

Important Public Chautauqua Meeting Tonight at 7:30 City Hall

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CHINESE WEDS AMERICAN GIRL ON HIGH SEAS

ENGAGE LAUNCH AND SAIL BEYOND THREE-MILE LIMIT TO HAVE KNOT TIED

Hire San Francisco Skipper to Take Them to Sea Beyond U. S. Jurisdiction, and Mariner as "Sky Pilot" Performs Ceremony.

AUBURN, Calif., May 8.—Mrs. Ruth Ames Lee, American girl, and her husband, Sam Lee, full-blooded Chinese, arrived here today and took up their residence in the Lee domicile, after they had been wed on a wind and wave tossed launch which had gone beyond the three-mile limit out of San Francisco to escape the jurisdiction of the act prohibiting the marriage of whites and Asiatics.

The wedding took place only after one tugboat company had refused the couple a launch, and after the skipper of the launch which was finally obtained, refused to take them out to sea.

Another skipper was enlisted in the person of Captain Edward Johnson, who not only navigated the launch through and beyond the Golden Gate, but "spliced" the couple.

The couple met years ago in Auburn, when the girl was called upon to assist Lee after he had been wounded in a tong war.

MISSING LINK IS DISCOVERED BY LOCAL MAN

A. G. Adams was over near Hilt the other day, and in the timber he secured a freak of nature which has attracted a great deal of attention. It is the trunk of a tree, cut about four and a half feet from the ground and almost a perfect reproduction of the famed "missing link," looking for all the world like a dwarf gorilla.

With knots for eyes and nose, and gnarled limbs for legs and arms, it is rather a gruesome reminder of the Darwinian theory. Around its middle runs a small limb, making a perfect belt and from the base of what would be the spine, in the back—runs another limb, making a full-fledged tail, and completing the likeness to the gorilla.

Mr. Adams has had his find photographed and will use the pictures for advertising purposes, although it is not likely he will call it "Adams, the Wood Man."

BRITISH PREMIER DENIES THREATS AGAINST FRENCH

GENOA, May 8.—Lloyd George tonight issued a statement to the press denying the reports that he had threatened France with ending the entente.

He couples the statement with an attack on the Northcliffe press, and an indication that the failure of Russia to reply to the allies' note unequivocally, will not necessarily end the negotiations.

BEVERIDGE BEATS NEW INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., May 8.—Former Senator Albert J. Beveridge defeated Senator Harry S. New by 20,472 votes in Tuesday's primary for the republican nomination for United States senator. This is according to complete unofficial figures given out today. The vote was Beveridge 205,410, and New 184,938, making the total republican vote cast, 390,348.



Representative Madden, chairman of the house appropriations committee declares that government appropriations will not be permitted to exceed government income during the coming fiscal year.

NOTED BAD MAN IS SLAIN BY POLICE CHIEF

WICHITA FALLS, Tex., May 8.—Bud Ballew, mankiller of the southwest, "cashed in" here when Police Chief McCormick beat him to his holster and sent five .38-caliber steel-jacketed bullets crashing into his body as he stood in an Ohio street cafe.

Bud's prowess in unlimbering his "six gun" when trouble threatened had saved him in numerous border squabbles. But it was lacking today. His gun never got out of its scabbard. It was only a short way out when the police chief, firing from the hip, was master of the situation.

20 PRISONERS BIND AND GAG GUARDS; ESCAPE

WICHITA, Kans., May 8.—Twenty inmates of the municipal workhouse, bound and gagged three guards and escaped. Only one inmate, a cripple, refused to take the chance for liberty and remained in jail. Poses are searching for the fugitives.

CRADLE ROLL PARTY IS GIVEN SATURDAY

The Cradle Roll party given by the primary department of the Sunday school at the Presbyterian church Saturday was a most delightful gathering of little ones and their mothers. The primary classes under direction of Miss Hays and Mrs. Van Sant, gave some of their songs, exercises and catechism recitations to show the teaching accomplished. The department is now known as the "Little Light Bearers" to give definiteness to the missionary teaching and giving.

TAX AUDITING BUREAUS TO BE LOCATED IN THE WEST

WASHINGTON, May 8.—In order to bring the government's revenue collecting machinery closer to the people, so that work may be done more quickly and tax disputes may be adjusted with greater celerity, the treasury has decided to establish auditing bureaus at Seattle, Tacoma, Portland and San Francisco.

