

FAIR DIRECTORS ELECT OFFICERS

(By Associated Press.)

ELGIN, July 26.—Last Saturday night the directors of the Elgin Fair Association held a meeting at which a number of questions were decided upon. Election of officers was an important order of business and resulted as follows: President, H. H. Woods; secretary, Lee Tuttle, and treasurer, R. L. Shoemaker. The date of the fair was set for September 27, 28 and 29. Plans are being perfected for a real old-fashioned county fair that will surpass any held in Union county for years. They ask the cooperation of the entire county for displays and exhibits, and will offer a program of races and other entertainments.

Dave Scott from Joseph drove over on Saturday to his parents' at Fairview district and took his father and mother to his home for a visit of several months.

Mrs. Joseph Scott has been invalid for a number of years and it was feared the long trip might prove tiresome, but word received by relatives here tells that the trip was made very satisfactorily. Hopes are entertained that the cooler climate will be of benefit to both Mr. and Mrs. Scott.

Dorothy and Edwin Kirby of La Grande have been visiting Elgin friends for several days. Part of the time was spent with the S. S. Thompson family on the flat. They returned to La Grande on the train Sunday evening.

The members of the Methodist Sunday school gave their Children's Day program at the usual meeting this Sunday evening.

Mrs. Claude Cooper spent several days last week visiting at Rev. Winter's home.

Prof. U. F. Weiss is having extensive repairs and additions made to his residence.

A number of Elgin people have already begun the annual huckleberry outing season. Most of them report good crops of berries, although many of the best patches will not be ready for a week or ten days.

Last Friday the farm house of Chas. Bault was completely destroyed by fire. The origin of the fire was not discovered and, with the exception of their clothing and contents of the trunk which Mrs. Bault was able to save, the house and furnishings were consumed. The Baults had been residents of the Pine Grove district for about six months, coming here from Cayuse, Oregon. At the time of the fire Mr. Bault had returned to Cayuse for a few days.

J. W. Brown returned last week from Rogerston, Idaho, where he had been spending several days. Mr. Brown drove back in his machine. Arthur Hollenbach was in charge of the store during his absence.

The Misses Edith and Marguerite Bailey have returned to spend the summer with Professor and Mrs. E. G. Bailey. They have been teaching for several years at Long Beach, California, and Mrs. Bailey spent the past winter with them there.

Mr. Winters and Ernest Vehn have painted the new highway bridge at Willow creek two days last week.

Mrs. Leone Blugamini and baby daughter came in Saturday morning to visit with her mother, Mrs. Darius Witty. They returned to their home in Imbler on the train Sunday evening.

Mrs. E. C. Gettings and children drove to La Grande Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. William Thompson, Mrs. Gettings' parents, returned with them to spend some time visiting in Elgin.

Last Sunday a picnic party composed of Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Hug and two small sons, Miss Thelma Hug, Miss Clara Holbrook and Claude Holbrook drove to Joseph. They spent the day at the lake and visited at the Benny Havidizzo home there, and with the Hersey-McKinnis family at Waiawa.

Mrs. W. E. Hug, who had been spending several days at Joseph, accompanied them home.

Grant Gray was taken ill last week and is at the home of his brother, Charles Gray, of Cricket Flat.

The farmers are beginning to harvest their fall wheat crops and there seems to be promise of a good yield. Mr. Bate expects the first threshing grain to be brought to the mill by at least the last of the week.

Mrs. Hattie Mays and daughter Ruth, left last week for Corvallis.

where they plan to spend a year or two. Ruth will attend the O. A. U. and Mrs. Mays plans to keep a number of students as boarders.

GOVE NEWS ITEMS

(Special to The Observer)

COVE, July 26.—Among the visitors to La Grande Monday were Geo. Chaowick, M. P. and Mrs. Nelson Kight, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Kight, Mrs. Gus Miller and Ben Miller.

Mrs. Guss, 603 of Chicago and Mrs. H. J. Mueller of Sterling, Ill., on their way to visit their sister, Mrs. Gus Becker at Corvallis, are visiting at the home of their nephew, A. L. Becker.

Mrs. Waldmann of Portland, spent a few days last week at the A. L. Becker home.

P. H. Kight and family left Thursday for their home in Raymond, Wash. Mrs. Cliff Larson and daughter, Miss Hope of Pleasant Valley and Miss Talle, of Kammerer, Wyo., visited at the A. L. Becker home the late part of the week.

J. H. Tallet and mother, Mrs. Mary Chapman, spent Sunday at the Nathan Larson home.

Dr. Schuster and wife of Union spent Sunday in Cove with friends.

Barthel Kogge and family visited at the A. Beckson home near Alford on Sunday.

The Becker families went to Mt. Emily on a huckleberry trip Sunday. Parents are busy hauling their fall wheat. Haulers will start in a few days.

