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## THREE ARRESTED ON STATUTORY CHARGES

**Pullman Youths Arrested for Alleged Connection With Case Involving 14-Year-Old Moscow Girl—One Released**

Three Pullman youths, Roy Morris, Owen Hammond and Jess Hatley, were arrested Monday on warrants issued at the request of the parents of a 14-year-old girl residing at Moscow, Idaho. Morris was charged with contributing to the delinquency of a minor, and was taken to Moscow Sunday afternoon, waiving extradition privileges. The two other young men were charged with "seduction and prostitution." Hatley crossed the line for a preliminary hearing without extradition papers and was at once released, the evidence not involving him to a sufficient degree to warrant holding him. After refusing to go into Idaho without papers and spending Monday night in the Pullman jail, Hammond experienced a change of heart when Deputy Sheriff Baker came up from Colfax to escort him to the county bastille to await the arrival of the necessary papers, and crossed the line for his preliminary hearing. Morris and Hammond were bound over to the Idaho courts under \$600 bonds, which was furnished in each case, and returned to Pullman to await the trial of the case.

The case has attracted wide attention and the outcome is awaited with much interest. In case the evidence proves sufficient it is possible that the charge against the two men, or at least one of them, will be changed to a federal charge under the white slave act, it being alleged that the Moscow girl was brought to Pullman Sunday night.

Considerable difficulty was encountered in locating the girl involved, who, it is claimed, was in hiding in a private home here all day Monday. The local officers and a deputy sheriff from Moscow searched the house twice, it is claimed, without finding a trace of her. Late Monday night, however, she was located at a nearby home, where she had gone to use the telephone, ostensibly for the purpose of communicating with Moscow friends. Her parents and brother were assisting in the search and she went home with them that night. Hatley accompanying Sheriff Campbell of Moscow across the line at the same time.

Relatives of the Moscow girl, who is the daughter of well known people, claim that the girl was one of a party of three Moscow girls who were taken to the Moscow mountains by the trio of Pullman boys by automobile Sunday. Two of the girls returned to their homes Sunday night, but it is alleged that the third was brought to Pullman and kept here all night. Warrants were issued early Monday morning and Moscow officials came to Pullman to cause the arrests of the three boys. Unofficial reports are to the effect that an all-night search was made in the mountains for the girl, who was reported to be lost there, by her relatives Sunday night, and that they did not learn of her whereabouts until the next morning. Both the Pullman boys who are

held for trial are alleged to bear somewhat unsavory reputations. Hammond has been in court before for similar offenses, and on July 12, according to the county records, a similar charge against him was dismissed when he consented to marry the girl involved. Since that time he has been living with his wife in Pullman. Last winter, while operating a skating rink in Moscow, he was arrested on a statutory charge and broke jail.

Local feeling against the family alleged to have harbored the girl Sunday night and Monday is high, and in case sufficient evidence can be gathered additional arrests may follow.

### REGISTER NOW!

Less than 500 of Pullman's 1400 voters have qualified for the primary election by registration. The registration books close September 1, to re-open after the primaries, and close again 20 days prior to the general election. City Clerk Gannon announces that beginning August 21 she will keep her office open until 9:00 o'clock at night to accommodate those voters who find it impossible to register during working hours. Get in before the rush. Register now!

Work on the new Emerson building has progressed rapidly since the arrival of the long delayed terra cotta, and the magnificent structure will be ready for occupancy by the first of September, when the stock of general merchandise will be moved.

## PULLMANITES IN LINE FOR COLVILLE LANDS

**Twenty-nine Local People Included in List of 5500 Names Drawn at Spokane—Only Three Above 1000 Mark**

While the list of 5500 names drawn at Spokane for priority in filing upon homesteads in the Colville Indian reservation contains the names of 29 Pullman people, only three of these were above the 1000 mark, assuring a good homestead. It is figured that there are probably 1500 available quarter sections in the reservation, although the number of choice parcels probably does not exceed 250 or 300. It is expected that a large percentage of the "winners" will fail to file, so that names as low as 4000 may be in line for a piece of the reservation land when their turn to select comes.

Only six per cent of the entire registration is included in the list of 5500 names drawn. Figuring the balance of the big list on the same ratio as the first 5500 in point of Pullman winners, approximately 500 Pullman people registered for a chance at the homesteads.