HEADQUARTERS WILL BE RETAINED AT CAMP LEWIS

WASHINGTON, May 6.—Camp Lewis is to be retained as headquarters of the Third division of the army with approximately 2000 troops. Senator Poindexter was advised today by the secretary of war. Camp Lewis also will be the headquarters of the Third field artillery brigade, the Tenth regiment of field artillery, the Sixth engineers, and of medical and supply troops for the Third division.

Convention of Federation of Women's Clubs At Grants Pass Well Attended By Ashland Delegates

By MARGARET E. DILL

The annual meeting of the Southern Oregon Federation of Women's Clubs was held in Grants Pass on Saturday, attended by over 200 members. Mrs. Hair, of Grants Pass gave the address of welcome. Miss Grace Chamberlain responded, stating that "our watchword is service." And the reports from all clubs conclusively showed that the keynote of the federation is truly service, and that conservation, preservation and education of the coming generation is the most vital element in the southern Oregon woman's life program.

Mrs. Bacon, Josephine county school superintendent, gave an excellent explanation of Freud's method of psycho-analysis. Miss Faldine, Jackson county health nurse, detailed the work she is accomplishing.

The Grants Pass ladies served a delicious luncheon. Mrs. Ida B. Callahan, state president, brought a message of inspiration for effort by telling of past accomplishments. She said in part: "United effort cannot fail, with two million women in 49,000 clubs. I am startled at the illiteracy in our own state of Oregon and am determined to hunt out one illiterate and teach that one that I may feel I have done my bit. At Chautauqua this summer I shall speak of the working power of women, their power to build libraries, to build health in the schools. Service is our keynote. Every link in the federation chain counts. Every time a county is made stronger our state is made stronger. We, in Corvallis, and our county, seem to thrive on getting in debt. We do everything that is honorable to make money. I believe it pays to get in debt because then everybody gets interested and works to get out."

Mrs. Louise Perozzi ably explained the citizenship bill for married women. Mrs. Sadie Orr Dunbar, chairman of child welfare, told of service to children in the state. The law providing for care of crippled children which was made possible by the united efforts of the federation, is giving relief to hundreds of children. The law provides that any one interested in a crippled child, if that one can get consent of the parents, the child may be sent to the hospital in Portland, where every care will be given it free of charge, if the parents are in poverty. Mrs. Van Sant, a club woman of Portland, is said to contribute more time than any woman in the state for childhood, and she personally looks after the children who are sent to this hospital. The mother's aid law, which has since become the widow's pension law, was first drafted in 1911 and passed in 1913, due to the united efforts of the Parent-Teachers association. The service being rendered to mothers and children over the state is marvelous in its educational scope. Mrs. Dunbar stated. She closed her address with this thought: "What does it profit the child if he learn the whole curriculum and lose his health? The world has come to know that the whole child goes to school."

Clubs are outgrowths of sewing circles, then literary societies, now broadened to civic service. There is only one thing I have seen women balk at, and that is jury duty. Let's serve. I've been rather anxious to serve. I don't believe women are slack in voting—that is a duty; so is jury service. Last year my goal was 10,000 state membership. We have over that. No, I want 20,000. We have started an endowment fund of \$21,000, starting with \$1000 last year. I think district meetings ideal and would like to have six districts in the state."

Mrs. O. S. Blanchard, president of the Grants Pass chamber of commerce, gave a talk on the "Isolation of Southern Oregon." An excellent program was presented in the evening by local talent. Roscoe Arbuckle came in for much attention, and a night letter was sent to Mr. Will Hays commending his stand on the Arbuckle films and urging that he suppress them. Also the federation declared itself as determined to use united influence to keep the Arbuckle films out of the state.

The following officers were elected: President, Mrs. Jay Terrill, Talent; first vice-president, Mrs. Gordon MacCracken, Ashland; second vice-president, Mrs. Anna Clark, Rogue River; recording secretary, Mrs. G. R. Satchell, Medford; treasurer, Mrs. P. B. Whitney, Grants Pass; district organizer, Mrs. Gertrude Mason, Grants Pass.

The following resolutions were adopted: Unanimous disapproval of Arbuckle films. Commendation of Will Hays' stand. Disapproval of street fairs because of the trail of disease and immoral influence that follows. A united effort to get city councils to refuse them entrance into our towns. The first Saturday in May was set as the annual meeting date. The following members attended from Ashland: Mesdames Wiltshire, Hammond, Gordon MacCracken, Fuller, Lanekin, Perozzi, Denton, Borah, Dill and Misses Palmer and Chamberlain. The meeting next year will be held in Talent.



