

ROSS TELLS OF THE CHINESE

Wisconsin University Man is Guest of Palimpsest Club.

HAS PRAISE FOR THE ORIENTALS

Says Chinese Should Be Kept Out of America if Americans are in Favor of Fair.

As the guest of the Palimpsest club last night, Prof. E. A. Ross of the University of Wisconsin told the story of China and the Chinese, detailing incidents and facts that had come under his observation while traveling in the new republic to gather information. He was introduced by John L. Webster. The address followed a supper given in honor of Prof. Ross.

Prof. Ross said that his visit to China was largely to get a better understanding of the Chinese. He said he discovered that they generally are a lot of good fellows and that while performing the most laborious tasks they are good-natured, going about singing, their faces wreathed in smiles.

Carried along in a sedan chair, the professor said that he often spoke to the Chinamen who were passed on the roads and, though they did not understand a word, they recognized the salutation and at once became his friends. They were described as a people who do not blow hot one minute and cold the next, but are staunch and true. They are hard to convert to a new way of thinking, but when once converted stick to the idea. They are extremely loath to substitute new methods for those which they have employed and consequently have been slow until recently in developing a new civilization.

The professor explained that probably one cause for this was due to the fact that for 2,500 years they have been living in accordance with the fixed principles and ideas that have been prevalent, but more recently they have taken a new grip on existing conditions and are developing with wonderful rapidity. He predicted that by 1920 the new republic of China will be recognized as one of the great world powers and its people ranking high in the councils of the nations of the universe.

Praises the Chinese. Prof. Ross in comparing the Chinese with the Japanese eulogized the former and spoke in the highest terms of their inventive genius, referring to them as the people who first produced and used gunpowder, who invented porcelain and many other things that have been in general use for centuries. Instead of being morose and sullen the Chinese in their native land are quite the reverse, being a mirth-loving people and smiling with smiles that signify joy and good feeling.

As to unrestricted immigration, Prof. Ross had this to say: If the people of this country favor low wages and hard work, then the Chinese should be allowed to come; but if they are in favor of fair pay for working people and high class living, they should be kept out. He explained this by saying that by years of experience and being ground down and living in a country where which is unproductive the people of China can maintain themselves and live where there would starve. He explained that in China there are no orchards and no fruits to tickle the palates of the poor; no meadows where cattle and other animals can graze, and consequently meat is a thing not seen upon the tables of the poor or middle classes. Food, he said, is sold in the smallest portions and the same is true with all delicacies.

Prof. Ross addressed the Commercial club yesterday noon, saying the state of Nebraska should seek the services of its university professors as advisers to legislative committees and as members of public boards and commissions. He told of the close relation existing between the University of Wisconsin and the state government.

Trujillo Explains Senatorial Deal

SANTA FE, N. M., March 24.—"You can send me to jail, the penitentiary, put me out of the house, but you cannot make me tell what did not happen. No one paid me money." That was the answer Julian Trujillo, member of the New Mexico legislature, accused of having solicited a bribe, said he made when Republican State Chairman Veneciano Jaramillo asked him "How much money did you get from Andrews?" He was the first witness for the defense (yesterday) before the house bribery investigation committee.

Mississippi Rises Half a Foot Higher

ST. LOUIS, Mo., March 24.—The Mississippi river at St. Louis rose slightly to half and tonight the gauge read 24.3 feet, a half-foot rise in twelve hours. The danger of a flood here at the present time has been lessened by a fall in temperature. Reports to the weather bureau showed the river from Hannibal to the mouth of the Illinois fell gradually. The Illinois river below Peoria rose slightly and the Missouri river below Kansas City and the Mississippi below the mouth of the Illinois rose gradually. The cold weather decreased materially the flow from streams contributory to the larger rivers. At Cairo the gauge stood 25.8 feet tonight. A stage of 40 feet is predicted because of the flood in the Nile. Little damage is being done by the overflow of water near Cairo in Kentucky, Illinois and Missouri.