The list of Pullman people included in the drawing, with their numbers, is as follows:

- 73—Wade G. Story.
- 103—V. V. Westgate.
- 163—William C. Kamerrer.
- 1049—Lee M. Mael.
- 1268—W. H. Gillespie.
- 1555—O. W. Dixon.
- 1646—John H. Weir.
- 2051—Harry L. Muir.
- 2269—Isaac A. Buckley.
- 2282—Blight L. Buckley.
- 2345—Leila E. Moore.
- 2422—J. N. Scott.
- 2730—Jessie E. Hays.
- 3162—Jas. H. Cline.
- 3227—L. M. Clarkson.
- 3694—Marcia Locklin.
- 3701—Mrs. Mary Telford.
- 3945—John Sodorff.
- 4015—Claude Rucker.
- 4198—Charles S. Hill.
- 4342—C. D. Slow.
- 4709—Elzie H. Duffey.
- 4746—O. E. Henderson.
- 4776—Frank H. Cannon.
- 5014—George E. Whitten.
- 5066—Ed D. Kitzmiller.
- 5082—Geo. E. Coffey.
- 5179—J. E. Lindsey.
- 5291—Ralph E. Johnson.

Ollis Pinkley and family and the Misses Maude Helm and Juanita Stout left Tuesday for Priest lake, Idaho, where they have secured a cottage for the rest of the summer.

## DEMONSTRATION AT STIREWALT FARM

The demonstration of the government fire extinguisher for separators will be held this (Friday) afternoon, at three o'clock, at the farm home of Charles Stirewalt, five miles north of Pullman, near Whelan station. The Stirewalt farm is easy of access and all farmers and others interested are urged to make the trip and witness the demonstration, which will be in charge of Elmer Johnson, government expert, and I. D. Charlton, of the State College staff. Both these gentlemen will give short talks explaining the system of extinguishing separator fires.

## Wm. Swain Gets Woodman Plum

**Pullman Man Named Chairman of Committee to Compile New Ritual for W. O. W.**

The Pacific Jurisdiction, Woodmen of the World, is no more. In its place will be a new and stronger organization of W. O. W., comprising not only the nine Northwestern states included in the former Pacific Jurisdiction, but as much more territory as they see fit to acquire. This new arrangement, decided upon at the head camp session held recently at Denver, Colo., makes necessary a complete new ritual for the new organization, and to William Swain, Pullman architect, fell the coveted plum of chairman of the ritualistic committee, the highest honor in the gift of the head camp session.

Mr. Swain is far from a neophyte in Woodman legislative matters, having taken a prominent part in three former head camp sessions, which are held only every three years, and in each case has been given prominent committee appointments and has taken a leading part in shaping the legislation for the succeeding three years. The high honor received by Mr. Swain at the recent session came as somewhat of a surprise, but people who know the Pullman man recognize his unusual ability along that line, his deep knowledge of the big affairs of the organization, and are convinced that no better man could be found for the all-important position. California was given two committee members, Wyoming one and Oregon one. This committee of five will

meet at San Francisco early in November to compile the new ritual, which will be exemplified for the first time by a San Francisco team. The finished product will be printed and distributed to the various camps later the same month.

The Pacific Jurisdiction has formerly not only operated under the same ritual as the sovereign jurisdiction, with which it was affiliated, but used the same pass-words and secret work. Under the new arrangements new secret work and pass-words also must be arranged, and an entirely new organization, separate from the sovereign jurisdiction, will be maintained.

The new organization has a reserve fund totaling \$8,000,000, and is claimed to be the most substantial fraternal insurance in the world. New legislation enacted at the recent session makes the policies much more desirable than heretofore. Previously a member who died during the first three years of the life of his policy received only a part of its face value, governed by the length of his membership. Under the new legislation the full value of the policy is paid, even though the member dies the day following its issue, the graded certificate plan being abandoned.

The Denver session included 160 delegates from the nine states comprising the Pacific Jurisdiction, and lasted 11 days. The delegates from the eastern Washington district included, besides Mr. Swain, F. L. Stenhouse of Colville, N. O. Baldwin of Pomeroy, J. F. Brown of Walla Walla and C. E. Horton of Spokane.