J. B. Tallet, J. M. Gasset and Mrs. M. Mueller were La Grande visitors Friday.

Little James, youngest son of Ramon Foyers, is visiting his father this week.

CODLING MOTHS ARE DUE

The new brood of codling moths is due. Worms will be appearing five to eight days after the appearance of the moths. From Lane county north, therefore, a codling moth spray should be applied July 29 to 30. Present the number of worms already evident in August spray is almost insupportable. This will probably be due about August 21 or earlier. Many growers are using a sprayer in all spray applications. The station is inclined to believe this advisable, but considers the addition of the sprayer particularly bad and worth while in the trunk cover spray.—O. A. C. Experiment Station.

Biliousness and Constipation.

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Chautauqua Program

- SIXTH DAY, JULY 26.
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 - 2:00 p. m.—Lecture, "Life's Balance Sheet" J. C. Herberman Junior Chautauqua. Admission 50c.
 - 3:00 p. m.—Prelude
 - 3:20 p. m.—Lecture, "The Life Game" Dr. Elmer Lynn Williams (Containing Public Morals in Reformation by Charles' Fighting Parson.") Admission 75c.
- SEVENTH DAY, JULY 27.
- 2:30 p. m.—Prelude
 - Admission 50c.
 - 3:00 p. m.—Playground Festival and Conclusion of Junior Chautauqua.
 - 3:30 p. m.—Grand Closing Concert Gilvan Opera Company (A Brilliant Vocal Entertainment Featuring Light Opera in Costume.) Admission 75c.

CANADIAN MINER UNEARTHS BONES

(By Associated Press)

EDMONTON, Alta., July 26.—In a valley of the far northern section of British Columbia, close to the Yukon border, which it is believed was never before visited by white man, Frank Perry, mining engineer of Vancouver, has discovered the remains of mastodons that once roamed Northern Canada. The location of the valley is not marked on maps, but it is north and west of the headwaters of the Finlay river. Indians will not travel through the valley, believing it haunted by the giant animals whose bones they have seen.

In addition to the bones there are footprints in the sandstone and shale of some other prehistoric monster. These are clearly dog and mink tracks, showing that the maker of the tracks was a three-toed animal. The bones, which are of great size, are not fossilized but are in a state of excellent preservation. Hip bones and sections of the spine were found by Mr. Perry who believes that by excavation specimens of such prehistoric value could be unearthed.

Mr. Perry, a recent visitor here,

spend 14 years in the far northern territory in the quest of mineral, two pack dogs being his companions. Neither canoes nor pack horses can be used to gain access to the district, where there remains were found, and so far the only manner of traveling has been to live on the grass, using dogs to pack the camp equipment on their backs. It requires a year to make the journey in this way, but an airplane could cover the distance in a few days.

GET RID OF LICE ON HOGS

Lice on hogs can be easily destroyed by the use of amudrol oil or the discarded oil drawn from the crank case of the automobile or tractor. It can be applied with a brush in the case of a few hogs or it can be used in connection with rubbing posts. This treatment destroys the lice but does not affect the eggs. It is therefore necessary to give a second treatment at the end of 12 to 14 days when the eggs are hatched. Experiments have shown that lice reduce the effectiveness of the feed as much as one-third.—O. A. C. Experiment Station.

SLEEPY DETECTIVE.

LONDON.—Because her detective went to sleep at a critical time Lady Della Huntington had to hire a second one before she got the evidence to win her a divorce.

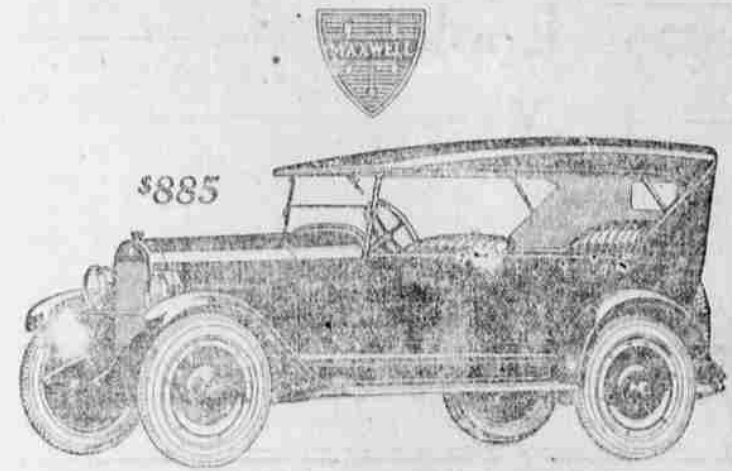
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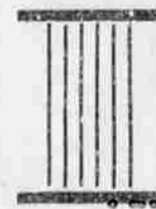
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