

PROHIBITION CRISIS HERE, SAYS WOLFF

Leigh Colvin Speaks in Library Hall.

WETS POLITICAL VICTORS

To Enforce Liquor Law, Administration Is Necessary, Declares Vice-Presidential Candidate.

This is the most critical period in the whole history of the prohibition movement, said Dr. Leigh Colvin, candidate for vice-president on the prohibition ticket, in an address in the library hall last night, before 60 prohibitionists.

The wets are winning in politics, which is the agency for the control of the government. The constitution is not self-enforcing. To bring about the solution of the liquor problem, we not only need legislation but administration.

Statesmanship Held Need. A quality of statesmanship is needed for the officers of the government as never before, he said. The prohibition party has had a record of statesmanship. In the last 11 years four amendments to the constitution have been ratified and this party was the first of any political party to incorporate all of these measures in its platform. It was the pioneer in the advocacy of the civil service reform, the parcel post, child labor legislation.

Our party advocated woman suffrage in its first platform in 1872. This party advocated the idea which was the forerunner of the league of nations. The time is past when the United States can hold aloof from the affairs of the world.

Liquor Return Fought. Mr. Colvin characterized the platform of the prohibition party as a "comprehensive platform of vision and humanity." He said that he believed prohibition was coming with a more insistent message now than ever before, because the party is fighting the return of the liquor traffic.

If we have ever needed a great moral leader at the head of our nation it is now, when the world writhes in trouble, he declared. "It is time to dedicate ourselves to this important question now. We should adopt the slogan of the French and say: 'They shall not pass.'"

Mrs. Adam Wallace Unruh introduced the speaker. Dr. Esther Pohl Lovejoy spoke briefly, stating that she would stand for the enforcement of the Volstead act, since she considered it fundamental. William F. Amos presided at last night's meeting.

CHURCH RESENTS TALK

WORDS OF LABOR DELEGATE CAUSE OFFENSE.

Church Declared Farther From Working People Today Than Christ Was in His Time.

OLYMPIA, Wash., Sept. 11.—(Special.)—Members of the Puget sound conference of the Methodist church today expressed resentment of what they termed a violation of the privilege of the floor of the conference extended James Duncan of Seattle, who appeared yesterday as a fraternal delegate from the labor party. Duncan said the church is farther removed from the working people today than Christ was removed from the working people of his time; also, if Abraham Lincoln were alive today he would be put in jail. He declared that Christ today would block prosecution of the I. W. W. and other organizations and argued that labor and the church do not understand each other. Fred Chamberlain of Puyallup also spoke as a representative of the fringe.

The morning session was devoted to a business meeting. Dr. E. Crowther, reporting for the committee on education, asked the conference for \$100,000 for the college of Puget sound.

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FLIERS GIVEN UP AS LOST

Search for Plane That Disappeared in Clouds Is Abandoned.

HONOLULU, T. H., Sept. 11.—Search for Lieutenant E. R. Fox of New York city and Corporal H. J. Cornet of Spencer, Pa., of the army aviation corps at Luke field, in the islands, who were last seen in their land plane diving into a cloud bank over the island of Molokai two weeks ago, has been abandoned.

Lieutenant Fox's plane, accompanied by a second army airplane, was on a reconnaissance flight over Molokai, when it ran into a bank of clouds. The companion machine circled the clouds and then looked for the missing fliers, but they never were seen again. Aviators here believe Lieutenant Fox either lost his sense of balance and crashed in the Molokai hills or lost his sense of direction and flew out to sea.

OPIUM CASE CONTINUED

Much Traffic in Drug at Alaskan Cannery Is Charged.

Efforts to place the blame for alleged traffic in opium among laborers at the Kwong Yuen cannery in Nakhai, Alaska, before United States Commissioner Drake yesterday were not entirely successful, and the case was continued to Monday. Defendants were Wong Cheung Ping, Lum Ning and Sid Long. Wong Chee was discharged.

SCOTTI GRAND OPERA STARS TO APPEAR IN PORTLAND

Full Company of Artists, Including 40 Members of Chorus, and Orchestras of 35 Pieces, Coming to Hellig Theater From New York City.

WHEN the Scotti Grand Opera company appears in this city September 30, October 1 and 2, at the Hellig theater, under the direction of Steers & Coman and the Elwyn Concert bureau, music lovers and grand opera "fans" will have the opportunity of hearing many of the famous grand opera artists who are among the singers at the Metropolitan opera-house in New York.

Nineteen of the 23 artists with the Scotti company are members of that organization in New York, and are among those who have received the plaudits of discriminating New York audiences, and have risen to fame during the past few seasons. Gennaro Papi and Carlo Peroni will be the conductors for the orchestra.

