

SERGEANT GIBBONS THRILLS AUDIENCE WITH WAR STORIES

Canadian Veteran Tells Chautauqua Gathering of Battle, Capture and Imprisonment.

NO DISCOMFORT FROM HEAT

Feature of Afternoon Is Symposium Hour, Addressed By Mrs. Starrett, Dr. Reinhardt.

Gladstone Park, Willamette Valley Chautauqua, July 10.—Visitors at the second day's assembly of the chautauqua were not seriously bothered by Wednesday afternoon's heat, and between 2500 and 3000 enjoyed the afternoon program and at least 2000 more joined the throng to hear Sergeant Arthur Gibbons, Canadian veteran, in the evening. Sergeant Gibbons carried his large audience with him into the battle at Ypres, the capture by the Germans and into German prison camps for a period of seven months, and finally to liberation through his feigning insanity.

The morning classes started off at 8 o'clock with a vim and rush, with Professor H. T. Smith of the Portland Y. M. C. A. conducting the physical culture work; Miss Julia Hunter in charge of the children's chautauqua; Miss Marie Anthony, directing the home demonstration work, with canning of fruits and vegetables occupying the attention of the large class from 9 to 10 o'clock. Jasper Dean McFall of Portland is directing the chautauqua chorus, which is a feature of the morning auditorium hours.

The Bible hour, 10 to 11 o'clock, is conducted daily by Dr. W. B. Hinson of Portland and all hearing him are promised Biblical treats seldom offered at chautauqua.

Mrs. Mabel Burton conducted the forum hour at 11 o'clock on "International Service," and had an interesting audience. The Overseas quartet, composed of four returned soldiers, was the day's musical feature, and "brought down" the audience at both appearances, their strongest program being presented in the evening, previous to the appearance of Sergeant Gibbons.

Quaint and droll, Joel W. Eastman held his large audience with his philosophy, wit and humor for more than an hour in the afternoon, speaking on "Hidden Things."

The symposium hour at 5 o'clock was in charge of Mrs. Helen Elin Starrett on "Eminent Women I Have Known," with President Aurelia M. Reinhardt of Mills College, Cal., as the guest of honor and chief speaker. Mrs. Mary Adele Case Vann, a former young woman of Gladstone, sang and was heartily applauded.

The programs for this afternoon and evening are:

4:00—Baseball—Escadada vs. Oregon City.

5:00—Symposium—"Moral Education" and "Child Welfare"—Mrs. Mary L. Mallett of W. C. T. U.

7:30—Concert—Zedeler symphonic quintet; inspirational lecture—"The Needs of the Hour"—Judge George D. Alden.

Friday's program is:

8:10—Physical culture—Professor H. T. Smith; 9:10—Chautauqua chorus—Jasper D. McFall; 9:30—"Home Made Fireless Cooker Demonstration"; 9:45—

BURIED TREASURE FOUND THIS MORNING



Heirloom silverware and jewelry supposed to have been stolen from prominent Portland homes, is yielded to police when plow working on basement excavation at Sixth and Madison street reveals cache supposed to have been placed by burglars four years ago.

Sow and Family Entered by Boy Wins \$15 Prize

Oregon Agricultural College, Corvallis, July 10.—Oregon club members have won many varieties of prizes, but the first prize taken at a Fourth of July parade was that of \$15 won by Ray Dull of Corvallis, who exhibited a family of pigs—a sow and eight pigs—in a wagon decorated with red, white and blue bunting. They have been fed almost entirely upon garbage collected in Corvallis.

Children's chautauqua—Miss Julia Hunter; 10—Sunday school teachers' training class—Beginners' department; 10—Bible Hour—Rev. W. B. Hinson; 11—Forum hour—Federation of Women's clubs, Oregon Congress of Mothers; The Advancement of Parent-Teachers' Work—Mrs. J. F. Chapman.

Afternoon 1:30—Concert—Castellucci's concert band; "Sunset Program for Reading Chair"—Bess Gearhart Morrison; 4—Baseball—Kirkpatrick's vs. West Linn; 5—Symposium—"The Future Red Cross"—Dr. Mae Cardwell and Miss Ann Schneider.

Evening 7:30—Concert—Castellucci's concert band; entertainment—Bess Gearhart Morrison.

New Clubrooms Are Dedicated By Mazamas' Program

Mazamas dedicated their new club rooms in the Chamber of Commerce building Wednesday night with a lively program and talk by President Edgar E. Courson presided and short talks were made by the past presidents, John A. Lee, Jerry Bronaugh, H. H. Redell and Frank Branch Riley, who gave interesting and amusing reminiscences of the club history.

Mr. Riley told of his lectures in the East and the interest that Easterners are displaying in Northwestern mountains. A musical program consisted of community songs, led by A. Boyd Williams; violin selections by Jamieson Parker, and vocal selections by Miss Helen Hollister and Miss Evelyn Hardingham.

