

TROOP V'S BIG SHOW PROVES GREAT SUCCESS; PUBLIC IS DELIGHTED

Event Starts Promptly; Large Audience Sees Alert Scouts in Performances

At our regular weekly meeting held on Friday night at 7:30, 32 scouts were present with two officials in the chair.

The business session was a short one. All the boys returned their shares and remaining tickets. After the session the boys were drilled. Those who had special things to do remained after the drilling. The others were dismissed.

On Saturday night, the 18th of November, in the Odd Fellows' hall, our troop began its show. It proved a big success for a large crowd attended. The show started promptly at 7:45 p. m. The boys formed in their patrols, marched to the front of the stage and there were drilled before the audience. After the drilling, some of the distinguished scouts were introduced. They included Philip Zane, champion bicycle rider of the Boy Scouts of the Honolulu area; Joseph Ikeole, best signaller of the troop; David Naeole, next best signaller; George Dotson, champion rifle shot

of the troop; Herbert Taylor, next best shot; Samuel Kahanamoku, champion swimmer of this troop for the boys of his size and age, and Leo de Roo, second assistant scoutmaster.

The bicycle races between Zane and de Roo caused much excitement in the audience, and went on while other stunts were being pulled off. First aid, fire-making without matches, signalling and boxing were also shown to the audience. The fire-making was won by First Class Scout Clarence Silva. Joseph Ikeole sent a message by semaphore consisting of 73 letters in about 40 seconds. David Naeole also sent a message by wig-wag, also consisting of 73 letters.

The boxing between Solomon Tyau and Albert Butzke proved very interesting. Asst. Scoutmaster Jack Daly was in charge of them. Neither won. The most comical event of the evening was a "baseball" story by Clarence Silva and Norman Taylor. They certainly made a big hit.

The dance commenced immediately after the show, with Scoutmaster Barry leading the grand march. The dances included fox trot, tag, one step, two steps and the waltz.

The dance adjourned at 11 p. m. CARL MORTENSEN, Troop Scribe.

Just Talks With Scouts

Conducted by Mabel Putnam Chilson

Did it ever occur to us that the young man scout, when he thinks, puts on a different kind of thinking-cap from the one that the baby scout slips on his head when he thinks? The youth's cap hasn't as much trimming as the baby's, for the youth is beginning to look into real life, while the little fellow prefers to play. All this is said by way of asking the young assistant scoutmasters to confer with the older scoutmasters and to find out if anything more can be done to keep the interest of the life and star scouts, or even of the eagle scouts. There must be something ahead—always something ahead. They certainly, after all the scouting experience they have had, must not be put aside for the substitution of youngsters.

Now, we are saying nothing against 12-year-olds (so to speak), for we regard everyone of them seriously. But from 8 to 12, plenty of little boys who are hungry for scout life know perfectly well that if they should try to do as much as the big fellows, they would fall down alongside the road (say, on a cross country hike) and be found later having a grand old snooze by a tree trunk. Isn't it so? And here comes in the usefulness of the Wolf Pack. In this organization every cub knows he's a cub and nothing more. So he acts like a cub and eats like a cub and sleeps like a cub; at least over in England he does; while in "the states" little Indians go about, pointing arrows at targets in the big American forests and think they're living the life of Hiawatha for sure. And it's a good thing. But let us not forget that a young man of 18 must have something more serious than feathers and beads with which to amuse himself, and that he's altogether worth while, and that we must think of him more and more.

Before delving into anything more of a serious nature, let us tap our brains and shake up the gray matter a bit and tell ourselves that Troop XX is to give a dance Friday (tomorrow) evening at the Normal school. It is to be hoped that as big a crowd will enter the ball room as that which cheered Troop V last week in its excellent show.

Do you live in the country away from scouts? Would you like to join a troop? Well, if so, and even if you know you cannot join in with other fellows, listen:

The country boy who lives so far from other boys that it is not practical for him to join a scout group or patrol, may now become a Boy Scout without becoming a patrol member. This has just been announced at national headquarters. Wherever a boy is located he may now have all the fun that scouts everywhere are having, he may become a member of the Boy Scouts of America, the great organization of more than 200,000 boys led by the most eminent men of this country, among whom are the president and the two former presidents.

