

HOTEL MEDFORD TO BE CLIMBED AT 2:30 SATURDAY

Jack Williams, the Human Fly, who is to climb the Hotel Medford building Saturday at 2:30, rain or shine, blindfolded, under the auspices of the Mail Tribune, is the real original Human Fly and the man to whom goes the credit for originating that exhibition. Medford has been visited once before by a man who claimed to be the Human Fly and needless to say his exhibition was a dismal failure. But this time Medford is to see the real Human Fly in action. Like all good things Mr. Williams has imitators and several Oregon towns where Mr. Williams has given his exhibition have noticed the difference.

Some of the largest papers in the country credit this young man with feats of daring that sound almost impossible and the Seattle Star describes his exhibition in that city in the following terms:

"Starting from the sidewalk in front of the tallest building west of the Mississippi river, Jack Williams better known as the 'Human Fly,' started his climb to the top of the 42 story L. C. Smith building while thousands with open mouths watched his every movement minutely. He approached the building with a smile on his face, his right arm shot up his fingers grasped hold, his muscles working like the parts of a well oiled machine, and he was going upward. His hand would grasp a finger hold, his body would shoot upward while, the other hand grasped one above, while his feet were brought into play in the most dexterous manner, and seemed to be always just at the right spot to assist him. Before the crowd realized it he was at the fourth floor. He faced a bare wall 27 stories, but it worried him not one bit. Crouching on one of the ledges beside the window he paused a moment to judge the distance, his muscles were drawn up and of a sudden he shot upward, while below thousands gasped in horror. As he went upward, his hands shot out, they had grasped the ledge nearly six feet above him, a swing, a sudden lurch and his body was shot out horizontally, and he was on the next ledge.

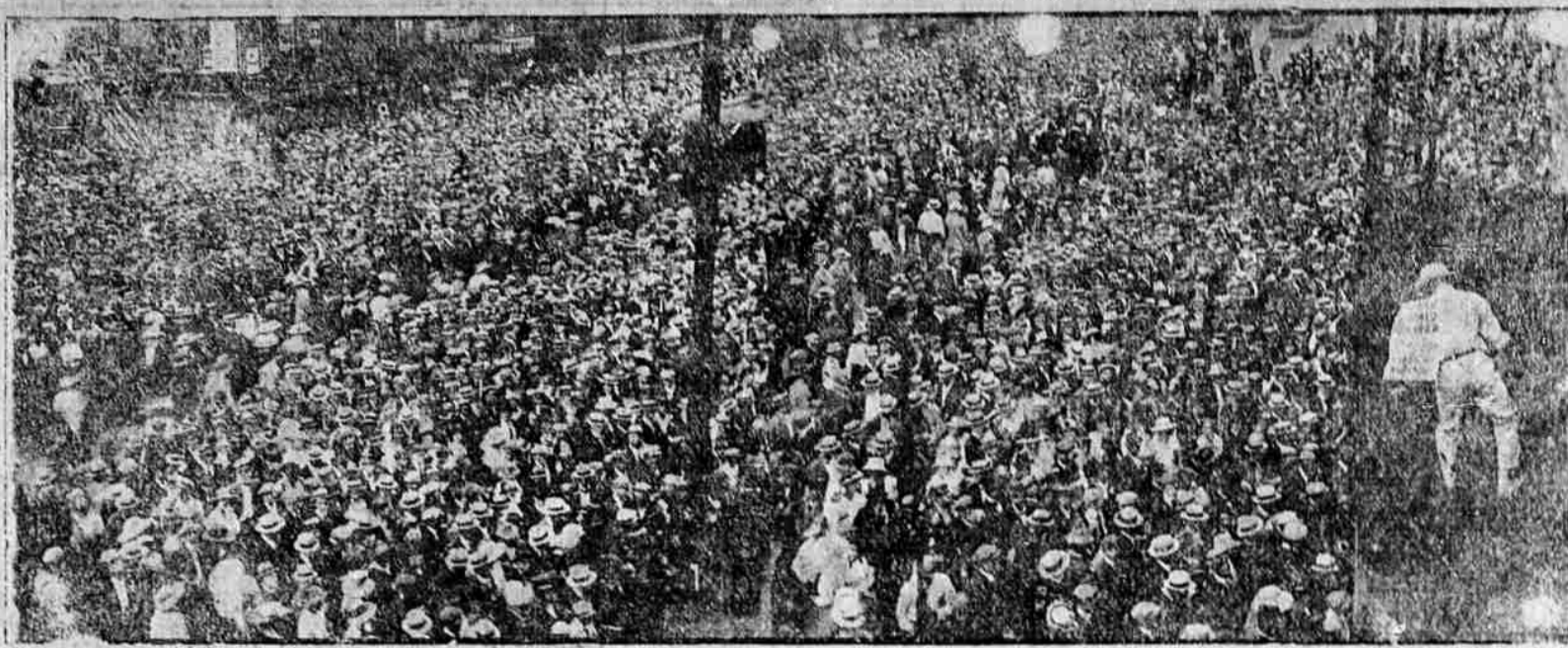
Going over the cornice at the top of the thirty-first floor was the most daring, death defying feat ever performed in Seattle. Arrived at the 31st floor, he wiped his hands on a towel which was handed to him from out the window and prepared to go over the ledge above, which projects nearly five feet out from the wall proper. Crawling up until his head was under the projecting cornice he crouched once more for one of those deadly springs. Of a sudden his body was catapulted upward and outward and the thousands turned their heads away, and would not look, while others stood in horror stricken amazement. Seven ladies were carried in fainting condition from the crowd. It did not seem possible that such a feat could be performed and those who had the courage to look saw those flying arms grasp the edge of the cornice. The jump had been judged to the fraction of an inch. Of a sudden the body began to swing, back and forth like the pendulum on a clock. Suddenly his feet came even with his head, his toe caught the gutter and with a swing he lay panting on the balcony that surmounts the top of the tower. He had accomplished what one minute before, any person in the crowd would have deemed the height of the ridiculous as well as impossible to even attempt."

