

"STUDENT PRINCE" HAS FINE RECORD

Play Packed Houses in Past and Film Drawing Many More

"It," asked George B. Guthrie owner of the Elsinore, "you can see fit to pause for a moment in what I find to be meaningless garrulity—I might say a word—possibly a half-dozen."

OPENING AT THE ELSINORE TODAY



RAMON NOVARRO and NORMA SHEARER in "THE STUDENT PRINCE"

"Today we have a picture. You as well as I believe it to be a really great, remarkable film. It is only fair, if it is possible, to let the Elsinore patrons realize just how good it is."

SCOUTS' INFLUENCE WORLD WIDE, NOTED

Scope Demonstrated in Events of Supreme Council At S. F. Next Week

SAN FRANCISCO, April 2.—(Special)—Far flung influence of the Boy Scout movement will be strikingly demonstrated at two events programmed in connection with the 18th annual conference of the organization's supreme council in this country, to be held April 9, 10 and 11, in San Francisco.

In a great pageant-parade one of the five divisions will consist exclusively of Scout troops costumed and bearing insignia representative of the different nations in which scouting is firmly established, including England, France, Italy, Belgium, Sweden, Norway, Denmark, Switzerland, Scotland, Mexico, China and Japan, each boy being either of foreign nationality or alien-born parentage.

At a banquet to be staged in the Palm Court of the Palace hotel the university of scouting will be stressed in various ways. San Francisco's consular corps will occupy tables embellished with the colors of their respective nations and in the decorations there will be a lavish mingling of foreign flags with the stars and stripes.

For the first time the National Council's sessions this year will be open to all volunteer workers in the organization, of whom there are more than 180,000 in the United States. Each of these men has been personally invited to attend the conference, and the number of acceptances already received from them and members of the national executive board warrants prediction that the total attendance will exceed 5,000.

Two reception committees, headed respectively by President Moore of the San Francisco District Council and Stuart W. French of Pasadena, representative of the scout region, are preparing to greet the visitors, who will be accommodated and entertained by the committee.

the committees connected with the conference and its side attractions are actively functioning and daily reporting progress to President Moore and his principal aides, vice president John A. McGregor and "Chief" Raymond O. Hanson.

REGISTRATION ASSISTED

Clark's Office Open Until 8 P. M. For This Purpose Only

In order to facilitate registration of voters for the primary election the county clerk's office at the county court house will remain open until 8 o'clock every evening, it was announced Saturday by U. G. Boyer, county clerk.

SUICIDE FOUND

CHICAGO, Apr. 2.—(AP)—The body of a well dressed woman, believed to be Vera Monroe, of Alto, Mich., was found on the roof of the Jarrick theater today, four stories above the ground. She had jumped or fallen from one of the floors above the roof and apparently had lain unnoticed for more than a week.

FLYERS CRASH

LONDON, Apr. 2.—(AP)—Fatalities for 1928 in the royal air force were increased to 13 today when four fliers were killed in two crashes.

SUCCESS THWARTS HER AMBITION



All her life Aileen Stanley, American vaudeville and revue star, has dreamed of receiving a royal summons to sing before the King and Queen of England at a command performance. Now she has been accorded that honor, but producers of the show in which she is appearing in Chicago say her services are too valuable to them to permit a leave of absence.

FOREST PROTECTION ESTIMATE \$350,000

Fire Prevention and Suppression Calls for Big Organization Here

Approximately \$350,000 will be expended during the coming summer for the protection of timberlands coming under the jurisdiction of State Forester F. A. Elliott. This area comprises a total of over 10 million acres of forest land, practically all in private ownership, with the exception of a million and a quarter acres of reserved O. & C. lands which are patrolled by state and private inspectors under contract with the U. S. forest service.

The above estimated budget is for patrol, improvements and equipment alone, no figures being included for fire suppression. It is based upon the expenditures for a normal year but, in case of an abnormally hazardous fire season, additional funds will be available to whatever extent is deemed necessary.

