RELIGIOUS FRENZY STIRS WORSHIPERS

"Tongues of Fire" Campmeeting Scene of Strange Antics by Peculiar Sect.

FLAGELLANTS USE BIBLES

Devotees, Groveling in Straw, Beat One Another With Scriptures to Drive Out "Evil Spirits." Strange Gbberish Uttered.

"The world is rotten! Prepare ye the way to eternal bliss before the tongues of fire shall descend and consume it!"

Gesticulating wildly and ranting before an audience of 500 of the followers of his creed, a preacher of the "Tongues of Fire" cult last night warned his listeners against the present contamination of the universe and implored them to seek the light before its maker should vent his wrath in tongues of fire. The meetings are held in a tent at Jenne's Grove, West avenue, Montavilla.

His gesticulations and warnings only tended to heighten the religious excitement in the breasts of his hearers. Goaded on by the fearful prophecies made by the speaker in the services of the early evening and the additional exhortations of other speakers and testimonies of the "saints" of the flock, the hum of voices gradually grew in intensity until at midnight a veritable bedlam ruled under the canopy of the large tent.

The unintelligible utterances of the "tongues" babbled with all the vehemence possible by men, women and children rent the night air.

The ceremony of praying over the sinners who had wended their way into the meeting to seek the light was intense. With seeming deep sincerity of heart, a score of men who, during their span of life, had fallen from the path of righteousness, approached the improvised altar and bowed on their bended knees to receive sanctification.

Beaten to Drive Out "Evil Spirits."

Instantly the entire congregation threw itself into a frenzy. Men and women, overcome by their emotions, threw themselves upon each other or fell prone on their faces upon the straw-covered ground. Others in their religious frenzy were overcome by hysteria and fell unconscious.

Hardly did the unconscious victim fall before several "saints" hastened to his side and set upon him, beating the so-called evil spirits from his senseless frame with heavy blows from Bibles held in their hands.

Until the fanatics became exhausted and dragged themselves from the mad scene, neither the incessant babble nor the ardor of the manifestations ceased. Shouting, moaning and crying, imploring and praying to God to grant them eternal happiness and cause the sinners among them to see the light, the people carried on their orgy in the name of Christ well into the morning hours before the handful of adherents to this serio-comic religion relinquished their fervor.

Each night these meetings open with prayers by the adherents to the "Tongues of Fire" faith. Their peculiar antics and the frenzy of their prayers equal almost a scene aboard a sinking ship. Men and women with children even clinging to them, crouched in attitudes of apparent reverence, send up beseeching prayers, each in his own gibberish. For a time bordering close on to an hour these fanatics give thanks to their Maker for the blessings bestowed upon them.

Song Plays Influential Part.

These prayers continue until the first notes of a hymn are started by a "divine saint." Accompanied by the harmonies of a chapel organ, the penitent and prayerful congregation bursts forth into song. Again and again the hymn is repeated or probably dissolved into a similar anthem. Hardly has the last note of the melody ceased when a former "sinner," who has been "saved" through the teachings of the "tongues," climbs upon the raised platform near the improvised altar and gives his testimony. Brandishing his arms and stumbling blindly along the platform he attests the validity of his statements by calling on God to witness, either in English or by the interjection of some phrase of gibberish as unintelligible as an animal's cry.

Weakened from the exertion of his stumbling flow of oratory, the frenzied testifier ambles back to his place among the flock seated on the straw or on stools about the foot of the altar. Hardly has the initial witness dropped out of sight among the congregation when another takes his place upon the platform.

"Last Summer I was low down in sin. I was a brute. I was an incurable cocaine and morphine fiend! Oh, how I praise Him that he should ever see me away down in that gutter of sin!" were the introductory remarks of a young man last night, who in his testimony admitted he attempted to commit suicide by slashing his throat with a razor. To verify his statement he clawed at the collar of his shirt, drawing it down to a point where the ugly scar left by the razor was visible.

Witness Breaks Into Gibberish.

"I cannot help but praise my Maker when I look upon the scars about my body where I used to inject the drug. I praize (here the witness broke off into a momentary babble of gibberish) the good lord because he held my hand from taking my life!"