To thousands of boys from the backwoods of Maine to the ranches of California and from the everglades of Florida to the plains of the great Northwest, who have written to national headquarters and begged to be enrolled as scouts, the answer has always been, "You must form a troop or join a troop already organized."

In an enormous number of cases, however, the boys have found it impossible to do either of these. Yet

TROOP V THANKS THE PUBLIC

We, the members of Troop V, of the Queen's Own Scouts, wish to thank the public for their kindness in helping us to make our recent show a success.

Yours truly,
The Members of Troop V,
Queen's Own Scouts.

"ONLY IMAGINATION"

was the verdict when medicines failed. Perhaps so, but after a few Chiropractic adjustments he was well and his "imagination" was not working overtime. Chiropractic adjusts the cause.

W. C. WEIRICK, D. C.
Graduate Palmer School of Chiropractic (Parent School).
424 Beretania Street.

F. C. MIGHTON, D. C.
Former Director of Clinic, Portland College of Chiropractic.
204-205 Boston Bldg., over May's.

FLEET BASE AT SAN FRANCISCO IS NAVY'S PLAN

Admiral Harris Estimates Pearl Harbor Drydock Will Be Ready June, 1918

(Associated Press by Federal Wireless) WASHINGTON, D. C., Nov. 23.—The great Pearl Harbor drydock will be completed and ready for use by June, 1918, according to the estimate of Admiral Harris, head of the navy bureau of yards and docks, as stated by him here yesterday to the house naval committee.

The admiral in his statement declared that there is no possibility of a second disaster such as that which occurred in 1913, when the bottom of the drydock, under the enormous pressure of the surrounding terrain, blew up, wrecking the work of years and compelling the virtual reconstruction of the bed of the greatest drydock in the world.

Admiral Harris added that the department is planning a great fleet base at San Francisco, to cost approximately \$20,000,000. The navy yard at Mare Island is to be retained for use in construction and repair work. Two destroyers have been awarded to the Mare Island yard for construction.

STEAMER ASHORE AT CRISTOBAL; VALUABLE SUGAR CARGO DAMAGED

(Associated Press by Federal Wireless) COLON, Panama, Nov. 23.—The Norwegian steamer Themis, under charter to the Luckenbach Steamship Company, went aground at the Cristobal entrance yesterday, with 11,250 tons of sugar in her hold.

The Themis was en route from Iloilo to New York. She was leaving Cristobal when she struck and opened up, the water rushing into holds one, two and three, which were flooded. A diver is investigating to ascertain the extent of the damage done the vessel. It is uncertain yet when she will be able to proceed to New York. The amount of the loss to the cargo that was sustained had not yet been estimated.

GOMPERS SAYS ADAMSON LAW MUST BE ENFORCED

(Associated Press by Federal Wireless) WASHINGTON, D. C., Nov. 23.—Sam Gompers, president of the American Federation of Labor, speaking at the convention of that organization which is in session at Baltimore, last night declared that the Adamson eight-hour law must be enforced. He was referred to a decision rendered yesterday afternoon by Judge William C. Cook of the United States district court in Kansas City, Mo., "that the law is unconstitutional."

PEACE PROPAGANDA STARTS IN CALIFORNIA

(Associated Press by Federal Wireless) SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., Nov. 23.—The world peace movement has been endorsed by President Wilson, according to a despatch from New York last night asking for signatures of prominent Californians to a resolution urging the United States to move immediately for an end of the war.

WILSON WINS BAY STATE BY A SAFE MAJORITY

(Associated Press by Federal Wireless) NEW YORK, N. Y., Nov. 23.—President Wilson's majority in California is between 1200 and 3500 votes in the final count, according to the admission made last night by Chairman Willcox of the Republican national campaign committee. The national committee stated that it did not consider that there were sufficient grounds to warrant it in demanding a recount. This leaves no question as to the reelection of President Wilson.

NEW YORK BANK LOANS CANADA HUGE SUM

(Associated Press by Federal Wireless) NEW YORK, N. Y., Nov. 23.—The Corn Exchange Bank announced late yesterday that it had loaned \$25,000,000, at five per cent, to a wheat exporting company of Canada, the money to be used for the purchase of Canadian grain to facilitate its exportation. The big loan, it was announced, is guaranteed by the British government.

