

COULDN'T SKIES
CUSHIER IN
MEETINGS

Convention of Women's
Clubs of Oregon Opens To-
day Under Auspicious Cir-
cumstances—La Grande
Entertains Royally.

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)
La Grande, Or., Nov. 11.—The first day of the convention of the Federation of Women's Clubs of Oregon is a perfect success. It is regular Indian summer weather. Practically every clubwoman in Union county is present.

The presence of Mrs. Dunaway, Mrs. Trumbull, Mrs. Ferris and Miss Montsomyer who arrived last night adds much to the pleasure of the delegates. The ladies of the city are entertaining the visitors at their homes.

The delegates are all being entertained at the homes of the La Grande women, who are vying with each other to dispense the most unbounded hospitality. The hostesses are serving breakfasts and dinners at home and all take luncheon together at a restaurant near the assembly hall. This gives the delegates a fine opportunity to become acquainted and saves much time to the convention.

The convention opened with an impressive invocation by Rev. S. S. Sisson of the First Presbyterian church of La Grande. The assembly sang America and was then welcomed by the mayor, Dr. Hall. The first order of business was the reading of the reports of the officers. It is an encouraging report showing a healthy growth of the organization, which is also in a good financial condition. Manager Taylor of the best sugar factory, sent word that Tuesday would be the last running day of the factory for the season, if the visitors wished to inspect the plant it must be before 6 p. m. Accordingly the president notified the convention that it would be called an hour later in the afternoon.

A Feep at the Factory.
Promptly at 12:30 p. m. carriages and automobiles were in waiting which took about seventy women out to see the interesting factory. The factory is a homely, ill-shaped beetle into sugar, white as snow. Manager Taylor was most courteous and everybody was a greater task, answering every question that it would be called an hour later in the afternoon.

Returned the trip was made around the ground selected by the La Grande women for a city park. It is an ideal spot and everybody wished these enterprising women success in their efforts. The committee reports were the first order of the afternoon and like the officers, these reports were most encouraging. One only needs to realize what club work means to the state when they hear of the many splendid things the women are doing. At the close of the committee reports Mrs. Alice Welster of Portland gave a beautiful address on "Amp to the Mother."

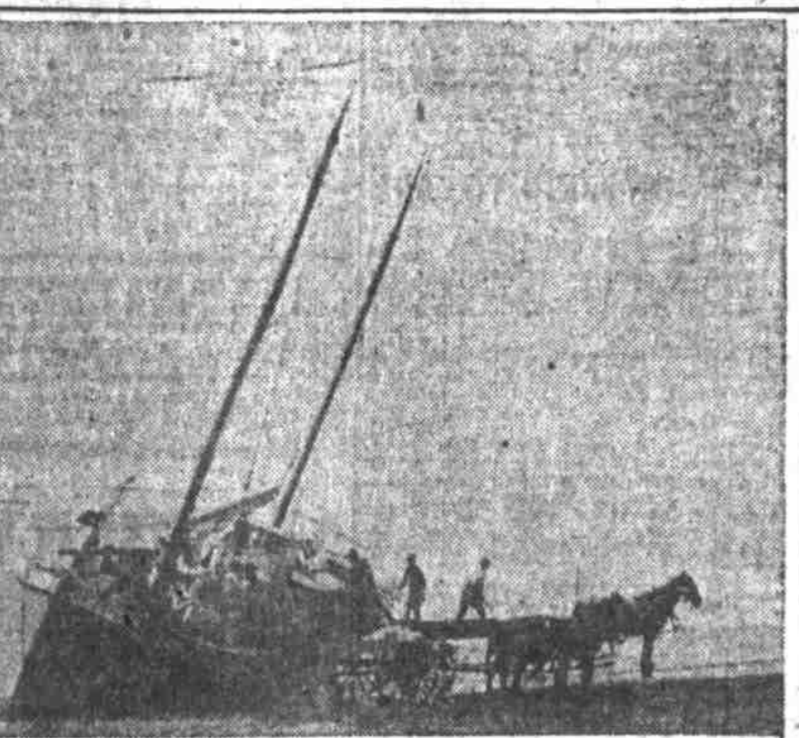
Recalled for Another Talk.
The assembly was so interested in it that when Mrs. Welster sat down the applause was so great the conventional order of business was not observed. She came back and talk again, and then for the third time some more. Several of the clubs asked for a copy of the address. She gave the same talk at their club during the winter.

