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ROSEBURG, OREGON, TUESDAY, JANUARY 6, 1925.

ADVENTUROUS YOUTH.

Some people think American youth is headed toward deterioration. The noted preacher, Rev. Dr. Harry Fosdick of New York, evidently does not share that idea. Returning from a recent visit to Harvard University, he told his congregation that he was more enthusiastic than ever over "this splendid, bewildered, adventurous, hopeful generation."

AVOIDING HONEST FAILURES.

An effort to trace the causes of "honest" bankruptcies, which in the aggregate represent an annual loss of hundreds of millions of dollars in the United States, will be made at the forthcoming conference on domestic distribution which is to be held in January under the auspices of the Chamber of Commerce of the United States.

Failures are costly not only to those who fail. They are an economic waste which enters into the problem of merchandising and the effects of which are probably reflected to some extent in the prices which the ultimate consumer pays for commodities of every sort.

The merchant, according to the department of domestic distribution, is less fortunate than the manufacturer. He has little information to guide him. The charge is frequently made, for example, that there are too many grocery stores, but there is no way of answering it because no one knows how many grocery stores there are.

The investigation of this phase of merchandise or domestic distribution might, it is pointed out by the domestic distribution department of the national chamber, result in material savings by reducing the amount and number of failures, by reducing the cost of doing business, and the ultimate prices to the consumer and by placing the distributor in a better relation to his customers.

A high official of the Boston and Maine railroad has recommended that that line should discontinue about 1000 miles of its trackage which has been made unprofitable largely by the competition of automobiles and trucks. Many other roads would also like to drop branch lines for a like reason.

Henry Ford has bought a noted old stagecoach from Vermont, and will have it shipped to his home, where it will furnish an interesting contrast with modern transportation. It is hard to realize, in these days of swift movement, when people slip around from place to place with such ease, how our great grandfathers were forced for many years to make all journeys in these awkward and lumbering vehicles.

SLIDE ON ROAD

J. M. Myers superintendent on the North Emporia Highway job, returned today from Portland where he has been spending several days in consultation with bureau of public roads officials regarding winter work on the project.

American fence at car load prices at Wharton Bros.

Mrs. E. B. Stewart left Monday night for Portland, where she will visit until Thursday morning, when she will be joined by her husband, who leaves Roseburg Wednesday evening, and together they will go to Indianapolis to attend an executive meeting of the American Legion and the auxiliary.

Pruning tools at Wharton Bros.

ROSEBURG AND EUGENE TO PLAY

Local Basketball Team Is Practicing in Preparation for Contest.

SQUAD IS REDUCED

Coach Doubet Cuts Number of Team Applicants to 16 and Drills Tossers on Fundamentals.

The high school basketball team has been practicing hard every night during the vacation season in preparation for the game on Thursday evening, Jan. 8, against the University high school of Eugene.

Most of the time has been spent on fundamentals and offensive and defensive play. Special emphasis has been given to the five-man defense, which worked so well against Eureka high school. Coach Doubet has also put in a great deal of work in perfecting the short pass to be used on the offensive and all opponents will find the Roseburg team capable of putting up a strong showing in all departments of the game.

The young high school athletes have been working hard for positions on the team, and there has been a regular battle on the forward and center positions. The outstanding forwards to date are Collins, Helliwell, Gilles and Moffitt. Backfield has been holding down the job of center in most of the scrimmaging sessions, although he is hard pressed by Nichols and Helliwell, the latter playing as either center or forward.

The guard positions are taken care of by Jost and Ferris, the only two lettermen left from last season's fast five. Other promising guard candidates are Berger, Young, Bruton and Hunt.

The squad has been cut to sixteen men, those surviving the pruning being Jost, Beckley, Perrin, Collins, Helliwell, Bruton, Hunt, Gilles, Nichols, M. Bell, R. Bell, Moffitt, Fisher, Berger, Ellison and Young.

One of the outstanding features of this year's team, which is very pleasing to the fans, is the spirit of teamwork and fight which appears to guide the actions of the players on the floor.

