MRS. BURFORD DEAD AT COVE

Passing of Respected Citizen shocks Community; Many Mourn Her Loss.

COVE (Special) — The passing of Mrs. J. S. Burford at the family home at Cove has been a great shock to the community. She has been ill for the past two weeks with diphtheria, but was recovering and was considered out of danger, when she suddenly succumbed from heart failure. Mrs. Burford whose maiden name was Annie Rundell was born April 7, 1865 at Cedar Rapids, Idaho, with her parents she came to Cove in 1875 and on Feb. 26, 1882 was married to James Burford. Twelve children were born to this union, all of whom survive, Mrs. Vivian Messenger, Pendleton; Mrs. Hazel Lindsay, Mrs. Ruth Cockrel, Arch, William, Frank, Orpha, Arthur, of Union; and Bina, Claude, Letha and Opal, of Cove. Besides the husband, four sisters also survive. They are Mrs. Emma Stokes, Enterprise, Mrs. Grace [illegible], Minnedoka, Idaho, Mrs. Georgia Campbell, Quincy, Wash., and Mrs. Hetty Bentley, Baker, Ore. The deceased was well known and leaves a host of friends to mourn her loss.

The graduation of the eighth grade class in Cove is credit to any community and a class of which to be proud. It is a 100 per cent class and is the first class since 1917 that all of the members passed the examinations successfully. Those in the class are Dorothy Mills, Muriel Bloom, Lester Patterman, George White, Geneva Murchison, Veta DeVore, Mildred Fulp, Margery VanDong, Esther Johnson, Edward Bristow, Fay Marten, Gladys Richards, Mary Niger and Truett Slayton. The teacher Mrs. J. E. Mills is also due much credit for the interest she has shown and the manner in which she as taught these young people.

Dorothy Mills, one of the members of the eighth grade graduating class, has to her credit five 100 per cent gradings and scores the second highest average in three counties.

Miss Thelma Murphy received the highest honor in the graduating class of seven.

The children engaged in club work at Cove will attend the "Achievement Day" program at North Powder this week.

Mrs. Rose Delaney is visiting in Portland.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Williams and children, of Freewater, are guests of Mr. Williams' sister, Mrs. H. G. Blank.

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CALIFORNIAN'S HAT IN RING

San Diego Man, Sans Party, Seeks the Presidency; Left Republicans Flat.

(By William G. Cayce)

LOS ANGELES, (INS)—Hailing from San Diego, L. H. Francisco, who recently announced himself as a candidate for President of the United States, and who at present has no political party, will soon engage in a stumping tour of California, according to a statement he has issued here.

Francisco says he seeks the highest office of the land "equipped only with knowledge acquired from the hard knocks received during years of experience with labor and in business," and asks this question:

"Can the office of president be obtained through any other route than the regular one requiring a man to sacrifice, more or less, the principles which were laid down by his parents for him to follow?"

Until recently the newest candidate for president was a Republican, but, according to his own statements, he became tired of waiting for things to change for the better in the party, and foresaw that political body. He now is independent, unless the Democrats or some other party, whose principles very nearly accord with his ideals "adopts" him as candidate, he intends to run as an independent contender.

"I sent a telegram to Cordell Hull, chairman of the Democratic National Committee, telling him that if he would consent to changing the name of the Democratic party to the 'Democratic Party of the Golden Rule,' I would run as a candidate on his party, but so far I have not received a reply from him."

Francisco expressed himself as very dissatisfied with the administrations of the late President Harding and President Coolidge, and stated that his speaking tour will be directed against Coolidge.

Among ideas incorporated in his tentative platform are the following "planks:" Equal distribution of buying power in this country; a frank dealing with the people, putting them in possession of the facts, unvarnished; an army and navy sufficient to assure protection of the country; development of the Colorado river and Muscle Shoals under a plan which would give the benefits to the people; protective tariff or its equivalent; the golden rule applied in a broad way; help to balance the world's credit by using products of a debtor nation in the development of undeveloped foreign countries.

Francisco said he would appoint George W. Babson vice-president if he would accept.

