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LONG SILENCE OF SINCLAIR IS BROKEN AT LAST

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self, does it not?" Sinclair replied. "But you now tell us that you bought the property in May, 1922."

"Senator Walsh, I thought at that time that you were talking about purchasing land. I bought shares in the Tres Ritos Land and Cattle company, but I did not regard that as purchasing land."

"You don't care to say any more about that?"

Sinclair conferred with Martin W. Littleton, his counsel.

"I don't think you ought to ask Colonel Littleton what answer to make," Walsh said.

"I didn't ask him that," Sinclair replied.

"Do you care to make any further explanation about the purchase of the stocks of the Tres Ritos Land and Cattle company?"

"No, sir."

"Do you think you gave a frank answer to that question in 1923?"

"When I made it, I thought it was frank and fair."

Memory Is Supple

"Will you tell us about giving \$200,000 in Continental bonds to Will H. Hays?"

"Hays is former chairman of the republican national committee."

"I could not say that these were Continental bonds."

"Of these bonds you received from the Continental Trading company, how many coupons did you cash?"

"I did not receive any Continental Trading company bonds so far as I know. I was getting them from Mr. Blackmer."

"Well, of the bonds you got from Mr. Blackmer or a messenger or Mr. Oaler, how many coupons did you cash?"

"I do not know."

"Did you cash all of them?"

"I do not think so."

"Where were all the coupons on the bonds you delivered to your company the other day?"

"Yes, sir, those due in the future."

"My recollection is that the books of the Hyva Corporation did not show any 31 per cent bonds," he said.

"Well, they purchased some eight million dollars of them, so there must have been a record."

Money "Loaned" Hays

Sinclair said he personally delivered the \$200,000 in bonds for use in extinguishing the republican party campaign debt in 1928. He added that he got them from a vault in his house.

It developed that Sinclair put all of the Blackmer bonds in this vault.

"I wish you would tell us about the transaction with Mr. Hays," Senator Walsh said.

"To the best of my recollection Mr. Hays came to me and asked for \$200,000. I don't recall whether he said the money was for the national committee. Anyway it was for the purpose of wiping out the republican debt. He said he would like it as a loan and would collect the money and return it to me."

"Was there any more to the transaction?"

"Yes, some times afterwards Mr. Hays returned securities to me. I can't get just the amount, but I think it was all except \$75,000. I think he told me that \$85,000 of the securities was his own. Later I remember I gave back to Mr.

Hays or somebody for Mr. Hays the \$85,000 so that my total contribution was \$115,000, if my figures are correct.

"You are republican in politics?"

"Just a moment senator. I have been a republican, but I don't know now what politics I have."

"What was the inducement to give that amount?"

"There was no inducement."

May Have Been "Foolish"

"But Mr. Hays told us that no one else gave anything, approximating what you did."

Mr. Andrew W. Mellon, reputed to be the third richest man in the world, gave only one-third of the amount you did."

"I can only say that Mr. Mellon was more sensible than I was."

"Still we don't get at the reason for you being so liberal," Senator Walsh observed.

"There was no reason. I may have been very foolish. I think I was."

"Did you have any securities of Mr. Hays prior to the time he gave you the \$85,000?"

"I don't think so. I think he had some securities of mine. We had been friends a long time."

"Tell us about those."

"You want me to tell you about Mr. Hays's personal transactions?"

"I want you to tell about any transactions you had with Mr. Hays."

"I think Mr. Hays had lost money in the stock market."

"I think it was \$100,000 and I loaned him the amount. I think he sent them to his broker to be used as margin."

Al Smith Not Aided

Sinclair told the committee that he could not recall that he made any contribution to the campaign of Governor Smith of New York in 1923 and 1924. He was quite sure he had not contributed to the fund of Theodore Roosevelt, Jr.

"Have you contributed to political parties other than the republican party?" Chairman Nye asked Sinclair.

"Yes, sir."

"Can you say that you have made contributions of Liberty loan bonds to other parties?"

"If I have I cannot recall them."

"You were quite interested in the campaign of 1923 and 1924 for the election being held in New York?"

"Will you refresh my recollection?"

"The opposing candidates were Colonel Roosevelt and Governor Smith. Did you make any contributions in that campaign?"

"If I did it was a small one. I am quite sure I did not contribute to the little column. I should say Colonel Roosevelt. I cannot recall that I made any contribution to Governor Smith."

