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Hunt's
Daily
Letter(By HARRY B. HUNT)
WASHINGTON (NEA Special)—For the humorously inclined, there is a vast range of possibilities in the situations that will inevitably arise as a result of the approaching election.

No matter who is elected—Coolidge and Dawes, Davis and Bryan, or La Follette and Wheeler—the United States senate is certain to be the setting of some situation that for sheer humor will out-reach the wildest imaginations of the burlesque librettist or the comic supplement artist.

For those who do not take their politics and their congressmen and senators too seriously, Washington during the next congress will be better than a sideshow.

Consider the situation in the senate should the Coolidge-Dawes ticket come through a winner.

Dawes becomes vice president. His sole duty is to preside over the senate; to decide points of order in accordance with the rules and precedents and to be an impartial arbiter in the matter of procedure. He has no vote, except in case of a tie, and no voice in debate.

Down on the floor, on the Republican side of the aisle, will sit Senator Brookhart of Iowa, who fought Dawes as the candidate of his own party and demanded that he be removed from the G. O. P. ticket.

Will Dawes recognize Brookhart when the Iowa senator arises to make some remarks? If he does, or if he doesn't, interesting and explosive things may happen. Match and powder keg will be in juxtaposition. The possibility of a blowup will be ever present.

Consider, too, the dramatic possibilities attending an average speech of Caraway of Arkansas, Caraway is the Democrats' most expert skinner, and he specializes in taking the hide of the G. O. P.

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MANY GATHER
FOR CONTEST

As the Evening Observer goes to press this afternoon, an average of eleven football players, representing the Blue and White standards of the L. H. S., are meeting the powerful Wallawa high school team on the athletic field grid-iron.

The game was scheduled to start at 2 o'clock and before that hour, quite a crowd had gathered, giving evidence of a much larger attendance by the time the game was called.

Other games scheduled to be played this afternoon in eastern Oregon follow: Baker at Union, Hermiston at Pendleton. Yesterday Athens played Weston and Milton-Freewater were entertained at Houston.

Present standings of eastern Oregon football teams follow:

La Grande	1	0	1,000
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Wallawa	1	0	1,000
North Powder	1	0	1,000
Pendleton	1	0	1,000
Baker	2	1	657
Enterprise	0	2	600
Joseph	0	1	500
Union	0	2	500
Halfway	0	1	500

Note:—The above percentage column is complete with the exception of two or three teams in Unitilla county.

Sewage System Bids Asked.

MARSHFIELD, Ore.—Reedsport is asking bids for a city sewer system, which involves a fill to be taken from the Clatsop river by a suction dredge. The proposed fill is planned to bring the level of the city above the tides and shut out all insects which enter the city.

Idaho Defeats W.S.C.
Scores All In Quarter

MOSCOW, Ida. (Special)—Clanging from behind a 2 to 0 score, the Idaho Vandals inflicted a bewildering aerial attack in the last minutes of the fourth period and defeated Washington State college. The game, which had promise of being without sensation in the early minutes of play, emerged as the most spectacular contest ever staged on MacLean field. The Vandals went across the line for their three touchdowns within 10 minutes. The last two came within three minutes. All scoring was made by the passing route. Regat, sent in as substitute for Stivers at quarter, was the hero of the day. Long end runs, interspersed frequently with passes for long gains, were called time after

SHENANDOAH ABOVE CAMP LEWIS

WU'S ORDER
RESULTS IN
JAP ACTIONGeneral's Forces and
Nipponese Clash Near
LwanchowSUSPECTS AIMED
AT BY ORDERManchurian and Peking
Troops Fighting with
Increased Vigor Near
Shanhaikwan.

SHANGHAI (By the Associated Press)—A clash between General Wu Pei Fu, military head of the Peking government, and the commander of the Japanese garrison in the region of Chingwangsi, Shanhaikwan and Lwanchow, has resulted in a series of orders. The Japanese garrison found the Chinese troops between Shanhaikwan and the Japanese garrison, whose conduct is suspicious, shall be arrested, according to an eastern news agency dispatch. The order provides that if the Japanese are arrested, they will be held until the end of the civil war. "Any Japanese citizen whose behavior is doubtful is to be arrested. They will be released if the Japanese consul requests but will otherwise be executed," said the order.

The southern part of Woonung, the outer anchorage for Shanghai, was destroyed by fire last night, believed to have been started by defeated Chinese troops. Chinese leaders today are trying to disperse disgruntled Chinese troops now concentrated in the Shanghai district.

PEKING (By the Associated Press)—Fighting between the invading Manchurian forces and the Peking army is being carried on in such increasing violence at Shanhaikwan the outcome may decide the conflict for the control of the Peking government according to observers. Neither side is apparently able to gain much advantage.

