OLD HISTORY TOLD IN BOOK

Babylonian Volumes May Relate Facts Concerning Oldest Kingdom.

LONDON, (AP)—An ancient Sumerian library of cuneiform tablets has been found by the simple expedient of throwing a brick on a spot on the side of a hill under which the library has lain buried for centuries. The discovery was made by Professor Langdon, the American-born Oxford Assyriologist, who is directing the Weld-Brundell expedition excavations at the ruins of the Babylonian city of Kish near Baghdad.

The discovery of the library occurred just in time to stop the preparations for the suspension of the excavating work, for it was the opinion of the leaders of the expedition that the library had been destroyed with other massive sections of the city.

"I was convinced," said Professor Langdon in writing of the discovery. "that it still existing a certain library lay on the western side of a certain mound and I dug there solely for weeks. The idea that the library was there disturbed my mind and even haunted my sleep. In despair, and grasping a chance of divination, I went alone to the top of the mound and chose a brick of the age of Nebuchadnezzar which lay at the foot, and marked on it an arrow. Then, after blindfolding myself and turning round many times to lose my bearings, I threw the brick backward over my head.

"The next morning digging was recommenced at the place indicated by the arrow, and within two hours a large nest of valuable literary tablets was found."

The library is by far the most important find the expedition has made during its three years' work. It is expected to yield literary treasures which even the libraries of the Pharaohs have not contained. Already 20 rooms of the library have been uncovered, all of which are filled with tablets and there are 20 more rooms yet to be explored.

Kish is the oldest capital of ancient Babylon, and was found immediately after the flood. The excavated ruins show the city to have been five miles long and four miles wide and it is here that the oldest known kings of history lived. Much is known of the history of the city from other sources, but the story of its birth and prosperity still have to be found in the ancient records.

SUNLIGHT GOOD T. B. REMEDY

ATLANTA, (AP)—Sunlight in the treatment of tuberculosis was highly recommended by Major E. H. Bruns, commander of the Fitzsimmons General Hospital U. S. A. at Denver, Colo., and Dr. Horace LoGrasso and Dr. Frank C. Ballerey of the J. N. Adam Memorial Hospital, Perrysburg N. Y., before the National Tuberculosis Association last night at a meeting.

Major Bruns spoke of the satisfactory use of heliotherapy, treatment of tuberculosis by direct sunlight, in cases of tuberculosis of the spine and spinal column. Excellent results have been achieved with this method in the Fitzsimmons Hospital although, as pointed out by Major Bruns, the course of treatment sometimes takes three or four years.

Doctor LoGrasso and Doctor Ballerey pointed out that heliotherapy has a direct and favorable application in cases of pulmonary tuberculosis, although it has not been used widely in this form of tuberculosis in the United States. His results indicated that this method of treatment is of the greatest value in tuberculosis of the bones and one of the benefits noted being a marked improvement in the physical condition. Judicious and careful application of sunlight treatment improves the blood, lessens the activity of the pulmonary process, decreases fever and sputum, and greatly effects the mental attitude of the patient. The use of the direct sunlight is much to be preferred to any kind of artificial light treatment. "At its best," says Doctor LoGrasso, "artificial light therapy is only a poor substitute for solar energy."

"The only way in which health training and instruction can be made to reach the intimate daily personal lives of all our people is through training the children in the public schools." This is a statement made by Dr. Charles H. Keene, Director of the Bureau of Health Education, of the Risk Department of Public Instruction, Harrisburg, Pa., before the National Tuberculosis Association today.

"Teaching of health," says Dr. Keene, "must be made a part of the regular school curriculum as teaching of arithmetic, geography, or any of the routine subjects. It will never be possible to set aside definitely for health teaching enough of the daily time available for school use so that all the necessary habits may be formed and information acquired concerning health.