## Sad Death Takes Mother of Six Children

**Mrs. Elmer Coy Dies at Age of Twenty-nine Years, Leaving Six Little Children—Funeral at Oakesdale**

One of the saddest deaths in the history of Pullman occurred last Sunday when Mrs. Elmer Coy died at her home on Sunnyside hill, following the birth of a 10-pound son. Death was due to post partum hemorrhage and came within a few hours after the birth of the child, despite valiant efforts on the part of physicians to save her life. Funeral services were held at the home Tuesday morning, the Rev. J. W. Caughlan officiating, and the body was taken overland in the Kimball auto-horse to Oakesdale and laid to rest in the Oakesdale cemetery after a service in which three pastors, friends of the family, took part.

Mrs. Coy was 29 years of age and came to Pullman with her husband and five children last September from Camas prairie, Idaho. The husband suffered an attack of pneumonia and for several months was ill and out of employment. Recently he secured a position in the shops of the Traction Street Car company in Spokane, and was planning to move his family to Spokane as soon as the expected child had arrived.

He was in Spokane at the time of the death of his wife, but arrived here Sunday night.

Deceased leaves besides her husband, six children, five boys and one girl, the oldest being 11 years of age. Her father was in Pullman with her and a sister and brother reside in Oakesdale, and another sister and brother in Spokane. Mr. Coy's brother and his wife, who reside at Newport, arrived in Pullman Tuesday to make arrangements for the caring of the children, taking two of them home on the return trip.

Mrs. Coy was a woman of many virtues, whose entire thought was for her family. She made many friends during her residence here and her sad death is mourned by all Pullman.

### CITY BUSINESS SCARCE

A scarcity of municipal business was the cause of one of the shortest sessions of the city council on record last Tuesday evening. Aside from calling to order, reading the minutes and adjourning, the only business transacted was to order the city clerk to again advertise for bids for District No. 29 and to give permission for the use of parts of Pine and Paradise streets for storing building material for the new knife factory.

### WHEAT PRICES CLIMB; FARMERS JUBILANT

The Pullman farmers who are still holding their 1915 crops of wheat, can get from seven to nine cents per bushel more for it today when they could last Friday, the sensational advances being due in large measure to the reports of great damage to the crops in North and South Dakota, both banner wheat states, and to the Canadian crop, occasioned by the deadly black rust. These reports caused big advances in the Chicago markets, and the local markets climbed in sympathy. Oats, on the other hand, have fallen off slightly in price, being quoted here at 10 cents the hundredweight under the price of last Friday. All of the 1915 barley crop has been sold and a price on the 1916 barley crop is given for the first time this week.

Yesterday's quotations in the local markets were:

Red Russian wheat	.....85c
Club wheat	.....87 1/2c
Fortyfold wheat	.....90c
New barley, per cwt.	.....\$1.20
Oats, per cwt.	.....\$1.00

### G. A. R. AND W. R. C. PICNIC

The members of the G. A. R. and the ladies of the W. R. C. will enjoy a picnic at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Mathews, four miles north of Pullman, next Tuesday, August 8. The ladies are requested to bring baskets and the picnickers will meet at the Masonic hall at 9:30 a. m., to be transported to the Mathews home in automobiles.

## R. M. O'DAY WEDS JUANITA GREGORY

**State College Graduates Married at Sunnyside Last Week—Will Reside at 404 Montgomery Street**

Two of Washington State College's most popular graduates were made man and wife last week when Ray M. O'Day and Miss Juanita Gregory were married at the home of the bride's mother, Mrs. William Gregory, at Sunnyside. The ceremony was a quiet affair and was performed by the Rev. Terry of the Sunnyside Baptist church in the presence of the relatives of the contracting parties. Mr. and Mrs. O'Day will return to Pullman this week and will be at home to their many friends at 404 Montgomery street.

Both the young people were active in student affairs during their college careers and both made hosts of friends who extend congratulations and well wishes. Mr. O'Day received his degree in economic science and history with the class of 1915 after a four-year course, during which he enjoyed many student honors. He served as editor of the Evergreen, the student publication, in a very capable manner, and was colonel of the cadet regiment, accompanying the embryo soldiers in that capacity to the Pan-American exposition in San Francisco. He was a member of the Gamma Delta fraternity and was an excellent student. Mr. O'Day is a son of T. J. O'Day of Pullman. Since graduation he has been employed as an assistant to Accountant W. C. Kruegel and has displayed unusual aptitude for business affairs.

