

BANQUET HELD IN LINCOLN'S HONOR SATURDAY NIGHT

Anniversary of Birth Is Celebrated by More Than 300 People at Chamber of Commerce.

In commemoration of the 112th anniversary of the birth of Abraham Lincoln, the Republican Club of Oregon held a dinner in the main dining room of the Chamber of Commerce. The dinner was attended by more than 300 people. The program, given under the direction of Judge M. C. George, as toastmaster, consisted of musical selections by the Weber Juvenile orchestra, a number by the G. A. R. trio and a vocal solo by Miss Goldie Peterson, as well as the addresses on Lincoln.

At the beginning of the program messages were read from President-elect Warren G. Harding, Calvin A. Coolidge, Theodore Roosevelt Jr. and Will H. Hays.

Speaking on the "Americanism of Abraham Lincoln," Colonel James J. Crossley said:

"Abraham Lincoln was the personification of genuine Americanism. He, like Jackson, that great and illustrious Democrat, believed in the maintenance of political parties that had Americanism as the basis of their existence. Communism, Socialism and Bolshevism had no part in any of his beliefs."

"These isms," he continued, "have been brought to this country by the riff-raff of Central and Southern Europe, by those who do not, and never can know the meaning of real Americanism. The Republican party stands on the belief that these peoples should be eliminated from our nation and their further admission barred."

Other speakers of the evening were Judge T. J. Cleeton, John L. Day, chairman of the Multnomah county central committee; Helen Campbell Jesselson, C. M. Idleman and Past National Commander of the G. A. R. Judge C. G. Burton.

No Fund for Tualatin
Washington, Feb. 12.—(WASHINGTON BUREAU OF THE JOURNAL)—General Beach, chief of army engineers, has approved the report of the army engineers against the improvement of the Tualatin river.

God intends man and woman to wed, and sometimes the devil seems to cooperate.

Still and Mash but Little Moonshine Is Discovered in Raid

A 10 gallon still, 150 gallons of mash and about one gallon of moonshine whiskey were found Saturday by internal revenue agents in a raid on a house at 87 North Tenth street, Mar Idaho, who is said to be a Chinaman, was arrested and charged with violation of the national prohibition law.

Narcotic officers assisted prohibition officers in the raid as it was anticipated that an opium den would be found. No evidence of this nature was discovered. In addition to the still the officers found two boxes of revolver shells and a few trunks filled with Chinese garments and curios. Reports that the house was headquarters for tongmen or for a smuggling gang were denied by Jesse Flinders, chief prohibition agent.

JAPAN MUST GIVE FULL EXPLANATION

Tokio Held Strictly Accountable by Uncle Sam for Attack on American Sailors.

By Universal Service
Washington, Feb. 12.—The United States will hold Japan strictly accountable for the attack made upon five American sailors during which one was shot in Vladivostok on Tuesday, February 9, it was stated by officials here today.

Demands for all the facts in this most serious case were made by both the state and navy departments. Secretary Colby instructed the American consul at Vladivostok to forward an immediate report.

Secretary Daniels cabled similar instructions to Rear Admiral Joseph Strauss, in command of the Asiatic fleet, who will immediately appoint a court of inquiry. First of all the admiral will take the deposition of the sailors attacked and cable them to Washington.

Resentment was expressed at both the state and navy departments over this repetition of hostilities against American forces in Vladivostok. Japanese sources credit the attack to two former Russian officers, who have been recognized and apprehended, according to a message received by the state department from the embassy at Tokyo today. Japanese armed forces are in absolute control of Vladivostok, which to all intents and purposes is now Japanese territory.

LINCOLN'S CHARACTER OF BY McELVEEN

Members of Lincoln Memorial Society Attend Program at Central Library for American.

Earnestly and fervently to do honor to the memory of Abraham Lincoln, about 40 members of the Lincoln Memorial society met Saturday afternoon in Central library at their annual meeting. L. D. Mahone, secretary of the society, presided. Dr. C. E. Clime pronounced the invocation. J. S. Hamilton of the Veterans' quartet sang "Old Black Joe," and Dr. W. T. McElveen of the First Congregational church spoke of the character and personality of Lincoln. Lincoln did not spring from "poor white" stock, but from a group of small landowners who had their own slaves, said Dr. McElveen. He was indebted to his mother, a madonna of the wilderness, rather than to his father, who was shiftless, luckless and "nerf-dick."

