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BIG PORTLAND BUILDING COLLAPSES

Reception the Event of Season

Y. M. C. A. Rooms Thronged By Delighted Visitors--a Splendid Program, and Decorations Were Grand

Hundreds of merry people thronged through the corridors and the artistically decorated apartments of the Y. M. C. A. last night where took place one of the most successfully carried out and largely attended public receptions given in Salem for years. While it was impossible to make a count of those who visited the popular institution, it is estimated that the throng numbered at the lowest figure 700 people.

The program given was a model one for events of that kind. It was not of great length, but was admirably well chosen, with both instrumental and vocal music and well rendered readings as the features.

Decorations Elegant.

The decorations of the reception room and the gymnasium, the principal rooms in use during the evening, were both rich and unique. The decorating was accomplished largely under the direction of Will Ketchum, who was the unconscious recipient of much praise for his work both during the evening and after the performance was over.

The reading room adjoining the main reception hall offered a pleasing effect. Evergreens and bunting were blended in artistic fashion but the most commendable feature of this room was the Oriental corner, composed of various articles of adornment contributed by people whose travels had taken them through the far east. The most attractive nook in the main hall was the refreshment booth which was beautified by Oregon grape in profusion. Above the tables where the punch was served a dense bower of the state flower was the cynosure of all esthetic optics. The evergreen effect prevailed in the gymnasium where the program was given.

Prominent Citizens There.

Greeting the visitors at the doors of the institution was the receiving line of the directors of the Y. M. C. A. and their wives. In this group were many of the most prominent people of the city, including Mayer-Elec. Steeves and wife.

After a social half hour in the main hall the crowd thronged up-stairs into the gymnasium, which was improvised as an auditorium, and listened to the literary and musical numbers.

The program was in charge of Dr. H. C. Epley.

The first number was by the Christian church orchestra, which was received with applause. Next was the Y. M. C. A. quartet, composed of Messrs. Reid, Anderson, Henry V. and L. H. Compton. This aggregation approached the platform with trepidation, evidently fearing for their reception. Accordingly the first offering to the crowd was a short verse which only suggested what the singers could do. The hand applause of the adults together with the shrill whistles of the small boys brought them back for another which was scarcely longer, but a third encore was repaid with a selection of some length which was heartily applauded.

Well Known Vocalists.

Appealing to the more artistic of the musical persons present were the vocal solos of Mrs. Morrison Reid and Mrs. W. Carlton Smith. These ladies are the leading singers of the city and both maintained their standard of excellence last night.

Dramatic readings by Miss Blanche Liston brought forth oceans of laughter from the packed auditorium and it was with reluctance that the crowd refrained from encircling Miss Liston a third time. The program was closed



ALICE BRADY, AN ACTRESS WITH A GIFT.

ALICE BRADY is the daughter of William A. Brady, the noted American producing manager, who in his early days was an actor, literally "playing many parts." The young actress appears to have inherited the parental gift and some others since she sings with charm and fluency and also has earned praise in playing parts calling for the talent of impersonation without music. Miss Brady, who is just emerging from her teens, has made a big hit as Meg in "Little Women," which role she is playing in the dramatization of the late Louisa M. Alcott's famous story in New York. Miss Brady has been singing until recently in comic opera.

ed with another selection from the quartet.

Immediately following this part of the program an exhibition in fancy swimming was given by the class of Physical Director Carter in the big pool down stairs. Those who did not witness this feature of the entertainment retired to the main hall to partake of refreshments.

On behalf of the association W. I. Staley made the announcement early in the evening that the budget for the coming year is practically all raised and that by the end of next year the association expects to have a surplus large enough to go some distance toward paying for a site which the institution will purchase for the erection of a new building.

It is not yet known by the directors of the association when new quarters for the rapidly growing membership can be begun, but this looked for within the next two years, at the latest.

Much credit for the success of last night's reception is due the several secretaries of the association who for the last week, have been working almost night and day in preparation for the event.

HOME INDUSTRIES DAY AT THE PUBLIC SCHOOLS

At 11:30 this forenoon Joseph H. Albert addressed the pupils of the high school in general assembly on the subject of home industries day, in conformity with the proclamation of Governor West. Each of the other schools responded to the proclamation, and held special exercises to promote interest in the subject of Oregon manufactures, and the consumption of Oregon-made goods.

No Report on Schrank.

[UNITED PRESS LEASED WIRE.] Milwaukee, Nov. 21.—The alienists who have been examining John Schrank, the assassin of Colonel Roosevelt, will report their findings to Judge August Backus in the municipal court tomorrow.

