

# BUDGET TOIL EXCITES OUR COUNCILMEN

Lundy Chews Gum and Tears Hair, While Marble Tries to Bait Mayor

## GILL CALLS 'EM DOWN

Budget Committee Figures \$5,000 for Park Music in Pruning Estimate.

If you haven't yet attended a meeting of the budget committee of the city council, you have denied yourself some real good entertainment.

The brethren of the council sit at a long table and exchange compliments. It is a regular love fest.

At stated intervals Mayor Gill speaks up and tells the committee, individually and collectively, where to get off.

Councilman Lundy chews gum and rumples up his hair until it takes on the appearance of a bird's nest in a wind storm.

Councilman Fitzgerald chews a cigar and takes periodic falls out of various and sundry of the ever-entertaining members.

Councilman Dale periodically sneezes in with his oil-on-troubled waters talk.

Councilman Marble directs remarks at the mayor which causes the latter to bristle all up.

Councilman Hanna petulantly complains that he "can see no justification" for this and so.

And so it goes. They wrangle until the air grows blue, then somebody says something funny, they all laugh and start over again.

But because they fight they get a lot of work done and they are establishing a speed record in working out next year's budget.

# Officers of International Typographical Union Which Convenes in Los Angeles



I. T. U. officials. Top row, left to right—President Marsden G. Scott and First Vice President Walter Barrett. Bottom row, left to right—Third Vice President Charles Smith, Second Vice President Hugo Miller and John W. Hays, secretary-treasurer.

# TYPOS HOLD CONVENTION

LOS ANGELES, Cal., Aug. 7.—When President Marsden G. Scott of the International Typographical Union opens the sixty-first session of that organization on August 9, it will be a history-making event for this city, as it will be the first time an International labor union has held its convention in the City of the Angels.

This city was long known as the bulwark of the open shop and the manufacturers' associations did not encourage or give aid to labor conventions or labor unions.

It was a hard task to dissipate anti-union feeling, but persistent effort won a square deal for the unionists, and now Los Angeles has a prominent place on the map of associated labor.

The local typographical union has made preparations to entertain 5,000 delegates, ex-delegates and their families.

President Scott's annual report shows that last year the I. T. U. marketed \$61,155,285 in skilled labor to employers in the printing industry, an increase over the preceding year of \$104,953.

This from the president's report emphasizes his policy: "Our union is a selling organization; we supply employers with skilled and efficient workmen; our success depends upon the amount of our sales and the prices received; we must not rest content with the volume of business we are doing; thousands of employers are not customers and we must find the way to place them on our lists."

The average earnings per member per year were \$1,026.51; the paid-up membership for 1915 was 59,571, an increase of 1,034 over the previous year; more than 100 unions secured scale increases in the year ended May 31.

John W. Hays, who is secretary and treasurer, is serving his sixth term in that office. As fiduciary officer of the I. T. U. he has founded a business system pre-eminent in the labor world.

# STAR CIRCLE FOR YOUNG FOLKS

## Girl Gets Dollar in Motto Contest

Many Kids Compete

Oh, my! Honestly, Uncle Jack never thought there were so many Circleites, even though The Star has such a large circulation.

Mottos and mottoes came pouring in until the last minute, and Uncle Jack was just about ready to collapse when 3 o'clock Friday rolled around.

All sorts of mottoes were sent in. Some were original and others were the common ones, such as "Make hay while the sun shines," etc. "Work and win" was a very popular one. Several Circleites sent in, and it is a good one, even though it does smack of one of Horatio A. Alger's books.

After a lot of thought, Uncle Jack decided that "Make the better best, and the best better," submitted by Loraine Bailey, 2361 Ladd st., was the best of the lot, and accordingly she was awarded the dollar.

## Circle Kids Build Tree House; Say It Is Sure Great Fun



An example of the industry and ingenuity of two Circle boys is herewith shown in the accompanying photograph. Lester Paul Fey, of Monroe, Wash., writing to Uncle Jack, said: "I am sending you a picture of a shack that Donald Olson and myself erected in two large hemlock trees in some woods near his home.

