

ALLIES OPEN BALKAN DRIVE

AT THE ARENA!

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GOV. LISTER AND MAYOR GILL WILL BE THE CHIEF SPEAKERS SUNDAY AFTERNOON, AT 3 O'CLOCK, AT THE ARENA. THE MEETING IS OF CITY-WIDE INTEREST, FOR IT WILL DEAL WITH THE IMPORTANT QUESTION OF DECENT AND PROPER LAW ENFORCEMENT.

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ONE CENT ON TRAINS AND BUS STANDS

"FAIR TONIGHT AND SATURDAY; COOLER SATURDAY," SAYS THE WEATHER MAN, BUT POLITICALLY IT'S BUZZING. J. W. BRYAN, FRANKSTON, PUT OVER SOME HOT SHOTS THIS WEEK THAT HIT THE STATE AND COUNTY RINGSTERS RIGHT WHERE IT HURT.

Hey, Folk! Meet Seattle's Least Lonely Girl and Its Most Lonely Man



Miss Nettie Campbell

Seattle has been called "the city with the most people on the streets."

"And, for its size," says Miss Nettie Campbell, "I guess it is."

Seated in the glass ticket cage at the Clemmer theatre, MISS CAMPBELL HAS THE OPPORTUNITY OF SEEING EVERY DAY MORE PEOPLE THAN ANY OTHER YOUNG WOMAN IN TOWN.

Miss Campbell goes to work at 12:30 p. m. and quits at 4:30 p. m.

During that time 16,500 people pass within her view on both sides of Second ave. They have been "clocked," that is, counted.

And yet, within 100 feet of that same stream of humanity, on the other side of the street, is Clarence Eastburn, who works from 8 a. m. to 6 p. m., and never sees anybody.

Eastburn is the "dark room man" at Webster & Stevens' photo studio. He is the loneliest man in town.

THE STAR GOT THE LONELIEST MAN AND THE LEAST LONELY GIRL TOGETHER.

"I didn't know I was so lonely," said Eastburn. "But I guess I am. Maybe that's why I'm not married, because I never see anybody. But I see thousands of people every day in pictures that I print in the dark room, and, judging from their photographs, I should say the people in this town are the happiest in the world. Most of them are always smiling."

"They are the richest people," corroborated Miss Campbell.

She passed around a box of chocolates a patron of her ticket window had given her.

"And I want to correct an impression that most people have," she went on, "that women are harder to deal with than men."

"They are not—in Seattle, anyway. I know lots of men that kick and are irritable when they come with their wives to the pictures, and you see them going by with frowns on their faces."

"But the women are very nice. They are not cranks. That is a false impression."

"I don't mean that all men are cranky, either. Not by any means. Lots of them that I see every day smile and lift their hats as they go by."



Clarence Eastburn

NUDE "WILD" MAN SPREADS TERROR ON BEACON HILL

MOTHER WANTS YOU, ANTHA!



Antha Harrison

Antha Harrison, come home!

No matter what you've done nor where you are, come home!

If you could see your mother as we of The Star have seen her, you'd lose no time.

She's tired, lonely, broken-hearted, seeking, tirelessly, night and day for you.

Maybe your heart is full of tiny grievances that you have nursed until they outweigh your reason.

But no matter what you are thinking or what resentment you feel, sometime you will realize that they do not mean as much to you as one gray hair in your dear mother's head.

Come home, Antha Harrison!

ROBERT AMES BENNETT

—wrote "Into the Primitive," the next novel-a-week to appear in The Star, beginning Monday and ending Saturday.

Bennett has weaved into the story one absorbing situation after another. It deals with the adventures of three castaways on a desert island, one woman and two men.

A naked, unknown man has been terrorizing residents in the outskirts of Beacon hill nightly for two weeks.

Police and the countryside living around Beacon hill are conducting a hunt for him.

Residents have appealed to Mayor Gill and Chief Beckingham, and Sergt. F. G. Brant of Columbia station has had a squad of officers scouring the thickly wooded sides of Beacon hill for the wild man's hangout.

"So terrorized are many of the families that several have moved out of their homes and joined forces with other families fearing an attack," said C. H. Vick, 9107 39th S., who appealed the last time to the police Thursday.

"Vick described the 'wild man' as being about 25 years old, wearing a small black moustache and long, black hair, which he brushed straight back from his forehead.

"His mania is to walk about in the underbrush naked," said Vick. "He will suddenly step out from a clump of woods when he sees women or children and make threatening advances toward them."

"Mrs. Jacob Goellner, 4300 Director ave., who has encountered the fiend upon several occasions, says she returned one day to find him baricaded within her home. He had entered while she was away and had frightened her small children from the house.

