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BRAZIL GREAT MART FOR PRODUCTS OF LANE

T. O. Russell, Eugene, Describes Experiences in South American Country.

Brazil is still a great empire in embryo and a great potential market for Oregon lumber that it may be well to cultivate, in the opinion of T. O. Russell, president of the Eugene chamber of commerce, who addressed the Cottage Grove chamber at a Tuesday evening dinner. Mr. Russell spent 18 months in that country in 1929 and 1930 representing powerful American and English interests who own iron deposits that Mr. Russell described as the greatest known in the world. Mr. Russell's job was to examine the deposits, do the engineering work necessary preparatory to their development, make a survey for a railroad 300 miles inland from the coast and plan a port from which the ore would be shipped. In that work he followed no less a person than Herbert Hoover, now president of the United States.

Mr. Russell described the Brazilians as naturally a highly intelligent people who have great veneration for the United States because of the protection of the Monroe doctrine, and the country as undeveloped because its citizens lack the initiative necessary for that development. They are not lacking, however, in acquisitiveness and the duties and rights of the mining corporation represented by Mr. Russell were contained in a thousand-page document in which Brazilian rights were fully protected.

There are but a few hundred miles of developed highways in a country a fifth larger than the United States and not over 17,000 miles of railway. Getting machinery, equipment and men 300 miles inland through dense forests and rugged mountain country Mr. Russell found one of the most difficult jobs he had ever tackled.

Modern conveniences are little known outside of coast cities and modern lavatory conveniences installed in the house occupied by Mr. Russell and his staff were such a curiosity that natives came for miles to see them. Back from the cities civilization has advanced but little since the country was claimed by the Portugese a hundred years ago.

England a quarter of a century ago had the bulk of trade with Brazil, but by 1928 the United States sent fully a third of all imports going into the country and England had but $16,000,000 of the half billion of imports of Brazil and her three sister South American states.

Mr. Russell said that although the railroad proposed by those he represented would go through a heavily timbered country it would be necessary to buy ties and bridge materials in Oregon, because the natives could not be depended upon to furnish the materials from their own forests—that such has been the experience with railroad building there in the past and would be the condition in the future. Practically all railroad development has been by foreign interests.

George Jennings, associated with his father, Pat Jennings, in development of the Lead Crystal properties in the Bohemia district, spoke briefly about mining conditions of the country and said that prospects for Bohemia are bright.

Former Resident Sees Better Times

Dorena, Aug. 15. — (Special.) — Business will be going strong again by this time next year, in the opinion of O. O. McClellan of Salem, who, with Mrs. McClellan, spent several days last week at the home of Mrs. McClellan's sister, Mrs. C. J. Howard. He believes the return to prosperity will be in about the same ratio as it took the depression to get us.

The McClellans, some 25 years ago, were residents of Cottage Grove, where they lived for a number of years. Later they returned to Salem, where Mr. McClellan had been identified with the old hop buying firm of Faber & Nies, and resumed his former position. Some 15 years ago he bought a Willamette river bottom farm a few miles north of the capital city, and since has devoted himself to general farming and some dairying. The visit was cut short, as the hop field will open for picking next Monday.

HORSES FOR ROAD WORK BELIEVED NOT FEASIBLE

Because the county has few heavy draft horses, Judge Barnard does not believe the propsal by the federal bureau of roads to give more jobs on federal road jobs by using horses in place of trucks is feasible. The judge points out that only farm horses are available and he does not believe these could stand up to the work.

Judge Barnard is also of the opinion that the cost of using horses and wagons would be about four times what it is with trucks.

New Hampshire people spend more of their income for cultural purposes than any other people of the country.

...n and Old Style Mix in Thriller

The modern vehicle and that of years that have gone combined Friday to produce a thriller fit for the silver screen.

A team owned by Ed Ashby and driven up to the city by Darwin Bolton of Spring creek left a hitching rack on Washington avenue near Beidler's feed store, ran west, turned north on Fifth, then bolted west on Main street with a hay wagon, missed all vehicles as the equipage careened through the business section, successfully crossed the bridge that formerly joined Cottage Grove and Lemati in the days before motor vehicles and travelled the entire length of west Main street without accident. Meanwhile someone gave chase with an automobile. When the runaways were overtaken one man from the car climbed out on the running board, jumped onto the careening wagon at the risk of his life, secured the reins and stopped the runaway team. No damage was done. Mr. Bolton got his team back but neglected to ask the names of the men who made the thrilling capture.