"The Skykomish river may be seen from the platform.

"We now have a stove, some boxes for chairs, and a table. We have pictures on the walls, and it is real cozy inside. We have a pile of boys' magazines, and it is great fun to sit on the platform and read.

"Donald is 12, and I am 13 years of age."

## Send Short Story in to Uncle Jack; Best Will Win \$1

Next week the Circleites will be required to write a short story. The title of the story is to be: "A Description of the City in Which I Live."

Describe your city, telling of its best-known and most interesting points. Even if you live in a small, country town, Uncle Jack is sure that you can find enough to write about. If you do not live in the city, write about the town nearest you.

Do not let your story run over 200 words in length. Write it neatly, on one side of the paper only, and sign your name and address legibly on the other side. A dollar will be given for the best essay. The contest closes at 3 o'clock Friday afternoon.

### CLARA IS BACK

I am back again, but only for one week. I have had a fine vacation picking berries, but every week I remembered the Circle. I am glad to be entering this contest while I am here, but I will certainly not forget the Circle next time I come back.

CLARA BARSTOW,  
1524 Tenth Ave.

### CATHERINE WANTS TO JOIN

Dear Uncle Jack: I would like very much to join The Star Circle. I like the drawing and story writing contests best.

I am 12 years old and in the sixth grade when school starts again. I like school very much, and can hardly wait for it to begin again.

CATHERINE MCGREGOR,  
Kirkland.

### 'NOTHER NEW MEMBER

Dear Uncle Jack: I have read

### Honor Mention

Following are the names of the boys and girls who sent in the best mottoes: Violet Jones, Mukilteo; June O'Bannon, 2422 1/2 Second ave.; Vivian Gorman, 5801 Fifth ave. N. E.; Helen Cole, Arlington, Wash.; Doris Small, Everett; Elsie Nelson, Renton junction; Dail Butler, Renton; Harriet Nelson, 2308 W. 67th st.; Anna Belle Shaw, 5015 Eighth ave. N. E.; Frank House, 5229 Russell ave.; Ruth Purrington, Sultan; Anna Barstow, 1524 10th ave.; Harold Hendrickson, 3706 W. 62nd st.; Esther Malmquist, Bellevue; Hattie Lindberg, Oak Harbor; Marjorie Calligan, 1137 W. 57th st.; Ruth Hall, 611 11th ave.; Thomas Stiles, Duwamish; Gladys Thornton, 1757 W. 43rd st.; Vesper Hall, 611 11th ave.; Margaret Schmitt, 2016 E. Republican st.; Clara Barstow, 1524 10th ave.; Bernes Northern, 3948 Turk st.

### SOME GOOD ONES

A few mottoes that Uncle Jack thought worthy of publication are given below:

"Strive on till you reach the goal."—Esther Malmquist, Bellevue.

"Strive, work and win."—Anna Barstow, 1524 10th ave.

"Work and win."—Harriet Nelson, 2308 W. 67th st.

"Join our Circle, to your best; win some honors with the best."—Helen Cole, Arlington.

"Hope and try."—June O'Bannon, 2422 1/2 Second ave.

"Don't be just good; be good for something."—Violet Jones, Mukilteo.

"Hit your wagon to a Star."—Bernes Northern, 3948 Turk st.

### A NEW MEMBER

Dear Uncle Jack: I have been

# SPORT SHIRTS ARE ALL RIGHT

It's all right to wear a "sport shirt."

Yes, we know, we, too, were guilty of "joshing" it, and maybe we'll "josh" it again. Still, we repeat, it's all O. K. to wear one of those new-fangled things.

Cynthia Grey says so, and Cynthia, as always, furnishes good, sound reasons for her official O. K. of the "sport shirt." After reading the letter and Cynthia's answer, printed herewith, we are almost ashamed of ever having treated the "sport shirt" so trivially. Still those shirts are decidedly funny on some fellows, and—

Oh, yes, sure, here is the letter and Cynthia's reply:

Q.—Don't you think these sport shirts the boys are wearing look silly and ridiculous? The boy I go with wears one and without his coat and vest half the time. I told him he should never go any place with me "togged out" like that, and he got peeved. Don't you agree with me? MISS 20.