DAMAGING FLOOD CONFRONTS WEST

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Such a severe winter has not been experienced out there in years. As a result weeks ago farmers and ranchers fed the last of their hay and grain. Consequently after that, owing to the inability to secure grain and forage, people were compelled to turn their animals onto the rangeland, much of which, owing to the dry weather last year, was almost bare of grass. This, too, was covered deep with snow and as a result thousands of cattle simply starved to death.

GENERAL THAW PREDICTED

Washington Reports Confirm Belief in Floods. WASHINGTON, March 24.—Fair weather over the greater part of the country with temperature near or slightly below the seasonal average during the next several days is promised by the weather bureau in a bulletin issued tonight. "Rain or snow is probable, however," says the bulletin, "on Monday in the north Atlantic states and the extreme upper Ohio valley. The next disturbance of importance to cross the country will appear in the far west Wednesday or Wednesday night, cross the middle west Wednesday or Thursday and the Atlantic states near the close of the week. This disturbance will be preceded and attended by a general rise in temperature and local rains in southern and central and northern states and is followed by considerably colder weather, which will appear in the northwestern states Thursday or Friday."

Four Railroads Fined For Giving of Rebates

CLEVELAND, O., March 24.—Six dock companies and four railroads indicted by the federal grand jury here last April for rebating pleaded guilty before Judge Killwatt in federal court here today. Each of the railroads, excepting the Nickel Plate, was assessed fines, which, with the fines imposed on each road's subsidiary dock companies, aggregated \$29,000. The Nickel Plate, because it controlled no dock company, was fined \$2,000.

The dock companies were: Angelone Dock company, Mahoning & Shenango Dock company, Ohio and Western Pennsylvania Dock company, Union Dock company, Ashtabula Dock company and the Pittsburgh & Conneaut Dock company.

It is understood the railroads will now take over the dock companies, which formerly operated as ostensibly independent corporations, but were in reality controlled by the railroads.

FATHER'S PLACE IN HOME. MRS. WEEKS TELLS MOTHERS

ST. LOUIS, Mo., March 24.—More father in the home was advised today by Mrs. E. R. Weeks of Kansas City at the convention of the National Congress of Mothers. She is a vice president of the congress. "We have heard much," Mrs. Weeks said, "of woman's place in the home. Well, man's place is also in the home, and he must not be a stranger in the home or he cannot advise his wife if he does not understand her problems."

LA FOLLETTE WILL COME TO NEBRASKA ON APRIL 3

LINCOLN, Neb., March 24.—Senator Robert M. La Follette will come to Nebraska April 3 and will remain in the state for several days, campaigning for votes at the republican primary, April 15, when he will contest with Colonel Roosevelt and President Taft for the sixteen Nebraska votes in the Chicago convention. A telegram to F. A. Harrison of Lincoln announced today the senator's positive determination to make April 3 the beginning of his Nebraska tour.

SCHOOL TEACHER INDICTED FOR GIVING BOY BEATING

ST. JOSEPH, Mo., March 24.—Miss Ira White, a school teacher of Easton, this county, was indicted today by the grand jury for an alleged brutal whipping of Harold White, a pupil. Witnesses declare that the boy said he liked to be stood in a corner and that the teacher in an effort to make him cry whipped him for several minutes, being forced to take a rest between efforts. Miss White says she was compelled to beat the boy to maintain discipline.

GENERAL BRUSH ASKS PERMISSION TO RETIRE

SAN FRANCISCO, March 24.—Brigadier General Daniel H. Brush, commanding the Department of California, has asked the War department for permission to retire from the service April 12 instead of waiting until his sixty-fourth birthday, which falls on May 12 next. General Brush enlisted in the One Hundred and Forty-fifth Illinois volunteers and entered West Point at the close of the war. On retiring he will make his home in Baltimore.

FIRE RECORD.