Miss Eva La Rose of Lawrence, Mass., gave up "slingshotting" as a waitress, to sling paint. She is now a crackerjack in the art, and is said to be the only girl sign painter in New England.

HOTEL MAN KILLS GIRL AND THEN SHOOT HIMSELF

JOLIET, Ill., May 8.—Miss Mabel Kerwin, a pretty former cigar counter girl, was shot and killed in her apartment here early this morning, by Robert McRoberts, manager of the Woodruff Inn. McRoberts then turned the pistol on himself and died a few minutes later.

No motive for the tragedy could be learned. McRoberts was prominent in politics and civic affairs and a member of a highly respected family. He went to the apartment of the girl, with whom he had been friendly, and started shooting without warning.

RANGERS SENT TO QUIET MOBS AFTER STAKE BURNING

AUSTIN, Tex., May 8.—Governor Neff has ordered two detachments of state rangers to Fairfield following a request from there that the rangers be sent to assist in calming the populace.

FAIRFIELD, Tex., May 8.—As a result of finding that another negro has been lynched, Governor Neff has been asked to send the rangers here. There are rumors that the negroes are banding together for revenge on the white people, but as yet all negroes in this vicinity have been quiet.

The lynching followed the burning of three negroes at Kirwen Saturday for the murder of a 17-year-old school girl.

SENATE APPROVES \$17,000,000 FOR VET HOSPITAL BUREAU

WASHINGTON, May 8.—The bill authorizing the veterans' bureau to spend \$17,000,000 on additional hospital facilities passed the senate late Saturday. The bill already had been passed in the house and now goes to the president for his signature.

The tariff bill was laid aside to give the appropriation measure the right of way. It provided a direct appropriation of \$12,000,000 to be spent by the veterans' bureau under the supervision of the president and authorizes the bureau to contract obligations for \$5,000,000 more.

WILL MAKE TRIP EAST WITH IDEA OF LOCATING

H. T. Elmore of this city will leave soon for Chicago, from which place he will go to Maine, where he will consider an exceptional business opportunity in a line with which he was associated for many years. Should he accept the proposition, he would dispose of his shoe business here and move his family to the east.

UNCLE SAM WILL NOT RECOGNIZE MEXICAN GOV.

U. S. WILL HOLD NO OFFICIAL RELATION UNLESS RIGHTS ARE PROTECTED

Oregon's Government Must Repudiate Provisions of Constitution of 1917 Authorizing Confiscation of Property of American Citizens.

WASHINGTON, May 8.—With an unusual emphasis it was made clear today that the United States cannot and will not recognize the Obregon government or any other administration in Mexico until that administration gives guarantees that the property of American citizens will not be confiscated under the provisions of the Carranza constitution of 1917.

This is the sum and substance of the American policy and it was stated with great force that until these guarantees are forthcoming, Mexico must remain one of those nations with which the American government can have no official relations. While this statement is unofficial it emanates from the state department. It is said that this will be the tenor of a note to be, if it has not already been, forwarded to the Mexican government.

Read your home-town paper.

ROSEBURG WILL NOT BE BOUND BY BLUE LAWS

ROSEBURG, May 8.—The Sunday "blue laws" recently proposed for Roseburg will not be enacted, the city council decided and instructed the city attorney that it would not be necessary for him to prepare the ordinance ordered at a former meeting. Two weeks ago a committee appeared before the council asking that the motion picture houses be closed on Sundays. In placing the motion the council ordered the city attorney to prepare an ordinance closing all places of public amusement. This action immediately brought about a storm of protest, and the issue has been agitating the entire community for the past two weeks.

Supporters and opponents of the measure have been spreading their propaganda on every hand and the whole community has been aroused over the issue.

CONVENTION OF HOTEL MEN BEING HELD IN EUGENE

EUGENE, May 8.—Nearly four-score hotel men and their wives are attending the state hotel men's convention, which opened here Saturday afternoon with a business session at the chamber of commerce.

An auto caravan of delegates arrived from Portland at 2:30 o'clock, having stopped at Albany for lunch, and were shown over the University of Oregon. The guests were tendered a banquet and entertainment at the Hotel Osburn in the evening. Yesterday they were taken on an automobile trip to London with a picnic luncheon at Calapooya Spring.

CURRENCY COMPTROLLER CALLS FOR BANK STATEMENT

WASHINGTON, May 8.—The comptroller of the currency has issued a call to the national banks for their quarterly statements up to the close of business on May 5.

