roger Branshan, according to Hendricks, for Branshan was asked to recommend Hendricks and did so.

Any card or package of Xmas cards in our corner window 12 cents. Look at them, La Grande Pharmacy, 12-5-17

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Stomach Trouble and Constipation.

Those who are afflicted with stomach trouble and constipation should read the following: "I have never found anything so good for stomach trouble and constipation as Chamberlain's Tablets. I have used them off and on now for the past two years. They not only regulate the action of the bowels but stimulate the liver and keep one's body in a healthy condition," writes Mrs. Benjamin Hooper, Auburn, N. Y.—adv.

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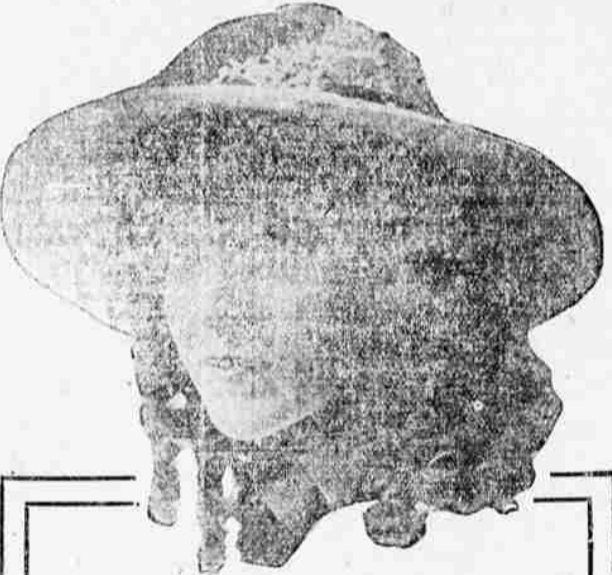
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Food for U. S. Jackies Cooked in Modern Electric Kitchens

Our new dreadnaught battleships are completely electrified, even to the galley, where nearly all the work of preparing and cooling the food is done by electricity.

A typical electrical installation is to be found on the U. S. S. Nevada. The cook turns a switch, and the line of electric ovens, the appetizing meats, the potatoes—that are peeled by electricity—the soup, and the vegetables, begin to steam and sizzle. Electric hoists carry the pans and pots with their steaming foods to the decks below and the cleaning and scouring of the ironware dishes is done by an electric dishwasher.

The navy feeds its men from the pick of the market, because its paymasters, buying daily for so many men, get the best at wholesale prices. The mess tables, scrubbed until they are white, are hung in racks above the deck when not in use, all signs of them are removed in ship-shape manner. Because every bit of space aboard ship is precious, each man has his mess table, hammock, sea bag, and pan all in the same casemate. To help fill the sweet tooth of the crew, which is a big one, the paymaster also carries a large stock of candy and other tidbits that are sold at low prices, and twice a week he serves chicken and ice cream to his big family.



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Agent for Holt Caterpillar Tractors for Union and Wallowa Counties, Oregon, and the Five Southwest Counties of Idaho

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