

HALLOWTIDE

By JESSIE A. PARSONS

I had gratifyingly joined Lucia on her Mexican trip, but after viewing the "passer" through the street to the cemetery of Mexico City, on the second day of November, I realized that all which followed was more than repaid.

Among the kneeling figures was a woman of great beauty. Her hair, unknotted in her veil and fallen below her waist, was of a deep, blue black. She held me spellbound while Lucia tried in vain to show me a wonderful wreath on a non-by pedestal.

"Lucia," I whispered, "how painful to see a young girl in such deep sorrow!"

"Ah, yes, that is Dolores," replied Lucia, "the beauty of Merida. Last year she was not among the mourners."

"She grieves for her lover. A merry lad, who took life so easily that all his troubles dropped off with a shrug of his shoulders. Whenever my brother was in Merida he always went into Henri's little shop to be shaved. This gay young Frenchman, however, had two things which grieved him. One was his love for Dolores, almost hopeless because of her ambitious father.

"You know how interested Dick is in mining. Being interested also in Henri, he bent him the desired money. After a year Dick had news from Henri that he had found the mine. Soon after Dick arrived at Merida and beheld the most beautiful collection of the gems he had ever seen. And Henri, of course, became a rich man.

"The hard-hearted father of Dolores had sent her to live with an impossible aunt until she would promise to marry some wretched good-for-nothing who had a fortune left him by his first wife, whom he had abjured and beaten because she was not plump and beautiful."

"Henri showed some of his gems to the father of Dolores. Don Rufino received him coldly at first, but on perceiving that his fortune was greater than that of the Mexican invited him to stay at his home. Dolores was brought back and joy reigned in the household. In the evening a brilliant moon looked down upon the lovers.

"She was occupied with her needle in the morning, and after the noonday rest, would pick gay love songs on her mandolin, which the blithe Henri would sing in a reverberant tenor. Even the father seemed to have softened into the semblance of a human being under this powerful influence of love.

"Two weeks before the wedding a messenger came to the door of the garden where the lovers were discussing their plans, thrusting into Henri's hands a poorly spelled letter.

"Turning a white and frightened face to her, Henri told Dolores that there was trouble at his mine and he must hasten to the spot. Along the road outside the garden passed the first of the carriages of the rich returning from Mexico City. Then the lovers remembered, which in their happiness they had forgotten, that nearly all the Mexican world was keeping the 'dia de los muertos'."

"After a long and tender parting from Dolores, Henri dug his heels into his pony and galloped toward the mountains.

"Dolores took a stitch or two, now on this embroidery, now on that. Her sewing women could not work fast enough for her. She tried on garment after garment, throwing aside each in disgust because the stitches were not fine enough. Toward evening she went into the garden to look at the sunset and found it veiled in a cloud of dust. Straining her eyes to see what was in the distance, she beheld a long procession of black-clad peasants trudging through the middle of the road—returning from the city on the heights, where Dolores had forgotten to go, from bearing the solemn masses in the cathedral and from decorating the graves in the stony place of burial.

"After a few straggling coaches, came a long cart, drawn by two donkeys. Slowly it came along the road and slowly it turned toward the garden gate. As it entered the garden, Dolores screamed on seeing her lifeless lover.

"The servants ran out of the house and brought her in. They could not tell her until after her days of delirium that Henri's rival, full of revenge and of Mexican 'pique' had lured him to the mine, and at the entrance struck him down from behind.

"This is Dolores' first public mourning at his grave on the 'dia de los muertos.' I saw her last year, and she is even more beautiful in her sorrow."

"Oh!" I breathed. "She will never forget again the solemnity of the 'dia de los muertos.'"

CARD OF THANKS.

We wish to express our sincere thanks to our friends and neighbors for their kind assistance and sympathy during the illness, death and burial of our beloved mother, Mrs. Emma Zetta Smith.

E. F. Smith, Mrs. D. E. Barlow and Family, Mrs. A. G. DeVore and Family, Mrs. A. L. Anderson and Family, Miss Naomi Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. D. Cux were doing business in the city today from their Hinton creek farm.

