

Sports

HARVARD TAKES PRELIMINARY WATER EVENTS

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NEW LONDON, Conn., June 20.—Harvard swept back into the rowing picture this morning with two smashing victories over Yale in the preliminary races of their annual regatta on the Thames river.

The Crimson freshmen, in a brilliant climax to an undefeated season, whopped the Eli yearlings by three lengths in the 1000-yard varsity race. The Harvard crew got the jump on Yale and led all the way in a hard fought duel to cross the finish a good three-quarters of a boat length to the good.

Both races were rowed over the middle two miles of the varsity course, down stream. The Harvard freshman eight covered the distance in 11 minutes, 2.45 seconds, rowing against a stiff head wind. The Eli yearlings were timed in 11:17.2-5.

The victorious "Crimson" "Jay-cats" were clocked in 11:07.1-5, and the Blue freshmen in 11:10.2-5. Yale Varsity Favored.

The twin setbacks, however, failed to shake the general confidence that Yale would capture the blue ribbon prize of the regatta in the four-mile varsity pull down stream this evening. The Eli's ruled top heavy favorites for the big race, scheduled to start at 6:30 p. m. (EST.)

The regatta had for its background probably the most colorful and expensive display of pleasure-craft in its history.

Millions of dollars worth of yachts, cruisers and craft of all description were massed over a good six-mile stretch, including nearly all of the full four-mile varsity course, in a record-breaking jam.

Conspicuous among them were the "stately" spars, the glistering hulls of the four American cup candidates, Westman, Yankee, Enterprise and Whirlwind, alone representing close to \$4,000,000 in combined cost.

ROSSON IS NAMED TO BENEFIEL POST DURING SICKNESS

EUGENE, Ore., June 20.—(AP)—Because of the extended illness of Jack W. Benefiel, graduate manager of the University of Oregon, the interim committee of the executive council, governing body of student affairs, today had voted to continue his leave of absence during the ensuing year.

At the same time the committee appointed Hugh E. Rossion, professor of law, as acting graduate manager. It was announced by James C. Degenhart, chairman of the finance committee and chairman of the interim committee.

In view of the increased scope of affairs, it was decided also at this time to make certain needed additions to the staff.

H. H. Robnett, present acting graduate manager, will act in his former capacity as assistant graduate manager and N. Thomas Stoddard, former president of the student body, will become a second assistant graduate manager. Paul Aker, recently appointed comptroller of the university, will assume the position of treasurer of the associated students, succeeding Louis H. Johnson, comptroller emeritus.

OLD "BOYS" OF INDIAN WARS MEET IN VETERANS ASSOCIATION CONFAB

PORTLAND, Ore., June 20.—(AP)—Three young old men, who composed the active membership of the Indian War Veterans of the Pacific Northwest association, whooped "r" up at the Masonic temple here today and "credit" and "credit" all the Indian wars which preceded and followed the settling of the Oregon country by white men.

Private Samuel Gatton, oldest of the trio, bearded and gray, tramped into the assembly hall from Woodland, Wash., and was chided by the other two "boys" for being late. "Thought I couldn't get here, eh?" Private Gatton remarked.

FRENCH MINISTER OF FINANCE DURING WAR DIES POOR MAN AND DISCREDITED

PARIS, France, June 20.—(AP)—A woman from across the hall and his valet of 29 years today watched over the body of Lucien Klotz, French wartime minister of finance, who died yesterday discredited and in greatly reduced circumstances.

Death came at the age of 62 while Klotz, who signed the treaty of Versailles, was being shaved. Although he had only centimes where once he had francs, he had kept the habit of his days of power of having his tuxedo call instead of going to him.

In 1928, after having reputedly lost heavily in the New York stock market, Klotz suffered a collapse and shortly afterward was charged with issuing bad checks. He resigned his seat in the senate to escape criminal charges, but after being pronounced sane was sentenced to two years in prison and a fine of 50 francs. The sentence was suspended.

RETURN PETITIONS TO HEADQUARTERS COMMITTEES PLEA

Circulators of the Rogue River fishing constitutional amendment petitions are asked to stop work at once and bring the petitions to headquarters of the Rogue River committee in the Medford National bank building. It was announced by members of the committee this morning.

The committee members are anxious to have all the petitions in as they are getting ready to file them with the secretary of state for placing the amendment on the November election ballot.

The city of Medford has been so thoroughly canvassed the committee believes everyone has been given an opportunity to sign the petitions. If, however, there are any registered voters who have not signed the petitions, and desire to do so, they will find them at local hardware stores and at the committee headquarters in the National bank building.

