

OMAHANS GET FINE VIEW OF SUN ECLIPSE

Celestial Phenomena Arrives on Schedule Time, at 5:19 P. M.; Scientists Climb High for Photos.

(Continued From Page One) people have had to observe the phenomena in the last 18 years.

Favorable for Study.
The United States this time was especially favored by being able to study and photograph the phenomena from the many degrees of altitude and the divergent atmospheric conditions that prevailed from Aberdeen, Wash., to Orlando, Fla. This line of totality was 50 miles wide across the continent.

Photographing of the eclipse by scientists was hampered by the failure of some of the best apparatus that this country can boast being shipped here from Russia, where it had been taken for a previous observation. It had been shipped to Vladivostok, but before it could be loaded on a vessel for the United States the bolsheviks staged an eclipse of their own with the czar for the sun and this caused a delay.

Probably the most interested group of observers of the eclipse in the world were the scientists stationed at the observatory of the University of Denver. This was under the direction of Prof. Edwin B. Frost of the Yerkes observatory.

This was the first time in the world's history when an observatory equipped with powerful telescopes was in the path of totality.

Photographs of Corona.
Prof. Frost delegated to Prof. Paul Biefield of Dennison (O.) university the work of taking photographs of the sun's corona, only visible during eclipses and for the first time attempted.

For this purpose a 21-inch telescope was used and \$5,000 was spent in preparing for the expedition and constructing special apparatus with which to do the work of photographing.

Another party of astronomers, for emergency and as a precaution against cloudy weather, was stationed at Green River, Wyo., to take similar observations.

The scientists at Denver were disappointed, for heavy clouds obscured the eclipse during the hours of totality. The men of science made the best of it and went out to watch the color effect on the clouds of approaching darkness. A peculiar light shimmered and a brilliant electrical storm visible in the mountains many miles to the southwest made up a scene so uncanny as to seem unreal.

At Baker, Ore., scientists were more fortunate. Twilight set in at an untimely hour and this was followed by a deeper darkness, which caused chickens to go to roost, birds to seek their nests and twitter uneasily because of the turning of day into night. Electric lights had to be turned on indoors and street cars and automobiles had to have their headlights burning. The darkness was as dense as is usual at 10 o'clock at night.

Daylight Rapidly Restored.
Within a few minutes after the eclipse at Baker, which occurred about 2:55 p. m., and passed a given point in 120 seconds, daylight rapidly returned.

Astronomers trained their glasses and telescopes on the phenomena in an effort to read the riddle of the heavens and to study and photograph the sun's corona and spectrum. It will be days before the results attained will be available for public information.

The eclipse touched the earth first in the Pacific ocean south of Japan. South Bend, Wash., had the longest period of totality in the United States, the moon's shadow there being 66 miles in diameter and taking two minutes and one second to pass a given point. The shadow became smaller and relatively swifter as it came inland and at Orlando, Fla., where it left the United States, it only took 50 seconds to pass a given point.

80 Towns in Path of Eclipse.
There were about 80 towns within 20 miles of the central line of totality. At Los Angeles, Cal., and Washington, D. C., extreme points far away from the pathway of totality, the moon covered three-fourths of the sun's disc.

At Baker, Ore., the color effects were wonderful. The glowing and pulsating light threw crescent-shaped shadows on the earth and where cloth was spread on the ground mysterious and unexplained shadow bands were seen.

Scientists say the "Baker eclipse" conditions were better than those during the Sumatra eclipse, but not so good as in Spain.

Hammond, of the naval observatory at Washington, D. C., flashed the time of the first contact reported from the five inch equatorial at 46 minutes and 45 seconds after 2 o'clock. This revealed an error as it was five seconds earlier than figured, the mistake being due to a slight error in the computation of the moon's position.

Graduation Class of Benson High



ESCAPE OF "SIXTH" JEWEL ROBBER IS MYSTERY NO MORE

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He made his way to the roof, edging along with the bullets hitting the shingles and the eaves trough all around him. He was reckless of his personal safety and kept on after Williams gave up to attempt to get away.

Leonard made his way to the rear of the house and reached the ground by jumping off the roof of a kitchen in the rear. It was growing dark and he made his way unobserved to the east and descended the icy, slippery banks of the bluff, in the vicinity of the Missouri Pacific round house. He stumbled and fell on a path, which a nimble-footed goat could hardly negotiate, and finally rolled down to the railroad right-of-way below, bruised and scratched.

The temperature at the time was 12 below zero. In the cold and in darkness he made his way to the Missouri river, which he crossed above, on the ice.

"Went Through Hell."
"I went through hell on the trip I made that night," he told his confidant. "A fierce wind swept up along the river and it blew the fine, dry particles of snow into my face and blinded me. I had no coat or hat and the biting cold penetrated me like a knife. I narrowly escaped plunging into air holes in the ice and being drowned several times. I lost sense of direction and nearly gave up before I was half way over."