A.—No, I don't. Wouldn't you be "peeved" if your friend should criticize you for wearing a middie blouse or a thin white shirt in a coat and vest? It is about 90 degrees in the shade? The young man dressed in the sport shirt on a sizzling day doesn't look one-half so ridiculous to me as the one wearing a high, starched collar and sweater in a coat and vest. You evidently do not believe in progress. Because your father and grandfather and his great-grandfather before him chose to humor custom by making themselves miserable is no reason why you should do the same. Day must do so. They have as much right to adopt a comfortable dress for the warm weather as the girls.

# TRAIN HITS TRUCK; CONVICTS INJURED

SALEM, Ore., Aug. 7.—Seven state penitentiary convicts suffering from more or less serious injuries today as the result of automobile truck in which they were riding being struck by a Southern Pacific locomotive. All will recover.

There were 36 convicts on the truck. Instead of those uninjured trying to escape, they aided the guards in extricating their mates from the debris.

# HERALD FUNERAL TO BE HELD SUNDAY

Funeral services for Edward W. Herald, president of the Benton Herald Desk & Safe Co. of 918 Queen Anne ave., who died suddenly of uremic poisoning Friday, will be held from the Bonney-Watson chapel Sunday at 4 o'clock. Rev. W. A. Major will officiate. Friends are invited.

# reading The Star for nearly a year, but as yet I have not attempted to become a Circleite. I am now going to start entering the contests. Will you kindly send me a membership card? Suppose I win a dollar one week, can I try and win another the next week? Please let me know.

Yours sincerely,  
GRACE KILEY,  
6757 Seventh Ave. N. W.

# HARRIET JOINS, TOO

Dear Uncle Jack: I would like to join your Circle. Will you kindly send me a membership card?

HARRIET BAUGHMAN,  
615 Kenyon St.

# What They Ask Cynthia Grey

Q.—I feel confident your motherly advice will lighten my heavy heart. I am a young woman 25 years old, considered attractive, well educated in every respect and have many friends, especially among men, but the right one has not yet come along. Oh, Miss Grey, if you only knew how I long for a home and children, how I wish every day I could only meet the right man. Now, my serious problem is: I have known a very respectable young man, same age, worthy of a good true girl, good position, and enough money for the upkeep of a family, and have kept company off and on with him for eight years. I have learned him to be what a good girl would require in every way, but it seems I can't learn to love him as he wishes me to do and he never wants to give me up. Ever since I began to play with dolls, my heart has been set on having a nice little home and children of my own. I am not too particular, remember, about selecting a husband, but I do want the one I love. What would you advise me to do? Keep on waiting till the right one comes along, and then perhaps never meet the man I really love and be left behind with all the rest of the old maids, or marry this worthy young man, learn to love him afterwards and be happy. He is very popular, and my mother's and sister's greatest desire is that I marry him. I get so blue sometimes I feel like giving up everything, thinking how other girls have their home and here I am still waiting for "HIM." My future will be guided by your good advice. B. B. B.

A.—If you are searching for the "ideal man" you are most certainly wasting your time, for he has never yet materialized, any more than has the ideal girl. There is surely something wrong when a girl of your age and standing cannot select a worthy husband from a host of nice young men friends. Take an inventory of yourself. Analyze this picture-man of yours and determine to your own satisfaction whether you think it possible for him to appear in flesh and blood. If you conclude that it is, then somewhere such a man must exist and there is a chance that you will meet him and you had better remain single than to run the risk of spoiling three lives later on.

I cannot help but smile at the way you refer to old maids. You seem to consider that it would be some sort of awful disgrace to be numbered among the old maids. Let me tell you, my girl, there are fine, intellectual, clean young women who enter the ranks of old maids from choice. Many of them are imbued with the true mother spirit and love little children as dearly as ever you could; but they consider it selfish to bring more little children into the world when there are already so many here neglected and suffering. They shoulder the work shifted by ignorant, careless, irresponsible mothers and fathers. They wade through the filth of the slums in answer to the cry of these little children. They pour out their mother love to the little waifs in the orphan homes and asylums whose little hearts starve for the most precious of all things they are deprived of. Now do you honestly think that these women's lives are altogether useless?