BOXING MATCHES STAGED FOR YANKS

PARIS, Dec. 6.—The Palais de Glace in Paris, which the Y. M. C. A. has opened as an amusement place for American and allied soldiers, is hidden among the trees in the Champs Elysees and had long been one of the world-famous skating rinks. It was opened in October and is going to be a life saver to the lonely boy who has no money to spend in expensive music halls. The theatre in this palace seats 1300 and every afternoon and every night there is "something doing." And it is open to all.

The tired French Poltu, the British Tommy, the Polish Legionnaire, the Greek, anybody on the allied side can walk up to the counter and refresh his hungry body with hot soup and salad and sandwiches, alongside of the American boy. The shows are absolutely free to all men and women in the uniforms of the allied nations. The weekly program is made up of two professional boxing matches a week; two vaudeville shows given by Broadway's best talent, Chicago's latest hits and Frisco's popular teams; one religious evening beginning with movies, and one night a week of informal talks and interesting lectures about France. The audience at these educational nights is phenomenal, proving that our soldiers want to learn about this wonderful country in which they fought. The Palais de Grace is under the

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In her latest photoplay, "Heart of the Wilds" an Arnet's picture based on Edgar Elwyn's famous play, "Pierre of the Plains" and Sir Gilbert Parker's story, "She of the Tropic Chevron" which will be presented at the Liberty theater today and tomorrow. Miss Ferguson appears for the first time in her screen career in what is commonly termed a "Western" photoplay, that is to say, a story of the plains and mountains, in which cowboys doing daredevil stunts on ponies, Indians and the motley characters that lurk on the fringe of civilization, are the chief figures. Fancy Miss Ferguson doing daring riding stunts in emulation of frisky cowboys! Yet this is what she does as Jen Galeraith, the brave, resourceful daughter of a tavern keeper on the Canadian boundary who defies the expense laws and Mounted Police with impunity.

COURT HOUSE REPORT

Reported by Jackson County Abstract Co., Sixth and Central Ave.

Real Estate Transfers
 Adde Rippey to Mrs. William P. Palmer, lot 3, blk. 1, Oak Park addition to the city of Medford, \$ 1.00
 John W. Armstrong et ux to James S. Vincent, NE of NW of sec. 21, twp. 35, R. 2W, 355.00
 Cora A. Mitchell et al to A. B. Chapman, land in D. L. C. 45, twp. 39, R. 2 E., 6000.00
 James Barrett et ux to A. R. Brown et ux, land in Ashland 10.00
 Mrs. Eva L. Beagle to F. C. Homes et ux, land in Ashland 10.00

ARROW COLLARS

direction of Dr. Thomas W. Graham of Minneapolis, Minn., and Miss Elizabeth Gillman of Baltimore, Md., who runs the canteen with the assistance of four other American girls in the uniform of the Y. M. C. A.

MUSICAL SUCCESS AT PAGE SATURDAY

Arthur Hammerstein's bewitchingly beautiful musical comedy entitled "You're in Love," by the authors of "The Firefly," "High Jinks" and "Katinka," will be the attraction at the Page theater Saturday, December 7, highly endorsed by all of the Portland newspapers.

The story is very light, as is proper for a musical dancing play, with a love story running throughout the action that leaves nothing to be desired in the way of an evening's entertainment.

Otto Harbach has written a full quota of joyous comedy. Edward Clark has furnished many entrancing lyrics and Rudolf Friml has provided 20 odd biting melodies that are all distinctly whistleable.

As to scenery and costumes, "You're in Love" can claim as elaborate and effective an lavesture as any company can tour. Seldom has there been provided a more novel piece of stage setting than the boom attached to the mast of the ship (second act scene) on which a pretty girl sitting on the end swings out over the heads of the audience. This calls forth storms of applause and necessitates many many encores which will not be forgotten in many a day.

The specially selected cast of principals will include Mr. Oscar L. Peman, Mr. W. H. White, Mr. Easton Vance, Mr. Ben Wells, Miss Elinor McCane, Miss Virginia Watson, Miss Alice Johnson, Messrs. Maxson and Brown and several others, together with a large chorus of pretty girls of exquisite daintiness that have been chosen and drilled with true Hammerstein thoroughness.