TREASURE UNEARTHED BY WORKMEN DIGGING

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Other pieces were recent presents. Some pieces are marked "G. W. C." for Mrs. Gertrude W. Cookingham, and one beaten silver water bottle, purchased from a San Francisco firm, bore the initials "G. W." This was of much assistance in the identification.

Police officials believe that the things were taken from several houses, as many of them did not belong to the Cookingham. A badly rusted revolver, a large kodak, badly deteriorated, some of the cheaper silverware rusted, vanity cases, a silver mesh purse bearing the initials "L. E. L." and pepper shakers, both silver and cut glass, and numerous other articles were included in the cache. A Swiss watch numbered 57312 as well as several cheaper watches, and a black velvet watchbox with gold ornaments and a small gold chain bearing the initials "E. W. F." were also found.

BURGLARY IS RECALLED

That part of the collection taken from the Cookingham residence was stolen while Mr. and Mrs. Cookingham were traveling in California. Servants were living in the house and had all gone out when the robbery occurred. The burglar entered through a kitchen window, cutting out the screen and breaking the glass. He was seen leaving by neighbors who said he was a young man, and that he carried two suitcases. He supposed he had business there as when they saw him he was just walking out of the yard. His loot was valued at \$1000, and included gold and silver pins and ornaments set with diamonds, which were not found, besides a dress suit coat and other clothing.

One theory of Captain Circle is that the thief was later caught and sent to the penitentiary for another crime, which were not found, besides a dress suit coat and other clothing.

The loot was buried about where would be the porch of the house just removed. The property is now owned by the Y. M. C. A. The house occupied the place many years. It was a small two story structure with no basement, and was set back just a few feet from the sidewalk.

WANTON GRABBING OF TAX MONEY

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the school district, expenses incurred in defeating, amending or supporting it are paid out of public money. This is a small matter in money but big in principle.

"Note also the money advanced to pay traveling expenses of teachers, clerk and directors. In accordance with custom \$500 was advanced to Assistant Superintendent Whitely, \$600 Director Thomas. This, to say the least, is a loose way of handling public money and can lead to gross abuse.

NO CONTROL ALLEGED

Both as a matter of principle and in amount of money expended, the action of the board in conducting publicity work in aid of the late bond campaign and without limit as to expenditures is a matter demanding attention. It seems the campaign was turned over to Directors Sommer and Drake, with no control as to the method and no limit as to expenditure. Hence the professional publicity man, chain letters, advertising and so forth, costing to date \$8002.95.

The public bitterly resented this attempt of the board to control its votes, but the members of the board do not seem to realize that the vote was one of lack of confidence and not merely of lack of money. It is reported to have characterized it, "A slap on the wrist by the public." This matter must not be allowed to drop. There is both a legal and moral question involved. The legal one is, has the board the right under the law to expend public money either in paying traveling expenses, or, what is worse, in campaigning for or against any measure?

MORAL VIEWPOINT

The moral question is really one of public policy; should a school board expend public money to further or advance or defeat public measures in accordance with its wishes? If so, the situation is full of menace from a public standpoint. I may say this is the first time, to my knowledge, any public body in this state has used public money to conduct a campaign to further its own views. The principles involved are no important there is no doubt but what the law will be ascertained, followed by such steps as may be thought necessary to protect the public interest.

"I may also say that in almost every direction there is not only room but need for scrutiny of the acts of public bodies. I sometimes fear the people will not awaken to the situation as it exists until they find themselves overwhelmed with taxes and facing conditions which, if not prevented, may become fastened on them. The public is certainly long suffering and patient, but even its patience may become exhausted.

That the use of school funds for a publicity campaign is without authority under any Oregon law, was as-

Accident Takes Stiffness From Leg; O. K. Now

Chehalis, Wash., July 10.—As the result of an accident a sister of Mrs. Newison of Odesa, Wash., recovered the use of a leg which had been stiff for some time. The young woman was riding with the Newisons when the automobile crashed into one driven by Charles Cessell on the Pacific highway near here as the two cars tried to pass a truck on the wrong side. No one was seriously injured.

serted in a formal opinion given to the Chamber of Commerce by Attorney C. A. Bell Wednesday afternoon.

One of his citations states: "The policy of the law is to require of municipal corporations a reasonably strict observance of their powers. Therefore the courts incline to adopt a strict rather than a liberal construction."

Hungarians Attack Roumanian Forces

London, July 10.—(I. N. S.)—The Hungarians have opened an offensive against the Roumanians along the Theiss river, said a news agency dispatch from Bucharest today. The Theiss river flows through the Carpathian mountains on the southeastern frontier of Hungary.

Yards Closed When Coppersmiths Quit

San Francisco, July 10.—(U. P.)—Twelve thousand employees of the bay district shipyards will be idle tonight as a result of the strike of 200 coppersmiths, who walked out Monday, demanding an increase of from \$8.88 to \$8

Order "R-Porter" and watch for the dimples that come at the first sip.