"All school courses must be revised and bought in such a manner that one to period devoted opportunities for correlation with the various parts of the health program. Physical generally becomes a matter of instruction in hygiene if we know no solution for the purity and safety of the water which we drink. Air becomes a more living thing when it is used, through posters and lessons to emphasize good habits of living in food, exercise, fresh air and cleanliness. History becomes much more than the memorization of dry facts when we trace the history of health and disease and the great movements of history. Health teaching should be interwoven with the other set of factors in school—school health program which are hygiene of the school plant, physical education, the hygienic arrangement of the school program, the health of the teachers, health supervision and the proper training of teachers."

U. S. Revenue Men Have Far Wads, Says Lauder

LONDON, (INS)—"The bootleggers are doing so well in the United States that the Revenue authorities have fine banking accounts," Sir Harry Lauder said on his return from an American tour.

"Did you try any of the nonintoxicating dew over there?" he was asked.

"I always took care to ha' a drappie from my air pot," the comedian answered.

Aged Baroness Rothschild Was Friend of Notables

FRANKFORT, Germany (AP)—Baroness Mathilda von Rothschild, who died recently at Grunecheburg, the ancestral palace of her family, at the age of 94, had lived in great seclusion for many years. She had been especially saddened by the war, so it broke off many of the remaining friendships with aged contemporaries in other lands. She was born when Goethe was still writing and Chopin was her music master. She was an intimate friend of Roschild and Clara Schumann.

The former German emperor always called on her when he went to Frankfort, as he was much interested in the great art collections which had descended to her from four generations of Rothschilds.

Of recent years the aged Baroness was alone much of the time with her servants. Her chief cook was a woman of 76 who had been with her 52 years. Her housekeeper had been in her employ 54 years and her butler for 28 years.

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PIONEER WILL HELP PAGEANT

Man Who Greeted Marcus Whitman Missionary Party in 1836 to Participate.

WALLA WALLA, Wash. (AP)—Sam Cheadle of Athens, Ore., grandson of the Lee and Parker group, who is tutor of the Hudson's Bay company men of old for Nez Perce, near here, greeted the Marcus Whitman missionary party in 1836 upon completion of its overland journey, is to play the role of his grandfather in the Pioneer Pageant, "How West Was Won," to be staged here May 28 and 29.

The pageant, to be presented for the second time, will review 70 years of northwest history from the coming of the Lewis and Clark exploration party in 1805, and one of the most important scenes will depict the arrival of the famous missionary party.

Impersonating the Mrs. Henry H. Spalding of the original mission group will be Mrs. Spalding's great grand-daughter, Mrs. Cassa Henry Shakespeare of Spokane.

In a later pageant scene depicting the great Indian council of 1855, Mr. Pambrun will appear in the character of his father, who acted as interpreter at the conference.

GERMANS OF THE VOLGA TO FORM SOVIET REGIME

SARATOFF, Russia, (AP)—Johannes Schmidt, a German school teacher of the Volga District, who is regarded as a tried and trusted Communist, heads the executive committee of an which directs the affairs of the new German Soviet Republic of Russia. This so-called republic is federated with the Union of Soviet Republics having its capital in Moscow.

The German Volga government embraces the fragments of the German settlements along the Volga which have survived the war and the many civil wars which have taken place in the Volga area. Germans first settled here 160 years ago. Catherine Second promised them practical independence, and exemption from Russian military service.

But the fertile Germans became so prosperous that the Russian government would not let them alone and gradually limited their rights until the outbreak of the great war, when the German schools were closed, the German press was suppressed, religious liberty was hobbled and German men were forced into the army. Under the Bolshevist government the Volgans suffered the loss of lands, cattle and crops, and many of the colonists moved away.

Masonic Temple to Rise.

EUGENE, Or., — Eugene Masons will erect their new temple at the corner of Tenth avenue West and Olive street at an estimated cost of $115,000. If successful in raising $50,000 by the sale of bonds, it was decided at a meeting.

The method to be used in raising the necessary $50,000 will be to sell non-interest bearing bonds among the members of the present temple and the money on hand in different branches of the order being estimated as sufficient to finish the structure. The bonds are to be paid off in 25 years.

Landis Lands

Kenesaw Mountain Landis, the "baseball czar," as he appeared before the Senate committee where he created a sensation by criticizing President Coolidge's pardon of Philip Chicarusso, charged with violating the prohibition law. Landis declared he "was at a loss to understand" this action.