Mrs. O'Day, as Miss Juanita Gregory, was without doubt one of the most popular and charming young ladies who ever attended the State College. She also took an active part in the student and social affairs which, are so great a part of student life. She was accorded one of the greatest honors in the gift of the student body when she was elected queen of the May last year over a field of four exceptionally strong candidates, and executed the difficult role with a grace and charm that brought much favorable comment. Miss Gregory was also chairman of the "Big Five" committee of young ladies which had charge of the activities of the college women on last campus day. She is a member of the Pi Beta Phi sorority and received her degrees last June from the department of home economics.

## PULLMAN TO STAGE COUNTY CLUB FAIR

**County Exhibit of Boys' and Girls' Club Work Will Be Held Here Middle of September**

The county exhibit of the work of the boys' and girls' clubs of Whitman county will be held in Pullman about the middle of September, the chamber of commerce having adopted the report of the agricultural committee, which endorsed the plan at its Tuesday luncheon. In all probability the exhibit will be held the week previous to the state fair at North Yakima, which is set for September 18 to 23, although the dates have not been definitely decided upon.

A committee consisting of R. C. Holt, D. F. Staley, J. W. Mathews and Bruce Lampson was appointed to solicit funds for the exhibit, and make complete arrangements. They have already secured subscriptions which assure that little trouble will be experienced in raising the \$250 necessary to stage the attraction. The premium list, which includes first, second and third prizes in the various departments of club work, calls for an expenditure of between \$170 and \$200, and the balance will be required for incidental expenses. In all probability the annual hog show will be abandoned this year to make way for the club fair, so that the business men will not be asked to sign subscription petitions for both events.

It is expected that fully 400 exhibits will be included in the county display and that members and parents from all parts of the county will be attracted to Pullman. The prize winners in the different departments will be sent to the state fair at North Yakima, where their exhibits will be entered in state competition. Fifty dollars toward sending the winning boys and girls to North Yakima will come through the county school superintendent and the winners will be entertained while there by the fair management.

### NARROW ESCAPE

A timely tire blowout averted an accident which might have resulted seriously in the Moscow mountains Sunday, according to reports of Pullman parties who Sundayed in the mountains. A Ford automobile, carrying the three Pullman boys who figured in the sensational case brought by the parents of a Moscow girl, and three girls from Moscow, proved unequal to the task of climbing a steep hill just beyond "Tarry-a-White," and the engine stopped suddenly. The machine started backward down the hill and was just on the point of turning over into a shallow ravine when one of the tires on the lower side blew out, the force of the explosion righting the machine and averting the accident, which without doubt would have resulted in serious injury or possibly death.

### 8000 MILES TO ENTER W. S. C.

That the fame of the State College of Washington is spreading to all corners of the globe is indicated by the fact that Robert N. Justo, a native of Buenos Ayres, has traveled over 8000 miles to enter the college this fall to take a full course in horticulture. Mr. Justo has already arrived in the state and is now employed on a large fruit ranch, where he is getting practical experience in his chosen line. He intends to complete his course here and return to his native land, where he will engage in the apple raising business on a large scale on his father's extensive land holdings.

Mr. Justo became interested in the apple industry through a representative of a Wenatchee fruit marketing agency in his home city. Most of the apples at home, Mr. Justo says, are imported from Spain, are of inferior quality and sell for \$1 a dozen. The large, fine apples of Washington are a great delicacy and hard to obtain down there.

### PULLMAN GIRL TO EGYPT

Miss Henrietta Aten, daughter of Mrs. H. M. Aten of Pullman and for the past two years instructor in home economics at the Pullman high school, left New York last Thursday for Cairo, Egypt, where she has accepted a position of importance in the girls' school. Miss Aten is a graduate from the department of home economics of the State College and her two years at the Pullman high school were marked with great success. She was employed by the school board for a third year, but was forced to resign to accept the position in the far-off land of the pyramids. Miss Aten was spending her vacation in California when the offer was made and was obliged to sail for Egypt without returning to Pullman.