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THE WISE CHILD—Better is a poor and a wise child, than an old and foolish king, who will no more be admonished.—Ecc. 4:13.

Former Governor Pierce says he has been having his portrait painted for the state house at Salem. We hope, Walter, for the sake of keeping history straight that the job was done by an artist and not by some of your pet political enemies.

Curtis was picked as the compromise running-mate for Hoover at Kansas City because the administration wanted to slap Dawes on the wrist for his anti-Coolidge activities the last four years. That was their privilege but we hope those eastern politicians don't kid themselves into thinking Charley Dawes will stay slapped.

In keeping with a long-established custom, The Observer skips a publication next week by failing to appear on the Fourth. No one, we are sure, will begrudge this holiday to the men in the composing and press rooms and the news and business staffs. It's a holiday they well deserve—so there'll be no paper Wednesday afternoon.

There is going to be a real 4th of July celebration at Elgin this year and an equally good one at Enterprise. Both are scheduled for three days and both will attract a large number of people from this valley. Elgin is dedicating her new air field, the excellent work of the community's Legion post. An air circus will be an important part of the show. Enterprise will also have a real program—always does. So La Grande people will have little difficulty finding a suitable celebration to entertain them when next Wednesday arrives.

LOTTERIES

Stories about the winners of the various lottery prizes on the English Derby have made interesting reading of late. We learn that one $200-a-month clerk has received something like $1,000,000; that a stenographer has cashed in a ticket for half that much; that a poor widow has been made rich for the rest of her days; and it all seems very nice.

Yet a large-scale lottery is one of the most demoralizing things in the world. It stimulates the old urge to get something for nothing; and one of the surest ways to make a hash of your life is to try to do that. You may win, of course; but in 999 cases out of 1000 a man has to earn what he gets.

Most people realize that. But a big lottery, given wide publicity, makes many forget it. The Derby prizes have made a few people happy, but they have brought misery to very many more.

PIONEERS OF STATE GATHER IN PORTLAND

PORTLAND, Ore., June 28 (AP)—Memories of a long ago were recalled today by 1,000 pioneers and their children who gathered at the 56th annual reunion of the Oregon Pioneer association.

Secretary George H. Himes had charge of giving out ribbons bearing the year that the wearer came to Oregon.

Mrs. O. N. Denny, who was a little white child at the Whitman mission at the time of the massacre was to be crowned "Mother Queen" this afternoon. Governor Patterson and Mayor Baker, both native sons of pioneer parents, were on the afternoon program.

Last night the sons and daughters of Oregon pioneers elected Stephen A. Matthieu, president; Amanda Hart, vice president; Lillian M. Hackleman, secretary; L. R. Ralston, treasurer, and W. Lair Thompson, director.

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Mutiny In Camp Clatsop Causes Ousting Officer

PORTLAND, Ore., June 28 (AP)—Mutiny of a company of national guardsmen at Camp Clatsop during the encampment which ended yesterday, and forced resignation of the captain, was revealed today, the Portland Telegram says.

The unit involved, the Telegram says, was Company A, 116th Engineers and the officer Captain Abraham Forester, Portland.

The trouble, which led to appointment of a board of review by General George A. White was said to have started over parking of Captain Forester's automobile. Forester was said to have had an altercation with a guard after driving his car into camp at night instead of leaving it in a place designated for officers' cars. The Telegram says:

Captain Arrested

"During the altercation, it was reported, an officer who outranked Captain Forester appeared suddenly on the scene, his identity unknown to Forester who is said to have upbraided him for meddling in the affair.

"Forester discovered only too late that he was addressing a senior officer, who is said to have been a colonel, in his night shirt. The officer of the day later ordered Captain Forester to his quarters under arrest and General White was informed.

"General White then named a board of review.

"Meanwhile, word of the disciplinary action reached the ears of Company A, 116th Engineers, commanded by Captain Forester. When time for duty came they refused to participate in maneuvers.

"The entire company was placed under arrest at General White's orders but later was released when matters were patched up. Meanwhile, the board of review returned its finding to General White who is said to have requested Forester's resignation 'for the good of the service.'

"The resignation is now in the hands of General White at Salem."