Refuses to Accept the Terms

Turkey Refuses Peace on Terms Offered by the Allies and Orders Fighting Resumed--Cholera is Raging

[UNITED PRESS LEASED WIRE.] Paris, Nov. 21.—Constantinople dispatches received here today quote Kaimal Pasha as declaring that the war with the Balkan allies will continue unless the allies offer better terms of peace than have yet been suggested.

Kaimal is quoted as saying that cholera is subsiding among the Turks. This is denied by eye witnesses, who declare the dead and dying are lying everywhere at Hademkest, and that but little effort is being made to remove the sick to the cholera camp at San Stefano.

Medical treatment, these witnesses say, is most perfunctory. Cars crowded with sick arrive at San Stefano and the victims are unloaded head over heels down an embankment along the tracks, where most of them are left without further attention. There are few tents in the camp. The death rate among the stricken is said to be more than 50 per cent.

Servia Makes Good.

Vienna, Nov. 21.—Servia notified Austria today that all restrictions in the Turkish territory captured by Servia have been removed, and that Servia is preparing to make restitution to all who suffered at the hands of the Servian troops.

Refuses Peace Terms.

Constantinople, Nov. 21.—The porte confirmed today earlier reports that Turkey has rejected the allies' terms, deeming them excessive. Fighting has been ordered resumed.

A Sea Battle Is On.

Budapest, Nov. 21.—Constantinople dispatches received here today say that the sound of guns at sea is audible at the southern entrance to the Bosporus. No explanation is given. The Bulgarians retreated today four miles to trenches outside the Tehalta fortifications.

Torpedo Boat Blown Up.

Sofia, Nov. 21.—It is reported here that a Bulgarian torpedo boat has blown up in the Turkish warship Hamidieh, and that many Turks were killed.

PLAYED THROUGH GAME WITH BROKEN NECK

[UNITED PRESS LEASED WIRE.] Alma, Mich., Nov. 21.—Lying in the hospital here in a serious condition, "Captain Eppie" Johnson, of the Alma college football team, was informed today that he had played through Saturday's game against Detroit with a broken neck. The discovery was made by the physicians after an X-ray examination.

Johnson was kicked in the neck at the opening of the second half, and, although in great pain, played until the game ended.

BRASIL WILL MAKE A GREAT EXHIBIT

[UNITED PRESS LEASED WIRE.] San Diego, Cal., Nov. 21.—Colum Mendenso Almeida, head of the Brazilian party that has visited the San Diego and San Francisco exposition sites, telegraphed Colonel D. C. Goheen, head of the local exposition from San Francisco today that his party would recommend the placing of its best exhibit here.

The Brazilian exhibit will be a large one. Officers of the San Diego exposition are listed, as they believe Brazil's example would be followed by many of the South American states.



GOVERNOR O. B. COLQUITT OF TEXAS, WHO LOVES A FIGHT.

WHEN Governor Oscar Branch Colquitt of Texas was a "printer's devil" in the office of a country weekly over thirty years ago he learned one thing--to succeed he had to fight. "Little Oscar," as his enemies dubbed him in his last campaign, has been a fighter ever since. A staunch Methodist, he even fought the Methodist church on the temperance question, for he ran an anti-Prohibitionist ticket for governor, and he won. Of course the church expelled him. Governor Colquitt moved to Texas from Georgia when sixteen and has been state senator, state revenue agent and a member of the state railroad commission.

Will Stop Rail Road Combine

CANADIAN ROAD TRIES TO MAKE COMBINE WITH AMERICAN ROAD BUT ENCLE SAM STOPS IT.

[UNITED PRESS LEASED WIRE.] Washington, Nov. 21.—Determined to prevent a railroad monopoly in New England, the department of justice today tentatively plans to enjoin the consummation of a tariff agreement between the Grand Trunk and New York, New Haven and Hartford railroads.

To this end a special agent has gone from here to New York to inspect the papers and correspondence in this connection which the roads have filed. The New Haven road presents the agreement, but it has not yet been accepted by the Grand Trunk. It is accepted a suit probably will follow immediately.

It is explained here today that Attorney General Wickersham, through United States District Attorney Wainwright, has the practical power to prevent the principle combining and stop getting tentative from present time. James Adkins, special agent in charge, will not say whether the consummation of the roads will be civil or criminal.

