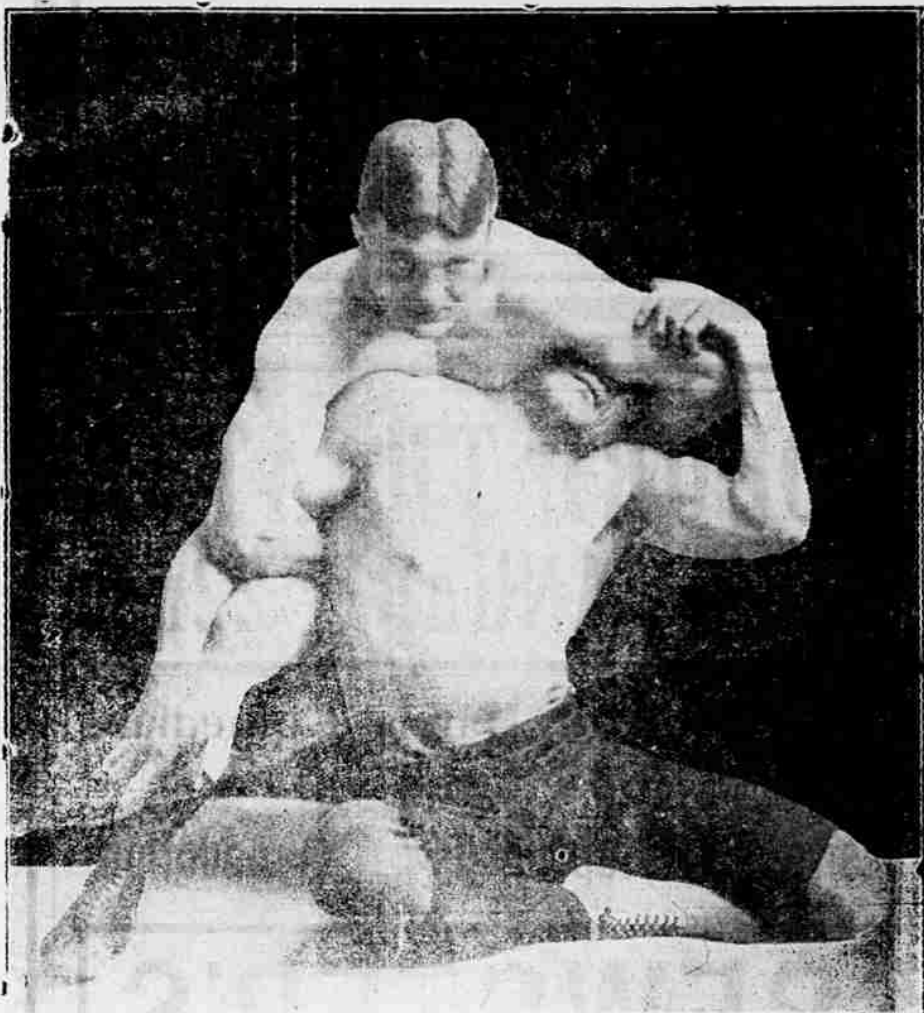


Wrestling Match

**WEST
vs.
LA SALLE**

**At Angle Opera House
TUESDAY EV'G, JANUARY 19**



Admission, 50c, 75c, \$1.00 and \$1.50

West is the champion of Southern Oregon. La Salle is the wrestling instructor of the University of Oregon and one of the best men in the country. This is West's last match here this season.

30,000,000 CAN COME CHEAPLY

New Rate From Middle West Means Much Toward Upbuilding Oregon

PORTLAND, Or., Jan. 18.—No news that has been received by the people of Oregon during the last 24 months is so important as the announcement that the transcontinental railroads will make a rate beginning March 1 and continuing until April 30 from Kansas City, Omaha, St. Paul and Minneapolis, Winnipeg and other similarly situated towns to all main line railroad points in Oregon for \$27.

The people of no state in the Union have profited more by these one-way tickets than have those of Oregon during the last four years. The rate from Chicago is \$33, from St. Louis \$30.50, with a proportionate low fare from all points in the United States. This should add many thousands of actual settlers to the population of Oregon. These are one-way tickets, and if travelers desire to return to their former homes in the older eastern states they would have to pay full fare.

Every commercial club and advertising bureau in the state as well as every real estate firm should begin immediately to advertise these rates. Every citizen of Oregon should write personal letters to old friends and acquaintances reminding them that the rate is good to their towns. But the ticket must be bought to the point of destination—it's just as cheap to the most distant Oregon point as to one just over the border of the state.

On the 12th the Roseburg Commercial club celebrated the opening of its beautiful new club, built expressly for them. Guests from different parts of the state were present and an elaborate banquet was served by the ladies' auxiliary of the club.

Vancouver, Wash., has employed P. C. Lavey, one of America's most effective advertisers, a splendid orator and organizer, as secretary of its commercial club. They are determined to raise \$10,000 for an advertising fund, and at a recent meeting \$1000 was subscribed in an hour.

Marriage Licenses.

William L. Welch and Della J. Mitchell.

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WELCH MITCHELL—In Jacksonville on January 15, by Judge Nell, William L. Welch and Della J. Mitchell.

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TUESDAY, JANUARY 19

Mrs. Irene Hampton Isaacs

PIANIST

And **Miss Grace Brown**

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FRUIT GROWERS ARE WARNED

Cautioned Against Importing Young Trees From France—Moths are Found

Fruitgrowers of the northwest are cautioned against importing young trees from France by Secretary William of the state board of horticulture, who says the gypsy moth and the brown-tailed moth have been found in recent arrivals of young trees at the port of New York.

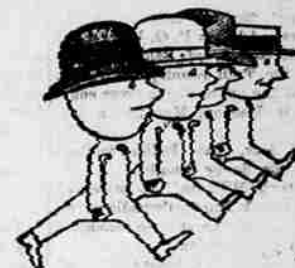
"Should these pests obtain a foothold west of the Rocky mountains there would be no such thing as eradicating them, and it would only be a question of time when the fruit and shade trees of the coast would be ruined," Mr. Williamson says. "These moths have been ravaging the Atlantic states for about four years, and already the sum of \$10,000,000 has been spent by the various states in fighting them. A professor in a New York institute had a box of them brought from Paris for scientific investigation, and one of the workers in his laboratory being opened, a moth escaped. This single insect started to repopulate the trees of the city, and from there the pests were wadded into Massachusetts which alone has expended \$2,000,000 in trying to eradicate them since."

Forma Caterpillar.
"The gypsy moth forms a caterpillar which shows up the leaves on the trees and soon kills them by stripping the foliage. In the winter the eggs rest in cocoons on the branches and in the spring the caterpillar appears, which proceeds to lay eggs by the thousand."

"Every shipment of foreign trees should be inspected before planting. This is done by laying them in a box and turning the gas on. The department of agriculture of the state of New York is now sending warnings to fruitgrowers all over the country, asking them to be on the lookout for the gypsy and brown-tailed moth, which if let loose in the orchards will destroy all competing pests in the destruction of trees, and make the codling moth, woolly aphis and San Jose scale seem like blizzards in comparison."

FIRST NATIONAL BANK RETAINS OLD OFFICERS

The stockholders of the First National bank recently held their annual election and re-elected the old officers and directors. The customary semi-annual dividend of 4 per cent was declared. The officers elected were: W. H. Crowell, president; F. H. Dwyer, vice-president; C. W. Dwyer, vice-president; M. L. Atchard, cashier; Chris Crawford, second cashier. Directors: William H. Crowell, F. H. Dwyer, Charles Strang, E. C. Carter, G. W. Dwyer.



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