

Actives Hear Story Of The Philippines

The United States has been made aware of her own weakness and strength by the loss and recapture of the Philippines and by this time has partially regained the lost prestige of the white man, declared Dr. Warren D. Smith, professor of geology at the University of Oregon, who spoke before Active club members in Eugene Thursday.

Smith, who was chief of the

bureau of mines in Manila from 1907 to 1914 and again in 1920 and 1922, traced the history of the Philippines' inhabitants from the Negritos 30,000 years ago, through the Stone Age people, the Indians, Chinese, Hindus and Mohammedans.

Four Important Points

In concluding his speech, Smith pointed out that the Philippines are especially significant to us for four reasons: (1) they are the most democratic people in the world; (2) they are the largest body of Christians in the Orient; (3) our presence there will stabilize the whole Far East, and (4) our manner of handling the Philippines has, or will, virtually outlaw the exploitation policy.

At a prodigious price of the blood of the young men of our country, we have "redeemed our soul," Smith said, and it is his hope that we won't sell it again for oil and scrap iron.

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Busy Program For Annual Scout Meet

Conferences on advancement, organization and extension, and finance will highlight the afternoon program of the annual meeting of the Oregon Trail council, Boy Scouts of America, Sunday at the Osburn hotel.

Working meetings covering these three phases of the Boy Scout program will be preceded by a general meeting of scouts and cubbers which will feature a demonstration called "From the Institutions of America." J. R. Bruckart, council president, said.

The session on advancement will be headed by Walter H. Banks, council advancement committee chairman, and will cover the practical problems of administering the "Troop Advancement Plan" and the merit badge program, and committee members will consider 1945 objectives.

The organization and extension meeting will be headed by Lynn S. McCready, chairman of the council committee, and will consider the charter review procedure, techniques of troop and pack organization, and objectives for 1945.

The meeting on finance will be under the direction of Alton F. Baker, council finance committee chairman, and will include consideration of the new endowment and trust committee, as well as council financial reports.

While the three special meetings are in session, troop and pack committees, scoutmasters, cubmasters, and assistants, den mothers, and other scouts and cubbers will see Boy Scout and Cub Scout movies, Bruckart said.

A meeting of the council executive board will be held at 4:30 Sunday with the annual dinner starting at 6 p.m.

Dow-Jones

Closing Dow-Jones stock averages: Industrial 158.99, off 0.87; railroad 51.49, off 0.48; utility 28.07 off 0.21; 65 stocks 59.45, off 0.35.

Sales totaled 1,320,000 shares compared with 1,720,000 Wednesday. Big board bond sales were \$10,670,000 compared with \$9,230,000 Wednesday. Curb stock turnover was 530,000 shares against 670,000 shares.

Dow Jones closing bond averages: 40 bonds 108.32 up 0.03; 10 1st grade rails 114.28 up 0.08; 10 2nd grade rails 94.25 up 0.06; 10 pub. util. 108.98 off 0.07; 10 indus. 107.76 up 0.05.

Priest Hurt In Crash

Rev. Louis Sohler, pastor of the Catholic church at Cottage Grove, is in Sacred Heart hospital, suffering painful but not serious injuries as a result of an accident involving his car and a truck, Thursday at 11:25 a.m., at Sixth and Tyler streets.

The priest's injuries are mainly

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to his hip and head, some chest injuries, but no fractures or other major injury. Father Sohler formerly was assistant pastor in Eugene for several years.

Roy Elmer Sowards

Roy Elmer Sowards, 63, of route 1, Springfield, died Friday in a local hospital. He was born March 18, 1882, in Michigan City, Indiana. He was married in 1913 to Mrs. Clara Rowe in Linton, Ind., and they came to Oregon in 1918, living first at Bend. They moved to Springfield in 1928, and have made their home there since that year.

Surviving are his wife; two sons, Cleo Sowards of Springfield and Freeman Sowards, machinist's mate 1-c in the U. S. navy; one grandson; a brother, Alfred Sowards of Michigan City, Ind., and two sisters, Mrs. Belle Blades of LaPorte, Ind., and Mrs. Amelia Vinnette of South Bend, Ind.

Mr. Sowards had been a member of the IOOF lodge for 31 years.

Funeral services will be held Monday at 2 p. m. at the Phil Bartholomew mortuary in Springfield. Rev. Claude O'Brien will officiate, and Springfield Odd Fellows will take part in graveside services, at Laurel Hill cemetery.

Mrs. Clara T. Hammond

Word has been received here of the death of Mrs. Clara Turner Hammond, wife of James G. Hammond, a native of Eugene and for many years a resident here. Death occurred at Hartford, Conn., Jan. 19.

Mr. and Mrs. Hammond lived at Waterford, Conn., and Mr. Hammond is a member of the Connecticut state legislature, now in session.

Mrs. Hammond was for many years an actress and headed a stock company of her own.

James G. Hammond is a brother of the late General Creed C. Hammond and a son of the late Mrs. F. A. Rankin, pioneer of Eugene. Mrs. Hammond visited in Eugene a number of times in years past.

Mrs. Martha V. Schultz

Mrs. Martha Viola Schultz, 41, of route 5, Eugene, died Thursday at a local hospital. She had been a resident here for the past eight months. She was born June 1, 1903, in Cleveland, Ohio.

Surviving are her husband, Otto Schultz, living here; a son, Raymond, molder 1-c in the U. S. navy, and a daughter, Mrs.

Marian Fiscus of Cleveland. The body is to be forwarded to Willoughby, Ohio, for funeral services, the Veatch-Hollingsworth mortuary in charge of local arrangements.

Planning Bill May Die In Committee

SALEM, Feb. 23.—(AP)—The bill to create city and county planning commissions, which would allow cities authority to plan development of surrounding territory, was virtually dead today, with indications it never would come out of the house counties and cities committee.

Committee members said they expect to let it die in committee, asserting the bill gives too much power to cities at the expense of the counties.

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Chamber and Families To Have Banquet

SPRINGFIELD — Students of the Springfield high school domestic science classes will serve a banquet to members of the chamber of commerce and their families at the school on Monday evening.

Entertainment in the form of moving pictures and music will make up most of the entertainment.

SOCIAL EVENING PLANNED

SPRINGFIELD — Odd Fellow and Juanita Rebekah lodge members are asked not to forget the social night planned for Friday evening at 8 o'clock for both groups in the IOOF hall.

PROGRESS CLUB

SPRINGFIELD — Members of the Progress club of Springfield are to meet on Friday, March 2,

Pimples Disappeared Over Night

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FINES
SPRINGFIELD — Fines have been assessed in the recorder's court against Eddie Duncan, \$30, failing to appear on issue of warrant; and George V. Hudspeth, basic rule, forfeited bail \$10.

Wage, Child Conference

Ray McInnis, business agent for construction and general laborers local (AFL) in Eugene, was in Salem Friday in the interest of current legislation on child delinquency.

McInnis said he would meet there with special members of the committee of higher education on the matter of higher wages for

lower-paid workers. This includes janitors, etc. He also expected to see James Murr, executive of the Oregon State Labor, on the bill proposed for men and women.

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Q. In 1861, the custom of ordering coffee when dining out was noted with approval by . . .
☐ Abraham Lincoln ☐ The Richmond Times-Star
☐ Godey's "Lady's Book and Magazine"

Q. Coffee is defined as "a beverage resulting from a water infusion of roasted coffee and nothing else" by . . .
☐ League of Nations
☐ U. S. Dept. of Agriculture
☐ Army Cooks Manual

Q. At M.J.B. green coffee beans of various types are mixed then stored together for a period; this makes for . . .
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