RUDEEN FREED;
VERDICT GIVEN
FOR ACQUITTAL

PORTLAND, Ore. (Special)—Charles S. Rudeen, ex-commissioner and chairman of the Multnomah county board, was freed of the charge of receiving bribe money from Robert E. Kromer yesterday through a verdict of acquittal ordered by Circuit Judge Morrow. The judge said the state's evidence was too weak to justify continuance of the trial.

Northwestern Air Mail
Route Seems Assured

SPOKANE, (By the Associated Press)—Expectation that extension of the air mail service from Oden, Utah, to Pases, Wash., will be recommended by the postmaster general, and that it will be authorized by congress in time to put it into effect by next July 1, was expressed here Friday by W. Irvine Glover, third assistant postmaster general.

The next great step undoubtedly will be the establishment of lateral air mail lines in the northwestern corner, from Oden to the terminus, to Pases and south to Los Angeles," Mr. Glover said.

He is here on an inspection trip.

Convention
Program Is
Under WayHalf Hundred Delegates
Registered for Three-
Day Christian Endeav-
or Meet.

With the Grande Ronde Christian Endeavor Union 18 convention well under way today at the Presbyterian church, a total of about 50 delegates have registered. Last evening a social affair was staged for the purpose of acquainting the delegates and today the regular business and program of the convention was begun. In addition to today's meetings the convention will continue through Sunday, ending in the evening.

From present indications, officials here believe that the meeting will be one of the most successful ever held in this section of the state.

MANY ATTEND
B.P.O.E. SHOW

The prize last evening at the 49 show was awarded to Al Harlow, O.W. R. R. & N. roadmaster. Mr. Harlow received an electric grill. Miss Thelma Choate won the second prize, a five pound box of candy.

The largest crowd that has attended the show so far was present last evening and the enthusiastic cheering reached the heights. The dance floor was packed at all times and around the edges the dancing tables did a bustling business.

The show closes with this evening's entertainment. The doors will open at 8 o'clock this evening instead of half past and the dancing will continue until 12.

SALEM MAN IS KILLED

SALEM, Ore.—S. Taylor Jones, 51, district agent for a life insurance company, was killed accidentally at his home in this city when a shotgun which he was cleaning was discharged. The charge from the gun entered his abdomen.

Mr. Jones had lived in Salem for his last four months. He previously had resided at Independence. Besides his widow he was survived by his son, Russell Lynn Jones, a student at Willamette university. He was a member of several branches of the Masonic lodge, including the Shriners.

SLUSH FUND
'LEADS' ARE
DEVELOPEDSo Claims Frank Walsh,
La Follette's Counsel,
to Senate ProbersFUND DENIED BY
WILLIAM BUTLERChairman of Republic
Committee Answers the
Questions of Senator
Shipstead Frankly.

CHICAGO, (By the Associated Press)—Frank P. Walsh, La Follette's counsel, today told the Senate contribution committee that "leads" had been developed that a Republican "slush fund" of ten to twelve million dollars is to be raised for campaign uses.

BUTLER DENIES FUND
CHICAGO, (By the Associated Press)—William M. Butler, chairman of the Republican national committee, before the special campaign investigating committee of the senate Friday, denied charges of Senator Robert M. La Follette, the independent presidential candidate, that his committee would monopolize a large mass of funds in certain states during the last weeks of the campaign. His denial was categorical.

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FATHER AND SON
FINED \$50 EACH;
MAY APPEAL CASE

The Murr-Wright imbroglio had a sad ending yesterday at least for the Murras when Judge J. D. Slater found Jim Murr and his son, Floyd Murr, guilty of disorderly conduct and fined them \$50 each. Willie Wright and his son Marvin Wright, who furnished the opposition to the Murras in the row were acquitted on the theory that they had participated in the fray from self defense after the Murras had started the battle.

The police received a riot call to west La Grande Thursday afternoon and found Mr. Murr and his son engaged with Mr. Wright and his offspring in a rough and tumble battle.

It is understood that the Murras will appeal the case.

La Follette
Takes Smash
At MonopolyIndependent Candidate
Scores System, Charging
It Is in Govern-
ment Control.

SIOUX FALLS, S. Dak. (AP)—La Follette, as he planned, today he would spend the last two weeks of the campaign stumping in the midwest and east instead of making a trip to the Pacific coast, as we planned.

