

PROWLER IS ROUTED WHEN GIRL SCREAMS

Women Students at McMinnville Badly Scared.

TEACHER WAKES IN TIME

Odor of Chloroform or Ether Noted in Room Occupied by Three as Intruder Beats Retreat.

McMINNVILLE, Or., Oct. 28.—(Special.)—Three McMinnville college girls occupying a lower room of a residence on the campus used as a girls' dormitory owe a fortunate escape to the chance awakening of one of their number, Miss Marie Erickson, who discovered a man standing in their room at 3 A. M. this morning, while the stupefying odor of chloroform or ether rose from the soaked blankets and pillows of the beds upon which the girls were sleeping.

When the shouts of the young woman drove the man from the room, she aroused her companions, Dorothy Reichert, Spokane, and Elizabeth Vaughn, Boise, Idaho, from the half stupor into which they had fallen. All three fled in their night clothes, making their exit through a window opening onto the front porch and rounded the occupants of two nearby dwellings. Six other girls in the upstairs rooms of the house, Ola Davis, Twin Falls, Idaho; Ellen Hiseley, Palouse, Wash.; Cecil Graham, Portland; Dorothy Copley, Salem; Bertha Pentney, Roseburg; and Gray Light, Claverdale, were not aroused.

Search Proves Fruitless.

Men students living in the C. C. Cowen and Villa Davis residences rushed to the house, but the man had disappeared in the brush and trees close to the house, which extend for some distance along the edge of the campus. A car was heard to start on the highway a short distance west of the college about the time the men students reached the house. The car could be heard distinctly as it traveled northward on the Sheridan road and entered the city of McMinnville.

Search of the house revealed only a few muddy tracks, an open bathroom window, and a broken bottle beneath the window. Jewelry lying on the dresser in front of which the man was standing when discovered had not been touched and no articles about the house were missed. No explanation is offered for the action of the man. He was described by three of the girls who had seen him as small in stature, dressed in baggy clothes of light color and wearing a cap pulled tightly over his face. His nose, one said, was exceedingly prominent.

"I awoke with a strange feeling of presentiment," said Miss Erickson, teacher in the preparatory department of the college, who is in charge of the house used as a dormitory by herself and the eight college girls, "and when half-awakened saw a figure standing in the room a few feet from the beds. At first I thought it was one of the girls who had entered the room, but as I became more fully awakened I saw it was a man.

"Get out," I shouted, but at first he made no move. I shouted again and he edged silently to the door, slipped through and disappeared."

The discovery of the man in a series of alarms in the dormitory, all occurring last night. Early in the evening the report that a man had been lurking around the house caused a flurry among the girls. About 11 o'clock Ola Davis and Ellen Hiseley decided to take advantage of the nervous tension of the occupants and startle the girls in the bedroom below by swinging a shoe against the window. As they cautiously peered out they discovered a man standing directly in front of the window below them, looking into the lighted room, which was not protected by blinds.

"Peepers" Beats Retreat.

"Beat it!" cried Miss Davis sharply, and the peeper passed hastily around the corner of the house, taking refuge for an instant in a small screened porch. Occupants in the room below, who had been watching the search of the window, distinctly heard him as he stumbled over a cot on the porch. Boys summoned from nearby houses made a thorough search of the grounds, but found no one. The girls retired highly excited, and Miss Erickson moved her bed in with Miss Reichert and Miss Vaughn, who occupied the lower chamber, into which the man had been looking.

Excitement on the campus and among the townspeople who had heard of the scare was intense throughout the morning. Arrangements are being made for the girls who had roomed in the house to move into residences with private families for the present, and there is little probability that any will occupy the house again until better protection is afforded. The house sits back among the trees on the northeast corner of the campus and is secluded, although less than half a block from other residences. No men or older people have resided in the building this year.

MARMON CARS SHOWN

Week Set Aside All Over Nation for Demonstrations.

More than 13,000 people all over the country are having their first rides

in Marmon cars this week, according to F. W. Vogler, president of the Northwest Auto company, local distributor, the week having been set aside throughout the country by Marmon dealers for special demonstrations.

The Northwest Auto company has in service three Marmon demonstrators, he announced, and the company has issued a general invitation to all persons, whether prospective purchasers of a car or curiosity seekers only, to ride in the car and check its performance.

At the start of a ride the passenger is furnished with a score card and asked to check off the performance of the car on the following points: Ease of riding, acceleration, deceleration, slow speed operation in high gear, high speed operation, ease of steering, convenience of controls, economy, weight, smoothness of motor operation, rigidity, road ability. All the demonstrators start from the company headquarters at Eighteenth and Alder streets.

BETTER SERVICE URGED

COMPLETION OF ARLETA PHONE EXCHANGE DEMANDED.