"When she rapped on the door he fled, taking with him two jars of fruit juice and a loaf of bread. He was naked. Later he appeared and beckoned to Mrs. Goellner. She became so frightened she moved from the house, and is now staying with neighbors.

"Mrs. H. C. York, 57th ave. and Director, is another who has encountered the fiend several times. The last time was last Friday, when she was hunting her cow, and he appeared without clothes. She said he had a foolish grin on his face.

"Later she returned to the spot with neighbors and found a trolley wheel tied in a piece of paper on the spot where she had met him."

Sergt. Brant has scoured the neighborhood without success.

P. J. McHugh, who is running a grading camp in Rainier valley, says he believes the man wanted by the police is the same man who was seen at several occasions.

"He has come around here at nights after work," McHugh said, "but he never started anything, and looked sort of foolish to me. He was always hungry."

"I have orders to hostile him if he ever comes around here again."

Invents Machine to See the Truth; Lands in Asylum

CENTRALIA, Aug. 11.—A. Holmes insisted on asserting he had discovered a machine whereby lawyers could look inside people's heads, to see if they were telling the truth. He was sent to an asylum after an insanity commission hearing.

IT'S YOUR MEETING!

TONIGHT U. S. Senator Miles Poindexter will deliver a message to YOU at Dreamland rink at 8 o'clock. He arrives at the King St. depot at 7:45.

He will not go into any "pussy foot" caucus with the political bosses. He is going direct to the Dreamland. What he has to say will be said to YOU—and it will be mighty interesting.

At Spokane he was welcomed on his return from Washington as the senator who "did that almost unheard-of thing, representing the people."

And that is why the political ringsters of the state don't like him. They do not want him re-elected. They cannot control him. He is too big, and broad, and independent, rising above partisan narrowness to the greater vision of truer Americanism. That is why the "Hinky Dinks" and "Bath-house Johns" of Bellingham, who run a so-called Young Men's Republican club, only yesterday resolved not to let Sen. Poindexter address any meeting of theirs.

A real man—is Sen. Poindexter—and a free man; a republican big enough to vote for a Wilson appointee if he be of the calibre of Justice Louis D. Brandeis; big enough to consider legislation on merit, not on blind partisanship; big enough to play square and fair with the people.

LET'S TURN OUT AND GIVE THE SENATOR SUCH A RECEPTION THAT THERE WILL BE NO DOUBT THAT SEATTLE, IN COMMON WITH THE REST OF THE STATE, APPRECIATES LOYALTY AND HONESTY AND PATRIOTISM IN PUBLIC SERVICE.

CRISIS IN RAIL STRIKE DELAYED

NEW YORK, Aug. 11.—The federal board of mediation and conciliation and representatives of trainmen's brotherhoods, including 400,000 railroad men, today agreed to delay submitting any final proposition looking toward a settlement of demands made by the men until 10 a. m. Saturday.

Following several conferences during the morning, President Stone, of the Engineers' brotherhood, indicated strongly that prompt action must be taken by the board, but members of the board declared they were not ready to report at present.

GERMANS REPULSE BALKAN ATTACKS

BERLIN, Aug. 11.—Repulse of "sham attacks" by weak enemy detachments in the Balkans south of Doiran was announced by the war office this afternoon.

On the Russian front German troops are being regrouped to conform to altered Russian positions, it was announced.

PRESIDENT BEGINS HIS WORK AT 5 A. M.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 11.—The alarm clock in the White House now rings at 5 a. m. and the man it rings for is the president.

Since the arrival of the hot season, President Wilson has been arising at 5. He can work better in the morning than after the summer sun has got in its work, he says.

BOY IS DEAD AND GIRL HURT AFTER WARNING

"Please don't go riding tonight," Mary Favro's mother pleaded Thursday night with her.

"I feel that something awful will happen if you go riding with George Bacanello."

But, Mary, 18, pretty and headstrong, who lives at 6551 14th ave. S., went.

Friday, Mary is lying seriously injured on a small white cot in Providence hospital near death.

Her companion, George Bacanello, 18, of 6163 Fifth ave. S., lies dead in a morgue.

And Mary's mother, tearful and wracked, haunts the corridors of the large hospital on the hill, praying that her little girl won't die.

She is believing, too, more strongly in woman's prémonition.

This Is a Duck of a Story in 2 Spasms and Regular Finis

This is a duck of a story.

Jimmie Crehan, mayor's secretary, accepted as a gift from police an Indian Runner duck, which they captured in a Chinese gambling raid. He took it home. His good wife objected strenuously to caring for it. She persisted in her objections.

CHAPTER II. Jimmie Crehan motored to Firlands Thursday night and took Mr. Duck along. In due time the duck was left—over the protest of Mrs. Crehan—as a gift for Dr. J. S. McBride.