After a demonstration of contorting frenzy, the testifier, overcome by exhaustion, tottered back to his seat.

He was followed by two more witnesses who testified to their faith on the platform and a dozen others who spoke from their places in the audience. Then the congregation gradually worked up its frantic religious feeling. During the testimony of the witnesses, frequently interrupted by shouts of "Glory to God!" or "Amen!" from some recess of the dim enclosure, the weaker of the men and most of the women gradually gave way to their mental stress and burst forth in wild shrieks of praise for the Deity or protestations of hate for the devil.

At a moment when the mental disturbance of these devotees threatened to burst forth in a fury, a 14-year-old girl made her way to the organ at the right of the altar and quelled the rumbling manifestations by starting to sing strains of "I Am a Sinner Saved by Grace." Before the first stanza was finished by the child, to her own accompaniment, the maddened worshippers had ceased their incoherent babbling and all joined in.

Preacher Stirs Up Frenzy.

When the echoes of the hymn had died away and the audience was quiet, the fluent preacher stepped to the platform and after reading a text from a missal, he, too, denounced Satan and his machinations, all of which tended to rekindle the flickering fires of religious frenzy in the minds of his hearers. Concluding, he beseeched his flock to prepare for the time when the Lord would vent his ire upon the wickedness of the world by sending down tongues of fire to annihilate it. The well-chosen words painted vividly the coming of a wrathful Deity, bent on destruction. Overcome by fear of such a catastrophe as pictured by the preacher, women shrieked, men moaned, begged, sobbed and praised.

Then talking to the sinners, the preacher requested all the unrighteous among his listeners who desired prayers to rise to their feet. A dozen or more, with repentance apparently written on their features, obeyed the command. Slowly and fearfully and with faltering steps the repentants approached the rostrum and kneeled before the altar. Then a tumult broke loose. The "divine saints" sank to their knees, placing their hands upon the heads of the penitents and prayed loudly and lustily to the Deity to send down power that they might see the light and be "sanctified." Gesticulations, shouts, shrieks, cries, sobs, tears and unintelligible utterances by the entire congregation mingled with the prayers and pleas of the "divine saints."

For hours did this rabble, in which hoary-headed men, wrinkled women, young and middle-aged men and women, girls and children groveled side by side, continue this strange and turbulent demonstration. Women mounted stools to tell of their thankfulness, or, overcome by hysteria, fell headlong to the ground to be beaten into additional insensibility by repeated blows to drive the "evil spirit" from out of them.

And yet they were happy.

CHURCH MEETING IS ON

FRIENDS IN ANNUAL GATHERING AT NEWBERG.

By Unanimous Vote It Is Decided to Turn Over Alaska Missionary Work to American Board.

NEWBERG, Or., July 24.—(Special.)—The 17th gathering of Oregon's yearly meeting of the Friends Church is now in session in Newberg with business meetings each morning and afternoon, and devotional services at night. These annual gatherings are made up of delegates and other interested members of the various local branches comprising this body of church-workers scattered throughout Oregon, Idaho and a part of Washington. The principal clerk this year is Harvey D. Crumly, with Mrs. R. W. Smith recording clerk, Mrs. Mable Douglas, reading clerk, and J. Ray Pemberton, announcing clerk.

Professor Charles E. Tebbetts, who is the secretary of the Friends American Board of Foreign Missions, is present from Richmond, Ind., and is giving daily talks on the different phases of missionary work, which is having the effect of arousing unusual interest along missionary lines.

By unanimous vote the yearly meeting today decided to turn the missionary work it has been carrying on in Alaska over to the American Board. Other ministers in attendance from other fields are Josiah Dillinson, of Indiana; Edgar L. Requa, of Indiana; Rebecca Naylor, of Berkeley, Cal.; Nannie M. Arnold, of Whittier, Cal.; Marion N. Cox and Esther Cook, of Indiana.

Edgar T. Hole, a returned missionary from South Africa, is also present and has given much valuable information regarding the work in that field. At the afternoon session today the interests of Pacific College were considered and following an inspiring lecture by Professor Tebbetts, a subscription was taken for yearly payments covering a period of five years for the maintenance and better equipment of the college. A large subscription was secured, and the canvass will be continued with a view of securing an amount sufficient to put the college on a better financial footing.