Q.—I am a young man 22 years old and am to be married to a young woman of the same age the last part of this month.

A.—She has been raised a Catholic and I have not. Her folks say we should not marry and my folks think the same way. We think it is all right to get married anyway. Do you think we should do as our folks say, or as we think best? E. W.

A.—If you are both broad-minded, and feel confident that your love is strong enough to dissolve any differences which might arise, is there any reason why you should not marry? You are no longer children, but man and woman, old enough to comprehend fully the responsibility of such a union. I know of other similar cases where parties concerned have worked out their problem very satisfactorily, and when it can be done, I say who has a right to interfere?

Q.—I want to serve a simple tasty lunch at 6 o'clock p. m., Sunday, to a party of six motor friends. Can you please suggest a menu of which I can prepare the greater part the day before, or the forenoon Sunday? INEXPERIENCED.

A.—Cold roast veal, Potato salad, Sliced tomatoes, Bread and butter sandwiches, Sliced peaches and cream, Angel cake, Coffee or iced tea.

Q.—I had a girl that I thought

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—BIG—

# EXCURSION

## PORT ANGELES

SUNDAY, AUGUST 8, 1915

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Leaves Colman Dock at 9 A. M.

Stop at Pt. Townsend, Pt. Williams, Dungeness and Pt. Angeles. You can stop off at any of these places on your excursion ticket.

ROUND TRIP \$1.00  
Children, 5 to 12 ..... 50c

ROUND TRIP \$1.00. CHILDREN, 5 TO 12, 50c. Children Under 5 Free

Dairy lunch aboard the boat at city prices. Sandwich, 5c; Coffee, 5c; Pie, 5c. Or you can take your own lunch if you prefer.

You can come back at 4 p. m. or 8 p. m., whichever suits best. Steamer Sol Duc leaves Pt. Angeles at 4 p. m.; Dungeness, 5:15; Pt. Williams, 5:45; Pt. Townsend, 7:15, arriving Seattle 10:15. Or Steamer Waialale leaves Pt. Angeles at 8 p. m. and gets you to Seattle in ample time for business Monday morning.

This is a most delightful trip for a hot Sunday. Come and enjoy the cool sea breezes.

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ROUND TRIP \$1.00  
Children, 5 to 12 ..... 50c

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# FIND DYNAMITE ABOARD WHITE STAR "ARABIC"

NEW YORK, Aug. 7.—Officials of the White Star line yesterday confirmed the reports that dynamite was found on board the liner Arabic before she sailed for Liverpool, July 28.

The explosive was located by a stewardess, they said.

It was wrapped in a newspaper and hidden in a waiting room between hot and cold water pipes. The explosive, when found, was in such a condition that a slight jar would have exploded it.

his mind, a faction in his church is trying to oust him from the pulpit for appearing on the stage.

Lee Magee says he will resign as manager of the Brooklyn Feels unless the umpiring improves. That's what Fielder Jones said. What are the odds Magee sticks on the job?

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# SAYS HOUSEWIVES DRIVE SERVANT GIRLS TO STREETS

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 7.—Declaring that 70 per cent of the women of the underworld are servant girls driven there by cruel American housewives, Mrs. M. L. Carpenter, chairman of the Federated Clubwomen of Chicago, said today that the average housewife was a worse slave driver than the Southern plantation owner of the slavery days. She spoke before the department of labor conference on employment in session here.

# OFFER THEATRICAL JOB TO PREACHER

PORTLAND, Aug. 7.—An extended theatrical engagement was offered today to Rev. Frank Gorman, the Congregational minister, who has been singing in a local vaudeville theatre for several days.

Rev. Gorman has about decided to accept, but says he will not forsake the ministry.

While the minister is making up