The repertoire for the engagement will be as follows: Thursday, September 30—"Tosca," with Scotti, Easton and Chalmers. Friday, October 1—"Lohengrin," with Harrold, Sundelius, Martini, Rothler, Roselle, Kingstons, Pappas.

Perhaps the most versatile of all the sopranos is, in the opinion of Gatt-Casazza, Florence Easton, who will be heard with the Scotti Grand Opera company on September 30, the opening night.

The great impresario of the Metropolitan opera-house says further that not only is Florence Easton the best soprano he has ever heard in the Metropolitan during his regime, but that her repertoire is wonderful. A vocal equipment second to none, in addition to the highest order and a most charming personality, Miss Easton is possessed of great personal

charm and beauty. She will be heard here in "Tosca."

Singly are the principal singers of the Scotti company members of the Metropolitan company, but the chorus of 40 and orchestra of 35 are recruited from the same company. The scenery and effects were built in the studio of the famous Broadway house.

duced time of opium which they said they had seen the Chinese trying to throw away. One was found in the luggage of Wong Duck.

Alec Shepherd, a witness, testified he had purchased about \$100 worth of opium at the company store, operated by Wong Ping, James Scott, a negro, told of having a Chinaman buy it for him three times, but said the stuff brought him no dreams and he decided he didn't care for any more. Petro Torrens told of seeing the cook weighing out opium on the boat.

WIVES CHARGE CRUELTY

E. L. DAVIS IMITATES SHOOTING SELF, SAYS COMPLAINT.

Mrs. Tudor Says Mate Accused Her of Preparing to See Men When She Bought Dress.

Hugh S. Tudor, rancher and stockman of Harney county, is sued for divorce in an action filed in the circuit court yesterday by Mrs. Agnes M. Tudor, who complains of cruel treatment extending over a period of five years. Mrs. Tudor asks for a settlement of property interests which include lands in Malheur and Harney counties, 400 sheep, 25,000 pounds of wool, a warehouse, 60 cattle, 65 horses, farm equipment, household goods, etc.

Since their marriage in Harney County, May 13, 1906, Mrs. Tudor complains she has never been able to dress well or to be treated as a woman by her husband of preparing to meet other men. There are two children, Vernon, 13, and Iona Pearl, 11.

As the termination of a quarrel about three years ago, Elton L. Davis took a revolver from a dresser drawer, went into the yard of his residence, fired it into the air and laid down in the grass pretending that he was dead in order to frighten his wife, asserts Mrs. Eunice May Davis in a divorce action filed. She had nervous prostration as a result, she asserts. She complains that she has had to work and help support her husband and two children since her marriage in 1911.

Other divorce suits filed yesterday were: Lulu against John Wyatt, Joseph E. against Harriet A. Santore, Eva against W. L. Kurtz and Carrie B. against William H. Murchison.

ANNIVERSARY IS TODAY

BATTLE OF ST. MIHIEL WAS FOUGHT TWO YEARS AGO.

Oregon Troops to Commemorate Historic Drive That Lasted for Three Days.

Today is the second anniversary of the battle of St. Mihiel, that decisive engagement of the world war, when American troops attacked German fortifications in the St. Mihiel salient.

Oregon troops, whose fortune it was to be widely scattered as replacements, made up a part of those divisions who, in the early morning of September 12, 1918, rushed the German lines. Men in the first division, 42d, 89th, second, fourth, fifth, 26th, 30th, 42d and the 13th formed a line with French colonial troops and during the morning hours plunged through 15 villages and the important center of this court. In the afternoon the 29th, 43d and first had advanced farther than any of the other divisions making the attack. The drive continued until it reached its height, September 15, and by September 18 had subsided, the enemy being conquered.

The main objective was Metz. Villages fell before the sweeping troops, Americans on the one hand and a few French colonialists on the other end of the line.

Many Oregon men won recognition in the now famous drive. It was the "battle of Americans," a decisive factor in hastening the armistice. Members of the American Legion are today commemorating the event.

Pheasants Cause Trouble.

Activities of Chinese pheasants in the vicinity of vegetable gardens in the Park Rose district are worrying both the would-be farmers and State Game Warden Bughuff. The birds, who seem very choicely about their diet, have been stripping corn, pecking out a few grains from each ear and leaving the remainder in an unmarketable condition. Damage from this source is on a growing scale and an investigation has been put on foot to see if a remedy cannot be found.

Roosevelt Dates Announced.

CHICAGO, Sept. 11.—The following speaking dates were announced at republican headquarters today for Lieutenant-Colonel Theodore Roosevelt and Raymond Robbins: Salt Lake City, September 13; Butte, Mont., September 14; Billings, Mont., September 15, and Sheridan, Wyo., September 16.