CECIL NEWS ITEMS

Jack Hynd of Butteby Flats left on Friday for Hynd Bros' ranch at Ukiah where he will spend a few days amongst the sheep and men getting all things in order for the summer months. Jack was accompanied by W. G. Hynd, president of Hynd Bros. company.

Master Marcellus Van Scheick of Arlington is visiting his aunt, Mrs. Geo. Krebs at The Last Camp and is having the time of his life rearing his twin cousins out of all kinds of troubles since they have begun to explore the wonders of Cecil.

A terrific sand and wind storm hit Cecil all day on Saturday, May 24, and also again on Tuesday, May 27, and on Wednesday, May 28, to tantalize everyone about a dash of rain, (at least when we were prepared for buckets-full of real rain.

Mrs. Geo. A. Miller of Highview ranch near Cecil brought Mrs. T. H. Lowe of Cecil, a box of beautiful large strawberries which were grown in her garden on the hills in spite of droughts and winds which have visited this locality lately.

Harold Abait, government trapper for this district, was calling in Cecil during the week. Business has been brisk. Harold informed us that he trapped ninety-eight coyotes last month and has almost the same number this month.

W. A. Thomas of Dotheboys Hill spent Sunday amongst his friends in Cecil. W. A. declares there will be little wheat to harvest in his part of the county. Everything is drying up for want of rain.

A. C. Morgan and daughter Miss Lottie of Spokane, arrived in Morgan on Thursday and will visit their friends in this district. A. C. Morgan was formerly storekeeper, etc., at Morgan.

Gen. W. Wilson, Geo. Brandes and Bob Lowe left Butteby Flats on Sunday with sheep belonging to Hynd Bros, which will be trailed to their summer range near Sumpter.

Miss Violet Hynd arrived at Cecil on Saturday a full-fledged graduate of Heppner high school and will endeavor to "stay down on the farm" for the summer months.

Oscar Nash arrived in Cecil during the week from Vernonia and will visit his friends in Four Mile and assist in the harvest work provided there is wheat to harvest.

Miss Mildred Duncan who has been attending high school at Boardman arrived at Busy Bee ranch during the week and will spend her vacation with her parents.

Haying has begun on all the ranches around Cecil and is cutting off very light, and prospects are poor for any water for irrigating the second crop.

Cecil Llewellyn, state traffic officer, also Miss Thelma Miller of Heppner, were the guests of Miss Violet Hynd at Butteby Flats during the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Hynd of Butteby Flats were visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Karl Farnsworth at Rhea Sliding on Sunday.

Peter Bauersfeld, Cecil's right hand man, visited friends in Heppner on Tuesday and found Cecil still on the map when he returned.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Lundell and family were visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Otto Lindstrom at their ranch near Lone on Thursday.

E. H. Harrison, prominent grain buyer and fire insurance agent of Morgan, was a busy man around Cecil on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Madden of Portland are the weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Melville Logan of The Willows.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Crosby from their ranch above Heppner were calling on Cecil friends on Wednesday.

Joe Marcus accompanied by Miss Aldrich of Arlington were doing the sights of Cecil on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Oral Henriksen and daughter were doing business at the county seat on Thursday.

Mrs. Johnson of Lone was visiting with her aunt, Mrs. Karl Farnsworth, at Rhea Sliding on Sunday.

Hermann Havercoast and Billie Logan were calling on friends in Four Mile on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Streeter and family were visiting friends in Morgan on Friday.

Walter Pope of Cecil was doing business in Morgan on Monday.

ALL ROADS LEAD TO CLEVELAND AND G. O. P. CONVENTION



Cleveland, O.—Pollies rule Cleveland today with the G. O. P. Elephant in the star role. With the Republican National Committee on the scene; delegates and convention outlookers arriving hourly, it is a certainty the town will be jammed when the Convention convenes next Tuesday, June 10.

Men Who Climb Poles Are Safer Up There

Sometimes a lineman, working on top a pole is glad that he is not exposed to the hazards of the traffic in the street beneath him. His sense of security may be tested, to the remarkable precautions taken to remove what to the layman would seem to be inherent dangers of his job.

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"Safe home canning requires careful attention to every step in the process." This is the rule announced by the U. S. A. C. extension service in putting out a bulletin with succinct directions for each step, on information supplied by the federal bureau of home economics and the department of horticultural products department of the college.