CORPORATIONS MUST PAY

Full Amount Asked by Lumber Company Granted by Jury.

Judgement for $3500, the full amount sued for, was returned by a jury in the United States Court Friday in favor of the Buck Creek Lumber Company, of White Salmon, Wash., against the National Union Fire Insurance Company, of Pittsburg, Pa. The lumber company sued to recover the amount of insurance covered in a policy carried with the defendant company because of the destruction of its property by fire last Fall. The case was submitted to the jury at 4:30 o'clock Thursday afternoon. The verdict, which was reached at 6 o'clock that afternoon, was sealed and reported into court at 10 o'clock yesterday morning. John H. Hall and Jesse Stearns appeared as attorneys for the lumber company, while the insurance company was represented by W. C. Bristol.

VETERANS MEET AUGUST 7

Spanish War Soldiers Will Hold Encampment.

Seneca Fouts, department commander of the Spanish-American War Veterans of Oregon, has issued an order for the annual meeting of all the state camps, to be held in Portland at the Armory, August 7 and 8.

The first day of the encampment will be given over to business sessions, during which officers will be elected for one year, and various reports will be read. At this time also, delegates will be elected to the National encampment to be held in Tacoma, September 8, 9 and 10. The second day will be taken up with social events.

GREAT OPEN-AIR MEETING

London Turns Out 500,000 in Favor of Lloyd-George's Budget.

LONDON, July 24.—No Hyde Park demonstration of recent years has been able to boast of such an array of members of Parliament as spoke this afternoon from the platforms erected in London's great open-air meeting place in support of Chancellor of the Exchequer Lloyd-George's budget.

The crowd in the park approximated 500,000 people.

Wifebeater Promises to Behave.

SEASIDE, Or., July 24.—(Special.)—Frank Madden, notorious in Seaside for his drinking, wife-beating proclivities, swore to an affidavit before Justice Brallier yesterday, in which he promised to leave his wife absolutely alone. He was warned by Mr. Brallier that any infraction of the promises in that affidavit would result in his arrest and prosecution.

Two New Steel Bridges.

CENTRALIA, Wash., July 24.—(Special.)—Lewis County Commissioners have ordered two new steel bridges, one to be placed across Silver Creek near Randle, in the Big Bottoms, the other to span the Newakum on the road from Chehalis to Alpha, in the central part of the county.

COAST TRADE BIG

Fleet of Coming and Going Steamers Is Heavy.

SUMMER TRAVEL AT HEIGHT

Six Vessels Reach Port With General Cargo and Three Sail—Increase in Business Noted All Along Line.

Six coasting steamships sailed from Portland yesterday and three arrived making a total of nine arrivals and departures for the day. All were regularly engaged in ordinary trade and the movement of so large a fleet in one day failed to attract any particular attention on the waterfront. The increase in the coasting trade has been so gradual that people regularly engaged in handling the business of the port have failed to remark on such heavy shipments.

The total tonnage represented by the craft which moved yesterday is 15,616 net, having a carrying capacity of more than 8000 tons of cargo. With the exception of the steamship Asuncion, which is engaged in the fuel oil trade, the vessels all carried general cargo. With the exception of the Eureka and Alliance all operate between Portland and San Francisco. The names of the vessels which arrived at and sailed from Portland yesterday follow:

Sailed, State of California, Alliance, Northland, F. S. Loop, Eureka, Asuncion. Arrived, Majestic, Daisy, Shoshone.

STEAMER INTELLIGENCE.

Due to Arrive.

Name.	From.	Date.
Henrik Ibsen	Hongkong	In port
Sue H. Elmore	Tillamook	In port
Breakwater	Coos Bay	July 25
Roanoke	San Pedro	July 25
Argo	Tillamook	July 26
Rose City	San Francisco	July 26
Alliance	Coos Bay	July 29
Eureka	Eureka	July 31
State of Cal	San Francisco	Aug. 3
Falcon	San Francisco	Aug. 10
Selja	Hongkong	Oct. 1

Scheduled to Depart.

