

GIRLS WERE SCORED; ATTACK IS RESENTED

Immorality Charge Brings
Spirited Replies.

C. P. CARY IS ACCUSED

Mrs. J. F. Hill, Oregon Teachers' Council President, Says 100 Are Good for Every One Bad.

SPOKANE, Wash., April 6.—(Special.)—Charges of astounding immorality among young girls in Portland, Or., were made today at the school patrons' section of the Inland Empire Teachers' convention by C. P. Cary, Wisconsin ex-teacher, and drew spirited answers.

Mr. Cary named as the principal cause of immorality among young people the indifference to dress and conduct of girls between the ages of 14 and 18. He declared that "we are in about the worst predicament in this respect this country has ever seen."

He based his address upon conditions as he said he found them in cities of the United States.

Immorality Held Prevalent.

"There has been some expression of the existence of immorality in Spokane and some strong and exciting statements have been made," said Mr. Cary. "But Spokane is not the only city so afflicted. As I have found immoral conditions are prevalent in other cities, probably more so than here."

"Some time ago I had occasion to be in Portland. While I was there a detachment of soldiers stopped in the city for a short time on the way to Cuba. I was told that on a certain date, or close to that date, a certain number of months later 200 illegitimate children were born in that city."

Charges Are Answered.

"In a town of about 5000 population a friend told me that he stood in a hotel lobby and within 20 minutes 27 girls, evidently between the ages of 14 and 18, entered the hotel and went into rooms. None of the girls stopped at that hotel."

Following Mr. Cary's remarks Mrs. J. F. Hill, president of the teachers' council of Oregon, vigorously resented the blame being placed upon young girls, and said: "For every girl such as Mr. Cary has described there are a hundred girls who are perfectly clean and decent. If these young girls are going about upsetting the world, why not look into the boy problem and train our boys to be stronger and more decent young men?"

MADALYNNE'S SISTER HELD

GLENLYN SMART, 20, CHARGED
WITH GRAND LARCENY.

Girl Said to Have Made Off With
\$240 Belonging to Fiance,
Who Filed Complaint.

LOS ANGELES, Cal., April 6.—Miss Glenlyn Smart, half-sister of Mrs. Madalynne Oberchain, in jail charged with the murder of her sweetheart, J. Belton Kennedy, was arrested late today on a charge of grand larceny made by P. W. Douglas, who asserted Miss Smart took \$240 in currency from him.

Douglas, in a complaint sworn to at the district attorney's office, declared he and Miss Smart were engaged to marry and planned to elope to San Diego. He said they started for that city in an automobile and stopped for refreshments at a roadside resort. When Douglas took out a roll of bills to pay the check Miss Smart, he asserted, returned the money from his hand and refused to return it.

They returned to Los Angeles and the young woman left him at a street corner, saying she would be back shortly. After waiting two hours, Douglas said he decided she was not coming back and went to the district attorney's office to make the complaint.

Miss Smart was taken to the same office after her arrest and from there endeavored to arrange for bail and counsel. She is about 20 years old.

PACKING DEAL RUMORED

SWIFT PLANT IN PORTLAND
FIGURES IN BIG DEAL.

Report That Seattle Concern May
Acquire Property Discounted
by General Manager.

SEATTLE, Wash., April 6.—Negotiations are under way for the purchase by Frye & Co., Seattle, of the packing interests of Swift & Co. in Portland, Or., it became known today.

Charles H. Frye, president of the Seattle concern, left last night for Chicago for a conference with officials of Swift & Co., stating before he left that there were prospects the deal might be consummated. It was stated at his office today. Negotiations, it was said, had been in progress for about four weeks.

The Portland plant is valued at between \$2,000,000 and \$3,000,000, it was said.

"There is absolutely nothing to the rumor that Frye & Co. of Seattle are about to purchase the Portland plant operated by Swift & Co.," said E. C. Tarnall, general manager of the Swift plant in North Portland, when asked about the story yesterday.

Mr. Tarnall said if such a deal were in process of negotiation he felt sure he would know of it and he felt safe in denying it completely.

WOMEN IN FIGHT JAILED

Wife, Who Trained Husband to
Home of Another, Puts Up Bail.

Mrs. Lucille Thomas trailed Mr. Lucille Thomas to the home of Edith Smith, 222 Madison street, last night and the fight began promptly, developing into a free-for-all which ended when Motorcyclist Patrolmen Forken and Pinn arrested the party.

Mr. Thomas' husband, however, escaped through a window.

disorderly by fighting, put up \$25 bail. Victor Anderson, the third member of the party to be held, was booked as drunk and disorderly with bail of \$75. He refused to be bailed out, telling police that he was too drunk to behave himself.