SIOUX FALLS, S. D. (By the Associated Press)—Assailing the private monopoly system in an address here Friday night Senator Robert M. La Follette, independent candidate for president, declared that "the 2 per cent that owns 70 per cent of the nation's wealth are today its sovereigns." "For six years," he continued, "they have ruled congress. They have ruled the courts. They have ruled them, not in the interests of the people but in the interests of private wealth. "The use of the department of justice to trample underfoot the constitution and the bill of rights. They used it as an agency of terror, not only during the war, but after the war as well. "During the last six years, this invisible government has become visible. It openly flaunts its power. It fears neither the courts nor

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OLD ORDER IS
HELD AS BEST

ALBANY, N. Y. (By the Associated Press)—Secretary of State Hughes delivering at a convention of the University of the state of New York an address which he introduced as non-political, spoke Friday night in favor of retaining the original balances established between the supreme court and congress and between the president and congress.

"The constitution of the United States is not a fetish," he said. "In partial consideration of existing conditions should either tighten our respect for the institutions which proved themselves to be adapted to unforeseen and unimaginable conditions or should aid us

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Beauty Dies In Fall



Mrs. Lewis B. Woodruff, author and playwright, regarded by artists as one of the most beautiful women in the world, is dead. She was killed in a fall from a second-floor window at her home in New York. She had been in ill health for some time.

CONDUCT GRID
PEP ASSEMBLY

The high school rally last night might correctly be called a "howling" success. Despite the fun everyone got out of it the students kept right on to the extent of refraining from damaging any property, to the gratification of the authorities.

The biggest time of all was at the school house during the freshman initiation. The "shot hand squad" was out in force to see that the rooks did their tricks properly and a good deal of talent along the entertainment line was discovered.

Following the freshman stunts Lester MacTavish, coach of the team, called off a number of speakers for expressions of their sentiment about today's game. Principal E. D. Towler, E. A. McEachran, Grant Dean "Scouts" Dutton, Warren Gilbert, Tom Williams, Cecil Sherwood and Frank Johnson made talks.

Following the speech making Gifford Seitz, yell leader and his assistants took charge of the assemblage and conducted a serpentine down through the streets.

Hospital Contract Awarded.

MARSHFIELD, Ore.—A Young Portland contractor, received the contract to construct the Wesley hospital, which will rise in Marshfield during the next few months. Mr. Young came to Coos Bay a year ago and since entering the contracting game here has obtained and completed a number of awards.

A Unique
Service

The quality of The Observer's circulation exists as a result of many features and characteristics that are liked or appreciated by its 15,000 readers.

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"Observer Advertising—
A Merchandising Service"UNABLE TO
MOOR UNTIL
AFTERNOONDense Fog Prevented the
Craft Reaching Mast
Early TodayANOTHER ATTEMPT
AT FOUR O'CLOCKDirigible Passed Salem
at 3:15 A. M., Portland
at 5:05 A. M.—Reached
Camp at 7:10 A. M.

CAMP LEWIS, Wash. (By the Associated Press)—The Shenandoah was sighted here at 7:10 a. m. today but on account of the dense fog was unable to approach the mooring mast. She circled around slowly and at 8 o'clock sent a message she would not attempt to moor until four o'clock this afternoon. The Shenandoah turned inland from the ocean at Florence, Ore., at 12:30 a. m. and turned north at Harrisburg. She passed Corvallis at 3:25, Salem at 5:15, Portland at 5:55 and Olympia at 6:55.

ABOARD THE SHENANDOAH
IN WILLAMETTE VALLEY, Ore.
(By the Associated Press)—The lightship keeper at Point Gualle, Ore., on the Pacific, reported across the lawn early today and dipped the colors as the dirigible Shenandoah passed. Most keepers have forgotten to pay marks of respect and the Point Gualle keeper forgot that the Shenandoah is not a cruiser of the United States navy and therefore should have raised the colors instead of dipping them.JUSSERAND TO
BE REPLACED

PARIS, (By Associated Press)—Emile Dueschener, director of administrative affairs at Quai d'Orsay, probably will succeed Jules Jusserand as French ambassador to Washington within the next few weeks. Dueschener is considered the best diplomat in the French service. The appointment has not yet been officially announced.

Pendleton Deaths Exceed Births.

PENDLETON, Ore.—Deaths exceeding births in Pendleton during September, according to the report of the city health officer. During the month there were 15 births and 29 deaths. Seven deaths were reported from the state hospital.

Ohio Republican Coming

OREGON CITY, Ore.—Ralph D. Cole, an ex-representative from Ohio, will open the republican speaking campaign in Clackamas county with an address here in Moose hall.

Coast Building Brisk
During First 9 Months

A grand total of \$375,999,455 in building permits were issued in 82 principal cities of the south Pacific coast states during the first nine months of 1924. An analysis of the figures shows that a total of 137,145 permits were issued during this period. As compared with the previous year's total and with the cost items, this indicates a slight reduction in the number of major projects. Analysis of the figures indicates that during 1924 a larger proportion of major buildings have been built in San Francisco, Oakland and Seattle than in 1923 but that the proportion was yet

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Smoking Him Out From His Unpatriotic Den