Expenditures for fire fighting vary so widely from year to year, being entirely dependent upon the character of the fire season, that it is impossible to make any accurate estimate of the amount needed. Hence such sums as are necessary will be contributed by the various organizations as the necessity arises.

Preliminary work, which has already been started in many of the districts, will be in the nature of improvements of the maintenance work. This will include the opening up and clearing out of approximately 3,000 miles of old trails and roads, repair of 1,300 miles of telephone line and repair and construction of cabins and lookout towers.

New improvements will consist of the construction of at least 150 miles of new trails and roads in order to open up inaccessible sections of the country so as to make it possible to get fire fighting crews and equipment in without unnecessary delay. Approximately 100 miles of new telephone line will be constructed in order to connect up new lookouts and patrolmen's headquarters and generally improve the efficiency of the fire fighting service.

Reports received from many of the warden's who have made trips throughout their districts are to the effect that maintenance work can be accomplished at considerably less cost than has been possible at any time during the past several years.

This is due to the lack of snow-fall and severe windstorms during the past winter. Snow was not sufficiently deep to break telephone lines to any great extent and wind-blown trees and debris is far less than is encountered in any normal year. Consequently there are few trees to cut from telephone lines and trails and little debris to clean out.

LISTEN IN

TUESDAY MORNING 8:00-9:00—KXII (229). Early Riser program. 9:00-10:00—KTBR (229). Women's exchange. 9:00-10:00—KEX (278). Patricia Cooke. 9:00-10:00—KXII. Portland Early Birds. 9:00-10:00—KTBR. Housewife's hour. 10:00-11:30—KGW (492). Household help and music.

TUESDAY AFTERNOON 12:00-12:30—KEX. Noon concert. 12:30-1:00—KXII. Weather report and music. 12:30-1:00—KXII. Organ concert. 12:00-1:00—KXII. Afternoon presentations. 12:30-1:30—KEX. Kiwanis luncheon program.

TUESDAY NIGHT 6:00-6:30—KXII. Utility and organ concert. 6:00-6:30—KXII. Concert. 6:30-7:00—KXII. Children's hour. 6:30-7:00—KXII. Utility and concert. 6:30-7:00—KXII. Courtesy program. 7:00-8:00—KXII. Grade school geography program.

6:00-8:00—KXII. Studio program. 8:00-9:00—KXII. Spanish lesson. 8:00-9:00—KXII. Concert. 8:00-9:00—KXII. Orchestra. 9:00-10:00—KXII. Moo Cow program. 9:40-10:00—KXII. Male quartet. 10:00-11:00—KXII. Dance music. 10:00-12:00—KEX. Dance frolic. 12:00-1:00—KXII. Music. KOAC—Corvallis (270). 6:30, music; 7, market reports and news; 7:05, "Gems of Literature."

KGO—Oakland (384). 6:30, PCN; 7, concert; 8, PCN; 9, music. KPBO—Los Angeles (252). 12:1, a. m., choir. KMO—Tacoma (254). 6:12:30, varied. KFOA—Seattle (447). 8:30, PCN; 7, feature; 8, NBC; 9, orchestra; 10, varied. KFI—Los Angeles (488). 8, 7, detective stories; 7:30, comedies; 8, PCN; 9, 10, PCN.

KFRS—San Francisco (454). 8, 9:30, sports; 7, 8, 9, 10-1, orchestra. KJR—Seattle (348). 8, 6:30, concert; 8, 9, 10, dance orchestra. KPWB—Hollywood (323). 6, quartet; 6:30, 7, string quartet; 8, tenor; 9, 10, orchestra. KOMO—Seattle (309). 6, 6:30, PCN; 7, male quartet; 8, PCN; 9, male quartet; 10, features; 10, PCN; 11:12:30, varied.

as has overgrown trails and telephone lines during the past year, reducing heavy grades in present trails and making minor repairs to cabins and lookout houses.

