

Good Humor Found Keynote of Annual Kiwanian Election

NEW OFFICERS ALL UNOPPOSED

Charles Walker of Portland Made District Governor or Tuesday

No stir was occasioned in Kiwanis politics Tuesday afternoon inasmuch as every election was by unanimous vote. Charles Walker of Portland being chosen governor of the district without opposition as had been predicted from the start of the convention.

George F. Erb of Lewiston, Idaho and Clinton F. Harley of Seattle, both lieutenant governors, were nominated but withdrew before the balloting began.

Walker withdrew at Aberdeen, Wash., last summer when Gowman was nominated and it was generally understood that the trade made there was to carry Walker into office this year.

In the same one-two-three order, Victoria B. C., was selected as the convention city for 1930, the agreement having been made at Aberdeen that such would be the choice this year at Salem.

Preliminary caucuses held Monday night by delegates from the nine divisions in the northwest district paved the way for the routine election of the lieutenant governor, to succeed Ole Olson of Pasco; division five, Emmett Hitchner, of Sandpoint, lumberman, to succeed George Erb of Lewiston; division six, D. T. Sleep of Ontario, orchardist, to succeed James A. Free of Pendleton; division seven, J. A. Buchanan, Astoria, first president of the Astoria club, chairman of the district history committee, unanimous choice to succeed Robert Moore of Astoria; division eight, Earl Knott of McMinnville, Yamhill county district attorney, to succeed Claude Barrick of Tillamook; division nine, Dr. George E. Hoack of Roseburg, physician, to succeed Dr. George A. Massey of Klamath Falls.

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Have a Heart? ... Sure



Next time a swain pleads with his lady love to "have a heart," she can reply with orthographic proof. An x-ray machine, constructed on scientific pantographic principles, which enables the operator to trace the identical outlines of the human heart, a shoulder blade or other organ or bone, upon a sheet of paper, was tried out recently by Dr. Harold H. Reuss, of Los Angeles, who used Miss Edith Sherman as a subject, to show delegates at the first session of the National Chiropractic association's annual convention, how the new laboratory feat is accomplished.

HOOVER VIEWS JAIL PROBLEM

President Discloses Plans For Taking Care of Congestion

WASHINGTON, Aug. 20. (AP)—Two moves toward relieving congestion in federal penitentiaries were disclosed today by President Hoover and Attorney-General Mitchell. The first, as announced by the president, contemplates use by the department of justice of three military prisons for incarceration of criminals until completion of the pending \$6,250,000 construction program. Subsequently the attorney-general said the budget bureau had received that program, calling for a new penitentiary in the northeast, industrial reformatory in the west and three short term jails in sections yet to be selected.

President Hoover had conferred with Secretary Good and Mr. Mitchell regarding the availability of the military prisons. They determined the disciplinary barracks at Fort Leavenworth could be turned over to the department of justice temporarily as soon as the 600 military prisoners there could be transferred.

The disciplinary barracks at Governor's Island and at Alcatraz also were said to be available if necessary, but at present the justice department does not contemplate their use.

Attorney-General Mitchell said the Fort Leavenworth barracks could accommodate 1,800, and after these barracks are turned over in about two weeks they probably will be operated as a part of Leavenworth penitentiary. As soon as organization is completed, prisoners will be transferred there from the Atlanta and Leavenworth penitentiaries, in each of which there are now 3,700 prisoners, although the prisons were designed to hold half as many.

The new penitentiary will cost \$2,000,000, the reformatory \$2,500,000, and three jails \$250,000. Mr. Mitchell said the program first would have to be authorized by the budget bureau and congress, and then would take about six years for completion.

The attorney general hopes the use of the Leavenworth barracks will meet the situation until the new penitentiary is completed. It will be designed to accommodate 2,000 prisoners, while the industrial reformatory would accommodate 1,000 prisoners and each of the jails not more than 500 prisoners. He said the reformatory would be conducted along the lines of the present federal reformatory for first offenders at Chillicothe, Ohio, which is a non-walled prison.

Those who enjoyed air trips recently are George Hager, Mr. and Mrs. Wilber Flood and Mr. and Mrs. Orven Fryslie, Mob Martin piloted the passenger plane in which the Floods and Fryslies rode.

Hazel Magee visited Helen Smith of Bethel, Wednesday. D. Savage and his sister, Mrs. Frank Lundy, who lived here several years ago, have moved back again. They have rented the cottage on the Russell Clearwater farm.

Frank Harris has taken charge of the Reeves grocery store on Center street in Salem.

Threshing will be completed in a few days. Fryslie and son, who are among the largest growers, threshed Thursday, Friday and Saturday.

Lawyer Dies

EUGENE, Ore., Aug. 20. (AP)—O. W. Foster, local attorney, died here tonight after an illness of three years.

SPEAKER TELLS KIWANIS PLACE

Howard W. Cooper Delivers Brief Address at Convention

"Kiwans can do nothing more important than to help the young man to find his proper place in life," Kiwanian Howard W. Cooper told the delegates to the convention Tuesday morning in opening the reports to be at the session in the state capital. "Some clubs give their vocational guidance program orally, contacting the various boys which the club wants to reach by personal conversations. Others have written programs of instruction." Cooper cited one club which had organized a junior Kiwanis for the express purpose of assisting in the vocational guidance of the various boys in their community.

