

True Ghost Stories

By Famous People

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By **CONNIE MACK**
Baseball Manager.

CONNIE MACK as he sat in his office with its many windows, through which streamed sunshine and light, did not seem to be a figure about which the eerie could hover. Robust for his years, his face ruddy from outdoor life, he seemed rather a tall tower which pointed to things as definite as north, south, east and west. Yet he had a strange tale to relate about a visual prophetic omen.

"In the fourth game of the World series in 1929, the Philadelphia Athletics played the Chicago Cubs on a Saturday at Shibe park in Philadelphia," he began.

"In the last half of the seventh inning the score was 8-0, in favor of our opponents.

"I dreaded not only the impending loss of the game, but also the trip to Chicago, which would have to be made if we lost. The picture of the train already made up flashed across my mind. The train seemed to be coming toward me. The image was vivid and portentous.

"Simultaneously, with the flash of the picture, Simmons came up to bat. The game changed in our favor in the last half of the seventh inning. He hit a home run. Then Foxx batted, and they went right down the line until they came to the pitcher. The pitcher was replaced by a pinch-hitter.

"Then we started at the top of our batting order. When it came to the seventh batter, Jimmy Dykes, the score was a tie. The bases were filled. Jimmy made a two-base hit, driving in two runs, leaving two men on bases.

"Boley, the eighth batter, struck out for the second out. Then came the pinch-hitter, and he also struck out, making the third out. The score was 10-8 in our favor. We had won the game.

"In the fifth game excitement was widespread. President Hoover was there. In the first half of the ninth inning the score was 2-0, in favor of our opponents, the Cubs.

"As defeat faced me, the image of the train already made up again flashed through my brain the same as it had the day before. I gave myself time to think. Might the image of that train be an omen and might there follow events similar to yesterday's game? Was there something psychic in that image?

"Strangely, and simultaneously, with that image the game turned in our favor. Bishop lined a hit over third base; Haas hit the second ball pitched for a home run which tied the score.

"After Cochrane went out for the second out, Simmons made a two-base hit. Foxx was walked purposefully. Then Miller hit a two-base hit, driving in the winning run, and we had won the ball game, 3-2."

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Feb. 12—Ben Adair spent the week end at Coburg with his parents.

The V. E. Mitchell family, who had lived a year on the W. W. Chrisman place, moved the first of the week to Glace Creek.

Mabel Kerns, accompanied by a brother, Gerald Mosby, visited from Friday until Sunday at her home in Eugene.

Mr. and Mrs. George McReynolds of Divide visited Sunday with Mrs. McReynolds' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Thrasher.

The Lyon Lawrence family visited Saturday with Mrs. Lawrence's parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Leslie of River road.

Kenneth Tobias of Springfield spent the past week visiting in this vicinity. While here he conducted Bible study classes at the Farmers' union hall.

High school was dismissed Tuesday for the remainder of the week to enable the boys' basketball team to attend the B league tournament now being held in Eugene.

A valentine party and a birthday surprise party in honor of Helen Thrasher was held in the intermediate room Thursday afternoon.

A girls' pickup basketball team played the Walker high school team at Walker Monday night.

William Marke arrived home Saturday from a week's visit in southern Oregon.

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NOTICE OF FINAL SETTLEMENT.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has filed herein his final account as the Executor of the Last Will and Testament of Silas Wells, deceased, with the County Court of Lane County, State of Oregon, and an order has been made and entered of record directing this notice and setting the 19th day of February, 1935, at the hour of ten o'clock in the forenoon of said day as the time and the County Court Room, County Court House, Eugene, Lane County, State of Oregon, as the place for the hearing of objections, if any, to the final account and final settlement of said estate.

Dated and first published this 17th day of January, 1935.
Date of last publication February 14th, 1935.

WORTH HARVEY,
Executor Last Will and Testament of Silas Wells, deceased.
Herbert W. Lombard,
Attorney for Executor. j17f14

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been appointed by the County Court of Lane County, State of Oregon, as Administratrix of the estate of Clarence J. Stephenson, deceased, by an order bearing date the 23rd day of January, 1935.

All persons having claims against the estate of Clarence J. Stephenson, deceased, are hereby notified and required to present the same, duly verified, to the undersigned at the law office of Herbert W. Lombard, First Na-

tional Bank Building, Cottage Grove, Lane County, Oregon, on or before six months from the date of the first publication of this notice.

Dated and first published this 24th day of January, 1935.
Date of last publication February 21, 1935.

OPAL E. WAGNER,
Administratrix of the estate of Clarence J. Stephenson, deceased.
Herbert W. Lombard,
Attorney for Administratrix. j24f21

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been appointed by the county court of Lane county, state of Oregon, executor of the last will and testament of Sam Jones, deceased, by an order bearing date February 2, 1935.

All persons having claims against the estate of said Sam Jones, deceased, are hereby notified and required to present the same duly verified, to the undersigned at the law office of Herbert W. Lombard, First National bank building, Cottage Grove, Lane county, state of Oregon, on or before six months from the date of the first publication of this notice.

Dated and first published this 7th day of February, 1935.
Date of last publication March 7, 1935.

O. O. VEATCH, Executor of the Last Will and Testament of Sam Jones, Deceased.
Herbert W. Lombard,
Attorney for Executor. f7-m7



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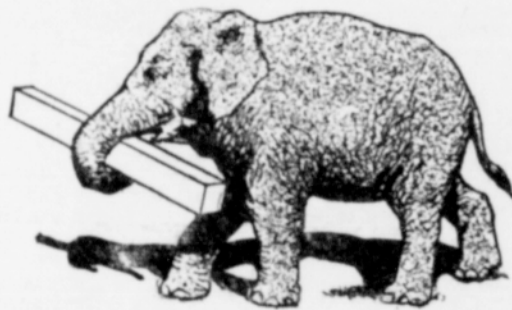
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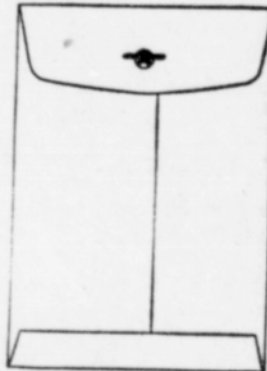
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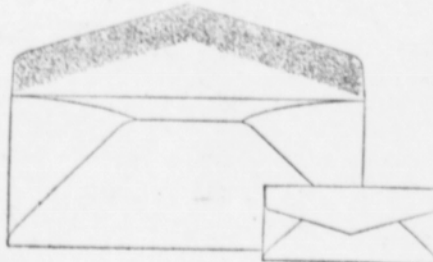
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