

SALEM MAN WILL HEAD DISABLED VETERANS

T. H. GREEN ELECTED PRESIDENT at Convention

Corvallis Proves Good Host; Governor and Adjutant General Give Talks

The fifth annual state convention of the Disabled American Veterans of the world war, department of Oregon, closed its most successful session at Corvallis at midnight, Saturday, May 16.

Much constructive work was done for the future welfare of the disabled men. The splendid address of Kenneth L. Cooper, regional manager of the United States Veterans' bureau, emphasized the close relationship which now exists between the organization and the bureau, and was received with the greatest enthusiasm.

Governor Pierce himself, the father of a veteran, spoke feelingly of the service rendered by the boys.

Adjutant-General George A. White spoke in a reminiscing vein of overseas relations while Representative Hawley spoke of dangers of future wars and our patriotic attitude toward the same.

The following officers were elected to the state department for the ensuing year:

State commander, Theodore H. Green, of Salem; state senior vice commander, Thomas G. Rathbone, Corvallis; state adjutant, Paul Thorson, Portland; state treasurer, James S. Sharp, Corvallis; state chaplain, Harry Bower, Corvallis.

AFRICAN BUTTERFLIES MIGRATE ANNUALLY TO DISTANT ICELAND

LONDON, May 15.—The Painted Lady butterfly is as fond of travel over sea and land as she is of her gorgeous coloring. Her husband, too, likes migratory flights, and, according to scientific researchers, these butterflies in great numbers have been known to make journeys from Turkey to England.

C. B. Williams, chief entomologist of the Egyptian ministry of agriculture, who has been studying the habits of the Painted Lady for several years, gave an account of his work in a recent issue of Nature. The butterfly of this species, he believes, originates somewhere in the south or southeast of the long line of desert stretching across North Africa and Asia Minor, 2,000 or 3,000 miles from England. They leave the desert early in the spring and arrive in the vicinity of the southern shores of the Mediterranean usually about April. From Palestine they appear to fly through Syria and Turkey to the Balkan states, and from Egypt, Tripoli and Algeria they cross to southern Europe. All during the flight stragglers and weaklings are dropped out of the swarms and left behind.

By the more hardy fliers England is reached late in May or early in June, Scotland a week or so later, and here many of them spend the summer. The Painted Lady, those which originate in the desert country, have been seen in Iceland in July, some 4,000 miles from their starting place.