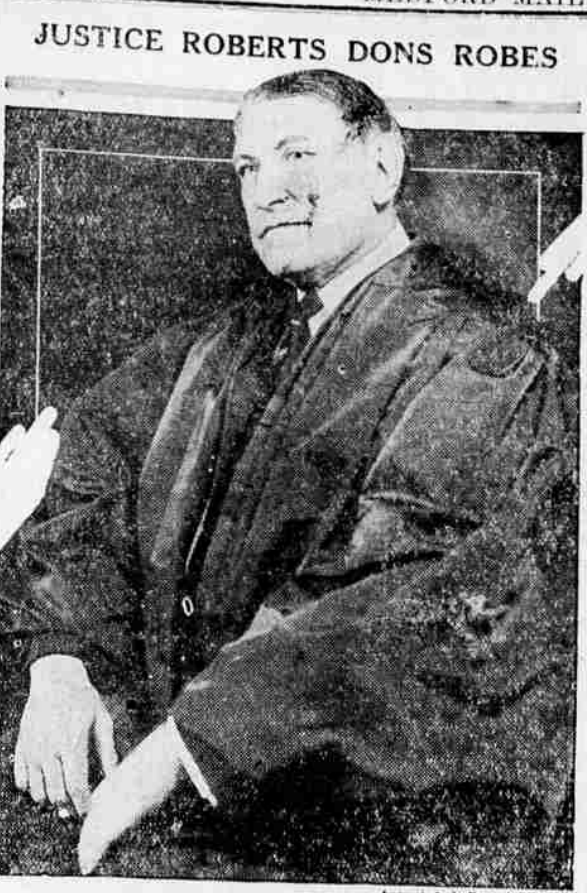
All petitions must be returned to headquarters not later than Monday. The committee members signed several days ago that a sufficient number of names had been obtained to insure placement of the amendment on the ballot.



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EX-EMIR'S HAREM NOW ASYLUM FOR DERANGED WOMEN

BOKHARA.—(AP)—In line with their policy of converting royal palaces into public institutions, the soviet authorities have turned the palace of the former Emir Bokhara, now an exile in Afghanistan, into a sanitarium for mentally deranged women.

The palace, in days gone by, was one of the show places of Bokhara. Within the spacious grounds which are surrounded by high mud walls, is a great open-air swimming pool where the emir and his multiple wives and concubines used to disport themselves.

When the emir fled from Bokhara in 1920, he is said to have taken with him to Afghanistan \$10,000,000 in gold, 5000 camels and 100 concubines, but he left all the furnishings and art objects in his palace intact.

The rooms, in which he held his court, gaudily furnished with a bizarre mixture of Persian, Chinese, Russian, English and German trappings, have been converted into a museum. There the local proletariat may see something of the extravagance and luxury in which the rulers of Bokhara lived in the past.

PATIENT LIVES IN TANK BY AID OF RESPIRATOR

CAMBRIDGE, Mass.—(AP)—Effortless breathing is accomplished by a respirator perfected by Professor Philip Drinker and A. L. Shaw of Harvard.

The patient is placed inside an airtight tank. A suction pump creates a slight vacuum about the patient's body.

Air rushes through the nose and throat into the lungs, expanding them to fill some of the vacuum about the body, and so to equalize pressure.

This breath is forced out by reversing the pump. This respirator has been used continuously on one patient for three weeks.

AUTHOR INSPIRED BY CRATER LAKE

UNIVERSITY OF OREGON, Eugene.—Carrying delightful and entertaining glimpses of Oregon into all parts of the United States, "Marion in Crater Lake," a volume of short stories written by Alfred Powers, dean of the extension division of the University of Oregon, is already proving a marked success, according to reports of the publishers, the Metropolitan Press.

Orders for the book, which contains six highly interesting tales of this state, are now coming in from all parts of the United States, especially from libraries, some of which are ordering several copies.

Starting with a clever story, "Marion in Crater Lake," in which a boy, left by accident at an inaccessible point on the lake shore, finally signals the lodge by means of a kite constructed with the aid of postage stamps, the stories take the reader through many adventures and to many absorbing places.

FEELS LOST SCALES DUE TO DISC LIKE MOUTH

PRINCETON.—(AP)—Scientists who hold that the tools make the man have a supporting argument in eel studies by Prof. William Bergman Scott of Princeton.

"Tools" in the scientific sense are mechanisms such as hands.

Dr. Scott, seeking to learn why the lamprey eel has lost its scales, traces the cause to the eel's mouth. "The sucking, disc-like mouth," he says in a report to the American Philosophical society, "set with rows of horny teeth, is a specialization which no other vertebrates have acquired."

It is this development which so modifies and disguises the life history.

FISH ARE SAVED AS CREEK WATERS FALL

SARDINE CREEK, Ore., June 20.—(Special)—Tom Kincaid and 175 helpers from Eagle Point are engaged this week taking the small fish from the pools of water along the creek and transferring them to Rogue River, as the water is rapidly drying up this hot weather and many of the fish are dying.

Several thousand have been removed from this creek and Galls creek.

Farmer shareholders of the Gopher Valley railway in Ireland recently rejected the offer of the government to buy the railway on the basis of \$3 a share.