This is the only runaway Cottage Grove has had in many years.

POULTRY EDITOR SEES BETTER TIMES SOON

Better times for chicken men are ahead, in the opinion of W. C. Conner, former Cottage Grove editor and now editor of Northwest Poultry Journal, who visited here Tuesday while he and Mrs. Conner were returning from a visit to Coquille and Bandon, where Mr. Conner was in the newspaper business years ago.

Mr. Conner reported that the advertising columns of his publication had been as hard hit as the advertising columns of other coast publications, but that publications in the east had suffered more severely than those on the coast. He said that the September issue of the Poultry Journal would show a marked improvement and that following months would show further improvement.

Mr. Conner said that few eggs are in storage, while fewer chicks have been produced this year than for several years past, which means that when the market comes back an actual shortage will be immediately noticeable and those who were able to stay with the game will be well repaid.

LUMBER INDUSTRY HAS SLIGHT IMPROVEMENT

Seattle, Aug. 12.—A summary prepared by the West Coast Lumbermen's association today revealed what the organization termed a "slight improvement" in the lumber industry during July.

The association reported that in July mills in the Douglas fir region reported sales at 127 per cent of production; shipments at nearly 116 per cent of the cut; a decrease of 2.6 per cent in inventories and unfilled orders showing an increase of more than 20 per cent.

The $4 tariff on rough lumber, the association said, has apparently almost eliminated British Columbia mills from the Californa and Atlantic water trades.

A belief the federal home loan bank system will lead to a revival of small house construction was credited with giving the lumber trade hope for better times.

Miss Silsby Is Dead Following Long Illness

Miss Esther C. Silsby died Tuesday evening following a lingering illness. Funeral services were held Thursday forenoon at the chapel with Rev. D. P. Cameron officiating. A ladies' quartette, composed of Mrs. Roy Short, Mrs. George Matthews, Mrs. Victor Chambers and Mrs. C. C. Cruson, gave vocal numbers.

Miss Silsby was born at Newton, Ia., and had been a resident of Cottage Grove for 20 years. She was at one time director of music in the Ashland normaj and was director of the Presbyterian church choir here for 15 years. She composed several musical numbers. She conducted vocal classes during her entire life here and years ago was a member of the grocery firm of Kerr & Silsby. She was a member of the Presbyterian church, Order of Eastern Star, Social Twelve and the Constellation club. Her father was a colonel in an Iowa regiment during the Civil war.

Miss Silsby is survived by a brother, John S. Silsby, Portland; a nephew, George Kerr, Cottage Grove, and three nieces, Mrs. C. A. Kallman, Vancouver, B. C.; Katherine Silsby, Cleveland, O., and Elizabeth Silsby, Portland.

Children Are Taught Canning.

A 4-H canning school sponsored by R. C. Kuehner, county club agent, was conducted here Tuesday in the former Natural Gas company's office. Miss Helen Cowgill, assistant state club leader, was the demonstrator. Plums, tomatoes and beans were canned. The canning school is for the purpose of teaching children a practical and economical way to take care of surplus fruits and vegetables on their farms. The food canned Tuesday is to be used for exhibit work here.

COTTAGE GROVE IS IN SECOND PLACE LEAGUE

Locals Take Final Game of Season Played With Redsides Sunday.

Cottage Grove finished in second place in the Cascade baseball league when it won its final game of the season with the McKenzie Redsides Sunday at Walterville by a score of 8-6.

Johnson pitched eight innings for the locals and held the hard-hitting Redsides to six scattered hits, being responsible for only two of the six runs scored off him. He weakened in the ninth, however, and after he had allowed one hit, a base on balls and had hit a batter he was replaced by Hubbell, lanky southpaw, who struckout the Redsides' lead-off man and forced the next two up to give easy chances to the infield. He got his team out of a tight hole with the three men already on bases still occupying the sacks.

Cooper continued his hard hitting by cracking out four safeties in four trips to the plate. Witcher got a long triple with one man on, while Swanson and Johnson each hit timely doubles with two on.

