

BILLY SUNDAY FITS HARD IN ADDRESS

"Us Guys Have to Crane Our Necks to Look Up to Lincoln's Pedestal," He Says.

POINTED QUESTIONS PUT

Evangelist Starts to Talk to Ad Club About Civic Righteousness, and Soon Outdistances 2 Stenographers.

It is always a refreshing mental diversion to hear Billy Sunday. He divides the merits of the doctrine that he preaches or his manner of preaching, anyone possessing the least sense of humor is entertained on hearing him. The crowd that filled the crystal dining-room of the Benson Hotel wanted to be entertained yesterday when Billy spoke before the Ad Club. They were it never has been heard for Billy to jump from the most profound discourse on the beauties of nature or the glory of the Christian religion to an outburst of slang, all in the same breath. He has this accomplishment down finer than ever this year. The Sunday speech yesterday was supposed to be on the subject of civic righteousness or something of that sort, but it covered a lot of other ground besides. Some of it was devoted to a eulogy of Abraham Lincoln. "He was so big, no noble, so many, so good, so kind, so God-fearing," he said in speaking of Lincoln, "that the rest of us guys have to crane our necks every time we want to look up to the pedestal where he stands."

Auto Slang Is Used. Billy has added automobile slang to his repertoire, as for instance: "Too many of you fellows are traveling in low gear all the time."

Two stenographers tried to take down his rapid-fire talk, but gave up in the attempt after he had spoken the first 100 words. But this speech was merely a preliminary to the one he is going to give at the Ice Hippodrome next Tuesday night, when he will talk against the brewery bill that will be on the ballot next November. The Ad Club has reserved a big block of seats for that occasion.

"The newspapers will have to be printed on asbestos to handle that speech," announced Billy. Before Sunday opened up, the crowd extended an ovation to Billy Sullivan, former catcher for the Chicago White Sox, who is here waiting for the Detroit Americans; Ed Barnard, vice-president of the Cleveland Americans, and Judge McCredie, of the Portland Beavers.

Sullivan and Sunday are old pals, and fell on one another's necks when they met at the dining-table. William McMurray, general passenger agent for the Union Pacific system, had charge of the fireworks and presented "Mac" Sunday with a copy of S. C. Lancaster's book on the Columbia River Highway. She spoke briefly. He introduced Billy by telling him to shoot when he was ready. Then Billy shot. Some of his hardest hits were:

Some Kinds of Men Hit. "All that some fellows are good for is to help make up a crowd. They only furnish statistics for the census-taker."

"Others go around disguised. They wear whiskers and breeches to make you think they are men."

"I like the chap that never fouls the ball or strikes out; the chap who, with three men on bases and the score three to nothing against his team, will step up to the plate, take three balls and two strikes and pound out a home run without batting an eye."

"Don't be a nut, a piker, a molly-coddle, a curmudgeon, a four-flusher or a jellyfish."

"Some people only are carbuncles on the body politic."

"Too many preachers are preaching to wooden benches and varnish."

"Better be a Napoleon of bootblacks or an Alexander of chimney sweeps than a lawyer without clients or a preacher who can't get the ball over the plate."

"There are a lot of first-class mechanics rattling around in pulpits and some mighty good preachers working in machine shops."

"If you ever hand it to God in the neck, you can be sure that he'll hand it back to you, and then you can thank your stars that you are not a giraffe."

Bouquets Wanted Now. "If you have any bouquets, give them to me before I'm dead. I'd rather have a funeral without a preacher, a coffin without a flower, a grave without a tombstone, than to go through life without love or kindness or sympathy."

"Subtract \$50,000 and booze and fast women from some men and what have you left, eh?"

"What has Portland to be proud of because you are living here? Answer that question and see if it doesn't give you a jolt."

"The wives of some men that I know would be better off had they married a phonograph or an automobile. The phonograph could say 'kind word' to them once in a while, and the automobile might take them out riding occasionally."

"It is a dirty, cowardly trick to shoot the arrows of envy into the man who occupies the pedestal above you or the fellow who is leading the procession."

"Success consists in putting into life more than you get out of it. How many of you fellows are successful?"

Speaker Is Versatile. Don't think that Billy Sunday is illiterate, or even not well educated. He can quote from classics and talk about science, history, literature, the arts, politics and current events, as readily as he can pour forth a diatribe against liquor, the devil and the obstinate sinner. He did some of each yesterday. He wound up with a tribute to Hood River: "If the Lord ever opens up the heavens and tells the angels to jump down onto the finest spot on earth, they'll land in the Hood River Valley. Then proceeded with this appeal for the 'old-time religion':"

"O Christian men, Christians, Men will respect you, women will admire you, children will love you and God will crown you with glory."

PERSONAL MENTION.

H. T. Smith, of Yamhill, is at the Nortonia. C. W. Kent, of Woodburn, is a guest at the Eaton. H. W. Hansen, of Aberdeen, is registered at the Oregon. Fred Hoeflich, of Albany, is registered at the Perkins. George O. Goodall, of Salem, is registered at the Oregon. A. W. Phineas, of Roseburg, is registered at the Perkins. W. C. Cook, of McMinnville, was

among the arrivals at the Perkins yesterday.

A. D. Johnson, of Salem, arrived at the Oregon yesterday. G. G. Brooks is registered at the Nortonia from Goldendale.

George W. Briggs, of Arlington, is staying at the Eaton. N. N. Blumensadt, of Rainier, is registered at the Eaton.

Mrs. Leon Cohen, of Pendleton, is registered at the Portland. K. C. Eldridge, of Independence, is registered at the Nortonia.

