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OPEN THE RANGES

Idaho Wool Growers Condemn Forestry Policy

FATAL WRECK ON WABASH

Millionaire Wheat King of La Grande Aged 74, Figures in Episode With Girl, Aged 16

Special to the Evening Review. BOISE, Idaho, Nov. 13.—Alarmed at the increasing restrictions laid down by the forestry bureau, the Idaho Wool Growers' Association, in convention here today, adopted resolutions condemning the policy of the government.

Wreck Kills Two. SPRINGFIELD, Ill., Nov. 13.—Two men were killed, three locomotives were demolished and five freight cars smashed to pieces in a collision today between a freight train and a switch engine on the Wabash road.

In Politics to Stay. DENVER, Colo., Nov. 13.—That the American Federation of Labor has entered politics to stay and will fight out the issues in every national campaign was the announcement made this morning to delegates to the

convention by Raymond Robbins, who is believed to have spoken for Gompers. The war between John Mitchell and Thomas Lewis, president of the United Mine Workers, is still progressing. Mitchell announced today that he is again a candidate for the presidency of the mine workers' union.

Emperor of China Dead. PEKIN, China, Nov. 13.—After a long illness, the Emperor of China died today. The news is withheld from the dowager empress, because of her serious illness.

He is 74. She is 16. PORTLAND, Or., Nov. 13.—A warrant was issued today for a man said to be A. B. Connelly, the millionaire wheat king of La Grande, also a banker, on the charge of kidnapping Gertrude Williams, aged 16 years, from her home in his city. The couple were arrested at the Union Depot last night by Lola C. Baldwin, of the police department, who took the girl away from Connelly. The man said he had arranged to take the girl to Los Angeles and then left, presumably for that city. Connelly is 74 years of age. The warrant for Connelly, alleges a statutory offense. The girl is now in the custody of the police.

Supposed Nugget Thief. SEATTLE, Wash., Nov. 13.—R. R. Reed, a miner from Fairbanks, Alaska, is under arrest here charged with stealing \$16,000 worth of gold nuggets from a company operating on Doane Creek, in the Tanana district. Dave Carmac, an alleged accomplice, is also under arrest. The gold the police that Reed smuggled the nuggets in his shoes and mouth. A few of them have been recovered.

The New Pure Food and Drug Law. We are pleased to announce that Foley's Honey and Tar for coughs, colds and lung troubles is not affected by the National Pure Food and Drug laws as it contains no opiates or other harmful drugs, and we recommend it as a safe remedy for children and adults. Red Cross Pharmacy.

BORN

TREGO—At Wilbur, Nov. 12, 1908, to Mr. and Mrs. Walter Trego, a son.

ANOTHER BIG SAWMILL.

Capacity 150,000 Feet a Day.—Located Near Portland.

PORTLAND, Or., Nov. 12.—What will be one of the largest sawmills in the Northwest is to be established on the banks of Oregon Slough, in Multnomah county, within the next few months, in accordance with a lease signed this morning by L. W. David, a sawmill man, and C. C. Coit, manager of the Union Meat Company. Mr. David leases 50 acres of the Swift tract, north of the new town of Kenton, for 20 years at a rental of \$1800 a month, and is to proceed immediately to break ground for the new mill, which will have a capacity of 150,000 feet a day and will have auxiliary plants for the manufacture of boxes, shingles and lath. When established the new enterprise is to give employment to 400 or 500 men.

Mr. David has been one of the most prominent sawmill men in the state of Washington, and has just sold out his interests at Everett and Anacortes for \$2,000,000. He expects to invest a large portion of his wealth in developing the timber interests of the Lower Columbia river, having become convinced of the splendid future of the region tributary to Portland.

Oregon Slough has been dredged to permit of the deepest draught vessels being anchored at the docks, from which point cargoes will be sent either by ship or rail to all parts of the world.

In the case of H. M. Martin against R. R. Wood, an action for \$13,850, alleged to be due for some hay delivered to plaintiff, Justice Long on Thursday awarded the plaintiff the sum of \$1,200. The defense was that that hay had been contracted for, but that the hay delivered was of inferior quality. The amount allowed the plaintiff was for a portion of the hay over which there was no dispute as to the quality.