"Lincoln was not an educated man in the sense that he was graduated from a college," said Dr. McElveen. "He possessed that which is the essential of an educated man—sympathy for all classes and conditions of men; honesty in dealing with all men, and courage to execute his convictions. Lincoln was an apt student in the school of life. He learned from everybody. He was a student of but few books—the Bible, Pilgrim's Progress, the Fables, Weem's Life of Washington, and a history of the colonies. Lincoln read less and thought more than perhaps any man of his generation. Lincoln has not yet been adequately interpreted. There are depths to his nature that have not yet been sounded. There are qualities to his being that have not yet been explored. Lowell calls him 'The first typical American'; Stanton, who severely criticized him while he lived, cried out as he watched him die, 'There lies the greater ruler of men that the world has ever known.' Lincoln may not have had the captivating charm of Hamilton, or the urbane dignity of Washington, but he had a sagacity, a patience, a magnanimity, and a tenacity that they did not have."

Permits to Erect Summer Hotels in Forest Areas Asked

Impetus toward the building of summer hotels in Northwest national forests is indicated in the number of applications for such permits recently received by Assistant District Forester C. J. Buck.

The Young Men's Christian Association of Salem wants to build a permanent summer camp on the banks of Marion lake at the base of Mount Jefferson on the southwest, in the Santiam national forest. Marion lake has long been a popular spot for fishermen and campers and is reached by trail from Detroit.

The Boy Scouts of Salem want a permanent camp at Salt creek hot springs, now known as McCredie hot springs, in the Cascade national forest, reached from Eugene. McCredie is already operating a hotel at this place, under government license.

A summer hotel may be built upon Union creek, on the road from Medford to Crater lake, near Prospect on the Rogue river gorge, if an application received by Buck is acted upon favorably. In Washington, three sites are desired for summer hotels. One is on the Sunset highway out of Seattle, on the Wenatchee national forest. Another is at Ohanapesch hot springs, just south of Rainier national park, and the third is at Silver creek, on the McClellan Pass highway on the Rainier forest.

COOLNESS INVOKED BY CABINET LIST

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street and the banking community had come to hope that one of its own group of financiers would sit in the treasury department under a Republican administration or that perhaps one of its good friends, like George M. Reynolds, the big Chicago banker, might be so honored.

There seems to be no particular objection to Governor Lowden of Illinois. On the contrary, he is much admired, but the people on the inside here insist that within the last five days Governor Lowden's letter declining to enter the cabinet at all has reached Harding at St. Augustin.

John W. Weeks, former United States senator from Massachusetts, who is slated to be secretary of war, is heard, but there is no denying that the appointment of Leonard Wood would have been many times more pleasing.

POLITICIAN HAS PLACE
Will Hays and Harry M. Daugherty, who are listed for "postmaster general and attorney general, are popular in political circles, but it is nevertheless true that leading Republicans question the advisability of putting men of prominence in political organizations in the cabinet. What some of these New Yorkers do not know is that a politician with his ear to the ground is something a better judge of the public pulse than a business man whose training has been entirely inside a single city and in a single business.

New York has been somewhat of a Hoover stronghold and since the former food administrator has come so prominently before the public in connection with the European child relief, the people have been constantly reminded of his executive ability so that it is not unusual to hear one man say to another, or one woman to another, "I wonder why Mr. Harding doesn't put Hoover in the cabinet."

Most folks, however, refuse to believe what they see in the newspapers about cabinet selections and are serenely confident that when the list is finally made public it will surely contain the names of Leonard Wood, Ellihu Root and Herbert Hoover.

Halt Stench Bombs, Plea
(By United News)
Chicago, Feb. 12.—Motion picture theatre owners have appealed to United States Attorney Crowe to stop "stench bombing" of their theatres. They charge that their refusal to sign contracts calling for fixed sums for "electrical maintenance" has made their houses targets for "stench bombs." The state's attorney is investigating.

Lincoln Is Honored By Atkinson Pupils At Benefit Concert

A Lincoln day concert was given by Atkinson school at Lincoln high school Saturday night for the benefit of the new photograph of which the school recently purchased. E. T. Gruwell of the Northwestern Trust company, as the chief speaker of the evening, paid a tribute to the nation's greatest hero, extolling him as an example to every American youth.