Mrs. E. C. Moore of La Grande gave a talk on "What the Club Can Do for the Mother."
Mrs. Moore is the mother of six children and an enthusiastic clubwoman. She can speak with authority and she did. It was an address to inspire every woman present with the best in club life and in the home. A perfect ovation was tendered Mrs. Moore at the close of her address.

The evening reception at the Masonic temple was a brilliant affair and one of the handsomest social functions ever given in La Grande. Those in line were the presidents of the entertaining clubs, the chairman of the social committee and the officers of the federation. A fine orchestra discoursed exquisite music during the evening.

The press of La Grande is showing its appreciation of the convention by printing much space to the reports, printing many of them and the addresses in full, and sending complimentary copies to all the delegates.

Cast Ashore Near Rogue River



Gasoline Schooner Enterprise.
This picture shows the gasoline schooner Enterprise on the beach about a quarter of a mile south of the mouth of Rogue river, where she was cast up by a storm a few weeks ago. The craft belongs to D. Hunter, the Rogue river salmon king, and will be hauling ever a narrow spit into the river and there floated. The Enterprise went ashore in company with the gasoline schooner Enterprise, which was also damaged. The Oprey, however, was pulled off on the following high tide without damage. The boats are among the smallest engaged in the coastwise trade.

LA ROSE ON STAND
IN HIS OWN BEHALF

"I never knew where the store of Hyman Neuman was until I went there the other day with the jury. I was never in his store before in my life."
This was the answer of Jack La Rose on the witness stand in Judge Morrow's department of the circuit court this morning when he was called on to answer the question as to whether or not he ever saw the man he is accused of beating to death with a gas pipe on the morning of May 12. He was put on the stand by the defense as soon as the state had closed its case at 10:25 o'clock this morning.

Wears a Ross.
La Rose presented a somewhat debonair appearance today, looking far different from the ragged, grimy man that was captured in Erickson's saloon the day after the murder of Neuman, while he was attempting to make his escape after his assault on John Chong. He wore a bright blue suit, a white shirt and a bow tie, and he smiled as he explained that he was very drunk on the day of the murder and the day of his arrest. He was wearing a Ross, a watch which he had bought in a second hand store on Clay street in San Francisco. He could not tell whom he got the small watch from. He knew he got it on the night of May 11, because it was two days before he was arrested.

Advantage for State.
The state gained one advantage this morning before resting its case, when Judge Morrow admitted in evidence the iron bar with which Max Herman was struck down the day before the assault on Neuman. After the court had excluded the pipe with which the assault on John Chong was committed the day after the murder, the state had almost despaired of getting the Herman exhibit into the case. But the evidence overruled the objections of the defense, saying that he considered the identification of the weapon in the Chinese case, and he would let the jury consider how far it tends to connect La Rose with the murder of Neuman as a means of identifying the defendant.

Chong Was Cray.
The only witnesses for the defense this morning besides La Rose were Dr. L. F. Griffith, a physician attached to the asylum at Dr. E. D. Johnson. Both of them testified that John Chong was committed to the asylum from Portland, and that testimony being intended to weaken the force of Chong's story of being assaulted by the defendant. They said Chong had hallucinations that he intended to do him bodily harm and that he heard threatening voices.

The defense brought eight other witnesses, the most of whom will be called to weaken or impeach testimony offered by the state. Among other lines of attack will be expert witnesses who will say that a gaspipe wrapped in palms and that it is an unusual means of weapon, as contended by the state.

Whitman, Wallace, Jamison, Dobbin, Evenden, Pendergrass, Galt, Wolff, Cooper, Kreck.
The Whitman team arrived yesterday and engaged in light signal practice yesterday evening which removed any nervousness sustained by the team. The missionaries are a shade lighter than the beavers, but it remains for the game to prove which is the speedier. A grand rally was held last night and O. A. C. supporters, while not overconfident, feel reasonably safe. The line-up of the teams:

Whitman, Wallace, Jamison, Dobbin, Evenden, Pendergrass, Galt, Wolff, Cooper, Kreck.
At the Lyric tonight the Blankall company will again repeat that delightful southern comedy-drama, "Little Alabama," in which every member of the cast is appearing so satisfactorily.

ESTEB ADMITS
CRIMINAL
STORY WAS
FALSE

Council Takes First Step Toward Calling Special Election—Belding Creates a Mild Sensation by Hinting at Trickery.

Insinuating that there was some trickery intended by the advocates of the ordinance calling a special election for the issue of bonds to the amount of \$2,000,000 for the construction of a high bridge across the Willamette river, as recommended by Engineer Modjeski, Councilman Belding created a ripple of surprise in the council chambers this morning.