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POISON FATAL TO 14-YEAR-OLD BOY

Robert M. Burrell Meets Death In What He Believed Effort To Frighten Parents.

An apparent belief that what would cure mother's ill would help his own, is the most probable theory of the suicide at his home on Wednesday night of Robert M. Burrell, 14-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Walter F. Burrell, 828 Hawthorne avenue, the parents declared this morning.

Robert Burrell took his own life Wednesday evening when he consumed a small quantity of strychnine crystals, in what his parents think was his effort to relieve his fatigue with a remedy for the day and told him to go to bed. He is said to have found the strychnine in the basement, where it had been stored for some time and forgotten.

Robert had been out all afternoon, it was said, swimming with a party at the Waverley club, going to and from the clubhouse on his bicycle in the unusually hot sun. He complained of being tired at night, but planned to go out again. It is reported, his father advised him against any further exertion for the day and told him to go to bed. He is said to have found the strychnine in the basement, where it had been stored for some time and forgotten.

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Kilpatrick Promoted In Red Cross Work

Earl Kilpatrick, formerly director of the extension division of the University of Oregon at Eugene, and for the last two years assistant division manager for the Northwest of the American Red Cross, has succeeded to the management of the division, upon the resignation of C. D. Stimpson at Seattle. Mr. Kilpatrick is also head of the division of military relief of the American Red Cross.

Highway Board's Decision Is Final, Says Gov. Olcott

Salem, July 10.—The action of the state highway commission in its investigation of the Salem-Aurora unit of the Pacific highway will be accepted as final by Governor Olcott, who first called the alleged defects to the attention of the commission. The commission held there were no serious defects. In a statement issued Wednesday the governor says:

"This matter was called to the attention of the highway commission for investigation and left entirely in the hands of that body. Inasmuch as some reports have been in circulation to the effect that dissensions exist between this office and the highway commission, I wish to take this opportunity of saying there is no foundation in fact for these reports. I have always had the highest regard and esteem for all the members of the highway commission, as often publicly expressed. I know that all the commissioners, as well as myself, have but one object in view, and that is to give the state of Oregon the best possible road system obtainable."

Soldier Is Killed Near Eugene; Run Over By S. P. Train

Eugene, July 10.—(U. P.)—Joseph I. O'Connor, a soldier whose home is at Chicago, was run over and killed by Southern Pacific passenger train No. 13 early this morning. The accident happened near Judd's point, two miles south of Eugene. According to a story told to W. W. Branstetter, corner, by an eye witness to the tragedy, the young man jumped in front of the train as it bore down upon him. The body will be held while awaiting communication from his people in the east.

Iceberg Damages Steamship

St. Johns, N. F., July 10.—(U. P.)—Her bow stove in by a collision with an iceberg off the New Foundland coast, the steamship Drampian put in here today for repairs. Eight hundred passengers were aboard.

BOND CERTIFICATION ASKED COMMISSION FOR SALE IN AUGUST

Proceeds From Sale Will Be Used in Completing Warm Springs Project.

Salem, July 10.—The Warm Springs irrigation district has asked the state irrigation securities commission to certify \$400,000 worth of bonds which are being advertised for sale on August 5. This is a part of the second issue of bonds voted by the district at an election May 7, at which time an issue of \$600,000 was authorized. This is in addition to the original issue of \$750,000.

The proceeds from the sale of these bonds will be used in completing construction work on the project, which is located in Malheur county and is one of the largest irrigation projects in the state, embracing some 30,000 acres of fringing land. An arched concrete dam 100 feet high is now being built across the middle fork of Malheur river, six miles above Riverside and 75 miles above the Warm Springs project.

The reservoir formed by this dam will have a capacity of 170,000 acre feet, or enough for the irrigation of 40,000 acres of land. The dam is to be completed in October. Surplus water sufficient to irrigate 11,000 acres will be sold to an adjoining district now organizing. Ten large canals, which now supply water to 12,000 acres, are also to be enlarged and extended.

INSPECTION OF SHIPMENTS DOES NOT APPLY TO DRIVEN CATTLE

Salem, July 10.—The state law relative to the inspection of cattle previous to shipment from the state does not apply to cattle that are driven overland out of the state, according to an opinion expressed by Attorney General Brown, in a letter to S. O. Correll of Baker, secretary of the Oregon Cattle and Horse Raisers' association. Correll had complained that district attorneys over the state had refused to prosecute for what he regarded as a violation of the state law. The fault lies in the law and not in the district attorneys, according to Brown.

Portland Girl Honored Spokane, July 10.—Miss Isabel Clark of Portland was honored Tuesday evening by Miss Helen Porter with a dance at the residence of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Porter.



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TODAY AND FRIDAY LAST TIMES

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