

RUTH MERRICK IS HONORED

Young Lady of This City Is Elected to Membership in the Student's Affairs Council of the University of Oregon.

UNIVERSITY OF OREGON, Eugene, Ore., Oct. 16.—In the recent meeting of the senior class of the University of Oregon, Miss Ruth Merrick of Medford was elected to membership in the Student's Affairs Council of the University. The student members of the council number four—three men and Miss Merrick. These four students in conjunction with three professors regulate and govern the social life of the university. Besides being a member of the Student's Affairs Council, Miss Merrick belongs to the Soroll and Scrip, the women's senior honor society. She is also a member of the Chi Omega Sorority.

DEMOCRATS TO WIN—GEORGE

Says Avalanche Is Certain as Result of High Cost of Living and Tariff Extortion—Says Tariff Is a "Burning Question."

SEATTLE, Wn., Oct. 16.—Declaring a democrat avalanche certain as the result of the high cost of living and tariff extortion, Congressman Henry George, Jr., of New York before leaving for Portland, predicted also a progressive choice for presidential candidates by the democrats. "Tariff is the burning issue," said Mr. George, "and it can never be settled until it is settled right." George stated his preference for Woodrow Wilson or Champ Clark for president.

SAY ROADS DO NOT INSPECT CARS

Strikers Claim That Railroads Are Violating Federal Law Relating to the Inspection of Passenger Trains Says They Have Proof.

SACRAMENTO, Cal., Oct. 16.—J. G. Naylor, business agent of the International Association of Machinists and other labor leaders directing the Harriman shop employees strike in Sacramento, are today taking steps to place before the interstate commerce commission proof they claim to possess that the railroad company is at many points along its western divisions, violating the federal law relating to the inspection of passenger trains. For some time past reports have been received at strike headquarters here that trains are not being inspected as the law requires. Reports today, it is claimed, show that trains go through Huntington, Oregon, without being oiled; the same report comes from Carlin, Nev., and Kemmerer, Wyo., and from Albany, Ore., where it is said strikebreakers are qualified to perform the work. Three carloads of strikebreakers went through Sacramento yesterday, one car being scheduled for San Francisco, Oakland and Bakersfield.

MISS SEARS FAVORS A "TRIAL" ENGAGEMENT

NEW YORK, Oct. 16.—A "trial engagement" with Harold Sterling Vanderbilt is the latest idiosyncrasy of Miss Eleanor Sears, that young lady whose various activities as an announcement made by her mother, Mrs. F. R. Sears of Boston, here today. Vanderbilt is the youngest son of William K. Vanderbilt. The "trial engagement" will last until next summer, by which time Miss Sears will either call it off for some new sensation or declare a public engagement.

NOTICE OF SALE OF STRAY STOCK. Notice is hereby given that a sale of impounded stock will be held on October 21 at 4 p. m., at West Side Livery stable. One 2-year-old Jersey offer, no brand and no mark visible. J. F. HUTTON, Chief of Police.

JESS HARRIS AS "SLIVERS" IN THE MUSICAL COMEDY, "THE FLOWER OF THE RANCH," MEDFORD OPERA HOUSE, THURSDAY, OCTOBER 19.



A half-breed of the Sioux Indian is Miss Betty Caldwell, who is playing the part of "Flower" in the musical comedy, "The Flower of the Ranch," coming to the Medford theatre Thursday, Oct. 19. Miss Caldwell was born in Oklahoma Territory nineteen years ago. Her mother was a full-blood Sioux, her father a white man, who was one of the first to stake a claim when the strip was opened up in 1889. They lived on the ranch for nearly fourteen years and then sold it and moved to Kansas City, where the father was engaged in the live stock business. This change brought about splendid opportunities for an education, of which Miss Caldwell made the best. In a recent interview regarding herself and the part of "Flower," Miss Caldwell has the following to say: "Oh, I am so glad that my mother was an Indian, for the older I grow, the more I realize that the North