Although Roseburg has had some extremely brilliant and fast teams in the past few years, there has apparently been a desire for individual glory on the part of some of the players, and in spite of the work of the most efficient coaches, games have been lost because of failure to work together, but this year the situation has been reversed, and the players are working with a unity which promises great results, even though there may not be the individual ability which has marked some of the past teams.

Will sacrifice standard make up party, in this vicinity, to reliable party, \$10 per month will handle. Write Tallman Piano Store, Salem, Ore., for particulars.

BOYS WILL HOLD CONFERENCE IN CITY JAN. 16-18

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and the meetings will be held there, Saturday morning will be given over to addresses, and discussions, and the afternoon to recreation. The boys are all urged to bring basketball suits and will be given the use of the high school gymnasium. They will also be taken for rides about the city and surrounding community. The evening session will be devoted to an address.

On Sunday morning the boys will be given the use of the M. E. church, south, and will hold a decision service there, ending their conference at 12:30 p. m. The ministerial association and school officials are backing the conference here, but urge the cooperation of all Roseburg people, particularly in the matter of opening their homes for the delegates.

Local people will be expected to furnish bed and breakfast for the visitors, and will be asked to volunteer accommodations during the conference.

From all indications there will be between 50 and 75 delegates from outside points. Eugene plans on sending 25, and will endeavor to secure some of the most important offices of the association. All of the local churches and the high school, have the right to appoint as many delegates as they desire, and it is expected that there will be a large number of local boys register in the conference.

There is no place more delightful than one's own fire-side. Page Lumber & Fuel Company.

PRUNE PICKIN'S

BY BERT G. BATES

GOOD EVENING FOLKS—

A feller told us He was goin' With a nice girl; Now and when we asked Him how he knew She was so darn nice He said: That Jane's grandmother walked home from the Covered wagon.

DUMBELL DORA THINKS That meals a la carte are off the "hot dog" wagon.

We don't notice any of the hens dyin' of over-eggertion these days and the feller with yaller on his chin is rate dat a multimillionaire.

Spent last night on a coupla slats in a Corvallis hotel and now we know why Roseburg oughta be proud of it's steepin' houses.

Sloppy Sadie, the Sad-eyed shop girl will now sing a shong of the shad shea.

The more a feller sees of the metrop the better the ol' village looks. The girls up there have quit paintin'. Yep. Now they put it on with a putty knife.

Saw Tommie Raffety down in Salem yestaday and the ol' boy looks like a reg'lar official.

All of the girls are feelin' a little down in the mouth since the local sheiks have been raisin' alleged mustaches to compete with the up-state camel-jockeys.

Shellac by any other name would taste just the same.

It isn't the principal of the thing, it's the interest, said a banker.

Ye ed's squibs have been copied by Capt. Billy's Whiz Bang and now we suppose we'll hafta quit singin' in the choir.

"I generally notice that among human beings the lower the grade the higher the stepper."

Cap. Billy's Whiz Bang

BOND SYSTEM NEEDS CHANGE

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only to be eliminated by a vote of the people.

The final estimate of \$731.56 on East Avenue was allowed.

The following is a list of the claims audited and allowed.