TYPEWRITERS. Three machines in first-class condition, at very reasonable prices. L. C. Smith, No. 4 Underwood and a No. 2 Smith-Premier. Cash or installments. Roseburg Typewriter Exchange, Elmer E. Wimberly, Manager.

BUILD GOOD ROADS

All Oregon Awakening to Great Need for Them

MEETING HERE ON NOV. 20

Will be Addressed by Judge Scott, President of the Oregon Good Roads Association

Oregon people are realizing more and more every day the necessity for building good roads. The demand for better highways is becoming imperative. Oregon's development is going forward faster than ever before and better roads must be had for handling the increase of traffic. Furthermore, these highways must be available for traffic at all seasons of the year. It has long been said that "necessity is the mother of invention." The present necessity demands that some available means be devised for building good roads. United effort is the first requisite for securing these means. That is the object now being sought by the Oregon Good Roads Association—unity and effort. The next thing will be to provide the required funds for road building, and the third and final object will be to apply the funds properly and judiciously. Through the efforts of the good roads associations and the holding of good roads conventions a unity of effort along these lines is beginning to be realized. The next important step is the raising of needed funds. A number of suggestions in that regard are already being heard. One offered by several of the prominent business men of Portland seems to be a very practical one. In substance this is to have the coming session of the legislature provide a tax levy of one mill on the taxable property of the state, to be applied exclusively to road building. Thus every citizen whose property is assessed at \$1000 would pay one dollar per year into the state road fund. This would create a fund of about \$600,000 annually, and of which Multnomah county would pay one-third. Douglas county would pay \$25,000 a year into that fund. In applying the state fund on the roads, a comparatively small portion would be spent in Multnomah county and Douglas county would probably receive \$50,000 out of the state fund, or twice as much as we put in. Further than this, the S. P. R. Co. and outside holders of large tracts of timber lands in Douglas county now pay about 45 per cent of the annual taxes levied in this county. Thus, out of the \$25,000 to be paid by Douglas county into the state road fund, \$11,250 would be paid by non-residents of the county, leaving less than \$14,000 to be paid by our own people. In return we may reasonably expect to get \$50,000 from the state fund to apply on the roads in this county. Every citizen should certainly be anxious to make that kind of an investment. This will, of course, be exclusive of the county and road district funds and will be in addition thereto. We are assured that our county court expects to give much more attention than ever before to our public roads during the coming year, and if we can secure this much additional state aid, as outlined above, good roads building in Douglas county will soon be going ahead at a rapid pace.

Meeting Here Next Friday. Hon. John H. Scott, president of the Oregon Good Roads Association, was in Roseburg Thursday evening and met with the local Commercial Club. After a brief address by Judge Scott it was voted to hold a big good roads convention in Roseburg next Friday afternoon, Nov. 20. A special effort will be made to make this an epoch-making occasion in Douglas county. In furtherance of this the business houses of the town will be closed from 2 to 4 o'clock p. m. Every citizen of the county is invited to be present and express their views as to the best methods of securing good roads. The ladies are especially invited to attend this meeting, as they are a powerful factor in the good roads movement all over the state.

To arrange for this good roads convention President Rice, of the Commercial Club, appointed the following committees: Arrangements—N. Rice, B. W. Strout, F. E. Allen. Invitation—C. S. Jackson, J. A. Buchanan. Advertising—L. Wimberly, B. W. Bates.

A committee of ladies will provide some musical numbers for the program. Show your interest in the building of good roads by attending this meeting. Good roads will enhance the value of your property faster than anything else. Decide upon the best plans, then proceed to build the roads just as rapidly as it can possibly be done.

LOST—Wednesday night, a gold watch and hair bob. Finder please return to Hess' barber shop, Sheridan street, and receive reward. dt

SCOTT'S INCONSISTENCY.

Representative Jones, of Independence, Defends Statement No. 1.

INDEPENDENCE, Or., Nov. 11.—To the Editor of The Journal—Boyle in the doctrine of free speech and a free press, I grant the Oregonian the right to curse and vilify Statement No. 1 Republican members of the legislature to its heart's content. For the past six months a large portion of the editorial page of that paper has, in nearly every issue, been devoted to abuse of us poor devils, and knowing that the value of so much space in a great metropolitan paper is very great, I cannot conceive how that paper can afford to waste so much on us Statement No. 1 members whom it has already read out of the Republican party, unless some one who aspires to the position of United States senator is behind the scene with a sack.