"But the thought of the 'dicks' on my trail and the prospect of a long stretch in 'sit' gave me the strength to keep on my way. At last I stumbled against the bank on the Iowa shore and had a hard time climbing up. My knees and hands were skinned and bloody and my legs felt like blocks of wood, they were so numb."

"I made my way across the bottom until I came to a shack. I knocked in the door, which was opened to me by an old man and found him and his wife living alone. The place was one of squalor. I asked for a coat and hat. The old man pointed to a grimy pile of bedclothing and told me he had no coat to spare but I could take a quilt. He only had two. I could not do it. He gave me a cap and I started out again."

Was Nearly Frozen.
"Where I went that night, through the freezing cold, which left me only half conscious, I do not know. Anyhow, daylight found me at Missouri Valley. There I had to seek warmth and something to eat. My ears, the side of my face, my hands and feet were frozen and I was cared for there by the officials until I could get in touch with the gang."

All this time the Omaha police were looking for the mysterious "sixth" man.
Leonard received money from friends in St. Paul, where he went to a hospital to recover from the shock and injuries of exposure to the bitter cold. Later he got out and then disappeared from the ken of his friends and the police. It is thought that he will remain in hiding until the interest in the Omaha "job" dies away.

Had Wild Career.
The Malashock robbery was not the only "stunt" of the kind in which he figured in Omaha. On July 18, 1905, he held up the Clark drug store at Twenty-fourth and Seward streets. He robbed four of the men who happened to be there at the time of the jewelry and money they had on their person.

An alarm was given before he could get out of sight and police set out in chase of him. There was a gun fight and he surrendered. On July 21, of the same year, he was bound over to the district court in the sum of \$4,500, which he failed to furnish.

While in the old county jail awaiting trial he was

What was probably the last class graduated from the Benson High school held its commencement exercises Friday night. Henceforth high school students from Benson will attend Central high.

Those in the picture are: Upper row, left to right, Nancy Jacobson, Metta Brewster, Sophia Voss, Charles Barnum, Eva Phalen, Viola Johnson, Edith Calvert; lower row, Nellie Timberly, Earl Young, Edith Chantry, Elden Benson, Elizabeth Snow.

ing trial he was furnished with tools by friends on the outside and sawed away several of the bars of his cell and with four other prisoners made his escape.

Leonard had a prison record then, having served seven years in the San Quentin prison in California. He was about 30 years of age at the time.

LODGE ROOM NEWS OF GREATER OMAHA
Modern Woodmen Start Liberty Campaign to Furnish Insurance Protection for Members in Army.

Magnolia camp, No. 1877 Modern Woodmen, will hold a special meeting at their hall, Twenty-fourth and Ames avenue, Tuesday night to complete arrangements for a Liberty campaign. Five per cent of the camps members are now in government service and all men between 17 and 35 years of age in the north end will be given a personal invitation to become members and thereby secure \$1,000 protection for their families. This \$1,000 certificate will be worth 100 cents on the dollar whether the man is at home or on the battle line in France and without 1 cent extra cost to the insured.

Benefit Dance.
Harmony council, No. 1480, Knights and Ladies of Security, will give a benefit dance June 15 in Ancient Order of United Workmen temple. The proceeds will go to the Red Cross.

Court of Honor.
Wednesday night, June 19, Banner court, No. 540, Court of Honor will give a prize card party in the Swedish auditorium. Next Wednesday night, there will be a class for initiation.

Ancient Order United Workmen.
Patten lodge, No. 173, will give a card party and dance in the hall at 110 North Fourteenth street, Monday night, June 17. Refreshments will be served.

Big Paper Mills Burn
Buenos Aires, June 8.—One of the two paper mills in Argentina, including its entire stock of paper and pulp, has been destroyed by fire. The loss is estimated at 1,500,000 pesos.

Concert at Riverview Park.
Al Fairbrother and his band will appear in concert at Riverview park this afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.

Will party who witnessed the automobile accident at 29th and Jackson Sts., Monday, June 3, and offered services to the injured, kindly communicate at once with E. E. Huntley, Grain Exchange, Phone Harney 1673.

PERSHING HEADS TROOPS IN FIGHT ABOUT CANTIGNY

Washington, June 8.—General Pershing personally directed the fighting of American troops at Cantigny, from where the Germans were driven with a loss of 200 prisoners, members of the senate military committee were told today at their weekly conference with war department officials. The village was taken by the Americans May 28 and all German attempts to recapture it have been in vain.