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REED COLLEGE TO OPEN

MANY NEW NAMES ARE ADDED TO SCHOOL'S FACULTY.

Dr. Lawrence Edmonds Griffin Secured to Occupy the Chair of Biology.

Reed college opens its door tomorrow with a strong faculty, an exceedingly bright financial outlook and all signs pointing to a year of growth and achievement. Through the efforts of Dr. A. A. Knowlton, acting for the board of regents, nearly a dozen names have been added to the faculty staff, several of them educators of national reputation.

Dr. Knowlton returned Saturday after a six weeks' trip through the east and middle west and, judging by his success, Reed's prestige in the educational world and the available finances form a combination that cannot be resisted.

New department heads who will enroll students Monday are Dr. Ralph K. Strong, professor of chemistry, who was formerly head of the department of chemical engineering at the Oregon Agricultural college; Dr. Thomas P. Baldwin, professor of English, who last year directed the English work of the South Dakota State college, and Dr. Gardner Cheney Bassett, professor of psychology, who was last year assistant professor at Leland Stanford university.

Dr. Lawrence Edmonds Griffin of the University of Pittsburg, who will fill the chair of biology at Reed, will not arrive in Portland until October, and through the courtesy of the University of Oregon Dr. Harry Beal Torrey, until this year head of the Reed department, will open and direct biology courses until the arrival of his successor.

4 HURT IN AUTO CRASH

Car Turns Turtle as Party Is En Route to Weiser, Idaho.

BOISE, Idaho, Sept. 11.—(Special.)—Captain George F. Smith, Peter Anderson, Mrs. Pearl McClung and Mrs. Harvey Short, all of Boise, are in a hospital at Caldwell, under treatment for injuries received this morning at 3 o'clock, when the automobile in which they were riding turned turtle on the state highway some eight miles from this city.

Mr. Anderson is the only one of the party who is considered to be injured seriously, and if brain concussion does not develop from injuries received upon his head he will recover. Three of Captain Smith's ribs are broken. Mrs. McClung's hip and back are severely bruised while Mrs. Short is badly bruised. The party was en route to Weiser, where they had been invited as the guests of the Women's Relief corps of that city. The women were driving.

NEW HALL IS TO GO UP

Building to Take Place of One Erected 70 Years Ago.

SALEM, Or., Sept. 11.—(Special.)—St. Joseph's hall, erected nearly 70 years ago by Father Leopold Dellman, is in the hands of wreckers, and will be replaced by a modern structure costing in the neighborhood of \$50,000.

When completed the new building will be known as St. Joseph's hall and will be utilized as a school for boys. Several rooms in the structure will be reserved for the Knights of Columbus and other Catholic societies. The building will be constructed of stone and will be ready for occupancy next spring, according to announcement made by Father J. R. Buck today.

AVIATORS ARE ASSIGNED

Fire Patrol Airmen Ordered to Go to Camp Lewis.

EUGENE, Or., Sept. 11.—A group of army aviators stationed in Eugene during the past summer on forest fire patrol duty has been assigned for duty at Camp Lewis, Wash., where the fliers will pass several weeks directing game in artillery practices. In the group will be Cadets Walker, Woodgett, Hoyer and De Garmo, who will be under the direction of Lieutenant Gardner.

Major H. H. Arnold, in command of the airplane section of the western division of the army, left in a De Havilland plane this morning on his return to San Francisco after having spent several days here on inspection.

Producers Elect Mr. Maris.

OREGON AGRICULTURAL COLLEGE, Corvallis, Sept. 11.—(Special.)—Paul V. Maris, director of college extension work, has been appointed a director of the Pacific Co-operative Poultry Producers. He believes the association is entitled to the moral backing of the college, and has accepted as an opportunity to further the important poultry industry of the state.

Advertisement for Patrick Wool Garments for Outdoor Men. Features an illustration of two men in heavy wool clothing. Text includes: 'Bigger than Weather', 'Wool Garments for Outdoor Men', 'PATRICK Garments possess extra worth and quality because Patrick controls every manufacturing process—from raw wool to finished garments.', 'There is no other cloth just like Patrick Cloth. It is as distinctive to America as are friezes to Ireland, chevits to Scotland and tweeds to England. It is made from the thick, long-fibre north country wool from "sheep that thrive in the snow."', 'It is manufactured exclusively in Patrick woolen mills and made up into garments in Patrick factories.', 'When buying Mackinaw, Sweater, Greatcoat or other wool product, look for the Patrick green and black label. It is a sure identification of all Patrick Pure Wool Products.', 'If your dealer does not handle them we will gladly refer you to one who does.', 'Write for our handsome 1920-21 catalog showing styles for men, women and boys, also Patrick-Duluth fabrics in natural colors.', 'PATRICK-DULUTH WOOLEN MILLS, Sole Manufacturers of both Cloth and Garments, Duluth, Minnesota.

