

ROTARIANS GET LOTS TO EAT FOR ONLY 50 CENTS

Sixty-Five Members Served at Luncheon Prepared by High School of Commerce.

Sixty-five members of the Rotary club of Omaha were served luncheon at noon yesterday at the High School of Commerce by girl pupils of the school. The meeting and luncheon was of the "get-together" nature, as regular Rotary club meetings are not scheduled during the summer months.

Before the luncheon was served, John Beveridge, superintendent of schools, informed members that they were about to get more to eat for 50 cents "than they had ever had before in their lives." They did.

Before the luncheon was half over, it was moved and seconded that Mr. Beveridge should change places with John Welch, restaurant man. Food in abundance was served in several courses, and Mr. Beveridge even ventured to say that at least 5 cents was cleared on each member served.

Principal Porter, of the High School of Commerce, gave a short speech on the activities of the school in its different branches, followed by a talk by Mr. Beveridge, who declared that the most important duty of the school was to teach real citizenship.

Dr. A. W. Hall-Quest of the University of Cincinnati, complimented Mr. Beveridge, Principal Porter and the Rotary club on the standing of the High School of Commerce.

The Rotarians voted to hold other informal meetings during the summer.

Girl, 16, Elopes in Spite of Objections of Her Mother

Lillian Schultz Last Week Made Suicide Attempt After Her Mother Refused to Sanction Proposed Marriage—Story of Escape Reads Like Movie Scenario.

Love found a way during the stilly hours of Tuesday night, when 16-year-old Lillian Schultz, 2612 Taylor street, and Henry L. Thompson, 23 years old, of 1431 North Seventeenth street, were married at 1 a. m., by Rev. C. W. Savidge. The couple eluded opposition and succeeded in speeding away on an eastbound Burlington train.

The story reads like the scenario of a movie drama.

Lillian attempted suicide last Saturday night because her mother objected to the match, she complained to the Board of Public Welfare and was summoned to appear before the juvenile authorities. However, she escaped from her mother's home Tuesday night, all because she loved her Henry, as she insisted all along.

"The girls' plum crazy," was a comment by Miss Esther Johnson, of the juvenile court.

"She's only crazy for the man she loves," said Superintendent T. H. Weirich, of the Welfare board.

Lillian, who will be 17 next December 2, was employed as telephone operator and Thompson was elevator conductor in the telephone building. Their mutual employment resulted in their acquaintance 10 weeks ago. After four weeks from their first meeting, Thompson gave the girl a gold watch and then he gave her two rings.

Lillian finally confided in her mother who vigorously opposed the idea of her daughter marrying so young. The girl sought the aid of Mr. Weirich in disposing of parental objections.

Mr. Weirich sent the girl and her mother across the street to the juvenile authorities. Juvenile Officer Johnson recommended that the girl return the watch and rings and promise to be "good" and remain with her mother.

Mrs. Schultz yesterday reported that last Saturday Lillian swallowed chloroform, but was intercepted before she became dangerously ill.

BIG DIRIGIBLE STATION MAY BE SITUATED HERE

War Department to Spend \$3,000,000 at Balloon Post, According to Unofficial Reports.

The War department is contemplating an expenditure of \$3,000,000 at Fort Omaha, where a mid-continental dirigible station will be established and the post otherwise made more important as an aeronautical center, according to unofficial reports.

Col. C. DeForest Chandler, chief of the balloon and airship bureau, was in conference this week with Lt. Col. Jacob W. S. West, commanding officer at the fort. These officers viewed a tract of land south of Fort street and extending to the river.

Site Impresses Visitors.

This tract was considered as the site for a prospective dirigible station, one of a string extending across the continent. It is three miles and was favorably reviewed by the visitors.

Robert H. Manley, commissioner of the Chamber of Commerce, accompanied Colonel Chandler on a tour of inspection, particularly the tract south of Fort street. Mr. Manley immediately went east and it is believed that his mission is to promote Omaha's interests in convincing the War department of the advantage here for the establishment of a great dirigible station.

Neither Colonel Chandler nor Lt. Col. West would make any positive statement as to just what the War department will do, because no official announcement has been made. But Colonel Chandler's words were significant enough to be accepted as

meaning that he was impressed with the situation. Unofficial reports recently received indicated that the War department has been considering the coordination of all balloon activities of the army at Fort Omaha, and also the designation of the fort as a central station for dirigibles.

During a conversation Tuesday Colonel Chandler stated that government chemical experts have developed a helium gas, which is non-inflammable and which will be used exclusively by the government in its dirigibles. He expressed the belief that such disasters as occurred in Chicago Monday will be avoided by the use of helium gas.