Charles F. Walker, later in the day elected northwest governor for the ensuing year, reported for the district committee on Kiwanis education. He stressed the fact that only one-third of the clubs' committees on Kiwanis education had regular meetings and deplored this fact. Walker characterized Kiwanis, through a series of apt illustrations, as a form and an instrumentality through which force is manifest. Kiwanis is Walker's opinion, constitutes one of the greatest means in the nation of making the forces of honesty, loyalty, integrity and similar building forces, manifest.

Harry Nobbs of Vancouver, B. C., chairman of the district committee on Kiwanis efficiency, made the presentation of awards for the year to different clubs which had won prizes for club excellence. In the gold division Spokane was awarded first place; Astoria was winner both of northwest and international honors in the silver division; in the blue division, Tillamook and Elma took first honors while in the white division, the awards went to the Wenatchee club.

RAILWAY LINE WILL OPERATE IN MONTH

Opening of the new railway line between Klamath Falls, Ore. and Astoria, Cal., has been set officially for September 15.

Officiating at Mills field, where Templeman took off Monday morning at 10:09 o'clock, said another refueling contact had been made with Templeman's plane shortly before 3 o'clock this afternoon. It was planned, they said, to make still another contact tonight about 7 o'clock, and give his plane enough gas to last it through the night or until Templeman decided to land.

300 OF VISITORS HERE ARE WOMEN

Kiwanis members have loyal supporters in their women folk as the number of women registered as visitors at the 12th Kiwanis convention now in session is an indication. There were 950 people registered Monday evening and out of that number 300 were women. Considering the fact that the women have nothing to do in Kiwanis in an official capacity, this is a pretty good record.

THE MARX BROS. THE COCOANUTS

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BELKNAP FOUND BEST SPEAKER

Portland Man Adjudged to Deliver Finest Five Minute Speech

Dr. Wilford H. Belknap of Portland was acclaimed the winner of Governor T. Harry Gowman's trophy for the best five-minute oration on Kiwanis when he was called before the Kiwanis banquets at the armory Tuesday night and informed that his speech earlier in the day had been pronounced the best by the three judges. Belknap received continued applause as he returned to his Portland table after being informed by Governor Gowman that the trophy would be presented to him at an early meeting of the Portland club.

WITNESSES QUIZZED IN PANTAGES TRIAL

LOS ANGELES, Aug. 20. (AP)—Two new witnesses were questioned today in the district attorney's investigation into the case of Alexander Pantages, 54 year old theatre magnate, who is charged with a statutory offense upon Eunice Pringle, 17 year old dancer. Pantages is due to enter his plea to the charge on Thursday.

The new witnesses, who were questioned by Chief Deputy District Attorney Robert P. Stewart were Marie Lowell, stenographer employed by Pantages and Ruth May, cashier at Pantages theatre. Stewart said that both girls made lengthy statements concerning the case against Pantages, but he declined to disclose details. Simultaneously Stewart stated that death threats had been made against another girl acuser of Pantages, a former usherette in the Pantages theatre who has submitted an affidavit charging him with attempting to attack her by force a year ago. The former usherette's identity has been kept secret, but despite this, Stewart stated, an unidentified man threatened her by telephone.

ATTACK ON SAILOR VERY MYSTERIOUS

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 20. (AP)—The mystery of how Ensign J. B. Canty, U. S. N., obtained a deep cut on the back of his head, which led medical authorities to believe he had a fractured skull, remained a mystery as police and naval authorities investigated the circumstances under which Canty was found unconscious in an automobile early today outside a fashionable hotel. Canty, authorities said, had either been assaulted or had met with an accident. After the naval officer regained consciousness, he said that the last he remembered was walking toward the naval pier here to rejoin his ship the U. S. S. New Mexico.

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FANCHON AND MARCO RETURNING TO CITY

New Arrangement is Made By George Guthrie to Return Stars

Since the announcement that Fanchon and Marco stage "Ideas" will return to Salem at the Elsinore theatre, much favorable comment has been received by the management. The Fanchon and Marco shows have been offered at the Elsinore until a few months ago when a change in routing conditions to the northwest, made it necessary to abandon them.

Under a new booking arrangement made between George B. Guthrie and Fanchon and Marco, these shows are to continue here indefinitely. The first new show will be the "Love School Idea," in which the famous comedienne, Renie Riano, is featured. A chorus of Fanchon and Marco Sunkist beauties are in the cast.

"The Cocoanuts," the all-talking picture, featuring the Four Marx Brothers, which is now current at that theatre, is to be held over until Thursday night, owing to the overflowing crowds.

The Boy Scouts are in their natural habitat, at Camp Lumberlost, learning better to take care of themselves, to be of service to others and to save lives. A trip to Lost Lake would be an eye-opener for anyone who questions the worth of the Boy Scout movement.

If anyone is still left in The Dalles district who does not believe in the value of the Boy Scout movement, let them see the boys at the Dalles district camp.

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