President Buchtel of Utilities Commission Says Company Has Had Ample Time to Comply.

SALEM, Or., Oct. 28.—(Special.)—Fred G. Buchtel, chairman of the Oregon public service commission, in a letter prepared today, said that he had called attention of the Pacific Telephone and Telegraph company, with headquarters at Portland, called attention of the latter official to the urgent necessity of completing and placing in service the Arleta automatic telephone exchange, which has been under construction for some time and is intended more adequately to serve the Arleta and Lents district.

"We are mindful of the construction difficulties encountered," said Mr. Buchtel in his letter, "but nevertheless the 'cut over' of this exchange will relieve both the Tabor and Sellwood districts and not only materially improve the service in these territories but otherwise relieve the general situation."

In concluding his letter, Mr. Buchtel said the commission would expect the telephone corporation to put forth every effort to complete and place the exchange in service at the earliest date possible.

SEAL SALE IS PLANNED

Delegates From 20 Counties Meet in Ghehalls.

CHEHALIS, Wash., Oct. 28.—(Special.)—Twenty delegates representing various southwestern Washington counties met at a noon luncheon at the Hotel St. Helens Wednesday to lay plans for the Christmas seal sale of the Tuberculosis league of the state of Washington. Mrs. B. B. Buchanan of Seattle, executive secretary of the organization, outlined the work.

The following attended: Mrs. O. R. Lee and Mrs. Dan Crowley of Vancouver, Mrs. R. S. Henderson of Raymond, Mrs. A. B. Harrell of Mineral, Mrs. W. E. Brown of Vader, Mrs. W. F. Dwyer of Duvall, Mrs. L. E. Foster of Hoquiam, Mrs. J. M. Boyd of Carson, Mrs. Mabel T. Harding of Seattle, Mrs. Charles Albertson of Aberdeen, Mrs. Theo. Lindis of Stevenson, Mrs. William Baunert of Aberdeen, Mrs. J. W. Griswold of Shelton, Mrs. C. A. Coffman and Mrs. G. W. Kennelott of Chehalis and Mrs. W. R. Coffman of Centralia.

CRIPPLES TO GET HELP

Oregon Will Be Represented at Big Vocational Conference.

SALEM, Or., Oct. 28.—(Special.)—Will T. Kirk and Frank H. Shepherd, member of the state industrial accident commission and in charge of vocational rehabilitation branch of the department, respectively, will leave here next week for Salt Lake City, where they will attend a conference of the federal board of vocational education, and representatives of the various state compensation boards cooperating with the government in the work of improving the condition of industrial cripples.

Oregon recently signed an agreement with the government whereby this state will receive \$5000 annually for this work.

Under this contract the state will match the government appropriation.

PEAR GROWERS GET AID

Large Co-operative Fund Being Used to Help Handle Crops.

SALEM, Or., Oct. 28.—(Special.)—At the close of business Tuesday night, the Oregon Co-operative Growers' association announced that its bank had disbursed a balance of \$208,459.87, practically all of which represents receipts from fresh fruits sold during the last few weeks.

This money is being checked out as a second advance to pear growers, based on an apportionment of \$70 a ton on No. 1 pears and \$30 on No. 2 pears.

Approximately \$30,000 is being remitted daily to growers, the checks being drawn on 15 banks with which the association and its affiliated packing plants are transacting business.

Water Dispute Before Board.

SALEM, Or., Oct. 28.—(Special.)—A dispute regarding the extension of time of two permits for taking water



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from Bear creek, in Jackson county, was aired before the state water board here this afternoon. On one side were arrayed representatives of the Rogue River Valley Canal company, while on the other side were officials of the Talent irrigation district. As a step toward settlement of the controversy the opposing factions entered into a stipulation as to the date when the permits were obtained and the amount of work accomplished. The board, which took the matter under advisement, will base its decision on the facts set out in the stipulation.



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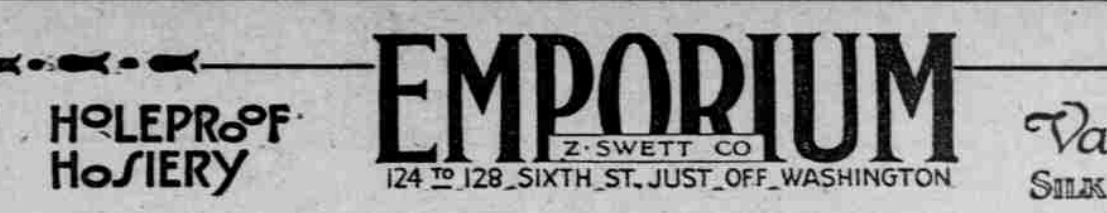
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