ASK U. S. BALL TEAMS TO TRAIN IN MEXICO CITY

MEXICO CITY, (INS). — The ever increasing army of baseball lovers here is pleading with government officials to invite two or more of the big league clubs to the United States to train here in 1925.

The game has grown in popularity here since the Chicago White Sox appeared several seasons ago. At that time there were only two baseball clubs. On a recent Sunday there were 28 scheduled league games and about 50 other games involving school boys.

The baseball folks here point out that this city is ideal for baseball in the springtime and that it would be a great advertisement to Mexico if it brought two big league teams here next spring to train.

Burglar Wins Race From Man Who Wouldn't Shoot

LOS ANGELES, (INS)—Unwillingness to shoot and the desire to give even a thief a "sporting chance" led W. Hair, oil station operator, to engage in a foot race with a burglar here recently.

The thief won the race and escaped with the $150 he had taken from the cash register of the filling station. Hair reported to the police he was aroused from his sleep by hearing the burglar in the filling station, which is next door to his residence. Grabbing his revolver, Hair rushed outside as the thief was making his exit. The burglar saw Hair and started to run. Instead of opening fire Hair said he did not want to shoot and called to the fleeing man to "Halt!" The race and the burglar's escape in an orange grove followed.

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PHOTOGRAPHY AS USED BY POLICE NOW IS FINE ART

NEW YORK, (AP)—A photograph studio, the largest and most up-to-date in the world, with a clientile of more than 50,000 persons and electrical equipment for developing photograph with lightning rapidity, has become one of the most important adjuncts of the New York police department.

Tricks of criminals to circumvent police photographers have become so futile that the old-time requirement that four detectives hold a prisoner for a pose is no longer necessary. The only delay nowadays is caused by vain women who powder sand rouge or by "sheiks" who slick their hair.

Paris police not long ago sent over here a photograph of a man named "Hussey." New York police immediately recognized the portrait as that of the notorious "Dapper Dan Collins," despite the fact that when photographed in Paris he had thrust his head forward to give a distorted image.

The so-called "Diamond Bank robbery," in which two bank messengers were shot to death by a gang of holdup men, was solved with the aid of the police studio. One of the gang was known, and within five hours 4,000 copies of his picture were sent to police in all parts of the country. Fingerprints accompanied the portraits. A few days later Barlow M. Diamond, one of the gang, was recognized and caught in Cleveland.

But even more striking was the case of a trusted bookkeeper who disappeared when his accounts were found to be $20,000 short. Police sent his portrait broadcast. Three months later in an obscure western town the fugitive was recognized and arrested by the town's lone motorcycle policeman.

PREPARE FOR NEW DASH TO NORTH POLE IN 1925

LONDON, (INS).—With the object of preparing the ground for an expedition to the North Pole in 1925, Gretlir Algarsson, a young Icelander, will leave London late in May for an exploration tour of the Arctic Circle.

He will make the tour in an ex-North Sea trawler named the Beltai. She has been completely refitted and strengthened for the trip.

There will be ten explorers in the party including three scientists and a kinema operator. Some of the party will be recruited from Reykjavik and will be called for by the rest of the outfit on their way to the Arctic.

From London the Beltai will proceed to New York, from whence she will go by way of the northern part of Nova Zembla and the Islands of Franz Josef Land. Six months will be occupied by the voyage from New York and back and by the scientific investigations, and, all together, more than five thousand miles will have been covered by the time the Beltai returns to New York.

SAY WOOD IS SPENDING HEAVILY AT MONTE CARLO

LONDON, (INS). — Lieutenant Osborne Wood, son of Major General Leonard Wood, is giving the visitors at Monte Carlo a thrill, according to a dispatch to the Daily Express.

The story asserts that Lieutenant Wood, who recently resigned from the United States army, is spending lavishly the money he made in Wall street. Lieutenant Wood, the dispatch declares, came to Monte Carlo with a Chinese servant, who acted as bodyguard and accompanied him wherever he went. The Chinese always carried a large bag filled with thousand-franc notes and whenever Lieutenant Wood desired to spend money, which was frequently, the servant would open the bag and produce the cash required.