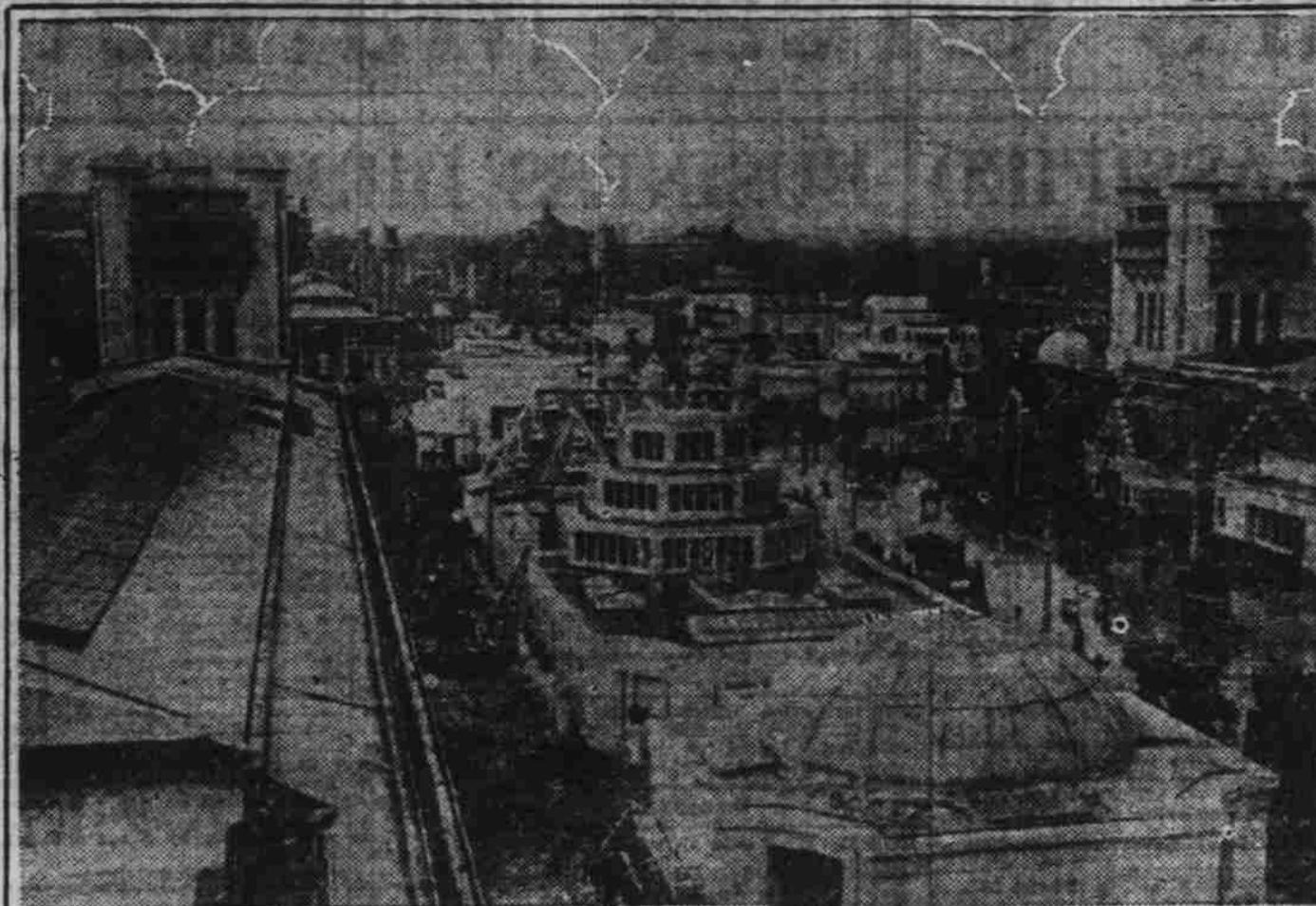
Whether in crossing great stretches of water they continue flying all night or rest on floating masses in the water has not yet been determined. Neither is it known, so far as Mr. Williams was able to ascertain, whether a return journey is made.

Prof. Wutz Claims New Facts on Hebrew Bible

LEIPSIC, May 15.—A revolution in Bible research work is foreseen by the investigations published in book form, of Prof. Franz Wurz of the Elechatt Biblical Lyceum, entitled "New Facts on the Septuaginta and Hebrew Bible."

The current version that the Greek-Alexandrian translation of the Old Testament, known as the Septuaginta, is derived from the original Hebrew text seems to be shattered by the theory of Prof. Wutz. The author is taken very seriously by biblical scholars, even

U.S. Absent From World's Fair in Paris



* * * The first world's fair since the San Francisco Exposition, and the first in Paris since that for which the Eiffel Tower was built, is now in progress in the French capital. Only the United States, Germany and China are not represented with exhibits. A general view of the exhibition grounds is shown.

those whose favorite theory he confutes by his statements, as, for instance, the well known exponent of the Old Testament, Rudolph Kittel.

Prof. Wutz now comes out with the new and somewhat startling statement that the Septuaginta is largely a reproduction of Hebrew words written with Greek letters.

He claims to have discovered that as early as 200 B. C. Jewish scholars utilized Greek-Hebrew texts for their translations into Greek. These transcriptions, he believes, furnished not only an elucidation of the Septuaginta—a feat hitherto considered impossible—but also

open up an entirely new vista in old biblical literature. An authority like Kittel recognizes in these discoveries of Wutz a likely means of arriving at the much sought-for original Hebrew text of the Old Testament.

Airplanes Move Miners Over Desolate Country

VANCOUVER, B. C., May 15.—Success in the use of airplanes to carry miners and supplies to mining districts near Fairbanks, Alaska, and in the Pacific northwest, has resulted in plans being

made here for speeding up a stampede into the Cassiar country of northern British Columbia this summer over air routes.

Dog sleighs and pack mules were pitted against freight carrying airplanes for the time when the weather would permit prospectors to rush to Dease lake.

Reports of rich gold strikes in the Cassiar were confirmed at the start of winter. Canadian police placed a ban on adventurers making the journey, for fear of starvation during the severe winter and the possibility of freezing to death if an attempt was made to return to civilization.