Name.	For.	Date.
Sue H. Elmore	Tillamook	July 27
Roanoke	San Pedro	July 27
Breakwater	Coos Bay	July 28
Argo	Tillamook	July 28
Alliance	Coos Bay	July 31
Rose City	San Francisco	July 31
Eureka	Eureka	Aug. 1
Henrik Ibsen	Hongkong	Aug. 4
State of Cal	San Francisco	Aug. 7
Falcon	San Francisco	Aug. 13
Selja	Hongkong	Oct. 10

Entered Saturday.

Asuncion, Am. steamship (Bridgett), with fuel oil, from San Francisco.

Eureka, Am. steamship (Noren), with general cargo, from Eureka and Coos.

Majestic, Am. steamship (Andressen), with ballast, from San Francisco.

Cleared Saturday.

Asuncion, Am. steamship (Bridgett), with ballast, for San Francisco.

Eureka, Am. steamship (Noren), with general cargo, for Eureka and Coos Bay.

Northland, Am. steamship (Erickson), with 850,000 feet of lumber, for San Francisco.

AMIRAL CECILIE CHARTERED

French Ship Taken by Kerr, Gifford & Co. for Portland Loading.

Kerr, Gifford & Co. have chartered the French ship Amiral Cecilie, 3293 tons, to load wheat at Portland for the United Kingdom. The vessel is now outward bound from Port Adelaide for Taltal. She will come north in ballast and should be on hand for December loading.

It was reported yesterday that three other craft had been taken for Portland but there was no confirmation of the rumor. Chartering has been light recently but with the movement of new crop a number of vessels will be added to the list. It is understood that owners are looking for better than 27s 6d, for vessels available for November and December.

Steamer Telephone Off Drydock.

After being caulked and painted and given a general overhauling on the drydock, the steamer Telephone was brought up to Portland yesterday where the final touches will be put on her prior to leaving for San Francisco. The Telephone was recently purchased by the Western Pacific Railroad Company for service on the Sacramento River. She will be towed south from Portland.

Steerage Passenger Badly Hurt.

ASTORIA, Or., July 24.—(Special.)—While the steamer State of California was en route down the river this afternoon, Frank Evans, one of the steerage passengers, who was sitting on the hatch, was struck by a heavy coil of wire that fell from a pile and one of his ribs was broken. The man's injuries were dressed here and he left out on the steamer.

Fish Net Disables Steamer.

ASTORIA, Or., July 24.—(Special.)—While returning from Fort Canby last night the Quartermaster Department steamer Captain Anton Springer fouled a gill net, which wound around her propellor and disabled her. The steamer was towed to the city by the launch Pilot and placed on the beach to have her propeller cleared.

Tug Arrives With Coal Barge.

ASTORIA, Or., July 24.—(Special.)—The Sound tug Goliah arrived in this morning, having in tow the barge Hayden Brown with 1200 tons of coal for this port.

Marine Notes.

The steamship Argo will be due to arrive from Tillamook tomorrow.

The steamship Breakwater is due to arrive this afternoon from Coos Bay ports.

For San Francisco in ballast, the oiltank steamship Asuncion sailed at midnight.

The steamship Eureka sailed for Eureka and Coos Bay last evening with passengers and freight.

From Tillamook Bay the steamship Sue H. Elmore is due to arrive at an early hour this morning.

For Coos Bay ports with passengers and freight the steamship Alliance sailed last evening at 8 o'clock.

The steam schooner Majestic arrived up at 9:30 o'clock yesterday morning with ballast from San Francisco.

Carrying 850,000 feet of lumber and a large number of passengers the steam schooner Northland sailed yesterday.

With capacity cargo and every berth occupied, the steamship State of California sailed yesterday for San Francisco.

Mrs. David Nicoll, wife of Captain Nicoll, of the British bark Gulf Stream, will arrive in Portland Thursday to join her husband.

Arrivals and Departures.

PORTLAND, July 24.—Arrived—Steamship Majestic, from San Francisco; steamship Daisy, from San Francisco; steamship Shoshone, from San Francisco. Sailed—Steamship State of California, for San Francisco; steamship Alliance, for Coos Bay; steamship Northland, for San Francisco; steamship F. S. Loop, for San Francisco; steamship Eureka, for Eureka and Coos; steamship Asuncion, for San Francisco.