I concede that the Oregonian has for 39 years been the leading Republican paper in Oregon. I concede that the Oregonian worked hard and did more to cause the enactment of the direct primary law than all the other forces in Oregon combined. I concede that the Republican party passed the primary law. I concede that it was largely through the influence of the Oregonian that 56,000 people voted for the primary law and election of United States senators by the popular vote, whereas only 16,000 voted against it.

Who Passed the Law? "Backward, turn backward, oh, time, in your flight," only a few years ago to the hall of the state senate and we find the electric light shining brightly on the men who formulated and voted for that law, for the election of United States senators by the popular vote, all prominent in the councils of the Republican party. Here they are:

- Senators—Adams of Marion, Brownell, of Clackamas, Cameron of Jackson, Dimick of Coos, Hunt of Multnomah, Johnson of Wasco, Joseph of Multnomah, Kelly of Lane, Kuykendall of Lane, Looney of Marion, Marsters of Douglas, Mays (author of the bill) of Multnomah, Mulkey of Polk, Porter of Clackamas, Prosser of Umatilla, Stelwer of Wheeler, Williamson of Crook, and Present Senator Fulton.

Turn back again for the time, for 20 years, and come on down the line, and we find every republican state convention passing resolutions in favor of election of United States senators by the popular vote and the legislators of the state of Oregon following suit. All these resolutions and promises and laws are violated even before the people have had an opportunity to try them out or enforce them.

Backward, again, a little more than a decade, and we find that some of the now republican leaders were then wandering away from the Republican fold, following after false gods, and voting for the unlimited coinage of free silver at the ratio of 16 to 1 and advocating these thoughts through the columns of the Oregonian.

Was He Wrong Then? If the able editor of the Oregonian has become convinced that he was wrong when he advocated the primary law and the election of United States senators by the popular vote, would it not be better for him to come out and acknowledge the error of his way and right the wrong by good, clean argument, and not by calling Statement No. 1 Republicans fools and cowards and violators of their oaths and the constitution? But it is Mr. Scott's policy to rule all the Republicans out of the party who are advocating the very doctrine that he formerly preached. If Mr. Scott was right when he advocated the election of senators by the popular vote, he is wrong now.

When the Republicans pledged themselves to vote for the late Senator J. N. Dolph for re-election, and violated their sacred pledge, the Oregonian for many months abused them and read them out of the Republican party. If you were right then, Mr. Scott, you are wrong now when you ask Republican members of the legislature to violate their pledge made to the whole people; and if you were right, Mr. Scott, when you abused Republicans for violating their pledge to Senator Dolph, you were wrong when you telegraphed to Senator Brownell on the last day of the session of 1902, to vote for H. W. Scott for United States Senator and violate the pledge he had made to vote for Senator Fulton.

The Republican party passed the primary law. All the Republican leaders of Oregon advocated it. Mr. Scott wrote some of the most able editorials that were ever published in favor of this law that he is now condemning. Lincoln has said that "the best way to repeal a bad law is to enforce it." I have confidence in the people and in the Republican party that if they find the primary law is not a good law they will by their votes repeal it.

B. P. JONES. George Bush is once more employed in the local offices of the Wells, Fargo Express Co., after an absence of several months, spent at Lake Tahoe and Truckee, Nev. He is returning Miss Kate Buick, who will shortly take a vacation.

HENEY SHOT

HENEY ASSASSINATED. AT 4:45 THIS AFTERNOON, A FLASH MESSAGE WAS RECEIVED HERE OVER THE WESTERN UNION WIRES FROM SAN FRANCISCO THAT FRANCIS J. HENEY, THE NOTED LAND FRAUDS PROSECUTOR, WAS ASSASSINATED IN A CLOAK ROOM OF THE COURT HOUSE IN SAN FRANCISCO, WHERE THE TRIAL OF ABE RUEF WAS IN PROGRESS. THE DETAILS OF THE KILLING OR BY WHOM IT WAS DONE WAS NOT STATED.