Liquor War Leads To Two Murders

DETROIT, Mich., June 28 (AP)—Warfare between factions fighting for control of the Detroit river liquor traffic broke out last night. August Nykiel and Michael Dipisa, rival leaders were shot dead. A policeman and a woman bystander were in hospitals today suffering from wounds received during a pistol battle.

Police were told that Nykiel was called out of one of his string of riverfront saloons and cut down by a fusillade of pistol shots fired by Dipisa and an unidentified companion, posted behind an automobile in front of the place.

Page the Movies!

Germany not only presents Fraulein Lilly Aussem with pride as her national woman tennis champion but boasts of her as a candidate for international beauty honors. The pretty miss has shown that she cannot compete with Helen Wills, the American darling, on the tennis court, but in a contest for looks the decision will be left to the reader. The above picture of the German star has all the requirements for a place in the Hollywood gallery of beauties.

BUTTER VALUES MOVE UP TODAY

Egg Prices Steady and Firm—Cherries Are Decidedly Cheaper

PORTLAND, Ore., June 28 (AP) Butter values were higher today on local wholesale markets. All grades except firsts advanced, cube extras being a cent higher at 42½c and standards and prime firsts a ½c higher at 41c and 40½c, respectively. Demand from Seattle and San Francisco was responsible for the increases.

Egg prices were steady and the market was firm.

Country dressed meats were steady except for lambs, which were draggy and showed signs of weakness. Most offerings sold around 20c per pound, although a few strictly choice lights brought as high as 22c. Poultry prices were unchanged.

Cherries were decidedly cheaper, Bings going mostly around 10c per pound while Royal Annes brought 7c. Other varieties were down as low as 4c per pound. Strawberries were also easier, most sales ranging from $1.85 to $2 per crate. Loganberries sold around $1.65, raspberries around $1.75, blackcaps from $1.75 to $2 and currants at $1.75 per crate.

Celery from the Lake Labish district was plentiful, selling from $1 to $1.50 per dozen, depending on sizes. Shipments to Seattle were going out today.

LA GRANDE WHOLESALE MARKETS

Poultry (live weight)
Springs—16@18c lb.
Heavy hens—14@16c lb.
Light hens—10c lb.
Stags—8c lb.

Flour.
Hard Federation (hard wheat) —$7.60 bbl.
Soft wheat—$7.40 bbl.

LA GRANDE RETAIL MARKETS

Dairy.
Butter, creamery—47c; 2 lbs. 90c
Eggs—25c a do.
Cheese—35@40c a pound
Honey, comb—25c lb.

Vegetables.
Potatoes—14 lbs. 25c; 49c sack.
New potatoes—5c lb.
Green Peas—15c lb.; 2 for 25c.
String beans—20c lb.
Elgin hothouse cucumbers—40c.
Mexican tomatoes—20c lb.
Parsley—5c bunch.
New Texas cabbage—5c lb.
Wax onions—5c lb.
Lettuce—10c head.
Endive—15c; 2 for 25c.
Yellow onions—5c lb.
Radishes—5c bunch.
Hothouse cucumbers—15c each.
Bunch carrots—3 for 10c.
Bunch beets—5c.
Turnips—2 for 15c.
Celery—25c bunch.
Hothouse lettuce—25c lb.
Asparagus—15c lb.
Green onions—5c bunch.
Parsnips—5c lb.
Rutabagas—5c lb.
Home grown spinach—10c lb.

Fruits.
Apples—Jonathan, Romes, Belleflowers, $1.50 box.
Melons—4½c lb.
Home-grown strawberries—10c; $2 crate.
Hood River strawberries—15c; $3.25 crate.
Gooseberries—5c qt.
Bananas—10c lb.
Persimmons—2 for 25c.
Lemons—50c doz.
Oranges—50@70c doz.
Cherries—15c box.
Raspberries—20c box.
Florida grapefruit—Med. size, 2 for 25c; large, 2 for 35c.
Florida grapefruit—20c each.

Sugar.
Cane sugar—$7.14.

Flour.
Soft wheat—$8.40 bbl.
Hard federation—$8.40 bbl.

Poultry
Spring fries—28-30c lb.
Hens—25@30c lb.