Astoria, July 24.—Wind, south, 22 miles; weather, cloudy; sea, smooth. Sailed at 7:40 A. M., steamer Cascade, for San Francisco. Arrived at 7:40 A. M., tug Goliath and bark Hayden Brown, from Puget Sound. Arrived at 10 A. M., steamer Sue Elmore, from Tillamook. Arrived down at 11:30, steamer Falcon. Arrived down at 4 P. M., steamer State of California. Sailed at 10:15 A. M., tug Vosburg, with barge Nehalem, for Tillamook. Sailed at 4:50 P. M., German bark Schwarzenbek, for Port Natal.

San Francisco, July 24.—Sailed at noon, steamer Rose City, for Portland. Arrived at 5 A. M., steamer Geo. W. Elder, from Portland.

Tides at Astoria Sunday.

High.	Low.
6:08 A. M....5.8 feet	0:22 A. M....2.4 feet
6:27 P. M....7.8 feet	11:50 A. M....2.6 feet

Too Busy to Build City Hall.

CENTRALIA, Wash., July 24.—(Special.)—Centralia would like to build a new city hall, but her officials are too busy with municipal improvement work now under way to give the matter their attention. That was the substance of a report of a committee of the City Council which had been appointed to look into the matter.

Walla Walla Gets Convention.

MILTON, Or., July 24.—(Special.)—S. A. Miller, manager of the Milton Nursery Company, returned Tuesday from Seattle and Portland. While in Seattle Mr. Miller attended the annual convention of the Pacific Coast Nurserymen's Association. Through Mr. Miller's influence the convention will be brought to Walla Walla.

Woman's Leg Broken.

LEBANON, Or., July 24.—(Special.)—Mrs. George W. Goodman while washing windows at her home in this city today, was standing on the top of a nail keg, the head of which gave away. She fell into the keg, and broke her right leg below the knee.

Confine Women to One District.

SPOKANE, July 24.—A lively beginning of the effort to herd all disorderly characters into the new restricted district adjoining the City Hall was made today when 58 women were sentenced to serve 10 days in jail. These women were caught last night in a raid outside the restricted district.

Cooper to Lecture at Eugene.

UNIVERSITY OF OREGON, Eugene, July 24.—(Special.)—Frank B. Cooper, superintendent of the Seattle public schools, will begin a series of lectures before the University of Oregon Summer school next Monday forenoon. His lectures will form part of a series of addresses before the Summer school by prominent educators of Oregon and Washington.

The Sad Fate of the Weak Man

If you are weak, you not only endure all the physical torture of the disease itself, but you suffer from the consciousness that your strength is gradually but surely waning away. The horrors of this thought increase as your weakness grows. It has been correctly estimated that one man in every four is afflicted with some form of vital weakness. This weakness taps the very fountain source of life. It is ever persistent, drawing continually on the resources of bodily strength, until the victim becomes a total wreck, or, happily, avails himself of the CERTAIN CURE I offer. My treatment is his only hope. It is to me one of the most pathetic of thoughts that there are thousands of afflicted men, suffering all the ravages of weakness, who may never hear of the hope I offer in my treatment, and must therefore continue to suffer on in utter despair until the end. Then you who know of my treatment, will you, too, continue to suffer when I offer you a positive and lasting cure? Knowing of my treatment and the certain cure assured you in its application, it is up to you to avail yourself of it and once more enjoy the full vigor of health.

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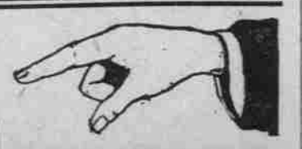

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In the Saturday Evening Post of July 7th, Mr. Isaac Marcosson, speaking of trust methods of retailers, describes how every applicant for a position as clerk in the institution under discussion must undergo a thorough medical examination. The reason given for this is that every sound man is worth building up in business, while the weak or diseased man is not.

A man who is ill or weak cannot be perpetually cheerful, and a good clerk or successful business man must be. Besides it takes time to impart business methods to beginners, and if their health is such as to contract colds or debility from slight exposure, it is a question of only a short time till the individual will have to go to bed or lay off from work at the expense of all the time and efforts to develop his usefulness.

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