The colonel was sanguine that transcontinental dirigible trips will be an everyday event before long.

Great Training Station.

Fort Omaha already has been announced as the great central training station for balloonists of the army, and its additional importance as a dirigible station is believed to be the logical sequence of events.

Unofficial tentative plans for the dirigible station at Fort Omaha indicate the erection of two large sheds with a capacity of housing two dirigibles at the same time.

It is estimated that the plant would require the services of 1,000 men. Large gas generating plants would be features of the proposed station.

Asks \$5,000 Damages From Railroad for Loss of Job

W. V. Weber filed suit for \$5,000 against the Missouri Pacific railroad in district court yesterday, alleging discharge from his position as his cause of action. It is said to be the first case of this kind filed in the local courts. He says he agreed to go to Lincoln and take a position as machinist with the Missouri Pacific railroad. He took this place January 1, 1919, and on May 10, he says, he was discharged.

Dan Butler Returns

City Commissioner Butler returned Tuesday from the east where he spent three weeks. He attended the Elks' convention at Atlantic City.

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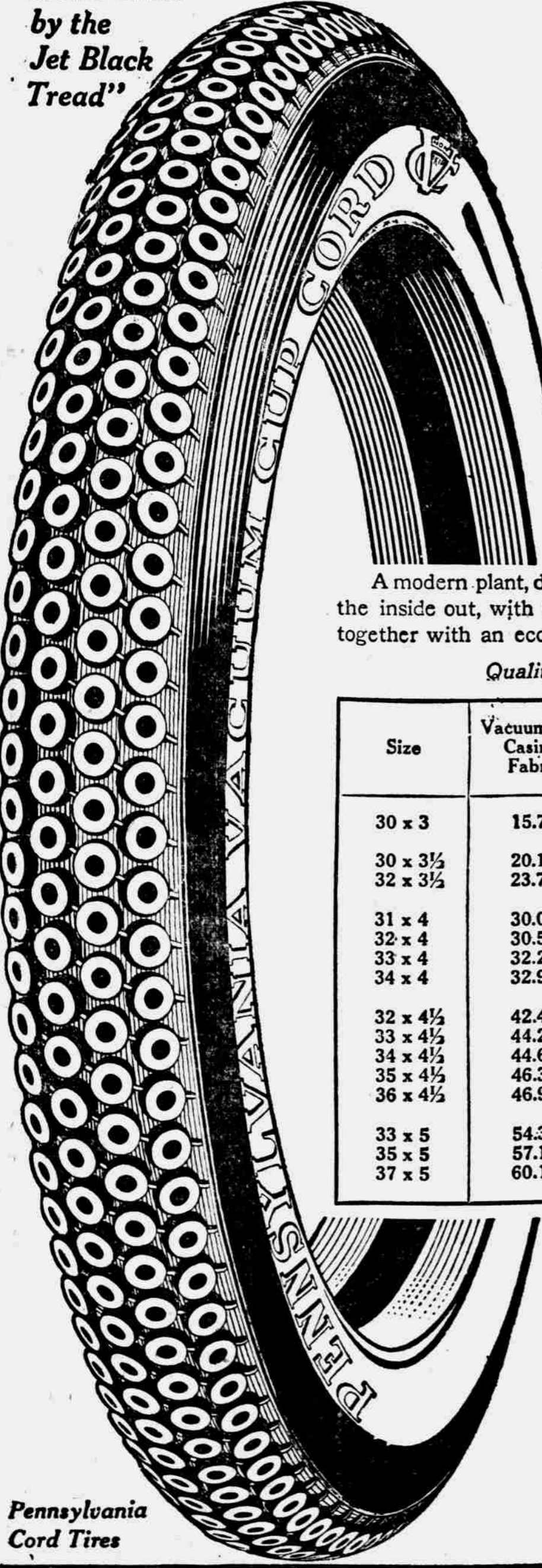
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32 x 4	30.55	46.30	43.10	4.10	5.15
33 x 4	32.25	47.55	44.25	4.30	5.40
34 x 4	32.90	48.80	45.30	4.45	5.55
32 x 4 1/2	42.45	52.15	48.60	5.25	6.55
33 x 4 1/2	44.25	53.55	49.80	5.40	6.75
34 x 4 1/2	44.60	55.00	51.20	5.55	6.95
35 x 4 1/2	46.35	56.20	52.40	5.65	7.05
36 x 4 1/2	46.90	57.65	53.65	5.85	7.30
33 x 5	54.30	65.15	60.70	6.50	8.15
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