Meats and Fish.
Beef boil—12½@18c.
Chops and steaks—30c lb.
Salmon (strictly fresh)—35c lb.
Halibut—30c lb.
Cod—25c lb.

ROOSEVELT MAKES NOMINATING TALK FOR GOV. AL SMITH

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honesty and "the rare ability to make popular government function as it was intended to by the fathers." He described his leadership as "articulate, virile, willing to bear responsibility, needing no official spokesman to interpret the oracle."

No Doubt of Efficiency

"There is no doubt," he said, "that our governor will make an 'efficient' president," and predicted he would be a great president because he "possesses, to a superlative degree, the rare faculty of sympathetic understanding."

"If the vision of real world peace, of the abolishment of war, ever comes true, it will not be through the mere mathematical calculations of a reduction of armament program nor the platitudes of multilateral treaties piously deprecating armed conflict. It will be because this nation will select as its head a leader who understands the human side of life, who has the force of character and the keeness of brain to take, instinctively, the right course and the real course toward a prosperity that will be more than material, a leader who also grasps and understands not only large affairs of business and government, but to an equal degree the aspirations and needs of. . . . the great mass of average citizens who make up the backbone of our nation."

Nominating speeches were also made last night for Woolen by O'Brien, for George by Crisp and for Ayers, by McGill.

MARKET NEWS OF THE DAY

CHICAGO GRAIN

Wheat	Open	High	Low	Close
July	136¼@136½	137	136	136¼@136⅝
Sept.	139⅛@139½	139½	138½	139 @139⅛
Dec.	142 @142½	143¼	142	142⅝@142¾

LIVERPOOL WHEAT

LIVERPOOL, Eng., June 28 (AP) — Close wheat: July 9s. 11¼d; Oct. 10s. 4½d; Dec. 10s. 6.

PORTLAND WHEAT

PORTLAND, Ore., June 28 (AP)—Wheat—BRB hard white, $1.48; soft white and western white, $1.39; hard winter, northern spring, western red $1.31.

Oats—No. 2, 36 lb. white feed, $46.

Today's receipts: Wheat 12; flour 11; corn 2; oats 3; hay 2.

CHICAGO CASH

CHICAGO, June 28 (AP) — Wheat—No. 2 hard, $1.41⅜.

Corn—No. 2 mixed, $1.05; No. 2 yellow, $1.05⅝@1.05½.

Oats—No. 2 white, 68@71c; No. 4 white, 67c.

Rye no sales.

Barley—94c@$1.07½.

Timothy seed—$4@4.75.

Clover seed—$20@20.75.

Wheat Unsettled; Quotations Higher

CHICAGO, June 28 (AP)—Opening at ¼c decline to ⅜c advance, Chicago wheat held near to the initial range. Corn and oats were relatively firm, with corn starting at ¼c off to ⅜c up, and later scoring some gain all around. Provisions tended downward.

Wheat closed unsettled at the same as yesterday's finish to ⅝c higher; corn ⅝ to 2c up; oats at ⅝c decline to ¼c advance, and provisions varying from 10c off to 6c gain.

EARL JONES RELEASED UNDER $3,000 BONDS

OREGON CITY, Ore., June 28 (AP)—Earl Jones, 19, released yesterday on $3,000 bail pending his trial on a first degre murder charge in connection with the dynamiting of his parents' home will reside pending his trial with his bondsmen, neighbors of the Jones family. Trial has been delayed awaiting recovery of Jones' father, who was injured in the blast which killed his step-mother and half brother.

PIONEER DIES

SILVERTON, Ore., June 28 (AP)—John Wolfard, 86, pioneer of this district died this morning. He was engaged in business here for the past 61 years and was at the store Wednesday. Wolfard, with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Earhart Kolfard crossed the plains in 1853.

Case Threshing Machine Rockets To High of 350

NEW YORK, June 28 (AP)—Extraordinary buying on selective high priced shares featured final dealings on the stock exchange today. Case Threshing Machine had a sensational rise to 350, an overnight jump of 42 points, accompanied by International Harvester, up 9, Dupont 5 and General Motors 6.