Western Union Telegraph Co. services \$ 1.28

Herman G. Althaus, plumb. tax 3.20

Pacific Telephone Co. services 4.75

Churchill Hardware Co. supplies 41.40

California Oregon Power Co. services 855.20

Ed Noah, blacksmithing 21.00

L. W. Metzger, supplies 3.88

Scott Brothers, plumbing 22.32

Page Lumber Company, lumber .88

Geo. W. Culver, supplies 6.95

Ray Catching, services .95

J. M. Fletcher, Jr., express charges paid 44

Roseburg Book Store, supplies 1.90

John E. Tamyan, services 118.82

Quine, Goodman & Co. premium on Treasurer's bond 50.00

Claude Crocker, relieving Fire Chief 4.16

Sun Printing Company, stationery 14.50

Douglas County, drain pipe 51.52

R. L. Whipple, premium on Roseburg's Bond 5.00

H. L. Eppstein, engineering, Roseburg News-Review, printing and stationery 24.90

Improvement Fund Commercial Avenue: M. C. Bowker, surv. 4.00

H. L. Eppstein, assessment sheet 20.00

East Fourth Street: H. D. Graves, inspecting 6.00

M. C. Bowker, engineering 4.00

P. D. Wolford, engineering 4.00

FUNERAL OF FRANK NEWMER WEDNESDAY

The body of the late Frank Newmer, who died yesterday at Klamath Falls, following an attack of bronchial pneumonia, will arrive in this city tonight on train number 16. The Roseburg Undertaking company will take charge of the body and it will remain at the Undertaking parlors until Wednesday morning at 10 o'clock when the funeral services will be conducted at the Catholic church by Rev. Clergy. Interment will follow at the family lot in the Catholic cemetery. The mother of the deceased arrived Sunday night from San Francisco, where she has been residing with her son, John. Two brothers of the deceased, Lawrence and John, are accompanying the body from Klamath Falls.

Several bad cases of mumps are reported in the city by County Physician W. C. Bell. The cases reported in the Rose school and immediate steps are being taken to prevent an epidemic if possible.

NEW TODAY

COLE CAR to trade for property. Wm. Van Buren.

LOST—Automobile license plate No. 21034. Finder please call 361.

FOR SALE—Box couch and cover, brown wicker rocker, victrola and 60 records. 410 W. Douglas St.

FOR SALE—1 doz. R. T. H. hens and 2 roosters. Phone 5733. C. W. Groves, Roseburg, Ore.

FOR SALE—Portable Sonora phonograph, like new, \$40. Address Sonora, care News-Review.

HAVE YOUR BEER SKINS tanned and made up at the Ross Glove Factory, 116 So. Jackson St.

FOR RENT—3-room apt. close in. Electric stove, hot water at all hours. Phone 2481 at noon or after 5 p. m.

SPARK PLUGS—100 Bethlehem Ford spark plugs. Regular price \$1.90; while they last 4 for \$1.00 Wilson's Tire Shop.

MARCELS 75c. Hours 10 a. m. to 8 p. m. For appointments phone 5737, or at 231 So. Main St. Mrs. Amy Rogers.

FOR RENT—3-room furnished apt. \$15. 2-room furnished apt. \$12. Bath, lights and water. Children taken. 216 So. Parrott.

FOR SALE or exchange for coast real estate, 160 a. good farm land in Oklahoma. Phone 5733. C. W. Groves, Roseburg, Ore.

DEPART dressmaking Mrs. Moore, 117 Sheridan St., above Morgan's Grocery. Formerly at Weatherford Apartments.

LOST—Roller Coultter from a gang plow. Close to Cooper's place at Melrose. Finder please notify Travis Hoskins, Melrose, Ore.

FOR SALE or trade, 1920 Nash. A bargain if taken at once. Have no use for car. Bargain. What have you? Lots of extras. 216 So. Parrott St., evenings.

FOR SALE—One steel range, in good condition, and one organ. For particulars telephone 216-R or 41-Y or call at 318 E. Cass or 315 So. Main St.

FOR SALE or rent, all or part, 40 a. of good improvements, 2 a. bearing prunes and other fruit. Bal. farm and pasture; 20 a. 16 a. prunes, balance pasture; 63 a. farm and pasture land. Phone 5733. C. W. Groves, Roseburg, Ore.

A COZY LITTLE HOME—Situated on corner lot; paved on both sides; 4 nice rooms, fully furnished with modern appliances, nicely painted. You can buy just like rent. Only \$1250. Lawrence Agency, 125 Cass Street, Phone 219.

NO CROSS-WOOD PUZZLE EXPERT is necessary to figure out a real bargain here: 80 acres, all under fence, close to county road and near school; six acres under cultivation, and 10 more can be cleared, neat little new house, spring water, some timber. Good opportunity for man of small means. Price \$500 spot cash. Chas. W. Rice, Myrtle Creek.

