

CHINESE WEDDING IS DELAYED FOR LICENSE

Lee B. Brown, of Astoria, After Hours of Scourrying, Takes Pretty Sarah Lee as His Bride.



Mr. And Mrs. Lee B. Brown. The wedding of Mrs. Lee B. Brown, the sixth daughter of Mrs. Lee J. Lee, and Lee Brown, the son of Wong Lee, a merchant of Astoria, decided to be married at the bride's home, 217 Harrison street, Portland, last Sunday. They had invited all the guests and engaged the minister, but had forgotten one important detail, namely, the license.

RURAL CREDITS LAWS MOVEMENT PROMISING

Only Recently Has Question Become Understood and Every Citizen Is Urged by Hector Macpherson to Support Idea.

By Hector Macpherson. The first National conference on marketing and farm credits. It was promoted, as we have seen, by a syndicate of agricultural papers. By the time the second National conference assembled, the leaves brought over by the American Commission had begun to turn. The result was shown in a conference much better than the first.

Three men interested in rural credits. Clarence Ousley, John L. Coulter, David Lubin. The Institute was an American idea, conceived in the brain of David Lubin, a citizen of California. It was due to Lubin's energy that the International Institute received the support of the Government of the United States, and began at once to move in its stream of literature through our mails.

CLEARANCE SALE

Every Article in the Store Reduced!

Men's and Women's Apparel cut to prices that mean quick disposal of all Winter merchandise. In all departments you will find wonderful specials, but note these few items for Christmas week only.

60 LADIES' COATS, Values to \$20.00 \$11.00

40 LADIES' GABARDINES AND RAINCOATS, Values to \$20.00 \$9.00

60 LADIES' TAILORED SUITS, Values to \$18.00 \$7.50

Waists Reduced Hats Reduced Skirts Reduced Furs Reduced

In fact, all our high-grade merchandise, that leads all others for style and quality.

43 MEN'S DOUBLE-BREASTED SUITS, Values to \$32.50 \$17.75

50 MEN'S RAINCOATS, Values to \$24.00 \$16.50

25 MEN'S HOUSE COATS, \$7.00 to \$10.00 Values \$5.95

MEN'S \$1.00 TIES, SPECIAL 80¢ Your choice of our finer ties—rich, beautiful patterns in heavy silks.

Broken Lines of Men's Wool Underwear, \$1.50-\$1.25 Vals 85¢

Fine wool garments so needful at this season. Special, this week only. 85¢

Credit Your Privilege



405 Washington St. at Tenth

Visit our store and take advantage of the legitimate reductions that prevail. Make use of your charge account and buy at a saving.

CHARITIES FUND \$4000

RELATED CONTRIBUTIONS ARE EXPECTED TO SWELL AMOUNT.

Christmas Cheer Is Dispensed to Families Not Reached Before With Provision Baskets.

The Associated Charities was open all forenoon yesterday attending to the Christmas needs of the families under its care. That had not received Christmas baskets on the preceding day, and receiving the related contributions to its relief fund, the campaign for which had closed Friday night.

Colleges Meet Demand. Even the most conservative agricultural colleges are meeting the new demands by offering courses in farm accounting and rural economics. In several colleges the experiment of launching an extension division are launching into the problems of tenancy, marketing and rural organization.

Leaders Are Named. Among the leaders in the work is Clarence Ousley, a member of the United States commission which studied farm business methods in Europe.

Department First Criticized. During the first National conference the United States Department of Agriculture came in for a deal of criticism. The office of markets was then in its infancy. Today they know that our problems can only be solved by keen thinking and hard work.

THREE MEN INTERESTED IN RURAL CREDITS.



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STOLEN CAR IS SHOT AT

Patrolman Later Finds Auto That Joyriders Abandoned.

Two shots were fired in the wake of a joy-riding party at Thirty-ninth and Division streets by Patrolman Shoemaker early yesterday morning, when he recognized the machine as one reported stolen. Half an hour later he found the automobile at East Sherman and Thirty-seventh streets, where it had been abandoned by the occupants.

Oratorio's Concert Tomorrow.

The final rehearsal of the Portland Oratorio Society chorus, singing choruses from Handel's "Messiah," takes place at the First Presbyterian Church tomorrow night at 7:45 o'clock.

Prisoner Has Rich Bracelet.

A gold linked bracelet set with five diamonds was found in the possession of Richard Stanton, who was arrested Saturday by Detectives Swensen and Moloney.

PORTLAND ROLL LARGE

62 STUDENTS ATTEND NORMAL FROM METROPOLIS.

Athletics and Literary Societies Get Some of Time Not Devoted to Study of School Methods.

MONMOUTH, Or., Dec. 25.—(Special.)—Portland sends 62 students to the Oregon Normal School, more than one-sixth of the total enrollment of 355, and with the beginning of each new semester the proportion of students from that city increases, the registrar's books indicate.

MAN'S ABSENCE CONTINUES

Oregon City Relatives Seek Trace of Louis Martell.

Hope that Louis Martell, who has been missing from his home in Oregon City for more than a week, would appear by Christmas day or some trace of him be found, was unavailing up to last night. His relatives continued the search, but had discovered no clew.

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TOBACCO

Just purchased two large stocks of Smoking and Chewing Tobacco, also some Cigarettes, that we will sell at very low prices.

- 15c Fatima Cigarettes 10¢
5c Cigarettes, 3 packages 10¢
10c Chewing and Smoking Tobacco, 4 for 25¢
5c Chewing and Smoking Tobacco, 3 for 10¢
\$2.50 box of 25 Cigars 90¢
50c Spearhead Chewing Tobacco, per lb 35¢

GROCERIES

- \$5.20 Barrel Flour \$4.65
5 pounds Pink Beans 28¢
4 pounds White Beans 25¢
10c can Kipperd Herring 5¢
10c Condensed Milk 5¢
10c Washing Powder 5¢
5c package Salt 3¢
15c Red Salmon 9¢

Thousands of other bargains in Groceries, Paints, Hardware, Ladies' and Gents' Furnishing Goods.

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