

# AIR EXHIBIT DECLARED GOOD BY G. M. HYLAND

G. M. Hyland, manager of the Oregon exhibit at the San Francisco exposition, writes as follows to the Mail Tribune:

"My attention has just been called to the criticisms published in your paper about the southern Oregon exhibit and the Oregon building generally. It may not become me to write at length on a topic in which my labors and efforts are more or less concerned, but I do feel that you should have some more accurate and unprejudiced views concerning the facts than appear to have been given in the published article.

"I can say without fear of contradiction that the quality and volume of processed fruits exhibited in the Oregon building equal that of any other counties, district or state in the nation when the amount of money expended is considered. The specimens are the very best and attract the attention and interest of all who see them. The grain and grass display, while not extensive, is of a high quality and fittingly represents those resources as applied to our great state.

### Contrasted With Canada

"I do not think anyone would criticize either the quality or extent of our exhibit were it not for the fact that we have only two rivals that we recognize, and the one has expended more than a million dollars and the other two million dollars in presenting their exhibits to the public view. I have reference to Canada and California. California being the host and hostess, naturally has outdone itself in an effort to attract the investigator to its border. Canada, on the other hand, has an exhibit that has been in course of preparation for upwards of twelve years, and is in the custody of the same gentleman who started it. They have added to it from year to year; they have traveled all over the country with it and have worked out many valuable and highly artistic ideas, but altogether along lines that can be accomplished only by a great outlay.

### Real Truths Presented

"In our humble way we have presented to the public the real truths concerning the stuff we produce, and upon which we rely for our annual harvest, in a manner that leaves no doubt in the mind of the investigator that it is truly a land of plenty. We have done this without ostentation, whirligigs, merry-go-rounds or any spectacular features, for two reasons: One is that we had not a sufficient amount of money to go into the feature display in competition with others, and the other is that we believe that the simple, plain presentation of our exhibits will appeal to the practical as quickly as that that is worked into paintings, pictures and statuary.

### Faithful Representatives

"The interior of our building is rough and natural. The organization is composed of serious-minded, hard-working men, who have the best interest of the state at heart at all times. There are no more faithful, more active men in the building than those that represent the southern Oregon district. I have reference to Mr. Ward of Coos and Curry counties and Mr. Frohach of Jackson.

"I have ordered photographs of these exhibits made and will send them on just as soon as they are completed.

"Will say again for your information that I think the only people who can feel disappointed in the interior exhibit of the Oregon building are those who come directly from those buildings, that have spent hundreds of thousands of dollars, even millions, and those who for some reason or another might be prejudiced."

# IDAHO BUILDING AT FAIR DEDICATED

SAN FRANCISCO, March 25.—Dedication of the Idaho state building at the Panama-Pacific exposition today revived the story of the famous burro of the old Coeur d'Alene mining days, which is credited with discovery of the rich Bunker Hill and Sullivan mine.

Joseph H. Hutchison, former governor of Idaho, presided at the exercises, which included addresses by J. A. Cizek, commissioner from Idaho; E. O. Jackson, president of the Idaho Society of California, and state, city and exposition officials.

Portland Livestock Market  
PORTLAND, March 25.—Cattle—Receipts 170; steady.  
Hogs—Receipts 397; steady.  
Sheep—Receipts 342; steady to strong.

# MARY PICKFORD MADE GOOD IN FIRST PART

SHE WAS ONLY FIVE YEARS OF AGE, BUT EARNED \$20 A WEEK.

(This is the second chapter of Idaho McGlone Gibson's interview with Mary Pickford, in which the noted movie actress tells the story of her life.—Editor.)

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CHAPTER II.  
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"It began years ago," said Mary Pickford to me, as we sat in her hotel room at Los Angeles, and after I had asked her when her stage career started. "You see, my father died when I was five years old. I had a brother and sister, both younger. My father had always taken care of his family comfortably. But he died, leaving my mother absolutely penniless. She did not know what to do.

"By some chance, the stage manager of the theater in the Canadian town in which I was born was a friend of our family, for although both my father and mother thought that the people behind the footlights were outside the pale of society, yet we sometimes went to the theater.

"This man came to us one day and said, 'Why don't you let little Mary go on the stage to play a child's part in my theater?'

"My mother was horrified. 'My child an actress!' she exclaimed. 'Oh I couldn't let her do that!'

"Come back of the stage tomorrow night," he said, and I will introduce you to the people. You will find they are very human, just like the rest of us. They will neither bite you nor your babies.

"My mother went, partly, I think, because she was quite desperate and did not know where to find food for us all. She found the stage people were quite as moral as those off the stage.

"She found that they had just as great respect for their conventions and traditions as she had for hers. Their conventions were, perhaps, different, because their lives were different, but they held to the letter of their law as tenaciously as she did to hers.