Spent Week-End

Frank Taylor of Eugene spent the week-end as the guest of C. K. Merrill.

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LOCAL NEWS

Oakland People In—

Mr. and Mrs. V. K. Holcomb were Roseburg visitors from Oakland Monday afternoon and were attending to business matters.

From Melrose—

Miss Lillian Olson of Melrose spent Monday afternoon in Roseburg visiting with friends and transacting business.

Visited in Eugene—

Mrs. W. E. Gouler and children of this city spent the first of the week visiting with friends in Eugene.

Underwent Operation—

James Kunish, 9-year-old son of J. C. Kunish of this city, yesterday underwent a major operation at Mercy Hospital.

Tiller Men in City—

J. Pennell and C. E. Young, mining men from Tiller, were in this city for several hours Monday attending to business affairs.

Riddle Folk Visit—

Mrs. H. J. Matthews and daughter, Miss Grace Matthews, were here from Riddle Monday afternoon shopping and transacting business.

Stengers Here Today—

Mr. and Mrs. L. U. Stenger of Canyonville arrived here last evening and are spending a few days in the city visiting friends and attending to business affairs.

Portland People Spent Week-End—

Mr. and Mrs. G. J. Johnson and Miss Lily Crespin of Portland spent the week-end visiting with Mrs. Johnson's brothers, C. J. Lundeen of Melrose and C. W. Lundeen of this city.

Returning to B. C.—

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Buckingham of Vancouver, B. C., are leaving Thursday for their home. Mrs. Buckingham has been visiting for several weeks with her parents-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. V. R. Buckingham, at Edenbower and was joined there last Saturday by her husband, who is a former resident of this city. Mr. Buckingham is now employed by the telephone company in British Columbia.

Roseburg Represented at Meet—

Ten ex-service men were initiated into the local chapter of La Societe des 40 Hommes et 8 Chevaux, fun order of the American Legion, at a "wreck" held at the Eagles hall Saturday night. Eight towns in the valley were represented at the session, visitors coming from Albany, Medford, Roseburg, Cottage Grove, Lebanon, Monroe, Corvallis and Brownsville—Eugene Register.

Contest at Wilbur Friday—

A gold medal contest is planned for Friday evening by the W. C. T. U. and will be held at Wilbur at 7:30 o'clock that evening. Mrs. Ada Jolly of Portland, the state president of the W. C. T. U., will be a guest and will give a talk. Mrs. Jolly is an interesting and enthusiastic speaker and her message will be one which the public will enjoy. Those eligible to compete in the contest are those not holding a gold medal and if there are holders of silver medals in the county, who have not yet secured a gold medal, they are invited to compete.

W. C. T. U. to Have Program—

The Roseburg W. C. T. U. will present an especially interesting and instructive program at the Woman's Club rooms, 130 South Jackson street on Wednesday of this week at 2:30 p. m. Rev. W. R. Baird of the Christian church will give the opening message. Mrs. Arlene Dux of Seattle of the Seville Evangelistic company will sing. Her sweet musical voice has already won her the hearts of the people. The state president of the W. C. T. U. will give the message of the hour. There will be a reception at the close of the program for the guest of honor. Everyone interested in W. C. T. U. work is most cordially invited.

Here From Medford—

Arthur Brown, circulation manager in southern Oregon for the Oregonian, is here from Medford attending to business matters for a few days.

Returned From Portland—

Mr. and Mrs. John Busenbark, Jr., of Melrose have returned home after a trip to Portland, where they secured a new car through the C. A. Lockwood Motor company of this city and drove it home.

Mrs. Fairbanks Visits—

Mrs. N. F. Fairbanks of Astoria was in Roseburg today visiting with friends and attending to business affairs. She was formerly a resident of this city and several years ago supervised meals in the public schools of Roseburg.

Visiting At Marsters Home—

Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Karr of Brookings, South Dakota, who arrived here the first of the week, are house guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Marsters and are visiting other members of that family in the city also while here. Mr. and Mrs. Karr have been spending the winter in Long Beach, California, and are enroute to their home. They will stop in Salem this week for a visit with H. L. Marsters and family and will also spend a little time in Boise, Idaho.