Mrs. Thomas was in a hurry to get out. She put up the \$25 immediately and resumed the search for her husband. If there was another fight when she found him it was not reported to police.

At the Theaters.

Heilig.

BY LEONE CASS BAER.

IT IS easy to believe that in the long years Ethel Barrymore has absented herself from us of the north-west country, she has been biding her time until she obtained a play suitable to her demands, something out of the ordinary in theme and treatment, something of a European flavor, something in which she could combine the sophisticated philosophy of a mature woman with the wholesome sentiment of a girl. Some such deduction comes from witnessing her performance of "The Sign of the Cross" for Miss Barrymore's return to us.

It is assuredly out of the ordinary and travels far from the beaten run of plays. It has its English stamp, and serves to combine the splendor of the mature and womanly beauty of the mature and womanly Ethel Barrymore of today, with the charm and gay good humor and little tricks of eyes and hands that made Ethel Barrymore some 15 years ago the most idolized young woman on the American stage.

Practically a new generation has grown up since Miss Barrymore established herself securely in the hearts of playgoers, and a new fineness, a quality of abiding honesty, has entered her acting.

The radiant charm and personality which enveloped and influenced the effect of all her roles as a younger actress is still evident and her pretty witherles and moode and inimitable sense of comedy are unchanged. But there is a distinctive dramatic quality in her emotional work, a splendid genius in her acting, that comes only with maturity. A capacity audience turned out last night at Heilig to show the daughter of the Barrymores that she had been remembered and loved during her absence.

Miss Barrymore's company is notably fine in its individual players, and perfect as a support for the role Miss Barrymore plays.

To turn slice of life into an intriguing play the playwright must either evolve a viable plot, dull into insensibility the credulity of the audience with an array of humorous situations, or display a clear and well-defined sense of the dramatic. Zoe Kings has overlooked none of these save the one about dulling our credulity with humorous situations.

Her play is a fine feeling for the romantic and has written significantly in this story of the high-born gentlewoman of English birth who steps down from her place in the sun to become a bit of a floater, washed about on alien waters, humiliated, hungry even, and poor, but still playing her game with a high heart and a smile on her lips. She becomes a deceiver, an outcast, but an aristocratic outcast, and a lovable one, a fatalist, who triumphs in her belief and goes smilingly to her death, secure in the belief that the man for whom she has become a deceiver has returned to wed her.

What the audience knows is that the man has not come back for her; that he has found another love, and that where Zoe Kings has played her extremely clever dramatic hand and ended the play in the only logical way possible.

Miss Akins has not attempted to paint character development with its accompanying trucking to theatrical regeneration or degeneration. She has drawn life as she sees it and with Miss Barrymore's splendid enactment, and the fine portrayals by her co-artists, the drama emerges vivid and unforgettable. The psychology is sound and the dialogue is impressive in its cleverness and smartness and amazing in its philosophy.

Edward Emery is an excellent choice as Solomon, the man who understands Helen, and he plays with splendid poise and understanding. His naturalness constantly delighted. The cast is lengthy and illuminated by players of skill and charm. The staging is strikingly original and the gowna extremely colorful.

The cast:

Rudolph Solomon.....Edward Emery
Edward Thayer.....Henry Daniels
Harry Chatterton.....Cyril Delaney
Sir Emmett Wildering.....Charles Wellesley
Sir Bruce Haden.....Philip Lord
Count Paolo Del Magiore.....Hubbard Kirkpatrick
John.....Alfred Heese
Walters, butler at Rudolph Solomon's.....Lady Helen Haden.....Ethel Barrymore
Lady Wildering.....Virginia Chas. Chase
Charlotte Ashley.....Irby Marshall
Mrs. Leslie.....Jane West
Alice.....Mary R. DeWitt
Zellio.....Gabrielle Ravine

IRRIGATION TEST BEGUN

Washington to Put Water on Land
in Puyallup Valley.

OLYMPIA, Wash., April 6.—(Special.)—Recommendation that the waters of several small springs at the western Washington experiment station at Puyallup be diverted to irrigate a small tract as an experiment to determine the effect of irrigation in the Puyallup valley in the dry season will be made by Dan A. Scott, director of conservation and development, and Marvin Chase, supervisor of hydraulics, following an inspection yesterday of the acreage and the springs. Director Scott announced today.

Sufficient water for about two acres can be obtained from the springs and upon the result of this diversion may depend the future of many small irrigation projects in the valley.

ALLEGED FORGER UNIQUE

Vancouver Soldier Says He Can
Neither Read Nor Write.