This Has Any Fish Story Beat a Mile

LIBBY, Mont. (AP)—A peculiar accident which resulted in the death of Oreo Malinak of Leonia, Idaho, occurred in the woods near here recently.

Malinak cut a tree, which in falling, struck and knocked down another tree. The second tree uprooted a third and the third toppled over a fourth tree which struck Malinak and killed him.

The position of the four fallen trees resembled a rough square.

Cost of Medical Treatment Keeps Pace With Education

CHICAGO, (AP)—Any increase in the cost of modern medicine and surgery evidently has not kept pace with a proportionately higher cost in training in a modern school cannot be adequately endowed for anything less than $10,000,000, according to Dr. E. D. Burton, president of the University of Chicago.

"And if the school is to include in its scope all the specialties of medicine and surgery, two or three times that sum is not too much," said Dr. Burton. "The days have gone in which a group of physicians can supplement their income by conducting a medical school of which the reason for is to obtain pecuniary profit."

Indian Official Resigns

PENDLETON. — Major Scarlander, for 25 years superintendent of the Umatilla Indian agency, announced today that he would leave Pendleton in about three weeks to accept a position with a special intelligence unit of the federal treasury department. He will be stationed in California in his new work.

Byron H. Sharp of Phoenix, Arizona, has been designated to succeed Major Swartlander and was expected to arrived here about June 1. Mr. Sharp was formerly superintendent of an Indian school in Wisconsin.

BRAKEMAN IS KILLED

COTTAGE GROVE, Ore.—W. C. Stafford, Southern Pacific brakeman, was killed when he fell under the wheels of a freight car which had been spanted onto the tracks of the Oregon Pacific & Eastern railway. As the air had been disconnected he was operating the hand brake when the staff broke and he fell from the car and under the wheels which passed over his body and dragged him for a distance.

The body was taken to Mr. Stafford's home at Roseburg. He was 31 years of age and leaves a widow and daughter. A. A. Stafford, the father, and Mrs. Della Winters, a sister, reside in Portland. A.H. Stafford of Roseburg is a brother and Mrs. O. R. Haley of Round Prairie is a sister.

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Cove State Estimates Show Saving Over Last Year

DUBLIN (AP)—The total saving on the Free State budget in comparison with last year amounts to about £70,000,000. Of this saving a cut in the army of about £30,000,000 is the largest part. It is pointed out in the old Unionist press that allowing for the difference in the value of money, the British government spent £12,500,000 a year on maintaining public order in Ireland. Last year it cost the Free States over $67,000,000, and this is taken as the measure of the abnormality in Irish conditions.

The estimates of the finance minister for next year show an estimated deficit of some $42,000,000 which "will be found by borrowing or otherwise." A great part of the expenditure will go in payment for damage to property by the irregulars against the Free state.

Grave, Grave, Who Has The Grave? Is Query

SPOKANE, Wash. (AP)—Authorities of three municipalities recently were confronted with an unusual problem regarding the burial responsibility of a horse which was found dead with its head in Spokane, its tail in Five Mile township and its feet in Meadowlark township.

After the burial had been delayed for one day, a highway traffic officer of Spokane county was requested as arbitrator. He decided that the city of Spokane should assume the burial expenses as more of the horse lay in this city.

THIEF RETURNS JEWELRY

ROSEBURG, Ore.—C. W. Horner, proprietor of a store at the city camp ground received through the mail his wife's wedding ring and a highly prized brooch stolen from his home 11 years ago.

The jewelry was stolen one night when Mr. and Mrs. Horner were away from home, and although the police made a thorough search, the thief was not located. The brooch contained a strand of Mrs. Horner's mother's hair, and consequently was valued as a keepsake.

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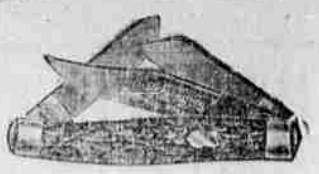

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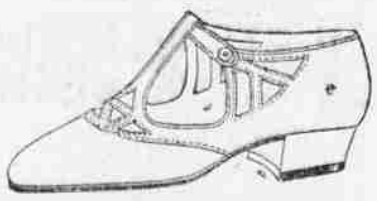

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