First Bonus

Here it is boys!—the first bonus certificate signed by General Hines, chief of the Veterans Bureau, following passage of the bill over the President's veto.

Prexy Campbell's Gift to University is \$30,000

Alumni Subscriptions to Gift Campaign Now Total \$312,232; Many Cities Are Represented.

Eugene, Ore., June 4.—A gift of \$30,000 from P. L. Campbell, president of the University of Oregon, and family, brings the total subscriptions to the alumni fund of the University Gift Campaign to \$312,232. The president's gift was made in the names of Mr. and Mrs. Campbell, Mrs. E. A. Hasaan and Walter Church of Berkeley, California.

Graduates and former students are giving liberally to the fund which is to be used for sorely needed buildings, particularly a new library building, on the campus at Eugene. Contributions are being received from all parts of the country. Alumni in New York City have sent \$4400, Boston \$4480, and Washington, D. C. \$1140, Los Angeles \$3000, Spokane \$2360, Berkeley \$1950, Vancouver \$1140, Seattle \$2200, Medford \$2650. These figures represent only a part of what can be expected before the campaign is over.

Brutally Murdered

Robert Frank, 14-year-old son of wealthy Chicago jeweler, who was kidnapped and brutally murdered before ransom could be paid. Two Chicago youths, sons of wealthy Chicago men and students at University of Chicago, have confessed committing the crime and are now in custody. They claimed the deed was done in the interests of science.

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Cause of Fruit Poisoning Discovered at U. O.

Portland, Ore., June 4.—Research workers at the University of Oregon Medical School have succeeded in discovering the cause of so-called fruit poisoning, a disease which attacks hundreds of workers in the canneries and packing houses of the Northwest during the fruit packing season.

After six months of investigation, Dr. Lyle Kingery, Professor of dermatology, and Dr. C. H. Thienes, professor of pharmacology, have isolated the organism that produces the disease and they are now on the way to finding the most effective means of checking and preventing the malady. Dr. Kingery will present the results of their investigation before the annual meeting of the American Society of Dermatologists in Minneapolis in July.

Fruit poisoning is a painful skin infection which attacks workers who pare and cut fruit in canneries. Those who handle strawberries are also liable to be infected. The disease causes the persons infected to be completely incapacitated for a month or two and often results in loss of the finger nails. Before the investigations of the University of Oregon men were made, the cause of the disease was unknown. The infection causes large economic loss to the fruit industry and its workers.

When sufferers from fruit poisoning were brought to Portland hospitals last year, Dr. Thienes and Dr. Kingery became interested in discovering a cure for the disease, which was then unclassified by medical science. They made trips to Oregon orchards and canneries, and studied cases of the poisoning, finally isolating the organism which caused the trouble. They are now experimenting at the Medical School to find the best means of exterminating the organism from the human body so that cures may be effected.

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are essential are a cool head, steady nerves, the ability to recognize danger and the common sense to avoid it when recognized.

To the layman, the most obvious danger the lineman faces is that of falling. Utility men declare, however, that only a relatively small proportion of accidents are of this kind. Standardized belts, safety straps and spurs and regular inspection of this equipment by company inspectors have materially reduced the number of injuries due from falls from poles.

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Poem by Uncle John

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the Judge's Joke

ED PURDY'S SON WHO IS BACK HOME FROM COLLEGE IS HOLDIN' GLEE CLUB SONG REHEARSALS IN HIS CELLAR!



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last year was estimated at 45,000 pounds by E. R. Jackson, extension crop specialist who is in close touch with the field situation. Success in getting a stand with the dust-treated grain, so pronounced last year, may lead even more farmers than at first might be expected to substitute the liquid method for the dry this year.

LOST—One 3-yr-old steer, branded BHP on left hip; lower 1/4 crop, or under slope in left ear; one 2-yr-old steer, same brand and ear mark, high arched horns. Reasonable settlement to finder. B. H. PECK, Heppner.

For sale at a bargain—7-room residence with full basement; on corner next to power house. Would consider land or light auto truck in trade. W. H. CLARK, Box 24, Heppner, Oregon.

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