Farm Home Burned. ASHLAND, Neb., March 24.—(Special.)—Fire, the origin of which is supposed to be from a defective fuse, destroyed the farm home of Ernest W. Clark, ten miles northwest of Ashland, at 7 o'clock Saturday morning. The fire was discovered by Harry Fox, a near neighbor. The loss is about \$2,500 on the house and \$300 on household effects, only a small part of which was saved. The house was owned by A. G. Powell of Liberty, Kan. The loss on house and goods was partially covered by insurance.

High School Boys to Debate Des Moines

Omaha High school will hold its second debate of the season Friday evening, April 12, when the regular squad will journey to Des Moines to compete in argumentative skill against the West High school team of that place. The purple and white will uphold the affirmative side on the immigration question and will be represented by the following: Edwin Landale, Fred Rybins, Carlson Hathaway and Paul Mackin, alternate. C. E. Reed, vice principal, and Coach Edward R. Burke will accompany the team.

SON'S FAITH NOT OF FATHER

Rev. F. L. Loveland Tells of the Variance of Different Creeds.

SPEAKS FROM HIS OLD PULPIT

Says Attempts Made to Force All Types of People to See Christ in Same Manner Has Caused Much Bloodshed.

Rev. Frank Loveland, former pastor of the First Methodist Episcopal church, guest of Ralph W. Brockbridge over Sunday, addressed a packed house of friends and members of the church from his former pulpit Sunday. Taking for his text Mark xvi, "And Christ appeared to his disciples in another form," Dr. Loveland declared that Christ appeared to each individual in a different form.

"The passion of the human race is to know Jesus Christ," said Rev. Mr. Loveland. "The young collegian refuses or is unable to see the Christ seen by the aged. It is a far cry from the faith of the father to the practical faith of the son."

"My belief is, Jesus Christ is able to appear to all forms, types and temperaments. Martin Luther's battle hymn, 'A Mighty Fortress,' is God revealed to him as He is not viewed by the drab-garbed Quaker or the shouting Methodist."

"Attempts to force all types of people to see Christ in the same manner has been the cause of bloodshed and cruelty for ages."

"The Romanist, the Methodist—each has his vision of Jesus. This may mean the passing of the Presbyterian, the Methodist and the Baptist view, but if so we should allow it to go with gladness of heart, for we will then be able to perceive with a clearer vision."

"Intolerance is the product of imperfect vision. The supremacy of Jesus Christ still lives. The dogmas and theories which caused the burning of heretics, the banishment of the nonconformists have all passed away with the people who raised the questions. The ideas were only partial and were not able to survive the flames that burned the heretics."

"No one is able to comprehend the whole truth; no witness can tell the whole truth, although he is sworn to do so. The larger view of Christ leads to tolerance, charity and respect for the view of others."

OMAHA MEN GET PATENT AFTER TEN YEARS' WAIT

Notice of the entry approval and issuance of patents to the Allen's Park Power and Development company for claims filed by them ten years ago was received yesterday by Henry Rohlf, secretary of the company, from Senator G. M. Hitchcock. Ten years ago the company was organized and several hundred Omahans subscribed for bonds and stock. Delays and much red tape on the part of government officials caused the stockholders to allow their holdings to depreciate in value, but now that they are soon to have clear title to valuable mineral property the value of it has greatly increased.

SENIORS DEFEAT FRESHMEN IN WELL PLAYED GAME

The Seniors of the Council Bluffs High school defeated the Freshmen in the inter-class basketball series last night at the local "Y" by the score of 33 to 19, the game was fast and it looked as if the under class basket players might have some chance of winning, when the first half ended the score was Freshmen, 19; Seniors, 7.

In the second half the Seniors came back stronger by superior teamwork. They made 25 points to the Freshmen's 15, the final score being Senior, 33; Freshmen, 19.

This is the second game won by the Seniors in the class series for the championship of the high school.

The Seniors play the Juniors next Friday evening, March 29, at the local "Y" gymnasium for the championship.