With the shortage of snowfall during the past winter there is the possibility of an early fire season; hence protection agencies are making every effort to complete all maintenance and improvement work as soon as possible in order to have everything in readiness when the fire season does break.

The total protection organization that will be in the field at the peak of the season will number over 300 fire wardens. These are the requirements for a normal season but, should occasion require, additional men will be placed in the field to take care of the necessary improvement work.

During the early part of the season only sufficient men will be placed in the field to take care of the necessary improvement work. As this work is completed and the fire season approaches, these men will be shifted to patrol work. Additional men will be employed as conditions demand.

Issuance of burning permits during the early part of the fire season, which begins on May 15, has been quite a problem in past years owing to the lack of field men available at that time to attend to the many requests received. In normal years the fire season does not start until later than May 15 and hence few men are in the field. In order to take care of this work, the state forester has arranged to place ten inspectors in the field on April 15, whose principal duties during the first few weeks of their employment will be to investigate and list as many slash areas as possible, taking notes as to owners and requirements necessary for safe burning.

An especial effort will be made to reach all farmers living in forested districts who wish to burn in connection with their land-clearing activities. The list secured will be filed at district headquarters so that when requests are received during the closed season, they can be issued immediately without the necessity of a personal inspection of the area to be burned.

MISSIONARY GROUP MEETS AT ALBANY

Evangelical WMS District Institute Attended By 84 Representatives

The Oregon branch of the Woman's Missionary Society held its second institute of the Salem district at Albany all day Wednesday, March 27.

Rev. P. W. Launer, formerly of Salem, Chemeketa Evangelical Church with his local W. M. S. were hostesses for the institute. Mrs. Leota Grebe Voegelien of Lebanon, formerly a missionary in India, conducted the morning devotion and Mrs. W. A. Gellatly of Corvallis, superintendent of Y. P. M. C. in the branch, the afternoon devotions.

Two splendid readings were given by Mrs. Childs of Jefferson entitled "The Man Who Died for Me," and by Mrs. W. A. Gueffroy of Lafayette "Mountain Climbers." Special musical selections were presented by Rev. Abel of Brooks and a quartet of members of the Albany W. M. S.

Rev. D. W. Kauffman, formerly

NOW PLAYING AT THE CAPITOL



RAMON NOVARRO and MARCELINE DAY in "THE ROAD TO ROMANCE"

a missionary in China, but at present pastor of Wichita Evangelical church, Portland, spoke on the "Old and New China."

A very interesting paper written by Mrs. Lunger of Lafayette, on the subject "How to Make our Missionary Meetings more Spiritual" was read by Mrs. Embree of Dallas.

Rev. G. L. Lovell, presiding elder of the Salem district, gave an address on the "Importance of the Woman's Missionary Society to the Church." He threw out the challenge of the wonderful opportunity for missionary work in the outlying districts here in Oregon.

"Many young people," he said "back in the hills have no religious training in Sunday schools or missionary societies." The Salem auxiliary of First Evangelical church repeated the dialogue, "How not to do it." This represented a missionary meeting carried on without preparation, prayer or method. Everything was done in a haphazard way, the money was raised in questionable ways, was misappropriated and sent in too late. The secretary was slack in keeping her minutes, and the treasurer kept no accurate account. The spiritual side was crowded out. The president was late and had forgotten to attend to the details of the work.

Those in attendance from Salem were Rev. and Mrs. F. B. Culver, Mrs. Isabel White, Mrs. Walter Lambkin, Mrs. Herbert McDonough, Rev. and Mrs. G. L. Lovell, Mrs. H. E. Evans, Mrs. A. Burgess, Mrs. W. A. St. Claire, Mrs. Harry Dixon, Mrs. J. F. Ulrich, Margaret Ulrich, Mrs. Bewley, Mrs. Jennie Siefarth, Mrs. H. Wenger, Mrs. J. A. Remington, and Mrs. G. N. Thompson.

