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## THE WEATHER

CLEARING; fresh southwesterly winds.

SEVENTIETH YEAR

## PEOPLE URGED TO STAND FOR WHITE NATION

Mrs. Patterson, Addressing D. A. R. Deplores Failure Of Legislature to Pass Anti-Oriental Laws.

## OWENS-ADAIR BILL FAVORED BY WOMEN

Eighth Annual Conference Of Patriotic Society Swings Into Action

## PITHY POINTS MADE IN TALKS AT D. A. R. SESSION FRIDAY

From the address of Mrs. John A. Keating, Americanization is still our greatest field of endeavor. Oregonization as well as Americanization should be our motto. Moving pictures speak a universal language. Americanism is too often considered a substance to be pumped, by force if necessary, down the throat of the passive and submissive immigrant. From the address of Mrs. I. L. Patterson: No nation is better than its mothers. A white America, and a determination to keep it so. Every child has a right to be well born. Keep America for Americans lest the dark clouds of Asiatic usurpation, now thickening on the horizon, become a whirlwind.

By GERTRUDE ROBISON ROSS.

The eighth annual Oregon conference of daughters of the American Revolution opened at the state house yesterday morning. Mrs. John A. Keating, state regent, called the meeting to order, and the official program was begun by a prayer by Mrs. W. A. Smick, state chaplain. There followed the song "America," led by Miss Ruth Johns, and the flag salute by Mrs. William De Yongh Field, of Boston, Mass., after which the regular order of business was taken up.

The zenith of the morning's program was a speech by Mrs. Keating, in which she enumerated the aims and endeavors of the organization, outlined the program for the coming year, and encouraged the delegates in that unity of action which had made the past year one of such worthwhile activity. Mrs. Keating included in her speech the report of her attendance at the national continental congress of the D. A. R.

Delegates Banquet Guests With the reading by Miss Edith Benedict, recording secretary, of a summary of the minutes of the 1920 conference in Albany, and the adoption of various committees reports, the meeting adjourned and the women repaired to the First Methodist church where they were guests at a luncheon given by the patriotic women's organization of Salem. Rev. Thomas Jenkins was a distinguished guest at the luncheon, and spoke on the near east and China relief. Miss Johns led the singing of "Columbia" at the evening of the afternoon session. This was followed by Washington's prayer, by Mrs. Smick, and the memorial services. A delectable beautiful solo by Miss Johns preceded the three-minute reports of the corresponding secretary, recording secretary, treasurer, registrar.

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MRS. JAMES A. STILLMAN, whose husband, president of the National City bank of New York, the largest bank in the United States, is suing her for divorce. She was formerly Miss Anne Urquart Potter, grandniece of the late Bishop Potter.



## HOP MEN DESIRE HIGHER TARIFF

California Growers Favor Assessment to Send Delegate to Capital

Information has reached Salem that California hop growers, at a meeting in the Travelers' hotel in Sacramento recently voted to assess themselves at the rate of \$1 an acre to send a representative to Washington to represent the growers before the tariff commission. The purpose is to induce congress to put a higher duty on foreign hops. Sonoma county growers will assist in the movement.

## 3 EUGENE YOUNG FOLKS ENTER PEN

Found Guilty of Burglaries And Auto Thefts in Lane County

EUGENE, Or., March 18.—Stanley B. Thompson and wife, and Warren Wilkins, young people of Eugene, all under 25 years of age, today were sentenced to the state penitentiary for burglary and larceny. Thompson and Wilkins received a sentence of four years each and Mrs. Thompson two years. They were taken to Salem this afternoon. Thompson and Wilkins admitted that the trio, in company with another woman who is not yet in custody, committed a number of burglaries in Eugene and other Lane county towns last fall and stole at least four automobiles.

## ENDEAVOR TO CRUSH LABOR NOW ALLEGED

Leaders Throw Open Records of Railway Association — Fight Dominated By Few Officials Shown.

## CONTINUANCE OF RULES AND AGREEMENT URGED

Working Man Would Not Have Clause Before Board Belief

CHICAGO, March 18.—Union labor leaders delved into the records of the association of railway executives today before the railroad labor board in an endeavor to show that the railroad's fight against national agreements was not unanimous, but was dominated by a few officials.