Gold Medal Contest Recently—

In the gold medal contest conducted by the W. C. T. U. at the Presbyterian church here recently Miss Joyce Busenbark received first place and was awarded the medal. The contest was presided over by Mrs. T. B. Busenbark, the local president. Roberta McLaughlin, Margaret Banning and Lois Duncan of the of the South Deer Creek school, Harry Collison and Vivienne Gervais of the Spick school, Lucille Hart and Ella Hill of Wilbur and Joyce Busenbark of Melrose were the candidates competing. The judges were Arthur Marsh of Looking Glass, Mrs. Ada Addison of Edenbower and Marion Winslow of Oakland. Assisting on the program were Grace Wickham Deets, soloist, accompanied on the piano by Mrs. Grant Osborn. Mattie Lee Taylor, soloist, with piano accompaniment by Frances Lintott. The audience represented besides those from Roseburg, Wilbur, South Deer Creek, Garden Valley and Melrose.

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MAY EXPECTED BE BEST MONTH CITY'S HISTORY

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tion the Business and Professional Women of Oregon are to begin their annual state convention. This convention continues over Sunday, May 29, and will be attended by prominent club workers from every portion of the state. It is expected that there will be over 300 visitors in the city during that time.

I. O. O. F. Grand Lodge

Following immediately after the state convention of the Business and Professional Women's club comes the I. O. O. F. grand lodge. Without question this will be one of the largest meetings ever held in Roseburg up to the present time. Between four and five thousand Odd Fellows from all over the state are to gather in this city for a four-day session starting Monday, May 21. It will be one of the most colorful and interesting sessions the city has ever known and will be a high point in the year's activities.

Carnival Next Feature

Then while the spirit of festivity is still in the air the Umpqua Chiefs will present the annual strawberry carnival, which commences the last day of the I. O. O. F. grand lodge. The carnival on May 24, 25 and 26 will be the biggest and most interesting the city has ever known and is expected to draw a great crowd of people from all over the state. The carnival is also to get nationwide publicity this year, as Jack and Ebbel, the Monroes, whose weekly radio feature over the Pacific coast network is an outstanding radio attraction, are to visit the carnival and will broadcast its entertainment.

From Days Creek—

Mrs. A. E. Moore of Days Creek spent Monday afternoon in this city attending to business matters and shopping.

Glendale Man Visits—

Harley Pete, resident of Glendale, was a visitor in this city Monday afternoon and was looking after business affairs.

In From Reason—

H. Johnson of Reason was in this city Monday and today, looking after business affairs and visiting with friends.

Business Visitor—

William Connor, resident of Riddle, was a Roseburg visitor Monday afternoon and was attending to business interests.

Gone to Eugene—

Dr. and Mrs. Louis Albert Banks left today for Eugene where they will be gone for two days, visiting with friends and on business.

Mrs. Collier Home From Coast—

Mrs. S. E. Collier has returned to her home in this city following a visit with friends at Bandon and coast points for several days.

Oakland People Visit—

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hawkins and Miss Mary Dalbridge of Oakland were Roseburg visitors on business for several hours Monday.

Attorney Back from Portland—

Attorney J. O. Watson returned to this city Monday afternoon following a few days' trip to Portland, where he was looking after legal matters.

Returned Home Today—

Mrs. S. A. Yokum, who has been visiting with friends here and been receiving medical treatment, is returning to her home in Canyonville today.

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and the Eugene plant is working two shifts.

The Medford poultrymen are now considering a plan to handle their eggs through Roseburg, and if the proposition is accepted, action being expected this month, then the local station will be started at once.

Road Work Planned

All over the county the wave of prosperity is expected to show itself this month. With the improving weather road construction will start. Last year many of the districts received their O. and G. money too late to enjoy the benefits of it in road construction work, so that this year the widely scattered, small districts will have large sums of money, in many instances, to be used for the betterment of their roads.

Work is also expected on the Scottsburg bridge on the Drain-Redwood highway. The Rosevelt highway is to be opened between Redwood and Marshfield, and the event will be marked with a big celebration at Winchester Bay on the 4th of July.

Construction is to be started from Gardiner north on the Rosevelt highway. Work is planned on the Drain-Scottsburg section of the Umpqua highway, the Tiller-Trail cut-off to Crater Lake is to receive several thousand dollars for construction work, and all over the county there will be a great deal of activity in the way of road improvement, adding much to possibilities for transportation and communication.