The musical program consisted of five selections by the Whitney Boyce choir, the Atkinson school song by the Atkinson basketball squad, contralto solo by Francis Duvall, violin solo by Charlotte Hoag, solo by nation's greatest hero, extolling him as an example to every American youth.

BLACKMAIL LAD TO WAR CRITICS

Lindsey and Hill Are Charged With Having Sought Secret Letter for Scheme.

Washington, Feb. 12.—(U. P.)—Investigation of two war investigators was asked by Representative Flood of Virginia today.

Flood introduced a resolution for an inquiry into charges that two men connected with the house committee investigating war expenditures had attempted to cause the disclosure of a secret letter to a Democratic member of the committee.

Flood stated he had received information from the war department that the two investigators named as C. C. Lindsey and J. M. Hill sought to obtain a secret letter from the war department archives for their alleged scheme. The plan, according to a confidential statement inserted in the records of the committee by Flood, was to obtain the letter, which is said to involve a business man, and then inform the public that a newspaper was willing to pay a large amount for it, if he did not pay them a much larger sum.

The statement of Flood, inserted in the committee record, states that Samuel T. Ansell, former acting judge advocate general of the army, who acted as counsel for one of the men investigating subcommittee, sent Hill and Lindsey to the war department with a letter asking that they be given the secret letter.

Representative Royal Johnson, South Dakota, said he desired a complete investigation of the charges, but said he did not believe Ansell knew anything about the alleged scheme.

More Arrests Made And Additional Auto Loot Is Recovered

Work begun several days ago in clearing up the alleged operations of a gang of automobile accessory thieves was completed Saturday night with the arrest of several men charged with receiving stolen property and the recovery of more alleged loot, which brings the total amount of automobile fixtures said to have been stolen to \$2900.

Fourteen boys between the ages of 16 and 26 were arrested. The police say the organization of the gang, which stole 22 automobiles and stripped them of every removable part, was complete in every detail.

Three of the alleged members of the gang were turned over to federal authorities Saturday, charged with violating the interstate commerce act. They are Hal Sheldon, 545 Durham street; Milton E. Smith, 1355 Garfield street, and Louis Thomas, 619 Union avenue. Other alleged members of the gang were arrested are E. Bade, 518 Alinsworth; Roy Williams, 1492 East Fourth street; Leslie Freeman, St. Johns; Chris and his brother, Sixth avenue; streets; Clarence West, 695 Leland avenue; Folker Van Beek and Chris Van Beek, 1417 Oneonta street; William Reutter, 923 Holman street; Bob Kellis, 1453 Oneonta street; Albert Zimmerman, 1237 Fourteenth street north, was returned to Vancouver, Wash., where he is wanted by the Washington authorities.

Portland Artists' Paintings Score At Seattle Show

Notable in the collection of the paintings of Northwest artists and others on display at the Fine Arts building at Seattle are works sent by six Portland artists. Among these are Clyde Leon Keller and Miss Charlotte Mish. It has been said that the unique features of the Seattle exhibition have been supplied by Portland artists as well as those of Oregon City and Astoria, which are being shown.

A painting entitled "The Pacific" by Keller shows an unusual handling of the subject, somewhat different from his better known works. A small sketch in gray tones entitled "River Dock" by Miss Mish has excited much favorable comment. Other works of hers on exhibition including a unique pair of sculptured book ends.

Auto Accidents Lead To Two Injury Suits

Two suits for personal injuries received in automobile accidents have been filed in the circuit court. Ronald C. O'Connor, who was injured when a Portland-Forest Grove bus overtook July 12 last, asks \$11,300 damages from the Auto Transit company, and Blanche Snell seeks recovery \$29,350 from Miss Hanita Mayer, who was driving the automobile on Vancouver avenue late at night July 25, 1920, and collided with a machine in which Miss Snell was riding.

According to district appointments just made to Portland by the independent school district has received \$1012 from the state and \$41,500.88 from Ada county.

Woman Is Seized By Strange Malady While at Theatre

A peculiar illness overcame Mrs. R. H. Wietrecht, 80 West Farragut street, while attending a motion picture theatre Saturday afternoon. Fishers assisted Mrs. Wietrecht and called a physician who sent her to Good Samaritan hospital, where her malady was diagnosed as cerebral hemorrhage.

Mrs. Wietrecht became unconscious before being removed to the hospital, according to witnesses, and was still in a comatose condition at a late hour Saturday night. A telephone message was sent to her husband at Kalama, Wash., and he hastened to her bedside.

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