SENIORS. FRESHMEN. Harris.....R.P. R.F. Cleaver Dex Frank.....L.P. L.F. Rose Hargens.....C.C. Macginnon Highsmith.....R.G. H.G. Smith-Beno Nolan.....L.G. L.G. Davis

Field goals: Harris, 4; Hargens, 2; Frank, 2; Nolan, 2; Ross, 2; Macginnon, 1; Davis, 2; Free throws: Frank, 2; Cleaver, 3; Referee: Hubbard; Umpire: Pierce; Timekeeper: Montgomery; Scores: Don Frank. Time of halves: 30 minutes.

HYMENEAL. Ketterlan-Truman. WEST POINT, Neb., March 24.—(Special.)—Judge Deward pronounced the words which made Henry Ketterlan and Miss Elsie Truman husband and wife. The young couple are residents of Snyder, where the groom is resident agent for the Nye-Schneider-Powder company. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Truman of Snyder.

AFFAIRS AT SOUTH OMAHA

Citizens' Progressive Party Plans Publicity Bureau.

SPELLING BEES PROVE SUCCESS

Publishing of Mayor Harrison's Recommendation of Flank Steaks Causes Increased Demand from Housewives.

Within the next few days there will appear in the public prints a detailed history of the bellicose sleight of hand work that has characterized the official life of the present administration. This was the determination reached last night at a meeting of the citizens' progressive party, which was held at the headquarters at Twenty-fourth and M streets. All the candidates and a large number of citizens attended the meeting.

At its own expense the citizens' progressive party will install a publicity bureau. Of particular note was the bitter determination with which the citizens resent the gang methods of City Treasurer John Gillin. Gillin it is asserted has assumed the attitude of a boss.

The party leaders cautioned the candidates that the fight was just begun. It was announced that two monster mass meetings would be called within the next week, the last one to be held on the night before election. The meetings will be held in the high school auditorium.

You pay your dime and you get a choice of candidates at the Workingmen's Independent club. It was a reproduction of the old time convention when the club met last night at the Redmen's hall to endorse candidates for the different city offices.

First came the little formality of dropping a dime in the outstretched hand of the treasurer. Three applicants for membership in the club were ejected because of a temporary financial disability.

Thirty-five men were present at the meeting. Alstad, who rose to demonstrate against the methods of the meeting, was buried under vociferous protests.

With a few exceptions the endorsement was according to the dictates of the Giltin gang. Gillin failed to carry Good, whose opponent (Wheeler) was endorsed.

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Spelling Bees Successful. N. M. Graham, superintendent of public instruction, is jubilant over the success of the spelling bees which have been held in the different schools of the city this week.

During the last week delegations from certain schools have visited other schools where spelling contests were held. Later the visiting teams of the present week will be the home team.

After all the schools have enjoyed an interschool meet the process of elimination will begin and the final contests will be held in the high school auditorium.

Resenting the public appearance of posters in which they were referred to as the "biggest grafters" that ever appeared in South Omaha, Councilmen John Frank, John Walters and would-be Councilman Hefflinger, all democrats, have offered a reward of \$5 for the arrest and conviction of the person who vilified them.

The posters are said to have made their appearance early yesterday morning and the three men whose names were mentioned were very indignant over the outrage.

Because of a recommendation alleged to have been made by Mayor Carter Harrison of Chicago the packing houses are reporting increased popularity of a cut of meat known as the flank steak.

The flank steak is a cut which heretofore was said to have been overlooked by the housewife, who has been accustomed to give preference to the more juicy and tender sirloin and porterhouse.

Mayor Harrison, who is a "bon vivant," is said to have made the discovery that flank steak contains all the desirable qualities of the dearest cuts.

Meat City Gossip. For paper hanging and painting call on Jay Trapp, South 21st.

Miss Jean Buchpa of David City is the guest of Miss Jean Berger.

Mrs. H. J. Gwald is the guest of her aunt, Mrs. Powell of Lincoln.

Phil Southwick of Lincoln was the guest of Hurd Striker last week.

Mrs. Frank Magel of Indianapolis is the guest of her sister, Mrs. John Smith.

