

OIL BARON WELCOMED BY FRIENDS

Sinclair's First Thought of Wife and Racing Stable—Victim of Political Campaign Is Assertion—Not Contrue, As no Sin Committed—Poses for Talking Photo.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 21.—(AP)—Harry F. Sinclair today laid aside the compulsory duties of columnist at the District of Columbia jail for the freedom and leisure of a multi-millionaire oil baron and proprietor of race horses.

His sentences for contempt of court and of the senate arising from the oil scandals of the Harding administration were completed last night at midnight and a few minutes later he emerged from the jail, to be greeted by a few close friends and hastes, at once to the Mayflower where Mrs. Sinclair awaited him.

His plans were somewhat indefinite, but he expected to go first to New Jersey, where the stock farm of the Hancock stables is located, and then to his Long Island home and New York office.

The booming flashlights of newspaper photographers hailed his emergence from the jail and reporters clustered about him, anxious for a statement.

"I have nothing to say," he told them. "I came to jail for not telling you."

Brother at Door. He was greeted at the door by his brother, E. W. Sinclair, and T. T. Stanford, an attorney, who had been waiting at the entrance for some little time.

In doing so, he joked, laughingly at the newspaper men, thanking them for their "kind reception," and saying:

"I hope you will have another opportunity, and I know you will, for a little more training, and then I believe you will show a marked improvement."

Political Victim. A short time before leaving the jail, Sinclair issued a statement asserting that he had been imprisoned as a "victim of political campaigns to elect honest Democrats by proving how dishonest Republicans were."

He asserted that he could not be "contrite" for sins which he had "never committed," nor pretend to be ashamed of conduct which he said he knew to have been "upright." In addition, he reviewed the contentions of his lawyers when the two cases in which he was sentenced were in the courts.

"I have just finished serving sentences for contempt of the senate and contempt of court—not for any crime," he said. "But the people seem to think that the penalties for contempt were in place of punishment for some other offense with which I was charged but exonerated by a jury."

Sinclair entered the jail on the night of May 8, to serve terms of six months for contempt of court and three for contempt of the senate. Portions of the two sentences ran concurrently and with deductions for good behavior, he was confined to the jail for six months and 14 days.

Astoria.—Pacific Garage building being remodeled for occupancy by Wayne's Garage.

Missing Links Fail to Confirm Theory Of Evolution, Is View of Smithsonian Scientist; Additional Proof Is Needed

By Oscar Leiding, Science Editor, Associated Press Feature Service. WASHINGTON, Nov. 21.—(AP)—"Missing links" connecting man with other mammals on which the scientific world would agree, have, in the opinion of Gerit S. Miller, Jr., Smithsonian scientist, yet to be found.

"In the place of such demonstrable links," he says in the institution's annual report, "we now possess nothing more than some fossils so fragmentary that they are susceptible of being interpreted either as such links or something else."

"If a human 'missing link' is to be found at all, it must be sought among the fossil remains of mammals long ago extinct, since there is no living animal known which possesses the required peculiarities."

His report and conclusions were found on an exhaustive review of the controversies among scientists over two "finds," the Java ape man and the Pittdown dawn man.

The Java remains consist of a skullcap, a femur, and two lower molar teeth, found by Dr. Eugene Dubois, the Pittdown evidence, found in England by Charles Dawson, consists of four pieces of cranium, an imperfect lower jaw bearing two molar teeth, a pair of nasal bones, a canine tooth, and a third molar tooth.

Opinions about the Java man, Miller pointed out, disagree. The skullcap is strangely different from the corresponding part of other known mammals, both recent and fossil.

Summarizing the scientific opinions about the Pittdown man, he found that authors agree on one point again, that the fragments of the brain case and the nearly complete nasal bones pertain to man, while there are not less than 20 points of disagreement.

"Two facts alone must be admitted out of the maze of opinions," he said, "that these fossils have furnished an unparalleled stimulus to investigation, and that the things most needed now are more fossils and many of them."

Miller retains an evolutionist despite his stand against the value of the evidence so far accumulated. "The idea that all existing plants and animals are derived through some process of orderly change from kinds now extinct is supported," he says, "by an array of facts too great and too well established to be weakened by doubts cast on alleged family records of any one creature."

CLASSIC SUBJECTS PROVE POPULAR IN LOCAL HI SCHOOL

Although classical subjects are not required in the high schools for graduation, or for college entrance; an examination of the registration records of the local high school shows that 174 are enrolled in the Latin course, 70 in the Spanish, and 59 in the French. Four years of Latin are taught, the first two being devoted to the study of Cicero and Ovid, and the last year to Virgil. Grey and Jenkins books are used the first two years, which deal with short convenient stories.

In the romance languages, during the first year, three days a week are devoted to grammatical drill, and the remaining two days to reading. In the second year, literature and poetry of France and Spain are studied, with memorizing and extensive reading. The advanced students in French and Spanish also keep scrap books with clippings from newspapers and magazines dealing with the country whose language they are studying.

The Latin classes are directed by Miss Mary Gilbert, and Miss Ruth Abele, with Miss Gertrude Butler and Miss Maurine Johnson as instructors in the French and Spanish classes.

BEND, Ore.—A turnip with leaves instead of roots growing underground is on display here after A. N. Hicks found the vegetable fresh in a garage.