GAME OFFICIALS WILL ATTEND K. F. FISH FRY

KLAMATH FALLS, Ore., June 20.—(AP)—Harold Clifford, state game warden, Game Commissioners Wilford Allen, Grants Paves, Harry Poole, Klamath Falls, and former Commissioner Mike Lynch, Medford, will attend the annual fish fry of the Klamath sportsmen's association at the fish hatchery here Sunday.

EMBRYO NATATORS AGITATE WATER IN RED CROSS TANK INSTRUCTION

It's a "splash, splash splash here" and a "splash, splash there" in the tank at Merrick's Natatorium today with the registration for Red Cross swimming classes totaling 281.

Boys and girls, who shiver at the thought and those who duck with instinct, were getting acquainted with the water this morning.

The girls' beginning class goes into the water at 9 o'clock in the morning. The boys have their turn at trying to swim at 10 o'clock and at 11 both try to conquer the water. The class in Junior life saving is also taking examinations at this hour.

At 7:30 p. m. the adult beginners, who find it equally hard to stay atop, come into the water. Thirty-five new members joined this group last night, bringing the total up to 69. There were 45 new members registered in the beginners' classes for girls and boys this morning.

A class in senior life saving is held at 8 p. m. The classes are in charge of Jean Eberhart of the University of Oregon. He is assisted by Miss Golda Boone, who conducted classes during Red Cross swimming week last year. The classes will continue until Wednesday, June 25.

OZARK CAVE EXPLORED FOR ANCIENT TREASURE

JOPLIN, Mo.—(AP) A legendary Spanish treasure cave in Marion county, Arkansas, south of here in the Ozark hills, is being explored to find a source of gold reported to have been removed from the cavern years ago by Osage Indians.

George and Jake Bauman, brothers who explored the cave in their youth, declare the treasure is buried a mile from the entrance.

It was 200 years ago, so the story goes, the Spanish explorers entered the cavern, known as Dated cave, and hid to escape attacks of Ozark Indians. According to legends the Spaniards concealed the treasure and then were massacred.

BRAZIL RECEIVES BIG LIST OF IMMIGRANTS

RIO JANEIRO.—(AP) In the past four years 495,622 immigrants entered Brazil, according to figures in President Washington Luis' recent message to congress.


Portuguese, naturally, were first with 142,788 entries and Japanese next with 45,298. It is estimated, however that within five years Japanese will be close to, if not ahead of, the Portuguese.

How the peoples of Europe are turning to South America for new homes may be judged from the other nationalities in the list. There were 25,245 Italians, 26,963 Spaniards, 24,251 Lithuanians, 21,121 Germans, 21,112 Poles, 18,850 Rumanians, 11,275 Syrians, and 6947 Jugo-Slavs.

LOOKOUTS TAKE POST APPLGATE COUNTRY

APPLGATE, Ore., June 20.—(Sp.)—The national forest service has put on two more lookouts in the last week. Clarence Buck left Monday to take Mr. Neff to Wagner lookout. Mr. Neff has been at this post for a number of years. Cal Wittingham was stationed at Whiskey Peak. Mr. Wittingham is living in a tent as the lookout house was burned down last fall. He is trimming the trail so lumber can be packed to the top of the peak. The forest service expects to start building the new house in July.

DISCIPLES OF THE OPEN ROAD



Arthur de Pencier and Trevor Beckett and their 1921 Chevrolet in which they traveled 10,000 miles from Ottawa, Canada, to Florida and thence to the Pacific Coast over the southern route. They have spent seven dollars on their 1921 Chevrolet in repairs since they started their transcontinental trek. They are planning on driving back to Ottawa in a short time in the same car.

COMPLETION OF HOLLY THEATER NEAR END JULY

Present plans point toward the opening of the new Holly theater here the latter part of July or early in August. Workman are now completing the structure and interior decorations are underway.

Chairs, similar to those placed in the Broadway theater opened at Yreka, Cal., last night, are being installed. The chairs have deep cushions and high cushioned backs. Nearly 2,000 seats were purchased by Walter Leverette, proprietor of the show house, 1,200 for Medford and the remainder for his Yreka show house.

Theater experts from Seattle, connected with the National Theater association, will be in charge of the finishing touches in Medford, under the direction of Louis Ebert, who just completed similar work in the northern California city.

Mr. Leverette has not yet selected the manager for the local establishment, but the selection will be doubtlessly confined to a local man, aided by a staff of other Medford men. The opening picture so far also has not been selected.

RE-ELECT DIRECTORS SARDINE CREEK DIST.

SARDINE CREEK, Ore., June 20.—(Sp.)—Annual school meeting was held at the Alderbrook schoolhouse Monday, and the clerk and director re-elected, and Miss Carita Gifford of Medford re-hired as teacher.

The ideal man, as described by a number of London women-art students, should be tall and dark, a good dancer "with intellectual leanings," send flowers, treat his wife as an equal, and never wear red neckties.

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