La Grande Theatres

"Mask of Lopez" On at Sherrys Last Time Tonight.

Everyone is think what would happen to you if you tried to do some of the wild riding and thrilling scenes that you see on the screen? And did you ever stop to think of the experience that is necessary to accomplish these stunts that thrill you on the screen so well? It is a fact, nevertheless, that Fred Thompson, whose latest thriller, "The Mask of Lopez," a Harry J. Brown production, which appears at the Sherry Theatre for one only, has gained his big following by continuous hard work and practice of all the all-thrill stunts which he accomplished with seemingly no difficulty at all. Thomson devotes hour after hour to gain the efficiency of the modern scout. He spent many an hour to perfect the remarkable leap shown in "The Mask of Lopez" over a seven-foot fence to the back of his famous horse, Silver King, just as the horse passes a given point at the fence so that Thomson lands directly in the saddle and speeds away at a terrific pace without slowing up the horse one second. It is a marvelous feat but done so prettily by Thomson that it appears not the least bit marvelous but we suggest that you do not attempt it.

A Sweet comedy is also being shown.

Bill Hart Stars in Picture Showing At Star Theater.

The new Paramount picture, "Wild Bill Hickok," that marks the return of William S. Hart to the screen, presents one of the largest and most distinctive casts ever assembled for a film production. Twenty-four players were selected to interpret the roles and although many of these names are not familiar to theatregoers, they were picked because of their marked resemblance to the historic characters described in the story of "Wild Bill Hickok."

Best known of the supporting cast is Ethel Grey Terry, who portrays "Calamity Jane," one of the most unusual feminine characters that existed in the romantic days of the West. Likewise notable in situations are Kathleen O'Connor, James Farley, Jack Gardner, William Dyer, Carl Gerard, Ben Sprotte and Herschel Mayall. Two newcomers to dramatic prominence in this picture are Nabla Carle and Lee Willis.

The story of Wild "Bill Hickok" which was written by Mr. Hart and which will be shown at the Star theatre today, teems with famous Western characters, where picturesque lives and deeds caused their names to be indelibly written in the pages of frontier history. Even though many of these noted characters are minor to their importance to the drama of the story, Mr. Hart has selected their portrayers with the greatest of care.

Famous Success, "Maytime," Coming Here Sunday.

"Maytime," the Preferred picture adaption of Rida Johnson Young and her stage play, will be seen here at the Sherry Theatre Sunday a Gardner production, and Olga Printzlau adapted it.

"Maytime" was the most popular of all the plays by Rida Johnson Young.

The major part of the picture, and in the New York of today, is filled with powerful dramatic situations.

As in previously all of Rida Johnson Young's plays, several songs were introduced into the action of "Maytime." Some of these probably, the most widely known one "Sweetheart," became as famous as the play. The Scottish company have issued a photoplay edition of it's song.

Harrison Ford, leading man in "Little Old New York," plays the lead in "Maytime." Ethel Shannon is the leading woman, and others are Clara Bow, William Norris (who appears in the role he created in the stage version), Wallace Macdonald, and the 12 most beautiful girls in Hollywood.

Comedy showing "Over the Fence."

Vaudeville Bill at Arcade Sunday Interesting One.

The Arcade theatre is offering on Sunday next a vaudeville show that the management heralds as the most pretentious of the season elaborately staged and gloriously costumed.

The chief attraction honors will be given to Gramos Sisters & Rasura in "Kleptomania" a clever singing and talking comedy. Bob Hilliken in "Musical Comedy a La Carte" a combination of snappy comedy and mirth provoking, bright musical interpolations. Morris Hart & Co. in "Talking, Tricks and Tunes," a satire on the pitfalls of a radio, and Evelyn Hewett in "Lightning Talk a Chalk," a serious artist of ability who presents her drawings, delivers a line of comedy talk which is sure to score many laurels.

Will Install Plant.

MILL CITY, Or. — Short Brothers saw mill is installing a planing machine in connection with its plant and will be in a position to handle orders for finished lumber.

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