An alleged forger, asserting that he could neither read nor write, was the Hamrick early last night when they arrested Peter Pendergast in a store at Second and Alder streets. Thomas Judge, Vancouver soldier, also denied his literacy.

The inspectors were called to a store where a man had offered a \$10 check. The check already had been cashed once and canceled through the Northwestern National bank. It had been newly indorsed by the police, but was otherwise unaltered. The men were thought by the inspectors to have found the checks and to have thought them good.

Miss Mary Taylor III.

Miss Mary E. Taylor, one of the earliest living Portland school teachers, is seriously ill at her home, 543 East Tenth street, from an attack of heart disease.

S. & H. green stamps for cash. Holman Fuel Co. coal and wood. Broadway 6353, 660-21.—Adv.

EVICTED BLIND MEN QUIET

PAIR ABANDON ATTEMPT TO
RE-ENTER PUBLIC HOME.

Charles J. Bishop and Carl S. West
Said to Be Staying at House
of Latter's Father.

Charles J. Bishop and Carl S. West, who paraded up and down in front of the Oregon Employment institution, 424 East Burnside street for hours Wednesday after they had been evicted from the place, yesterday appeared to have abandoned the attempt to force their reinstatement in the institution. The men were taken away Wednesday morning by deputy sheriffs acting under orders of the state board of control, but returned to the place until nightfall.

As an indication that they would be very unwelcome should they regain entrance to the building, both of them having keys which they refused to surrender on request, the beds they had occupied were taken down.

After nightfall, when their "sledge" could no longer be considered spectacular, the two evicted men returned to the home of D. S. West, father of Carl West, 343 East Eighth street, and there spent the night.

No attempt was made by the two men yesterday to renew their physical demonstration for re-admission. The remainder of their efforts were packed up and sent to them yesterday forenoon, and at that time they were still in bed at the home of young West's parents. It is believed that the men are still in the city, and that they will attempt to regain admission to the institution, and will accept the provision made for them that will be made by the state board of control.

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Superintendent Myers said yesterday that with the changes just effected, it would be possible to give accommodations to three more blind persons, two men and one woman, but that this is a matter that will have to be passed upon by the state board of control. There is a waiting list of blind persons seeking the advantages offered in the way of learning trades, but all applications hereafter must be passed upon by the state board of control before admission is granted.

LAYMAN MAY ENTER RACE

Attorney Is Considering Public
Service Commission.

F. B. Layman, attorney, is considering being a candidate for nomination for public service commission in the republican primaries to succeed Fred A. Williams. Mr. Layman, after working his way through Pennsylvania college and Harvard, came to Portland in 1911 as Pacific northwest manager for the Aluminum Company of America, a position he held until 1914 when he was Pacific coast manager. He built the company's large housing at Pittsburg, and under his management the company's sales increased from \$66,000 in 1910 to \$500,000 in 1917. In 1918 he was elected to the legislature, becoming associated with Estes Sneider a year later.

Since then, Mr. Layman has been almost continuously before the interstate commerce commission in cases involving railroad rate readjustments. Mr. Layman made his decision within a few days.

MR. STARKWEATHER RUNS

Walter L. Pierce Has Rival for Gubernatorial Nomination.

Harvey G. Starkweather is to be one of the democratic contenders for the gubernatorial nomination. Mr. Starkweather, who is president of the Jackson club, will run against Walter L. Pierce, who announced himself a week ago. These two democrats were rivals for the nomination four years ago, at which time Mr. Pierce won the primaries from Mr. Starkweather, but was defeated in the final election by Governor Withycombe, republican.

Entrance of Mr. Starkweather means that the democratic primaries will be marked with a greater amount of interest than has been manifest in the party for some time. Mr. Pierce's formal announcement will be filed with the secretary of state today. While it is possible that others may come into the field, the impression among democrats is that the contest will be confined to Messrs. Starkweather and Pierce.

TWO RAIL AUTOS ORDERED

Mount Hood Railroad Company
Also Buys Locomotive.

HOOD RIVER, Or., April 6.—(Special.)—Two new rail automobiles, which will carry approximately 30 passengers each, and a new locomotive have been ordered by the Mount Hood Railroad company. The passenger equipment is expected here before April 1. The locomotive will be placed in commission in about 60 days.

Superintendent Shurtliff said that the new rail cars will be devoted to furnishing greater accommodations for passenger service. It is planned to develop tourist travel to Mount Hood points, and convenient schedules and special trips will be made available.

DISTILLER ADMITS GUILT

J. D. Stone to Accept Penalty for
Violating Dry Law.

J. D. Stone, owner of a moonshine still near Westport, arrested 11 days ago, admitted his guilt today.

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