The councilman asserted that he was in favor of a bridge, but that a question involving the expenditure of such a large amount of money should have more substantial votes than a mere majority. He thought the petition of the people calling for the election of bonds have been considered, instead of the council submitting the question by ordinance.

City Attorney Kavanaugh explained that no trickery was intended, and that the petition had been allowed to go by the council. He said that the report of Engineer Modjeski was not received in time to act upon the petition. This he admitted would have required a two thirds vote, but he declared that no sharp practice was intended when the bridge committee drafted the petition. Mr. Kavanaugh, on his advice and for the reason that by such a course the effect of the bond issue would be unquestioned.

REAL IRISH LINENS
Largest Import Order Ever Received by Portland Firm.
McAllen & McDonnell Co., Inc., Third and Morrison streets, announce the sale of a large import order of Irish linen goods, including regular prices. This firm has long been the largest importers of high-grade linens on the coast.

Eye glasses, \$1 at Metzger's.
HARRIMAN OFFICIALS
LEAVE FOR WALLOWA

UPHOLDS THE MAYOR ON
ASSESSMENT ORDINANCES

Mayor Lane's dictum that the council shall not pass any ordinance levying an assessment to pay for street improvements before the work has been completed by the executive board was upheld this morning, when the council, by the decisive vote of 9 to 6, approved his veto of the council measure providing money to pay for work done by the Pacific Bridge company on Killingsworth street.

In the debate which preceded the vote determined effort was made on the part of the minority members to convince the council that the assessment should be made. City Engineer Taylor was called upon by Councilman Vaughn to state whether he was ready to accept all the work on Killingsworth street at this time. The engineer replied that he had already accepted two thirds of the contract and would certify to the rest as soon as he was assured that a few cent of the sidewalk had been repaired. He thought he would be able to do this by Friday afternoon, when the executive board convenes.

"I think it would be extremely unwise and unwise to adopt the policy of passing assessment ordinances before improvements have been accepted by the executive board, even if the contractors do have to wait for their money a little longer. Of course, we have the legal right to do this, but supposing the contractors were to accept the property-owner in that event would be obliged to institute proceedings to get his money back and this would be a difficult thing to do."
Councilman Wills and Cellars maintained that the pavements had been accepted by the city engineers' department, and that it was no more than right that contractors should be paid. Said Mr. Cellars:

"The passage of this ordinance will not compel any property owner to pay for a piece of pavement that has not been accepted by the executive board. If the assessment were passed the contractor will get his money sooner. If it is not passed, the contractor will get his money sooner. If it is not passed, the contractor will get his money sooner. If it is not passed, the contractor will get his money sooner."



Samuel Esteb, the contractor of Reservoir Park, on the Mount Scott line, who disappeared 10 days ago and who after returning last Sunday told a weird story of having been snatched and confined in a refrigerator car for six days today made a signed statement to the effect that his entire story, as published in a local newspaper, was false.
Detectives Hellyer and Howell visited Esteb at his home this morning and questioned him closely. The officers were satisfied that Esteb's tale was pure fiction. Esteb called at the detectives' office this afternoon and made a voluntary statement which was reduced to writing and which he signed at once. In it he says:

That story that appeared in the newspaper about my disappearance was entirely false. I was not snatched, drugged or dragged away as stated in the newspaper, but had to fix up some more of yarn to satisfy my wife, principally.

Esteb declares he left home because of disagreements with his wife's family, who wrote letters in Swedish which he could not understand. He says he went to San Francisco, but road 1 na coach with the other passengers.
Spectacles \$1 at Metzger's.

Important officials of the Harriman lines in Oregon will leave tonight for Enterprise, Wallowa county, to attend the celebration and jubilee in honor of the opening of the Wallowa extension of the O. R. & N. from Elgin to Joseph. General Manager J. P. O'Brien, General Freight Agent McMurray, General Agent Miller and several other officials of the Harriman lines will attend the celebration and banquet at Enterprise.

The speaker was asked by Vaughn to give the name of the expert, but he refused to do so, and an argument ensued between the two. Their colloquy was interrupted by Rushlight, who rose to a point of order, which the mayor recognized.

"I don't see why I can't talk as well as the others if the subject isn't debatable," cried Wills.
"The others don't represent the trust," said Rushlight, dryly.
"Neither do I," responded Wills heatedly, but Mayor Lane rapped for order and cries of "question, question" ended the discussion.