The closing was strong. The influence of high money rates and uncertainty of the showing of brokers' loans after the close of the market which had a retarding effect on earlier confidence, gradually waned in the last hour when important stocks moved up substantially. United States Steel crossed 138. Total sales approximated 1,600,000 shares.

NORTHERN SEARCH HELD UP BY FOG

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the ground taxied 40 the end of the field where it ploughed through some bushes. A full load of 400 gallons of gasoline was carried but was dumped by Koenemann when the plane approached the edge of the field.

COURTNEY IN AIR

HORTA, Island of Fayal, Azores, June 28 (AP)—Captain Frank T. Courtney, British aviator, who hopped off from Lisbon this morning for this place en route to the United States, sent a wireless message to the Associated Press this afternoon reading:

"Still going strong, expect arrive about four o'clock."

FLIGHT CALLED OFF

CAPE DE LA MADELEINE, Que., June 28 (AP) — (By Canadian Press)—The projected trans-Atlantic flight of Miss Thea Rasche from here to Europe via Harbor Grace, N. F., is definitely off. Miss Rasche will go to New York by train to consult with Mrs. James A. Stillman, backer of the venture.

ROME, June 28 (AP)—General Umberto Nobile will return by air to direct the search for the ice-bound crew of the Italia, says a dispatch today in LaVoro d'Italia.

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PORTLAND LIVESTOCK

PORTLAND, Ore., June 28 (AP)—Cattle and calves steady. Receipts, cattle 2c; calves 30.

Steers (1100-1500 lbs.), good $12.15; do (950-1100 lbs.) good, $11.25@12; do (800 and up) mediums, $10@11; do common, $8.50@10.

Heifers (850 lbs. down) good, $10@10.50; do common to medium $8.50@14; cows $8.50@8.75; do common to medium, $6.75@8.75; do low cut, $5@6.75; bulls (yearlings excluded) good beef, $7@7.75; do cutter to medium, $6.50@7.

Calves (500 lbs. down), medium to choice, $8.50@10.50; do cull to common, $6.50@8.50; veaters (milk fed) good to choice, $13@14.50; do medium, $11@13; do cull to common, $7.50@11.

Hogs steady. Receipts 1225, including 925 on contract. Heavy weight (250-350 lbs.) medium to choice $9.25@10.75; medium weight (200-250 lbs.) medium to choice, $10.25@11; light weight (160-200 lbs.) medium to choice, $11@11.25; light lights (130-160 lbs.) medium to choice, $9.25@10.75; packing sows (rough and smooth), $7.50@9; slaughter pigs (90 to 130 lbs.) medium to choice, $9@10.

(Soft or oily hogs and roasting pigs excluded from above quotations).

Sheep and lambs steady.

Lambs (84 lbs. down) good to choice, $11.50@12; do (92 lbs. down), medium, $10@11.50; do all weights) cull to common, $9@10; yearling wethers (110 lbs. down) medium to choice, $7@8.50; ewes (120 lbs. down) medium to choice, $4@5; do (120-150 lbs.) medium to choice, $3@4.50; do (all weights) cull to common, $2@3.

CHICAGO LIVESTOCK

CHICAGO, Ills., June 28 (AP)—(United States Department of Agriculture)—Hogs—30,000; uneven, mostly steady with Wednesday's average; top $10.75 paid for choice 200-250 pounders.

Cattle—7,500; calves, 3,000; active trade strong to 25c higher on most killing classes; top $15.15 paid for yearlings and heavy steers.

Sheep—16,000; mostly steady; slightly better undertone on slaughter lambs, particularly throwouts.

PORTLAND PRODUCE

PORTLAND, Ore., June 28 (AP)—Butter, extras 1c higher; standards and prime firsts ½c higher; firsts unchanged. Extras 42½c; standards 41c; prime firsts 40½c.

Eggs, milk, poultry, potatoes, onions, wool, nuts, hay, cascara bark, hops, steady and unchanged.

NEW YORK FRUIT

NEW YORK, June 28 (AP)—Dried fruit and hops steady.

BUTTERFAT

SAN FRANCISCO, June 28 (AP)—Butterfat f. o. b. San Francisco, 48@49c.

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