CHAUTAQUA MEETING TONIGHT AT CITY HALL

There will be a meeting of the Chautauqua association tonight in the city hall at 7:30 o'clock, to which the public is cordially invited, and it is hoped that all the guarantors will be present, as matters of the most vital importance in connection with the coming Chautauqua beginning May 24th and ending May 29th, will be submitted for consideration.

One of these matters is the plan to reduce the price of season tickets, in order that larger crowds may be induced to attend. Two distinct plans will be submitted. The first provides for continuing the present price of \$2.50 on season tickets, but extending the privilege of admission to the whole family, instead of, as at present, permitting a single admission on each season ticket. In other words, if there are three or four members of a family who wish to attend at the same date, all will be admitted on the one season ticket.

The second plan is to make the price of one dollar for a season ticket, with the same restrictions that have always obtained; that is, good for one person only and not transferable.

Whichever plan is adopted, it is proposed to start the sale campaign at once, dividing the city into 22 districts, so that each district will be confined to two square blocks, as was the case during the Liberty loan drives, which were attended with unvarying success.

MOVIE STARS TO HAVE BIG DAY AT GOLD RUSH SHOW SACRAMENTO, Calif., May 8.—Noted film personages will hold forth on May 27 at the Days of '49 and a celebration in Sacramento. It will be "Movie Star Day." Special features have been arranged, including the entrance of famous movie riders in the \$10,000 wild west contest.

In Ashland's Auto Camp

The camp ground assumed its old time popularity Sunday afternoon, with 22 cars registering all the way from Maine to California.

Several remarked this morning that they had received better treatment at this camp than at any camp they had visited on their entire trip. One tourist said that he had traveled from Colorado to California, and that Ashland has the best auto camp he had seen on the road.

Quite a number are here to take advantage of our mineral waters and expect to remain several days. One of this number said that if the mineral water brings health to his wife he will be willing to buy the whole park. Of course he was informed that neither the mineral waters nor the park are for sale, but are for the free use of the public.

Those arriving Sunday afternoon were: F. C. Pearce and party, Portland; E. J. Brady, Ft. Harden, Wash.; F. F. Cavendish and family, Seattle; O. Jansen and family, Tacoma; Edwin Moore and party, Helper, Utah; Chas. T. Moore and family, Helper, Utah; J. J. Grimsey, Seattle; Lewis Ball, Portland; G. O. Wallace and party, Seattle; A. P. Toothaker and party, Belfast, Me.; D. N. Robertson, Roslyn, Wash.; M. M. Caldwell, Roslyn, Wash.; B. F. Lamah, Fresno; P. S. Blodgett and party, North Bend, Wash.; A. P. Drucker, Fresno; H. J. Baer-tschiger and party, El Monte, Calif.

GRIMSLEY FOUND GUILTY BY JURY OF WOMEN

J. M. Grimsley was tried this afternoon in Justice Gwady's court by a jury composed of Mesdames H. J. Leavitt, O. H. Johnson, O. J. Rathborn, William Davis, C. J. Brady and E. E. Phipps, and found guilty on a charge of drunkenness. A sentence of 30 days in jail and a \$50 fine was given by the court, with the statement that if the fine was paid before 10 o'clock tomorrow morning, the jail sentence would be suspended pending his good behavior.

BIG DELEGATION OF CAVE MEN HERE TOMORROW

The Ashland chamber of commerce will be host to some 30 members of the Grants Pass chamber of commerce tomorrow night at a banquet at the Hotel Ashland. A program has been outlined which will consist of music and discussions of the Oregon caves by the visiting delegation and of Lithia park and other attractions in this vicinity. The Cave Men will give various details of the caves that are probably unknown to many Ashlanders, and will also give an idea as to what they hope to do in developing them as one of the scenic beauties of southern Oregon.

It is the purpose of the meeting to get together and boost for southern Oregon instead of each town working individually for its own private benefit, without any regard for the surrounding country. The hour for the banquet is set at 7, and a large number of the members of the local chamber will be present to give the Cave Men a reception which it is hoped will be the beginning of an era of good feeling such as never before prevailed between the two cities.

45-POUND SALMON IS TAKEN

GRANTS PASS, May 8.—The biggest salmon taken this year in the Rogue river was caught yesterday by Claud Bardon. It weighed 45 pounds and was taken on a short rod on a No. 6 spinner. It required 35 minutes to land.

EUGENE MAN VISITING DAUGHTER IN ASHLAND

Rev. Peter Burnett of Eugene is in the city visiting with his daughter, Mrs. George Dunn, of this city. Rev. Burnett is the father of "Doc" Burnett, a well known dentist who practiced in Ashland some years ago but is now located in Eugene.