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SO-CALLED "DRY" LAWMAKERS HIT

(Associated Press Licensed Wire.) WASHINGTON, Jan. 6.—"Flagrant violation of the Volstead act," by "dry" congressmen was declared to have added to the "already overwhelming contempt for the act by otherwise law-abiding citizens," in a statement today by W. H. Stuyton, president of the association against the proposed prohibition law amendment. He referred especially, he said, to testimony in the divorce action brought by representative Frank D. Scott of Michigan in which, he said, a witness testified that a congressman brought liquor into the country from Panama.

HORSESHOES AID OREGON BAD MAN

SALEM, Ore., Jan. 6.—Sheriff O. D. Bower of Marion county was today holding R. D. Highline, who, when taken into custody yesterday, was wearing horseshoes nailed to the soles of his boots. Thus clad, Highline was accused of having ridden rough shod over citizens in the vicinity of St. Paul and with having defied every one except Deputy Sheriffs Smith and Bremner. They found him asleep in the home of Peter Stute, which he had appropriated by the simple means of driving Stute out at the point of a gun. The gun was appropriated earlier in the day from the home of Mrs. John McKay, and other residents of the neighborhood reported that Highline had terrorized the community in his search for ammunition for the empty revolver. Highline is being held for an examination into his sanity.

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On Cass Street

COOLIDGE VETO OF POSTAL BILL NOW IN SENATE

(Continued from page one) the big tobacco trade organizations, which has the support of Mr. Aaron Sapiro, a leader in the movement, was being discussed among the delegates today.

Discuss Cattle Situation

Views of presidents of the Federal farm loan banks on possible means of assistance to the cattle industry through increased financing facilities has been advanced to the president of the data today before the state's agricultural committee.

The bankers appeared before the committee late yesterday to discuss proposals for aiding the cattleman, which the commission is considering through the four channels of finance, tariff, transportation and marketing. It hopes to recommend a relief program for this branch of agriculture within two weeks.

Later in the week the commission intends to invite leaders of the National Council of Farmers Co-operative Marketing Associations, now in convention here, to discuss plans for help of the extension through cooperative marketing.

The exchange of views of the bankers and the commission will result in another joint meeting in a day or two.

Waterway Monies Planned

War department recommendations for reductions of about \$11,200,000 covering four items in the \$33,565,000 rivers and harbors bill reported last year, were placed before the house rivers and harbors committee today.

This should reduce the total of the bill to approximately \$22,365,000, upon which house leaders have agreed action should be sought late this month.

If the proposals are agreed to the intercoastal canal along the Gulf of Mexico would be cut half, as would the \$7,000,000 recommended for a new breakwater at Los Angeles.

President Coolidge designated today three special commissioners to arrange with a Mexican commission for an equitable use of the waters of the Rio Grande below Fort Quitman, Tex.

An unsuccessful attempt was made today in the house to include in the deficiency bill an appropriation of \$50,000 to defray the expenses of President Coolidge's agricultural committee.

Why repair your old wash boiler when you can buy a new one as low as \$1.10 at Powell's.

OREGON COURT DECISION

(Associated Press Licensed Wire.)

SALEM, Ore., Jan. 6.—For the second time Dr. and Mrs. O. F. Heasley, osteopaths of Silverton, are victorious in litigation with L. C. Eastman relative to the maintenance of a title drain from their hospital across property owned by Eastman. Eastman was appellant, in the suit decided today and the opinion written by Justice Brown, affirms Judge George G. Bingham of the lower court, for Marion county.

Eastman sued to enjoin the physicians from maintaining a title drain across a lot in Brown's Addition to Silverton and for \$500 damage rising from its maintenance. The lower court dismissed the suit and awarded costs to the defendants, from which decree Eastman appealed.

Eastman acquired the property after the drain had been constructed. In the former suit the Heasleys sued to enjoin Eastman from interfering with their maintenance of the drain and for a small amount in damages.

No other opinions were handed down by the supreme court today.

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