The department of justice doubts today that its order to Wainwright to stop his probe followed long distances, untostles from J. P. Morgan and other Wall street luminaries.

Although the Grand Trunk is a Canadian corporation, it comes under the provisions of the Sherman law, as it operates in New England.

IS MAD BECAUSE HE DID NOT DIE

WAS KILLED BECAUSE HE DID NOT DIE

[UNITED PRESS LEASED WIRE.] Spokane, Wash., Nov. 21.—Doubtless he did not die as predicted, William Goldblatt, a jeweler, brought suit today for \$15,000 against Dr. G. H. Rober here. He alleges that the doctor told him he was suffering with cancer of the stomach and would live only a short while, so he sold his business at a sacrifice and waited for death. William soon became ill, and he consulted a specialist who found that he was in perfect health.

MARION COUNTY TO BE WELL REPRESENTED

A special car was attached to the northbound Oregon Electric train this morning, which was fairly well filled by members of the Marion County Manufacturers' association. The delegation was very enthusiastic over the prospect of a fine gathering in Portland today at the exposition there next the Home Industries Day, which is being appropriately observed.

It is expected that Inspector Wall will be present and take part in the exercises, which are in accordance with a proclamation having covered days ago.

FIRE DEPARTMENT HAS LOST ITS PEG 1996

Fire Chief Harry Morgan says with this has been in a case deposited with the fire department. The fire department has lost its peg 1996, which was used to identify the fire department. The fire department will be notified to return it as soon as possible. The fire department will be notified to return it as soon as possible.

Marquam Building Wrecked

Part of Upper Five Stories Fall This Morning and at Noon Whole Sixth Street Side Falls--No One Hurt

Portland, Ore., Nov. 21.—Eight floors on the Sixth street side of the Marquam building, a sky scraper in the heart of the business section collapsed with a detonation that could be heard for blocks. The streets are roped off in the vicinity of the building and a complete collapse of the great structure is not impossible. The building contains the Orpheum theatre and many office rooms. It is probable the buildings on all sides will be cleared of their occupants and a wide district roped off if present large cracks in the building increase.

No One Was Injured.

A crash at a retort this morning cut a wide groove in the side of the building for five stories, but it was believed to be due to alterations going on in the structure and was not considered a source of danger. Practically the whole of the Sixth street wall of the building came down last evening, just before noon, but as the streets had already been roped off because of the earlier accident, no one was hurt, and the persons working on the break had vacated the building for the lunch hour.

Thousands of people are gathered around the ropes in the vicinity of the building, blocking traffic. Street car service in the immediate vicinity has been suspended. The building is being rapidly vacated.

All tenants were this morning ordered out of the Marquam building by the authorities, indicating a collapse is feared.

SAY HICKEY WILL BRUAK DOWN AND CONFESS

WAS KILLED BECAUSE HE DID NOT DIE

[UNITED PRESS LEASED WIRE.] Sioux River, N. J., Nov. 21.—Production that J. Frank Hickey, the chemist arrested here for the murder of 7-year-old Joseph Sompas at Lackawanna, near Buffalo, N. Y., will break down and confess was made today by District Attorney Dudley and Chief of Police Hickey after they had visited Hickey in his cell.

Hickey said "I may be a drunkard, but I can not murder. I did not fear to face a trial, but I do fear the people of Lackawanna."

CROWN PRINCE IS INCREDIBLY DISEASED

WAS KILLED BECAUSE HE DID NOT DIE

[UNITED PRESS LEASED WIRE.] Berlin, Nov. 21.—Suffering from tuberculosis of the hip joint and hemiplegia, little hope is entertained for the complete recovery of the imperial crown Prince of Russia, according to a message received from St. Petersburg today by the Germanic Zeltung which correspondent claims the information is from an authentic source.

MIX-UP GROWS WORSE AT LOS ANGELES

WAS KILLED BECAUSE HE DID NOT DIE

[UNITED PRESS LEASED WIRE.] Los Angeles, Cal., Nov. 21.—The case of Arnold is expected to all further progress in connection with the application of the Tennessee central railroad to the state court in the amount of \$5,000,000 in the recent consolidated opinion. If the application is granted it will be necessary to ensure the return from the court.

China May Attack Russia.

WAS KILLED BECAUSE HE DID NOT DIE

[UNITED PRESS LEASED WIRE.] Shanghai, Nov. 21.—It is reported here that Chinese troops are being concentrated in Peking province by marching against the Russian in Mongolia. President Yuan Shi Kai is expected to prevent hostilities.