LAWYER ATTEMPTS TO THRASH
DEPUTY CITY ATTORNEY GRANT

Declaring to friends early in the day that he intended to thrash Chief Deputy City Attorney Frank Grant, Henry C. King, a lawyer, met that official late yesterday afternoon in front of the Chamber of Commerce building, and after tripping him so that he fell to the sidewalk, was in the act of carrying him away when Detective Hawley and the police station.

There Mr. King said: "The city attorney's office has maliciously attempted to throw me out of the Multnomah Bar association because I opposed City Attorney Kavanaugh in his last election. They have alleged that I was drunk in a courtroom, and that I man Grant has used his official position as a member of the grievance committee of the bar association to try to dishar me. I only regret that I did not get a chance to finish the job I had started and thrash him soundly. I'll get him yet. The very next time I see him, and if he pulls a gun on me, I'll kill him."
Mr. King reiterated this statement this morning.

"I never had anything against Mr. King in my life," Mr. Grant said, "and the charges he makes are false. I did not bring the charges against him, and I would do him a favor today if I were called on to do so. I do not intend to swear to a warrant against him, but I think I shall resign from the grievance committee today to avoid any further trouble."
Both men were released at the police station after they had told their stories.

COLORED SOCIALIST
GOES TO ROCKPILE
Daniel Boone Hudson, the negro who resented a remark of H. N. Beatty when he heard a Socialist orator declaiming on the street and struck Beatty in the face was sentenced to 30 days in the county jail today. Hudson's lawyer threatened to appeal the case, but changed his mind.

SALOONKEEPER IS
REPORTED MISSING
John Capdebison, a Frenchman who owns a saloon at the corner of Sixteenth and Salmon streets, is reported missing, the police having been notified this morning. Capdebison has not been seen since early Monday morning. His wife says she is at a loss to know what might have happened to him.

Money Saved Through Anty Drudge.

Mrs. Youngwife (at telephone)—"Hello Harry, you don't need to order those new tablecloths and napkins at Blashman's after all. Anty Drudge came in this morning and showed me how Fels-Naptha soap would take the stains out of the old ones. They're as clean and white as new now."

Anty Drudge—"You just keep on using Fels-Naptha, Deary, and it'll save you buying lots of things—everything you wash will wear so much longer. It'll save your health and beauty, too."

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Stains are the great trial of a woman who does the family wash in the old way. Coffee stains, fruit stains, egg stains, occasionally blood stains, and many others which defy all ordinary soaps and hard rubbing as well. In despair, the housewife boils the clothes until their fibre is softened and weakened, but even then the shadows of the stains remain.

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Taft's Plurality
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Taft's plurality in Oregon will fall below \$2,500. Returns from every county in the state, in most cases official, make his lead over Bryan \$2,500. These figures will not be changed materially by the official count.
Complete official returns from Curry county were received last evening. Taft leads Bryan by \$1,000 in that county. In other counties, Taft's lead is \$1,000, \$2,000, \$3,000, \$4,000, \$5,000, \$6,000, \$7,000, \$8,000, \$9,000, \$10,000, \$11,000, \$12,000, \$13,000, \$14,000, \$15,000, \$16,000, \$17,000, \$18,000, \$19,000, \$20,000, \$21,000, \$22,000, \$23,000, \$24,000, \$25,000, \$26,000, \$27,000, \$28,000, \$29,000, \$30,000, \$31,000, \$32,000, \$33,000, \$34,000, \$35,000, \$36,000, \$37,000, \$38,000, \$39,000, \$40,000, \$41,000, \$42,000, \$43,000, \$44,000, \$45,000, \$46,000, \$47,000, \$48,000, \$49,000, \$50,000, \$51,000, \$52,000, \$53,000, \$54,000, \$55,000, \$56,000, \$57,000, \$58,000, \$59,000, \$60,000, \$61,000, \$62,000, \$63,000, \$64,000, \$65,000, \$66,000, \$67,000, \$68,000, \$69,000, \$70,000, \$71,000, \$72,000, \$73,000, \$74,000, \$75,000, \$76,000, \$77,000, \$78,000, \$79,000, \$80,000, \$81,000, \$82,000, \$83,000, \$84,000, \$85,000, \$86,000, \$87,000, \$88,000, \$89,000, \$90,000, \$91,000, \$92,000, \$93,000, \$94,000, \$95,000, \$96,000, \$97,000, \$98,000, \$99,000, \$100,000.

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