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Mannish Modes Threaten to Take Possession of Female Fashiondom



How far is the mannish trend going in fashion? Style authorities are unable to answer, and some of them are getting to be a little alarmed. The newest coats, one of which is seen at left, look like brother's. In Paris a fad for wearing man-style evening dress like that sketched at right, is taking hold. And there is a minor trend in hats (see below) toward bands and no decorations, just like men's headgear.

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George P. Griffith, state commander, spoke last night on the legion endowment campaign. A cafeteria supper was served by the American Legion auxiliary, a small charge being made for each variety of food.

LIQUOR VIOLATORS MANY

A total of \$360 was secured by the Salem police court over the weekend from violators of the 18th amendment. The largest contribution came from K. Murashima, a Japanese who was charged with the possession and transportation of intoxicating liquor. He was arrested early Sunday morning by Officers Edwards and Smart, as they were going off duty.

Reville Fritzie, a resident of Woodburn was fined \$10 for being plain drunk, it is alleged, while Russ Crosson contributed \$20 and John Marshal \$10 on the same charges. The three men were held in the city jail over the weekend.

SHEPHERD TRIAL IS GETTING UNDER WAY

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anxiety that the trial be hurried through.

The name of Harry Olson, chief justice of the municipal courts was mentioned frequently in examining veniremen. The defense asked if his activity in obtaining the indictment of Shepherd and the affidavit action of the coroner's jury would influence a verdict. It was Judge Olson, who, proclaiming himself "counsel for the dead" first accused Shepherd of the murder of young McClintock.

LUMBERMEN HEAD ELECTED

PORLTAND, Ore., May 18.—W. C. Ruegnitz, for the past four years executive secretary of the Loyal Legion of Loggers and Lumbermen, was unanimously elected president of tat organization at the 13th semi-annual meeting of the board of directors here today. He succeeds Norman F. Coleman, who resigned to become president of Reed college of Portland.

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DAVIS MAKES ADMISSION THAT STORIES NOT TRUE

REPORTS GIVEN TO PRESS SAID TO BE FALSE

Former Governor, Charged With Accepting Bribes, Called to Stand

TOPEKA, Kansas, May 18.—(By Associated Press)—Jonathan M. Davis, former governor, charged with seeking a bribe, admitted on the stand today that several parts of a statement given to the press to explain why his son, Russell G. Davis, had delivered a pardon to Fred Pollman, a forger, were not true. C. B. Griffith, attorney general, pressed the defendant late today to admit that a "Peterson route" really was mentioned before the executive expressed a willingness to parole Walter Grundy, an embezzler. Mr. Davis denied this, however.

The former governor, however, held his ground.

A. L. Oswald, Hutchinson attorney who represented Grundy in a parole application, had testified that Davis was cold to appeals for executive clemency until Oswald said:

"Well I guess the only thing to do is to take the Peterson route."

The phrase "Peterson route," Oswald declared, related to reports that Oswald had heard pardons were being sold through the office of Carl J. Peterson, bank commis-

sioner.

Suggestion of the "Peterson route," according to Oswald's testimony, led to the solicitation of a \$2500 bribe by both the governor and Peterson. Davis branded as false the statement that the words "Peterson route" ever were used by Oswald in any conversation with him.

Davis had undergone four hours of cross examination upon the adjournment of court tonight. The attorney general will resume questioning him in the morning.

Davis tried to make a speech to the jury to explain the inaccuracy

of parts of the statement given to the press January 10.

"Wait!" shouted Griffith, holding up an arm, "your attorneys will give you a chance to talk."

"I thought you'd give me the chance," countered Davis.

The large audience applauded the repartee.

Judge James A. McClure rapped for order, threatening to remove every spectator from the courtroom.

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MOVIES DIVERT PASSENGERS

LONDON, May 15.—In the future airplane passengers who become bored while flying may be able to take in a movie during the voyage. One of the large Paris-London air expresses was recently equipped with a movie picture projector, and, during a trial flight, a film was flashed on a screen inside the cabin, with 12 passengers as spectators.

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KAPPHAHN IS WRATHY

STREET COMMISSIONER BACKED FOR HIS POSITION

Courtesy of the council floor was given to E. L. Kappahn, local transfer man last night to air the grievances of a squabble existing between the street department. Recently Kappahn was the loser in a bid to secure the hauling of city cement and last night's action was in his words, "to secure a fair deal."

It was brought out, however, at a previous meeting and by the discussion last night, that the lowest bidder had been given the job, although Kappahn protested. He is of the opinion that his was the lower bid.

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