Miss Louise Schindel is the guest of friends and relatives at Atlantic, Ia., this week.

Miss Edna Gison of Stromsburg, Neb., is visiting at the home of Miss Edna Philip this week.

Mrs. J. B. Watkins will entertain Chapter M. P. E. O. society, at her home next Saturday afternoon.

consolation prizes. Covers were laid for fifty. Mrs. John Gribble, assisted by Mrs. Sage, entertained the Thursday Lunch-club at the home of Mrs. Gribble Thursday evening. The guests of the evening were Miss Nora Gilchrist and Earl Sage. Places were arranged for Messrs. and Mesdames C. A. McIvor, J. M. Tanner, D. L. Holmes, A. P. Durbin, A. A. McIvor, S. A. Sage, John Gribble, Miss Nora Gilchrist and Earl Sage.

Miss Frances Case was hostess for the Stitchey club at her home, 1812 North Twenty-seventh street, Tuesday evening. Those present were: Misses Flora Holton, Irene Thomas, Edith Curtis, Monetta Lee, Blanche Robinson, Faye Curtis, Florence Miller, Nina McWilliams, Mary Sargent, Grace Harding, Mae Anderson, Myrtle Taylor, Carrie Anderson and Frances Case; Messrs. George Case, Austin Finley, Harry McWilliams and Earl Hodgson.

The W. W. W. club was entertained Saturday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Harry Manning. Miss Grace Young was assistant hostess. Mrs. Lew Snyder was honor guest. Four tables of players were present. Those present were: Mesdames H. Helgren, A. Miller, C. Orchard, R. L. Laverty, W. B. Tagg, N. H. Bryson, Byron Hart, Cory-Bulla, W. Lambert, H. Mazing and Mesdames Maude Dennis, Julia Willard, Hortense Eads, Eunice Enser, Nora Gilchrist and Grace Young.

Mrs. W. B. Tagg entertained the O. T. W. club at her home Saturday evening. Mrs. James Trimble was assistant hostess. The members are Messrs. and Mesdames W. B. Tagg, J. Trimble, H. Mari-

nk, C. Bulla, C. Orsard, N. R. Bryson, Thomas Parker, Vernon Mann, H. B. Hodgens, Roy Johnson, Clarence Bergquist and Harry Anderson.

The Duplicate Whist club was entertained at the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Laverty Friday evening. The guests of the club were: Misses Nora Gilchrist and Hortense Eads and Ted Shanahan. The members are: Messrs. and Mesdames P. S. Moore, A. H. Mirdock, Ben Ashe, R. M. Laverty, J. Laverty, O. P. Taylor and Neal.

The Utopia club met Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Paul Lang. Eighteenth and Missouri avenue. First prize at cards was won by Mrs. Mangan. Second prize was awarded to Mrs. Callahan. Tables were placed for the following: Mesdames Morris Hinchey, John Hinchey, Caldwell, H. Bachman, P. L. Linsban, Jim Cummings, P. McCarty, M. Fitzgerald, J. Callahan, M. Rafferty, J. Byrne, J. Grace, M. Howley, Fred Ensland, Callahan, E. Kehler, J. Gorman, P. J. Trainor, Frank Wilson, J. Parks, Liva Lamond, D. J. Farrell, A. Waite, A. Wright, Abstead, McCarthy, Ryan, Fenton, Furling and Toppet.

A fortunate Texas. E. W. Goodloe, Dallas, Tex., found a cure relief for malaria and biliousness in Dr. King's New Life Pills. Only 25c. For sale by Beaton Drug Co.

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LIGHT "Kills" Beer Even Pure Beer. Every brewer knows this and covers even the hand-holes of the case to keep out light. We do more. We put Schlitz in Brown Bottles. Schlitz will not spoil when the case is open—even though it be for months. It is only natural that Schlitz in Brown Bottles should be the home beer. The Brown Bottle protects Schlitz purity from the brewery to your glass. See that crown or cork is branded "Schlitz." The Beer That Made Milwaukee Famous.

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