An underlying purpose to establish the open shop and crush labor organizations was declared to be behind the fight against national boards of adjustment. The controversy over these boards in the association's labor committee was brought out by cross examination of T. DeWitt Cuyler, chairman of the association, and his assistant, Robert S. Binkerd, and the introduction of voluminous correspondence and reports of the committee. Today's proceedings marked the beginning of labor's main fight for continuance of the national rules and working agreement, now in effect, the justness of which the board is now trying to decide in hearings which began January 10.

A basic program of all points on which labor would be willing to negotiate national agreements was laid before the board by B. M. Jewell, president of the railway employees department of the American Federation of Labor. Frank P. Walsh, counsel for the unions, followed with an exhaustive cross examination of Mr. Binkerd and Mr. Cuyler. He read

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## Week Awards Statesman Classified Ad Contest

Each week the Statesman will give three cash rewards for the best "stories" about Statesman Classified Ads. The awards will be announced each Tuesday morning: 1st reward, \$2.50; 2nd reward, \$1.50; 3rd reward, 1.00.

Contestants must see that their "stories" reach the Statesman office before Monday morning of each week in order to be considered.

Last Week's Awards. A number of very interesting "stories" were received last week, and the judges have decided upon the following as the winners:

1st reward, \$2.50, J. H. Nickerson, 685 South Winter street.  
2nd reward, \$1.50, Fern Purdy, 1550 Waller street.  
3rd reward, \$1.00, Miss Lois Allen, 625 North Winter street.

Stories of complimentary mention:

1st Eugene T. Prescott, 51 Mill street.  
2nd, Miss Anna Stine, 1647 N. Front street.  
3rd, Delbert Gearhart, p. o. box 182, Salem.

Out of the number of stories that were received three deserved to be complementarily mentioned. The story that wins first place as complimentary mention is published in full below; the others will be published in future issues of the Statesman. Watch for them.

## CLASSIFIED ADVERTISING

Classified Ads. Assist in Building Up Poultry Business

When feed prices began to soar several years ago many people were discouraged from raising chickens. Fearing I would not have the usual demand for my eggs for hatching purposes I gave the Northwestern Poultry Journal a small classified ad in which I

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## UNION MEN FAVOR STRIKE BY BIG VOTE

Workers in Chicago Packing Plant Are For Walkout Unless Eight Hour Day Question is Settled.

## LABOR DEPARTMENT CALLS MEETING MONDAY

Wage Scale and Time Under War-time Agreement Demanded

CHICAGO, March 18.—By a vote of 21,482 to 207 union workers in Chicago packing plants went on record today in favor of a strike if they are "unable to induce the packers to maintain the eight hour work day." Telegraphic reports at union headquarters were said to indicate similar strike majorities in other packing house centers throughout the country.

The exact wording of the ballot on which the workers voted follows: "Do you favor and authorize a strike in the event that the government or our organization is unable to induce the packers to maintain the eight hour work day and compliance with the agreement entered into with the United States department of labor?"

The agreement referred to was a war-time ruling which submitted all wage and hour disputes between the packers and their employees to federal arbitrators. Judge Samuel Alschuler having occupied the position during the war period. The packers withdrew from the agreement on February 26 on the ground that the war was over. The agreement specified that it was to remain in force until one year after the end of the war. The unions claim that war has not officially ended.

After withdrawing from the agreement, the packers announced wage reductions of from 12 1/2 to 15 per cent and changed the work day from ten hours to ten hours over overtime was paid. They also announced plans by which the workers would participate in the control of plant affairs, Armour and company having held an election this week at which their elected representatives to an "industrial democracy." The plan was assailed by Samuel Gompers, president of the American Federation of Labor, and union leaders as an effort to divert attention from an attack designed to destroy the unions. This was denied by the packers.

The present strike ballot, it was said by union leaders, is worded in such a way as to make it possible for the strike to be averted at the packer-labor conference called by Secretary of Labor Davis to meet in Washington Monday. The union leaders take the position that if the packers refuse either to restore the former wage scale and hours or to submit the whole disagreement to the federal arbitrator, the officials of the unions will be forced to order a walkout.

## TWO DEAD FROM AUTO ACCIDENT

Party Returning to Spokane From Dance Collide With Street Car

SPOKANE, Wash., March 18.—Elwood Racicot, aged 22 of Spokane, seriously injured when a speeding automobile in which he was riding crashed into a street car on Northwest boulevard here, shortly before 6 o'clock this morning.