W. H. Harris, of Seattle, is passing a few days at the Portland. F. W. Gaston, of Tacoma, is among the arrivals at the Portland.

Mr. and Mrs. N. J. Haas, of Salem, are registered at the Imperial. Fred Wortman, of McMinnville, arrived at the Portland yesterday.

H. M. Elder, of Pendleton, was among yesterday's arrivals at the Eaton. Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Robinson, of San Francisco, are registered at the Washington.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Smith and son, of St. Helena, are registered at the Oregon. A. G. Alingham, a prominent merchant of Redmond, is staying at the Perkins.

Mrs. E. E. Kirtley, and four children, of La Grande, are registered at the Imperial.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Lane arrived at the Washington yesterday from San Francisco. Jay G. Fountain, of Seattle, arrived in city yesterday. He is registered at the Oregon.

Mrs. G. L. Baker and her niece, Miss Cooper, are registered at the Washington from McMinnville.

Mrs. Joseph Coulson Hare has returned from Astoria, where she went to attend the funeral of Mrs. Flora Hare Gilman, who was an aunt of Mr. Hare.

Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Woods and W. E. Nixon motored to Portland from Twin Falls, Idaho, to attend the Knights of Pythias convention. The party is registered at the Nortonia.

ROAD DATA COLLECTED

HINTS GIVEN FOR MOTORISTS WHO WILL GO TO TACOMA. Automobile Club Issues Bulletin on Best Routes for Drivers to Take to Sound City.

For the benefit of those motorists who contemplate driving to Tacoma this week for the automobile races to be held there next Saturday, George M. Chambers, assistant secretary of the Portland Automobile Club, has prepared a detailed report of road conditions from Portland to Tacoma, via Vancouver, Kalama, Kelso, Chehalis, Centralia and Olympia to Tacoma and Seattle.

Following is the special bulletin: Portland to Vancouver—Motorists may take their choice, either using the road on the Oregon side of the Columbia River via St. Helena to dole and ferrying across the river at this point to the Washington side, crossing the river from Portland to Vancouver. The latter route is advised.

Vancouver to Kalama—The first 7 1/2 miles out of Vancouver is a gravel and planked road, in good condition, then turn left and go 1 mile west to Pacific Highway and then go 1 mile right and thence north 2 1/2 miles, then turn right and continue east 1/2 mile and take left-hand road at top of hill and continue to La Center. The hill is now entirely dry, and while it is rough, motorists can get through without any danger of being stuck. From La Center to Woodland is a good gravel road with 1 mile of gravel and pavement through Woodland. From Woodland to Martin's Bluff there is a gravel stretch of road which is narrow, but entirely safe. From Martin's Bluff to Kalama there is 2 1/2 miles of good gravel road.

Kalama to Kelso—Roads are good. Kelso to Chehalis—Take road north from Kelso via Cathlamet to ferry crossing at Olney. Cross on the ferry at this point and continue to Toledo. Leave the main street of Toledo and turn right, taking the road over the hill to Winlock. Continue straight through the town of Winlock and on to Napavine. Leaving Napavine take the road going right, which will lead you northeast to Pacific Highway, 2 miles south of Forest. Follow the Pacific Highway north through Forest and detour alongside the new construction work to Chehalis.

Chehalis to Centralia—Use the old river road to the Pacific Highway in close proximity to account of paving.

Centralia to Olympia—The best road is via Bucoada through Tealino and thence into Olympia.

From Olympia to Tacoma, use the Pacific Highway, much of which is paved.

PRISONER TAKES PLEDGE

Man Agrees to Stop Drinking and Is Set Free by Judge.

Robert McCarthy, who was brought before Judge Langruth yesterday in Municipal Court after he had fallen unconscious in a barbershop at 48 North Third street as the result of a protracted spree, pleaded for his freedom in his richest brogue. The judge finally continued sentence against him on condition that he leave the "booze" alone. The man's limbs were shaking as with the ague as a result of the alcohol he had drunk and he had to be sent to the Police Emergency Hospital for treatment before he was in condition to be released.

"I give you my word of honor that I will let the bottle alone," said McCarthy. "My little experience has given me a healthy fear of this place." McCarthy said he was a railroad man.

Australian Sought Here.

R. A. Winn, of the Lyceum Theater, on Pitt street, Sydney, Australia, has written to Portland in an endeavor to locate a brother, A. C. Winn, from whom he has not heard for some time. A letter addressed to the Actors' Union was turned over to the Hellig Theater attaches yesterday. Mr. Winn writes that he formerly was stage manager for a Curtis comedy company, of which Frank S. Ryan was manager. Mr. Winn said his brother at one time also was with Ralph Stuart. Mr. Winn would appreciate any information directed to him care of The Lyceum, in Sydney.

Use Coconut Oil For Washing Hair

If you want to keep your hair in good condition, be careful what you wash it with. Most soaps and prepared shampoos contain too much alkali. This dries the scalp, makes the hair brittle, and is very harmful. Just plain mulsified coconut oil (which is pure and entirely greaseless), is much better than the most expensive soap or anything else you can use for shampooing, as this can't possibly injure the hair.

Simply moisten your hair with water and rub it in. One or two teaspoonfuls will make an abundance of rich, creamy lather, and cleanses the hair and scalp thoroughly. The lather rinses out easily, and removes every particle of dust, dirt, dandruff and excessive oil. The hair dries quickly and evenly, and it leaves it fine and silky, bright, fluffy and easy to manage.

You can get mulsified coconut oil at most any drugstore. It is very cheap, and a few ounces is enough to last everyone in the family for months.—Adv.

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