Etting Candy Plant Damaged By Fire at Grand Island
Grand Island, Neb., June 8.—(Special Telegram.)—Fire today swept the plant of the Etting Candy company and a large part of the stock and fixtures valued at \$24,000 were damaged by smoke and water. The candy company was owned by the Etting estate. The loss is estimated at \$1,000. Both contents and building were insured. The fire was caused by defective electric wiring.

Blast Kills 400.
Moscow, June 8.—Four hundred persons are dead as the result of an explosion of munitions near Jassy May 30.

Chiropractic

Question—"What can you do for Neurasthenia?"
Answer—Once the nerves are relieved of pressure, nature will do all that is necessary to restore the body to a normal condition.

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Thousands of Telegraphers Give Pledge Not to Strike

Washington, June 8.—Several thousand telegraphers employed by the Western Union Telegraph company in Chicago, Seattle and Spokane wired President Wilson today that they would not be parties to any movement looking to a disruption of the country's commercial telegraph

plored agitation looking to a strike of telegraph operators and pledged their loyalty to the government.

Hammond to Speak.
Ross Hammond of Fremont will tell his war experiences at the annual banquet of the Baraca Brotherhood of Immanuel Baptist church, Twenty-fourth and Pinkney streets, Tuesday evening.

Miss March Married.

Washington, June 8.—The marriage of Miss Josephine March, daughter of General Peyton C. March, acting chief of staff of the United States army, to Major Joseph M. Swing, of Newark, N. J., field artillery, United States army, took place in St. Margaret's church here today.

Howard Street Between 15th and 16th

CENTRAL

YOUNG Housekeepers, Summer Furniture

Whether they be June brides or not, we will grant have a rest coming and we would not keep a furniture "bill board" always before their eyes. On the other hand, we are willing that they have time to think of something aside from home furnishings now and then—but, just right now we have something to say to you—a real value-giving Furniture Message to "get across" to every housekeeper, whether it be your starting point and a complete "fit-up" you need, or just one room, or an "odd" piece. The message we mention follows below in a 4-section list of facts, figures and values among the vast assemblage of others not here mentioned and which are now on our floors:

Values for the Living Room and Library

A Mahogany Rocker, genuine Spanish leather, spring seat.....\$14.95
A very heavy high back, Spanish Morocco seat and back.....\$15.00
A large, roomy Mahogany living room Chair, genuine leather seat and back, for.....\$15.25
Large Wing Rocker, overstuffed and covered in a heavy genuine Spanish leather, spring cushion and back.....\$24.75
Three other styles in "All Over" covered leather Rockers.....\$27.50 to \$45.00
A Mahogany Library Table, 26x45 top, rounded corners, an excellent value.....\$29
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A Mahogany Wing Chair, blue velour seat and back.....\$19.75
A beautiful line of "Old Bronze" Metal Table Electric Lamps, with heavy Stone-onyx shades, from \$4.50 to.....\$11.50
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The Sofa and Table shown in illustration, of a number of similar patterns, with cane backs, pillows and cushion; of solid mahogany, the Sofa.....\$98.50
Sofa Tables, up from.....\$25.00

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Most beautiful Suites in old ivory enamel in popular Period design.
Dressers from.....\$20.00 to \$35.00
Chiffoniers.....\$19.00 to \$32.50
Beds, up from.....\$18.50 (Every one a surprising value.)
Dresser, 45-inch base, brown Mahogany, very large mirror, William and Mary design, departmental drawer work, an exquisite example in cabinet work.....\$42.50
Dresser in Black Walnut, similar design.....\$30.00
A Walnut Chiffonier, "odd," here's a fine value, at.....\$28.50
A Walnut Chiffonier, "odd," six drawers.....\$18.75
Good Golden Oak Dressers (solid oak), slightly varying patterns, \$9.75 to \$12.50 \$14.75 and.....\$20.00
A very large Mahogany "odd" Chiffonier, large mirror, 6 drawers.....\$24.50
A beautiful Adam style Mahogany Dresser with five drawers.....\$20.00
Dressing Tables from broken suites, in Walnut, Oaks and Mahogonies.....\$16.50 to.....\$27.50 (These are every one out of very smart suites.)

Values for the Dining Room

Buffets in golden oak, 45 to 48-inch lengths, of select quarter-sawn stock, thoroughly well made.....\$18.75, \$21, \$24.50, \$26.50
Buffets in fumed oak, 60 inches and 66 inches length, very heavy, Crafts designs.....\$37.50, \$40, \$50 (These pieces are most excellent values.)
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\$19.75 to \$35.00.
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Values for the Porch and Lawn

Porch Swing, 4-ft., of fumed oak, with hooks and chains.....\$3.50
A brown fibre reed Porch Rocker, full roll arms and back.....\$3.25
A fumed oak Rocker for the porch, strongly constructed.....\$2.75
Hammocks.....\$1.50
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