"The next week I was engaged to play a part in 'The Silver King.' I remember my first lines very well, quite as well as I did the first night I spoke them. They were, 'Don't speak to her, girls, her father killed a man.'

"And I remember how a cold chill ran down my back as I spoke the word 'killed.' It seemed to my childish mind such a horrible word! I must have made good, for very soon afterward I was asked to play the baby in 'Dottie's Baby' on the road.

"Before this I had been playing in a stock company in my home town.

"My mother wouldn't let me go unless the manager took the whole family, for she would not be separated from any of us. And when we started we received \$20 a week for all of us.

"Out of this my mother saved enough money very soon to buy a trunk, and I have that trunk to this day, a memento of her great sacrifice, goodness and thrift."

(To be continued tomorrow.)



"At the age of five years I supported my widowed mother and baby brother and sister."—Mary Pickford.

## OSSOWETZ STILL KEY TO CAMPAIGN ON POLISH FRONT

PETROGRAD, March 25.—The fortress of Ossowetz, where the German bombardment continues, remains today the key to the situation on the German front, according to the best opinion of Russian observers. Both to the north and south of this point, in the Augustowo and the Omoleff regions, respectively, the Germans are developing lively attacks to prevent the Russians from encircling the Ossowetz fortress or from occupying the town of Szczytno. This location is directly behind Ossowetz, on the east Prussian frontier, and its occupation by the Russians would obviously compel the Germans to abandon the siege.

In the extreme north the Russians are continuing to advance from Taurroggen in the direction of Langszorgen, in spite of the increasing German resistance.

Heavy snowstorms south of the river Dniester have caused a temporary lull in the Russian operations against the right wing of the Austrian army, but elsewhere on the Carpathian front the effect of the fall of Przemyśl has been noted, according to dispatches received in Petrograd, in a rapid Russian advance toward the Carpathian passes.

## ASHLAND MAN ATTEMPTS SUICIDE

ASHLAND, March 25.—H. N. Lowe attempted suicide yesterday in the family apartments on the second floor of the Payne block. He shot himself with a revolver in the region of the heart, inflicting a dangerous wound. He was removed to the sanitarium near by. Reports are that he will recover, barring complications.

Lowe is a man of middle age. He came from Los Angeles last summer and with his wife has been conducting the Columbia cafeteria in the new Enders block. Business and domestic troubles are assigned as the cause for attempting self-destruction.

## MORGAN ROBERTSON AUTHOR-INVENTOR DEAD AT NEW YORK

NEW YORK, March 25.—Morgan Robertson, found dead in his room in a hotel at Atlantic City last night, had a romantic career as a sailor, author, jeweler and inventor of a submarine periscope. He was one of the most prolific writers of short sea stories America has had.

Running away from his home in Oswego, N. Y., when 16 years of age, he shipped as a cabin boy and made two voyages around the world, occupying in the next ten years nearly every post on shipboard.

Returning to America, he made his home in New York and became a watchmaker and diamond setter, but after two years, in which he said he was "almost constantly broke," he began to write his sea stories, which have been familiar to all readers of periodicals for twenty years.

Developing the idea while writing a story, Mr. Robertson invented in 1905 an improvised periscope for submarines, which was purchased by a builder of such craft.

## NON-PARTISAN BILL PASSES TO SENATE

SACRAMENTO, Cal., March 25.—The Young nonpartisan bill, which would eliminate party lines in state elections, was passed early today by the California assembly after sixteen and one-half hours of continuous debate. The measure is favored by Governor Johnson. It now goes to the senate.

## SOUGHT \$50,000 HELD TO GRAND JURY

NEW YORK, March 25.—Miss Rae Tanzer, who filed a \$50,000 damage suit against James W. Osborne, former assistant district attorney of New York, for alleged breach of promise to marry, was held today for the action of the grand jury on the charge of using the mails to defraud.

## BATTLING NELSON TO FIGHT WELSH

DETROIT, Mich., March 25.—Announcement was made here today that Freddie Welsh, lightweight champion, last night signed articles in Windsor, Ont., for a ten-round match with Battling Nelson in Havana, April 4, the bout to serve as a curtain-raiser for the Johnson-Willard fight. The affair is for a purse of \$2000.

It was also said that Welsh has signed for a ten-round match with Billy Wagner at Toledo, April 9.

## MRS McCLELLAN'S ESTATE GOES TO SON

NEWARK, N. J., March 25.—The personal estate of Mrs. Ellen M. McClellan, widow of General George B. McClellan, is valued at \$163,090, in an inventory on file today with the surrogate here. Mrs. McClellan died several months ago in Europe.

George B. McClellan, formerly of New York City, now professor of political economy at Princeton University, is the sole heir.

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