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PRUNE PRICE LIST IS OUT

OREGON GROWERS' ASSOCIATION FIXES FIGURES.

Schedule as Announced Runs From 7 to 15 Cents Pound for This Year's Crop.

SALEM, Or., Sept. 11.—(Special.)—It has become known here today that at a meeting of officials of the Oregon Growers' Co-operative association Thursday schedule prices which the buying trade will be required to pay for prunes grown by association members were established.

There was a rumor, however, that some fruit was offered yesterday by local growers at prices showing a cut of one cent a pound on all figures in the schedule.

The schedule of pound prices fixed for prunes Thursday follow: 30-40s, 15 cents bulk basis, or 18 1/2 cents in boxes. 40-50s, 13 cents bulk basis, or 16 1/2 cents in boxes. 50-60s, 11 1/2 cents bulk basis, or 14 1/2 cents in boxes. 60-70s, 10 cents bulk basis, or 12 1/2 cents in boxes. 70-80s, 9 cents bulk basis, or 10 1/2 cents in boxes. 80-90s, 8 cents bulk basis, or 9 1/2 cents in boxes. 90-100s, 7 cents bulk basis, or 7 1/2 cents in boxes.

Notwithstanding the rumored cut of one cent from this schedule yesterday, it is said the trade is still holding off, expecting the price to go still lower. Presumably the buyers believe that as the prune harvest approaches the growers will be more anxious to sell and at lower figures.

The Growers' Co-operative association controls the largest acreage of prunes in Oregon and Clark county, Washington.

Contractors Under Fire.

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 11.—Indictments, conviction under which might

involve penalties of six months to one year in prison or a fine of from \$50 to \$5000 or both fine and imprisonment, may be returned against certain San Francisco contractors accused of entering into a conspiracy

to keep up building costs here, Judge L. M. Golden, assistant district attorney, announced here today.

Inquiry into the alleged conspiracy was started by the county grand jury last night.

Changes in Schedule Spokane, Portland & Seattle Railway

ON AND AFTER SUNDAY, SEPT. 12TH

PORTLAND-SPOKANE LINE

Local train No. 6, leaving Portland 7:35 A. M., will terminate at Fallbridge instead of Lyle, making additional stops at Granddalls, Spedis and Avery.

Limited train No. 4, leaving Portland 9:15 A. M., will not stop at Granddalls, Spedis and Avery.

Local train No. 7 will start from Fallbridge instead of Lyle, leaving Fallbridge 1:45 P. M., Lyle 2:30 P. M. instead of 3:30, arrive Portland 5:50 P. M. instead of 6:55, making additional stops at Avery, Spedis and Granddalls.

Limited train No. 1, arriving Portland 7:45 P. M., will stop at non-scheduled stations west of Fallbridge to discharge passengers from east of Fallbridge, instead of from points east of Lyle.

PORTLAND-ASTORIA-CLATSOP BEACH LINE

Limited train No. 31, heretofore leaving Portland 2:00 P. M. Saturdays for Astoria and Clatsop Beach, and No. 30, leaving Seaside 6:05 P. M., Astoria 7:00, arriving Portland 10:15 Sundays, have already been discontinued.

Train No. 21 will leave Portland 7:20 A. M. instead of 7:05, arrive Astoria 11:35 instead of 11:20, and terminate at Astoria.

Train No. 25, leaving Portland 8:30 A. M., will make additional stops at Mayger, Kerry, Clifton and at points west of Astoria.

Train No. 24 will leave Astoria 4:00 P. M. instead of 4:50, arrive Portland 8:10 P. M. instead of 9:00. Will not run west of Astoria.

Train No. 32 will leave Seaside 5:25 P. M. instead of 6:40, Astoria 6:25 P. M. instead of 7:35, arrive Portland 9:50 P. M. instead of 10:50, making local stops west of Warrenton.

Train No. 26 will leave Rainier 7:00 A. M. instead of 7:35, arrive Portland 9:00 A. M. instead of 9:40.

Limited trains to and from Spokane and east use the Union Station; all other trains the North Bank Station. Further details may be obtained at ticket offices—CONSOLIDATED TICKET OFFICE, 3D AND WASHINGTON STS., NORTH BANK STATION, TENTH AND HOYT STS., UNION STATION, 6TH AND JOHNSON STS.

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