CENTRAL POINT SCHOOL TO PRESENT OPERETTA

An operetta will be given by the primary children of the Central Point schools in the school auditorium on Wednesday evening, November 27. The operetta, entitled "Peter Rabbit," presents the story of Peter Rabbit in Mr. McGregor's garden, where he visits with the carrots, string beans, radishes and lettuce, and encounters Mr. McGregor, much to his sorrow.

A group of older pupils will present a musical sketch featuring two New Yorkers trying to imitate farmers and two farmers trying to imitate New Yorkers.

The stage scenery is being prepared by Tom Swen and will give a beautiful garden setting for the production. The proceeds of the evening will be used to pay for stage scenery. Margaret Hinton Williamson is directing the operetta, assisted by Mrs. Richardson, Miss Hay and Miss Stratton.

Lacquer Show to Be Featured Here Starting Friday

Black shoes will become blue—old bags will look like new—when the Rogers Lacquer, representative gets through with them at the free demonstration at the Brown Hardware store Friday and Saturday of this week, November 22 and 23. Anyone interested in seeing how this remarkable lacquer works, is invited to bring articles such as magazine racks, faded shoes, or "what have you" to the store during the two-day event when C. L. Chadwick of Portland will paint them free of charge.

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OPEN CATHOLIC BAZAAR IN OLD CHURCH TONIGHT

After several weeks of preparation the annual bazaar of the Sacred Heart parish will open in the little old church with a chicken dinner at 5:30 tonight. This will be followed by three evenings of events and amusements, the affair coming to a close Saturday night.

Displays of exquisite handwork and an assortment of Christmas suggestions will be arranged in the various booths, and a full program of entertainment and stunts will make the event one long to be remembered. This year's bazaar will close the doors of the little old church for the last time, and the structure will be torn down immediately after it is over.

REV. GAFFNEY RESIGNS ASHLAND PASTORATE

ASHLAND, Ore., Nov. 21.—(Special)—The resignation of Rev. C. D. Gaffney, for the past three years pastor of the local congregational church has been accepted with regret by the congregation and effective December 1.

Rev. Gaffney will take up fraternal insurance work in California with headquarters in Santa Rosa. Mrs. Gaffney and children will remain in Ashland until the close of the school year.

"Street Girl" Hit at Rialto Theatre

If "Street Girl," which opened last night at the Rialto theatre, had been a stage play, it probably would have been proceeded into town by notices of an extended run on Broadway.

Indeed, if the current stage had been presenting as entertaining stuff as that from which this all-musical, all-talking picture is made it is doubtful if the managers of the legitimate houses would wear such worried looks.

For "Street Girl" is one of those shows that has an appeal for every theater-goer; there is a captivating plot. There is a generous share of fine music, and there is a wealth of personality in the talented cast headed by Betty Compton.

Worth the price of admission alone are the musical renditions of Gus Arnheim's Coconut Grove Ambassadors, who play the four original songs—"My Dream Memory," "Lovable and Sweet," "Broken Up Tune," and "The Prince of Good Fellows"—written especially for "Street Girl."

"On the Air" THURSDAY

7 to 8—Fleischmann Sunshine hour (transcontinental). NBC service to KGO, KHQ, KOMO, KGW, KPL, KPD.

8 to 8:30—Selberling Singers (transcontinental). NBC service to KGO, KHQ, KOMO, KGW, KPL.

8:30 to 9—Stanley Ben's Little Symphony. NBC service to KGO, KHQ, KOMO, KGW, KPL.

9 to 9:30—Standard Symphony hour. NBC service to KGO, KHQ, KOMO, KGW, KPL.

9:30 to 10—The Cosmopolitans. NBC service to KGO, KHQ, KGW, KPL, KSL, KOA.

10 to 10:30—Memory Lane. NBC service to KGO, KGW.

10:30 to 11—Piano Pictures. NBC service to KGO.

11 to 11:30—Plantation Echoes. NBC service to KGO.

11:30 to 12—NBC Green Room. NBC service to KGO, KPL.

12 to 1—Musical Musketiers. NBC service to KGO, KHQ, KPD, MO, KPD.

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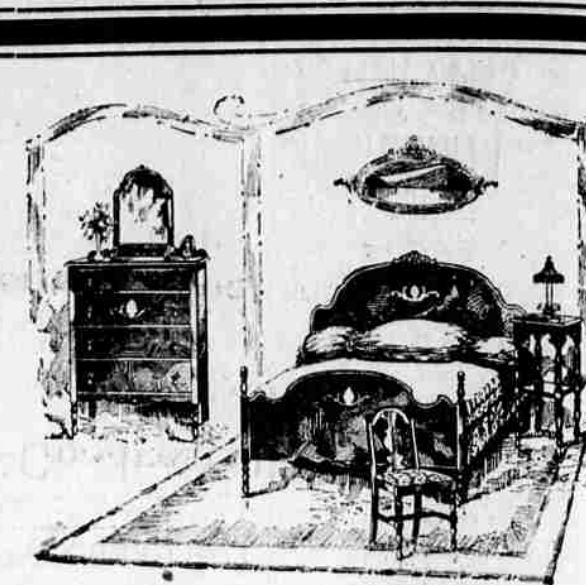
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