One young woman, identified as Miss Sophie Losh, 18, of Priest River, Idaho, was killed, two women perhaps fatally injured, and one man and one woman were slightly injured. Howard McGrath of Ellensburg, Wash., was the only member of the party of seven to escape injury.

The party was returning to Spokane from a St. Patrick's day dance at a road house near Spokane. The machine which was driven by P. Clive Heddle, of Spokane, is alleged by the police to have been racing with another high powered automobile at the time of the crash. Heddle was but slightly injured.

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Mlle. YVONNE BECLU, who by popular vote has been pronounced the most beautiful girl in Paris. The brunette reigns in the French capital this year and she was chosen as the reigning beauty at the 13th Arrondissement. She is 21 years old and a typist.



## CEMENT BRICK PLANT LOCATES

Miles Concern to Manufacture Building Material For Five Counties

## WORK STARTS AT ONCE

Salem Made Center in Turning Out Leading Construction Article

Salem is to be cement brick headquarters for the five counties of Marion, Polk, Yamhill, Linn and Benton, and the material will be made here. B. C. and Ross C. Miles, owners of the property, plant and operations of the Oregon Gravel company, with their office at 1405 Front street, the plant on the bank of the Willamette river, and on whose property is Marion county's paving plant; and also owners of the island in the Willamette river comprising 25 or 30 acres of gravel, have secured from the Shope brick company of Portland the rights for the five counties named.

Going to Work at Once. Part of the machinery is now on the ground. The ties for the Oregon Electric track that is to run alongside the west side of the brick plant and the gravel plant arrived yesterday, and work will go forward at once on the buildings for the cement brick plant.

Cement brick is the best brick made. It is stronger than clay brick, and it will last as long as the world stands, and grow stronger with the years, and the brick made under the Shope patents will take on its face any desired color, so it is suitable for the walls of the finest buildings, inside or outside, and it is used also in tiling for floors.

The coloring is not put on with paint. It is a part of the brick itself, and is put in when the brick is manufactured.

Brick in General Use. The Shope cement brick are coming into very general use. In the construction of the new Montgomery Ward & Co. building in Portland about a million common and 150,000 face cement bricks were used, and the engineer of that company is more pleased with the fact that he put them in than he was when he adopted them in the specifications.

H. E. Plummer, Portland inspector of buildings, says the Shope brick have been used in Portland for something over ten years and have given very good satisfaction. "The brick is a cement brick, and is manufactured under a patent covering the face," he says, "and this face can be treated in colors with a variety of surfaces." He also says: "The use of Shope brick is generally recognized in Portland as brick of high character, and architects who some time ago did not specify Shope brick

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## DEFUNCT BOND HOUSE MAY BE REORGANIZED

Salem Man Named Trustee In Proposed Trust Agreement—\$1,000,000 Capitalization Planned.

## MORRIS ARRAIGNED ON LARCENY CHARGE

Two Sums Amounting to \$125,000 Alleged Taken In Indictments

PORTLAND, Ore., March 18.—Plans of a group of holders of unsecured interim certificates and owners of preferred shares of the bankrupt house of Morris Brothers, Inc., to reorganize the institution were announced today by a voluntary committee of creditors. Those designated as trustees in the proposed trust agreement were A. M. Fanning of Salem, Charles Cleveland of Gresham and LeRoy Chambers, Dr. J. D. Duback, S. C. Gazdar, F. A. Meekin and Dr. M. H. Lake of Portland.

The plans propose forming a new corporation with capitalization of \$1,000,000 based on claims of creditors and provides for continuing the bonding business pending liquidation of claims or permanently, as stockholders may determine. Earl C. Bronaugh, trustee in bankruptcy of Morris Brothers, Inc., said today it is desirable that creditors work out a plan to make a complete salvage, but he declined to recommend this plan or any other until at least it is demonstrated to be feasible. Fred S. Morris was arraigned today before Presiding Judge J. P. Kavanagh in the circuit court on two indictments charging larceny by embezzlement. The indictments charge that Morris unlawfully took the sums of \$25,000 and \$100,000 respectively at about the time when his connection with the company was terminated. The first item represents the alleged value of 5000 shares of stock in the Rogue River Water corporation alleged to have been voted to him by himself, John L. Etheridge president, and Forbes B. Pratt, secretary of the company. The second item purports to be the sum withdrawn from various accounts of the bond house in Portland banks and turned over to Morris. Hearing was set for next Tuesday.