American Indian is fast becoming extinct, and I have a feeling of love for the race and, in fact, I really believe that every true American down in his heart has a feeling of deep regret when they realize the crushing defeat that the redman has experienced; yet I realize it is for the best, for I can see both sides as I travel about in this great country. There is no thing that I notice, and that is the attention that is sometimes shown me, for the Americans and Canadians are alike in their curiosity to meet me, simply because I am a descendant of the Indian; and so few are in the theatrical profession. It seems that in the part of "Flower" I actually live and breathe the ranch atmosphere. It gives me a longing for the level plains to be there riding a broncho, helping the cowboys during the round-up, and to mingle with the wild steers. Yet I like the part of "Flower" and hope that I shall play the part for seasons to come."

GIANTS SHOULD WIN AGAIN TODAY

Mail Tribune Expert Says Marquard Will Best Coombs in Pitcher's Box—Can the Athletics Outfit the Giants.

Christy Mathewson, idol of the baseball fans the world over, once more demonstrated world series form in outpitching Bender on Saturday and holding the hard hitting Athletics to six scattered bingles. A passed ball in the second frame which allowed Baker to advance from second to third robbed him of a possible chance to score a shut out. As it is he triumphed and in doing so New York fans are now confident that "Matty" the greatest pitcher in the world, will repeat on Tuesday if called upon by McGraw.

As predicted in these columns on Saturday last pitchers will win or lose the series. The very first game of the series proved conclusively that this was so. While Bender pitched a masterly game for the Athletics he unfortunately allowed two doubles in the fatal seventh. He partially redeemed himself when he closed this inning by fanning Snodgrass with Doyle on first and Devore on second, no mean feat in itself. Altogether he fanned eleven Giants against the five pets of "Connie Mack" struck out by Mathewson but issued three passes to first against Matty's one. Charley Bender was outgeneraled by the "peerless" pitcher and while great credit is due him for fanning heavy hitters like Snodgrass when a hit meant a sure run two doubles in one inning spelled disaster.

Giants Great Base Stealers. No less than six Giants figure in the leading ten base pilferers of the National League. Collins is the only Athletic to rank in their class. The base stealing proclivities of the Giants are well known and in this connection many doubts are expressed as to the ability of Catcher Thomas of the Athletics to hold these speedy men on the sacks. Doyle was successful in parlaying a base on Saturday.

Can the Athletics Out the Giants? On paper the Athletics have a team batting average of .292 against .272 for the Giants. Do these figures necessarily mean that the Athletics will outpitch the Giants in this series? Compare the pitchers of both leagues and you have the answer. The Nationals had a shade more consistent hurlers than the Americans this year which in great measure may account for the better showing of the Athletics. Both teams took first place in their respective leagues for team batting and though the Athletics have possibly the best of it as far as natural sluggers are concerned the Giants may hit harder than statistics would indicate.

Marquard Against Coombs. Marquard, McGraw's \$11,000 "lemon" will endeavor to bewilder Connie Mack's pets with some wonderfully fast shots. There is no better speed burner in the business this year and if he gets off right the Mackmen will wonder whether Matty's famous "fade-away" has anything on the terrific speed employed by the 1911 wonder of the National league. The Portland Telegram quotes Voan Gregg, ex-hurler for the 1910 Beaver Champions and now premier box-artist for the Cleveland Americans as saying: "If this Marquard is as good as his record shows, he is bound to give the Athletics a lot of trouble. My own experience with Connie Mack's bunch leads me to believe that a good left-hander will cause the heavy-hitting Champions a few uneasy moments." This opinion coming from Gregg, a left-hander, should have considerable weight. Connie Mack is up against a hard problem today. Coombs should pitch but in face of Bender's defeat Saturday Mack may prefer a left-hander. Krause has been pitching great ball for the past six weeks and may be used. Coombs however is the logical choice and if he does not issue too many passes may hurl the Athletics to victory.