HENEY WAS SHOT BY MORRIS HAAS, FORMER VENTUREMAN IN ONE OF FORMER GRAFT TRIALS. HENEY IS STILL CONVICTED. GOES TO HIGHEST COURT. Oil Octopus Not Yet Shed of Its \$20,000,000 Case.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 12.—Following the recent action of the Circuit Court of Appeals in Chicago in refusing the United States Government a re-hearing in the Standard Oil case, made famous by its \$29,000,000 fine, the Department of Justice decided tonight to take the case to the Supreme Court of the United States. The decision was reached after an all-day conference between Attorney-General Bonaparte and Government attorneys who have been engaged in the case.

Application will be made to the Supreme Court, when it re-convenes November 30, for a writ of certiorari, to bring up and review the action of the Circuit Court of Appeals. In a statement issued by the Department following the adjournment of the conference, it was said: "It was found that a considerable number of changes had been made in the opinion of the Court of Appeals originally rendered, and that Judge Baker, of that court, had filed a separate concurring opinion which differed materially in its reasoning from that of Judge Grosscup.

"After careful consideration of all phases of the situation, it was decided that an application should be made to the Supreme Court of the United States, when it re-convenes, for a writ of certiorari to bring up and review the action of the Circuit Court of Appeals."

R. D. HUME VERY ILL. MARSHFIELD, Or., Nov. 12.—R. D. Hume, the millionaire land owner and the most prominent figure in Curry county, is critically ill at his home in Wedderburn.

For years Mr. Hume has suffered on account of kidney trouble, and some years ago underwent a surgical operation. Occasionally he has severe spells, but this attack was sudden and acute. For a time today it was supposed that Mr. Hume was unconscious.

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THREE GO TO JAIL

Sentences Imposed in Curry County Land Cases

ENTIRE SEVEN ARE FINED

Toe Hold Causes "Strangler" Smith to Quit to O'Connell, After One Hour and 25 Min.

Special to the Evening Review. PORTLAND, Or., Nov. 13.—In the Federal court in this city this morning, Judge C. E. Wolverson pronounced sentence in the Pacific Furniture and Lumber Company case, wherein William H. Smith, of San Francisco, and Dr. A. H. Hedderly and Richard Hynes, of Los Angeles, were convicted by a jury, and W. T. Kerr, Frank A. Stewart, John R. Miller and Ames S. Johnson, all of Curry county, entered pleas of guilty. The defendants were charged with conspiracy to defraud the government out of 30,000 acres of valuable timber land in Curry county. The sentences follow:

Smith, \$5000 fine and two years in jail; Hedderly, \$5000 fine and six months in jail; Hynes, \$2000 fine and 90 days in jail; Kerr, \$2000 fine; Stewart and Miller, \$1000 fine each; Johnson, \$500 fine. Smith was given the heaviest fine, because the court held that he was the prime mover in the conspiracy.

Toe Hold Defeats Smith. PORTLAND, Or., Nov. 13.—The terrible toe-hold, such as Frank Gotch used in winning the world's championship from Hackenschmidt, defeated "Strangler" Smith in his wrestling match with Eddie O'Connell, of the Multnomah Club, in this city, last night. O'Connell was the aggressor from the start and gave Smith no opportunity to get in his strangle hold. For an hour and 25 minutes, Smith baffled O'Connell's efforts and then surprised the crowd by announcing: "I quit."

O'Connell had secured the toe-hold, and Smith could not stand the intense pain.

TO CITY OF MEXICO.

Announcement of Special Limited Pullman Train Excursion. On December 12 and 13 the Southern Pacific Company will sell round-trip excursion tickets to the City of Mexico, December 15, 1908, a magnificent Pullman train, consisting of Pullman vestibule sleepers, observation sleeper, buffet smoking car and dining car will leave San Francisco, California, Third and Townsend street depot for Mexico City, via Coast Line of Southern Pacific. Fare from Roseburg for round trip \$97.35.

Return trip from El Paso can be made via the Santa Fe route or Southern Pacific, as the passenger may desire. Holders of excursion tickets may obtain a round trip ticket reading from Williams to the Grand Canyon of the Colorado and return for \$6.50. For further information inquire of L. B. Moore, agent S. P. Co., Roseburg, Or.; Mr. E. Pell, of Ashland, Ore., or, if desired, Mr. W. H. Jenkins, Traveling Passenger Agent, S. P. Co., will be glad to call. DSW

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