MUCH APPENDICITIS IN HONOLULU

There are many cases of appendicitis in Honolulu hospitals. Much of this can be prevented with simple buckthorn bark, glycerine, etc., as mixed in Adler-ika. This simple remedy acts on BOTH lower and upper bowel, removing such surprising foul matter that ONE SPOONFUL relieves almost ANY CASE constipation, sour stomach or gas. A short treatment helps chronic stomach trouble. Adler-ika has easiest and most thorough action of anything we ever sold. The Hollister Drug Company.—Adv.

At midnight tonight the Matson liner Wilhelmina will steam for Hilo from Pier 15, taking 50 passengers. She will discharge 443 tons of cargo there and return to Honolulu Sunday morning, leaving for San Francisco at 10 a. m. Wednesday.

HUGHES SENDS CONGRATULATION TO PRESIDENT

Concedes Relection of Wilson and Best Wishes For Success of Term

(Associated Press by Federal Wireless) LAKEWOOD, New Jersey, Nov. 23.—Charles E. Hughes, defeated Republican candidate for president, yesterday congratulated his successful opponent, Woodrow Wilson.

After waiting many days while the counting of the votes in the closest election in decades went slowly on, Mr. Hughes finally conceded that there was no hope that he had been elected, and he wired Mr. Wilson:

"Because of its extreme closeness I have been awaiting the completion of the official count of the California votes before coming to the conclusion that you have certainly been re-elected president of the United States. The count in California is now virtually completed and the figures assure me that the state has gone for you. Permit me, therefore, to extend to you my congratulations on your reelection. I desire also to express my best wishes for your success during your administration in the four years to come."

JAPANESE AERO PLANT PICKS UP GERMAN MESSAGE

(Special Cable to Nippon Jiji) TOKIO, Japan, Nov. 23.—The Japanese wireless plant at Funabashi reported today that a message from a German wireless station had been picked up by the local station. The message was being sent from Germany to Madrid. The distance from the German station to Funabashi is more than 5000 miles.

This is the second European message that has been picked up by the Japanese wireless station since the service was inaugurated between this point and Honolulu. Officials of the Japanese department of communication declare that it is possible to establish wireless communication between Japan and Europe at any time and that no doubt such a service will be established at the end of the war.

BANDITS MAKE RICH HAUL IN RAILROAD YARD

(Associated Press by Federal Wireless) CHATTANOOGA, Tenn., Nov. 23.—Bandits held up a transfer wagon in the Western and Atlantic railroad yards here yesterday and robbed it of \$42,900. The driver who was alone was forced to open a box containing \$100,000. The bandits took all they could carry and escaped.

MANY ALLIED PLANES DESTROYED, TEUTON CLAIM

BERLIN, Germany, Nov. 23.—One hundred and two English and French aeroplanes were lost on the western battle front during the month of October, while the Germans lost only 14, according to a statement today by the Overseas News Agency, the semi-official German press agency.

Great Reduction Sale

of Oriental Goods in Silk Jackets, Silk Kimonos and Japanese Novelties. Also a new line of



Christmas Goods

ODO SHOTEN

Hotel Near Nuuanu

Xmas Banking Service--

Quick, Reliable, Handy

We offer the Holiday Shoppers, not only those from Honolulu, but those from other islands, an unusually handy and convenient banking service.

Possessing all the facilities offered in any first-class banking institution, we have improved our service by making special provisions for the convenience and comfort of our patrons. Ladies' writing room, provided with every convenience, including free telephone service, is one of our popular features.

Our building is situated within easy walking distance of the principal shops and hotels. Its interior arrangement permits the rapid transaction of business and reduces the bothersome routine to a minimum.

Special attention paid accounts of women.

Resources \$9,856,317.64

The Bank of Hawaii, Ltd.

Corner Merchant and Fort Streets

Phone 4567

Gold to the amount of \$8,500,000 was received from Canada for the account of J. P. Morgan & Co.

Major R. Livingston Luckey, long a member of the Old Guard, of New York, is dead.

Edwin O. Brinckerhoff, an incompetent of New York, who died December 7, left an estate valued at \$299,995.

You can't afford to put off placing your Christmas order for the

New Edison Diamond Disc Phonograph

In his latest marvel Mr. Edison has produced a machine so perfect it has successfully met the difficult tests of direct comparison with the actual voices of some of the world's greatest singers.

It's Music's Re-Creation

Christmas stocks of records are on hand.

Hawaiian News Co., Ltd.

BISHOP STREET