Athletics on Their Own Diamond. Shibe Park, Philadelphia, is where the opposing teams will meet in the second game of the world's series. Being on their own grounds Philadelphia will battle hard to make it one game each and will undoubtedly have the support of every loyal Philadelphia fan. If rooting can turn the tide of battle the Athletics will emerge victorious today.

Giants Should Win. Taking Marquard and Coombs at their best the Giant pitcher should have no trouble in defeating the Athletics. To offset this advantage of the Giants it must be remembered that Marquard may evince nervousness as this is his first appearance

Our Correspondents

EAGLE POINT EAGLETS.

(By A. C. Howlett.) J. H. Crougee, a half-brother to our liveryman, Mr. Fryreir, came in a few days ago and is now with the latter. C. Riley Coffee, a relative of Mr. Fryreir, was out hunting and the report came that he killed three deer on the Umpqua divide. Frank Neal and wife of Siskiyou county, California, took a trip up Rogue river looking for a location, when they returned and said they found nothing that suited them so well as the country around Eagle Point. F. Sprague and wife and his brother, H. A. Sprague and wife, called for supper Thursday night. H. C. Sprague has just returned from a journey back east where he was married, and now his friends are covering the happy couple with congratulations. They are the leading members of the Sorague Lumber company of Eagle Point and report the business has been and is quite lively. They are the kind of men to help to build up our town. J. W. Daly, one of the engineers on the P. & E. railroad, came in Thursday evening with his wife to spend a few days in their old room at the Sunnyside. Also Mr. Vanderver, another of our old boarders in the employ of the P. & E. railway company, took his old room in the same hostelry. J. E. Kinzey, the foreman of the construction work on the new bridge on Rogue river and two assistants, have been making some changes in the Dodge-French bridge the last few days, finishing the job Friday noon. P. H. Daily, our principal in the school, reports that there are eighty-seven now enrolled and that he thinks the enrollment will soon reach one hundred. He also reports having gone out on Antelope mountain last Saturday, the 7th inst, and killed a fine five-point buck deer, and brought in the head to exhibit to his friends. B. W. Harnish is having the time

CENTRAL POINT ITEMS.

Judge W. S. Crowell of Medford spent Sunday in Central Point. Miss Louts who has been visiting the family of Fire Chief T. F. Knackstedt, left for her home in Etna, Cal., Sunday morning. J. W. Boggers of Lordsburg, Cal., and M. A. Wimberly of Pomona, Cal., spent the week-end with J. H. Grace in this city and looked over the country with a view to future investment in real estate. They left for their homes Sunday morning. Ben Little left Sunday morning for Lake Creek to visit relatives and have a several days' hunt. Benton Bowers of Ashland, accompanied by his son James, spent Saturday here. Fred Burrows and A. E. Le Ponte were Ashland visitors from here Saturday. Clark Savage of Savage Creek spent Saturday afternoon here. Rex H. Lampman of the Gold Hill News and Mrs. Lampman spent a few hours here Saturday evening. John E. Ross, I. J. Purkeypile and Mr. Herring left Sunday morning for a ten days' hunt up Evans creek. G. B. Ross and T. D. Ross formed another hunting party and left Sunday morning for a hunt. Miss Dean of Ashland spent the week-end with Ed Farra and family. Miss Flora Tompson of Jacksonville spent a few hours here Saturday evening. C. W. Turpin and family who spent the summer in the Alberta country have returned to this city. Dennis Green has returned from a trip to Portland and other northern cities. Mrs. Court Hall of Medford spent Sunday with Mrs. W. J. Freeman and other relatives. The dance given by the young people at the Central Point opera house was a very enjoyable affair. City council will meet Tuesday evening at 7:30. Many of our citizens spent Sunday in Medford, Ashland and other valley points, taking advantage of the good weather.

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on the diamond in a truly important series. "Rube" may hold his head and if he does another victory will be chalked up in favor of the Giants.

NOTICE. Sept. 28, 1911. Notice is hereby given that I, the undersigned will not be responsible for any debts hereafter contracted by my wife, Georgia Firebaugh. Signed, J. L. FIREBAUGH. 177*

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