"I know I'll miss that duck terribly," said Mrs. Crehan, "he'd become such a bother."

CHEER SENATOR AT WENATCHEE

WENATCHEE, Aug. 11.—Senator Miles Poindexter was cheered by more than 2,000 people here last night when he delivered his first speech of the campaign at the City park.

The applause and cheers were frequent, and the attendance rivaled any meeting held here.

The audience vigorously showed its approval of Senator Poindexter's course in congress, which he plainly outlined. When he declared that he held the country above any partisan considerations, and that he held the republican party above party bosses, the cheering could be heard for blocks.

Senator Poindexter was introduced by Rufus Wood, editor of Daily World here, and was assured of the hearty support of the community. Many people from neighboring towns attended the meeting.

A band concert preceded the meeting. Senator Poindexter left today to speak at a meeting in Seattle tonight.

EXPECT WOMEN TO SUPPORT HUGHES

COLORADO SPRINGS, Col., Aug. 11.—A declaration for Charles E. Hughes in return for his avowal of federal woman suffrage was expected to be adopted at the executive session of the woman's party conference here today. Non-partisan pleas by the conference leaders who strongly favor endorsement of the republican candidate was counted on to overcome a few socialist and prohibition delegations.

RAINS DO DAMAGE IN MANY STATES

CHICAGO, Aug. 11.—Reports of heavy property damage and loss of stock in floods caused by rains which fell all last night throughout Illinois, Iowa and parts of the Middle West, were received here today. It is estimated that the losses will run into the thousands of dollars.

WILSON COMING TO COAST IN OCTOBER

WASHINGTON, Aug. 11.—Between September 15 and October 1, President Wilson plans to start a transcontinental campaign tour, including many of the cities on the Hughes itinerary. He will go as far as San Francisco, it was learned today, after Senator Phelan had called at the White House to arrange several of the speaking engagements.

QUICK BLOW WINS DOIRAN, RAILWAY TOWN, ONCE LOST

BY ED. L. KEEN (U. P. Staff Correspondent)

LONDON, Aug. 11.—Indications that the long expected offensive of the allies in the Balkans may have begun were contained in dispatches received here today.

By a sudden blow on the Doiran front, 38 miles north of Salonika, French troops have captured the railway station at Doiran, evacuated by the allies when they retreated from Serbia.

An official statement from the French war office carried this announcement today.

An Athens dispatch to the Central News, at about the same hour, reported a great battle raging on the Balkan front. The allies have occupied not only the Doiran station, but high ground adjacent, the dispatch said.

The British war office thus far has made no announcement of the beginning of the great drive expected to sweep the armies of the central empires out of Serbia. For several days advices from German sources, however, have reported increasing anxiety at Berlin over rumors that the allies' Balkan offensive was about to begin while the great triple offensive on the western, eastern and Italian fronts was under way.

The allies, Berlin reported, planned to squeeze the Austro-Germans and the Bulgars by pressure on four fronts simultaneously, hoping at the same time to draw Rumania into the war against the Austro-Germans.

The news of the allied success in the Balkans followed announcement of new and sweeping successes by the Russians in their advance against Lemberg from the southwest.

The Slavs are crossing the Bistritza, three miles east of Stanislaw, and have made a rapid advance against the important city of Halitz, at the same time continuing their advance on the Sereth river further north, with large captures in prisoners.

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That another man besides the Japanese took a part in the shooting of the officers was the conclusion drawn from other testimony.

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All of the women testified that the car was stopped after one of the party had noticed the man following the machine.

"Officer Wiley jumped out to see who it was," testified Mrs. Cassie Nelson, Alki Point, "and somebody said, 'Look out, there are three of them there.' He said, 'I don't care how many there are.'"

The two officers were taking the women home.

When Wiley went back, the women got out of the car, and ran, fearing trouble. Officer Weedlin boarded the car toward the spot of the shooting.

The woman testified they heard reports of at least six shots in rapid succession.

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BILLINGSLEYS ARE SET FREE

Murder Charges Dismissed After Hearing in Court

DIDN'T KILL WEEDLIN

Charges of murder against Fred and Logan Billingsley, in connection with the shooting of Police Sergt. Weedlin near their whisky storehouse the night of July 24, were dismissed Thursday afternoon by Judge Gordon.

The state, represented by Deputy Prosecutor Patterson, failed to produce any evidence connecting the Billingsleys with the killing.

But the actual murder of Sergt. Weedlin, and the fatal duel between Police Driver Wiley and the Japanese watchman, was more a mystery than ever after the witnesses of the preliminary hearing had told their stories.

Enough testimony was heard to definitely establish the fact that a small bare-headed, coatless man ran crouching after the car in which the two officers and five women were riding.

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