## Minnesota Prohibits Grain Speculating

ST. PAUL, Minn., March 18.—Governor Press today signed the bill prohibiting dealing in grain futures, except legitimate hedging, which becomes effective August 1 next.

## ANOTHER HELD IN YODER CASE

Man Answering Description Of Slayer is Arrested At Oregon City

## WITNESSES TO APPEAR

Prisoner Gives Name of Fletchell, But Believed to Be Guettel

OREGON CITY, Or., March 18. A man believed to be Albert Guettel was arrested here today on suspicion of connection with the murder of Simon J. Yoder, a Woodburn, Or., garage owner, who was killed March 6. The prisoner gave the name of Fletchell, but papers found upon him indicated his identity as

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## BIRD HOUSE EXHIBIT SHOWS DEEP STUDY OF NATURE BY LINCOLN SCHOOL STUDENTS

Grade Pupils of Miss Mabel Temple Display Clever Handiwork and Elsworth Martin is Awarded First Prize on Tiny Replica of Abraham Lincoln's Former Home

By MOLLY BRUNK Do you remember the time back in your school days when teacher, in that beloved early morning hour, red to you of "Redruff," the beautiful ring-necked pheasant, and his shy mate; how you breathlessly followed his grammatical career, and how the lumpy that would neither come up nor go down come into your throat when the hunter started into the fields and "Redruff" met his tragic end? Or that other time when mother read to you of the Kentucky cardinal, how the tears coursed frankly down your chubby little girl or boy cheek, as the tale ended with his life blood forming a pool as crimson as his breast, his body bruised and maimed in the bottom of the prison, where he had been placed to please a capricious mad?

Bird Life Studied Perhaps you have forgotten the time, place and brief emotional tumult, but the love of the feathered folk of the wood, then engendered still lives for it in childhood that one forms a lasting attitude towards little and helpless things.

All of which is by way of telling of the work that is being done by Miss Mabel Temple, a teacher out at Lincoln grade school, who began her activities formed a bird study club several years ago at the school, a club that while not always meeting in a formal way, has continued, with interest growing all the time.

Prizes Are Awarded Every year the club makes an annual exhibit in connection with

this work, this year's which at present is being held in the school building, is based on the nature of a birdhouse display. The work has all been done under the supervision of Miss Temple, grades represented being the third, fourth, fifth and sixth. Three prizes have been awarded, based on merit, ability and originality. The first was given to Elsworth Martin, who made a tiny replica of the home of Abraham Lincoln. Drew Michaels and Delbert Viesko tied for second, and James Fairchild was given third.

Clever Ideas Revealed There are houses of every description—houses for the proletariat and the bourgeoisie. Some reveal a good deal of clever craftsmanship, and emphasize the fact that it is not necessary to spend money to make a dwelling suitable for Mrs. Robin Redbreast or Miss Jenny Wren.

Here are the names of the girls and boys represented in the display: Lew Lewis, Clifford Elgin, Lloyd Dayton, Virgil Holley, Albert Gardner, Adolpha and Loretta Robinson, Harriet Kenton, Hans Thielsen, Gretchen Thielsen, Douglas Millard, Drew Michaels, Elsworth Martin, Donald Foster, Keene Wain, Tony Johns, Burton Randall, Daniel Hardy, Ruth Halverson, Henrietta Bishop, Marion Shaw, Delbert Viesko, Larkin Williams, Louis Snook, Clara Cummings, Marguerite Bloomberg, Duane Kirk, Roberta Varley, James Fairchild, Freeman Drake, Paul Runda, Dorothy White, Eldon Jory, Francis Payton, Frederick Edmondson, Julia Elvin and Vern Wells.

## Women Who Earn Big Wages

No. 11. LILLIAN TRIMBLE BRADLEY

Theatrical Scenic Director Who Earns Over \$25,000 a Year.

(By International News Service) There is a splendid field for women in the line of theatrical scenic director. Lillian Trimble Bradley more than proved its possibilities, for as a theatrical scenic director she earns more than \$25,000 a year. She is among those who plan and devise the settings which make the American stage so attractive to the eye. Present day theatergoers demand unusual stage settings. Fortunes are spent on scenery and effects nowadays to provide the proper "atmosphere." Lillian Trimble Bradley is a master artist in her profession and ranks among the most famous of scenic directors in the country.



Lillian T. Bradley