VALU—Irrigation bonds covered. Project of cost \$750,000, covering 32,000 acres.

PORTLAND.—Multnomah county's 1919 road program calls for \$725,467 expenditure.

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EAGLE POINT EAGLETS

By A. C. Howlett

George Adamson of Trail came in Saturday night and remained until Monday. He was engaged in hauling manganese from the Lake creek mill. The Tacoma Metal company have been hauling the ore out as far as L. Charley's and Brownsboro with teams and Mr. Adamson hauls in from there to the P. & E. depot on a truck. Mr. A. says that the roads from Mr. Charley's to the mine are so very muddy that it is almost impossible to get through with a truck. He says that the road supervisor has put fresh gravel on the hill known as the Lem Charley hill and that in going a few rods with his truck he broke the two chains on his wheels. It seems like poor encouragement for capitalists to come into this country and have to go to double or triple the expense necessary to get the product of the mine out to the market, having to handle the ore six times to get it into the railroad car. But perhaps we will have a chance for the better under our next county officials, not saving anything against our present county board, but perhaps the next ones, the new commissioner and the new county judge, people out here seem to place a great deal of confidence in them. Mr. Adamson says that the manganese mill is shut down at the present time, owing to a large slide having slipped over them where they have been getting out the ore and that the debris will have to be taken out before they can crush any more rock. Mr. A. left his truck with us while he went to his home for a few days. He says that they have about 25 or 30 tons of ore out that he expects to haul this winter and that with what the company have at the depot, will make a car load.

J. F. Hale, general manager of the Hale Piano House, Medford, was here Monday for dinner, and C. H. Natwick, our boss road maker, and Joe Morrison, the E. P. Derby mail contractor and Mrs. W. C. Clements, our postmistress. She says that she is looking for her husband, who went to Camp Pike, Ark., a few months ago, to join the officers' training school, about the tenth or twelfth of this month.

Jack O'Coover was one of the business callers Monday. He is interested in a logging tract near Butte Falls.

Sam Cox, one of our bustling farmers, was here Monday to meet a friend and to have his plows sharpened up.

Thomas Gineardo brought his gas plows in Tuesday to have scrapers put on it to clean the wheels when he is plowing sticky. Oh, that sticky is the limit.

George Stowell was in town Tuesday.

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day to bring in his eggs and cream. He makes the poultry business a specialty and dovetails in the dairy business with it, selling the cream and feeding the milk to his chickens and pigs.

C. E. Fellows, another one of our prosperous farmers and dairymen and wife were here Tuesday. Mr. Jov who is living on the Fred Pettigrew place, came in with them and while they were here witnessed the passage of an airplane. It was witnessed by quite a number of our citizens as it passed over, but it was so high that it was beyond the vision of an older people. I was talking at the time with J. L. Robertson and he said that he could hear the noise but could not see the machine.

Mrs. Sherman Wooley went out to Medford on the P. & E. Tuesday and came near leaving her baggage. She had set it on the platform, a suitcase and baby cart, and spoke to one of the trainmen to put it on the car for her, and entered the coach, but the trainman was not in that department so neglected to attend to it and just as the train started I called attention to it and the two brakemen made a grab for it and threw it on the car on the run. We have no agent here so she didn't check it.

J. P. McCahe was a business caller Wednesday, arranging to ship his hogs through George Brown and Sons, who have been doing quite a business in that line this fall.

R. A. Petty, one of our successful farmers, was here Wednesday. He is farming the Thomas Riley, Jr. place, and says that he has all of his

wheat sown and his corn ground plowed, ready for planting in the spring.

Sam Courtney was a business caller Wednesday. He was to take out a lot of wire fencing.

Tuesday evening I received by mail a notice from the Medford Mail Tribune office that my services as a solicitor and collector for the Daily Mail Tribune and Weekly Mail Tribune were no longer required in that capacity, as under the present arrangement every subscription must be paid in advance, and consequently there will be no debts to collect. And while on this topic I wish to express my sincere thanks to the many friends who have been so considerate and obliging as to give me their subscriptions, renewals and the advertising business, during the many years that I have been serving the public as well as the publishing company who have been in charge of the business from the time of the Medford Monitor, the Medford Mail, etc., was that parties who have been sending particularly since the consolidation of these with the Jacksonville Times, the Southern Oregonian, the Ashland Tribune and the Medford Tribune. So that parties who have been sending to me their subscriptions and other business in that line will please send direct to the Medford Mail Tribune.

EUGENE—Extensive logging operations planned at Star.

PORTLAND—Reverend activity seen in hog market. England a heavy

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Medford, Oregon, Jan 13, 1917

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(Signed) W. R. JOHNSON,
 Witnesses:
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 S. B. Holmes, Eagle Point,
 Wm. Lewis, Eagle Point,
 W. L. Childreth, Eagle Point,
 C. E. Moore, Eagle Point,
 J. V. McIntyre, Eagle Point,
 Geo. B. Von der Hellen, Eagle Point,
 Thos. B. Nichols, Eagle Point.

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