These institutes are held each year over the district for instruction and inspiration. It was a stormy day, but there were eleven auxiliaries represented, with 84 delegates, some coming more than 60 miles.

A bountiful dinner was served by the Albany ladies, during which Rev. Abel entertained with a couple of readings. Dallas has invited the next institute.

POINDEXTER RETURNS

NEW YORK, Apr. 2.—(AP)—Miles PoinDEXter, retiring ambassador to Peru, arrived today on board the Santa Ana, to enter the senatorial race in Washington state. He represented Washington in the senate prior to his appointment to the post.

MARIONETTES WILL COME WEDNESDAY

"Ali Baba and the Forty Thieves" Scheduled for Capitol Theater

Local theater-goers of all ages from six to sixty are looking forward with keen interest to the performance of Tony Sarg's Marionettes next Wednesday at the Capitol theater. This year these fascinating little actors whose stage destinies are guided by clever human fingers far above them will be seen here in a dramatization of "Ali Baba and the Forty Thieves," said to be the most elaborate and amazing puppet production ever attempted.

Animals have always been one of the outstanding features of Tony Sarg's shows in the past. In "Rip Van Winkle," it was Rip's faithful old dog, in "The Rose and the Ring," there was a fiery charger, in "Treasure Island" there was a talkative parrot and in "Don Quixote" there was a donkey. Now in this newest Marionette play, Tony Sarg has provided a wonderful elephant on whom the Sultan rides. This puppet can do all a real live elephant can do, and then some! He can even grab hold of an apple with his trunk, and eat it, yes sir.

Then there is a cunning snake that bites the villain when he threatens to steal away the beautiful slave girl. There are also camels, horses, sheep, dogs and monkeys. Mr. Sarg has long been famous for his animals in his drawings for the Saturday Evening Post and other publications. The "Arabian Nights" story gives him a wonderful opportunity to also now "express himself" in the creation of Marionette animals.

MORE COWS NEEDED

DAIRYING OPPORTUNITY HERE SEEN BY W. G. IDE

Marion county is by no means

in serious condition as a farming district, for 60 per cent of its 4833 farms are free of incumbrance, declared W. G. Ide, manager of the state chamber of commerce, at the Salem chamber of commerce luncheon Monday noon.

But this county should have many times as many dairy cows as it has now, Mr. Ide continued, pointing out the prosperity of Tillamook county as an example. That is one county where there is no settlement problem, he mentioned.

The number of farms has increased 30 per cent in the last five years in Marion county, while the amount of land cultivated has increased only five per cent, said Ide, showing that more intensification is becoming the rule here.

There are now 13,776 dairy cows in the county, and ought to be at least ten for every farm, or about 50,000, said Ide.

Read the Classified Ads. Last Times Today RAMON NOVARRO (Star of Ben Hur) "THE ROAD TO ROMANCE" Will Rogers' Travels News - Comedy WEDNESDAY AFT. & EVE. Tony Sarg's Marionettes LEAH HOLT at the Capitol WURLITZER

LEW CODY AILENE PRINGLE in "WICKEDNESS PREFERRED" TODAY WED. - THURS. FRIDAY NITE Salem Dramatic League in "THE 12 POUND LOOK" SAT. & SUN.—SINGER STOCK COMPANY OREGON

Long Live Romance! THE STUDENT PRINCE IN OLD HEIDELBERG TODAY TILL SATURDAY THIS GREAT ERNST LUBITSCH FILM WITH RAMON NOVARRO AND NORMA SHEARER HAS OLD HEIDELBERG AND ITS MONARCHIC TRADITIONS FOR A BACKGROUND. IT'S MORE THAN ENTERTAINMENT—IT'S A LIFE EXPERIENCE! Matinees 35c Evenings 50c Children 10c ELSINORE