The Roseburg Indians will be here Sunday for a non-league game. A high-class brand of the great national sport is expected, as each team has won 12 games out of 16 played.

Sunday's box score and summary:

Cottage Grove	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Knickerbocker, ss	5	1	1	0	1	1
I. Bricher, 1b	5	0	1	9	0	1
J. Bricher, c	4	1	2	12	4	0
Witcher, cf	5	2	2	0	0	0
Blank, 2b	4	1	0	3	5	0
Swanson, lf, 3b	4	2	1	2	0	0
Collins, rf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Pillsbury, 3b	3	0	1	0	0	1
Johnson, p	3	0	1	0	2	0
Cooper, rf	4	0	4	1	0	0
Van Blaricom, lf	1	1	0	0	0	0
Hubbell, p	0	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	39	8	13	27	12	3
McKenzie Redsides						
Horner, cf	4	2	1	0	1	0
Wirth, 2b	5	0	1	1	6	0
Shields, 3b	5	2	1	3	1	2
Stenshoel, c	4	1	1	11	1	0
Beeson, lf	3	1	0	0	1	0
Wheat, 1b	3	0	0	8	0	0
Hulett, rf	3	0	1	0	0	0
Scott, ss	3	0	0	3	3	2
Russell, p	3	0	0	1	0	1
Jennings*	1	0	1	0	0	0
Leeman**	0	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	34	6	6	27	13	5

* Batted for Hulett in ninth.
** Batted for Scott in ninth.

Struckout by Johnson, 11, Hubbell 1, Russell 9. Bases on balls off Johnson 3, Russell 3. Passed ball, Bricher. Hit by pitched ball, J. Bricher by Russell, Beeson and Russell by Johnson. Stolen bases, Horner, J. Bricher. Winning pitcher, Johnson. Losing pitcher, Russell. Three-base hits, Witcher. Two-base hits, Swanson, Johnson, Horner, Stenhoel. Double plays, Wirth-Wheat-Stenhoel-Shields.

Score by innings:

Cottage Grove—										
Hits	0	0	2	1	2	1	0	4	3	—13
Runs	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	4	2	— 8
Redsides—										
Hits	0	1	1	0	0	1	0	2	1	— 6
Runs	0	1	1	0	0	3	0	1	0	— 6

Umpires: Gustafson and Nixon. Scorer, Cochran.

Robber Scrapes Plate At Evening Star Mine

A report has reached here of the first robbery in many years in the Bohemia mining district. Amalgam to the value of about $70 was removed recently from plates at the Evening Star mine. A smaller plate, the lip plate, carrying between $200 and $250 in amalgam, was not disturbed.

The thief must have been one familiar with mining operations and he must have known that the mill at the Evening Star has been left open while repairs are in progress. After the amalgam had been removed the plates were recoated with quicksilver, found in the mine building, and this was coated with powder to make it appear as though the plates had been undisturbed. There is no clue to the thief.

Cougar Bend Road Asked.

Residents of the London and Black Butte neighborhood are preparing to petition the county court to improve the Cougar Bend road, which branches off of the Black Butte road a short distance this side of Black Butte. The road has been a public highway for 25 years, although residents have put up gates on it to keep their stock from wandering away. Cougar bend is one of the best fishing spots of this section.

Future Farmers Invited.

All members of the Cottage Grove Future Farmers' association, either graduated or in school, and those boys who are interested in agriculture, have been asked to attend an ag meeting to be held at the high school at 7:30 Tuesday. The purpose of the meeting is to make arrangements for a Future Farmers picnic to be held soon.

Professional Offices Are Robbed.

Someone attempted to rob the offices of H. W. Lombard, Dr. C. H. Kime, Dr. W. E. Lebow and Dr. C. E. Frost Friday night. A small amount of money was taken from the Lombard office, but nothing but postage stamps was taken from the other offices. The robber failed in an attempt to get into Dr. Frost's office.

"Spider" monkeys are so called because of their lengthy sprawling legs.

Roadside Dog Fools Real Terrier

The mammoth "hot-dog" constructed here by Chas. Hall and associates is so real that it fools members of the canine family. It has been placed on the highway near Eugene as a dispensary for refreshments for users of the highway. Mrs. G. E. M. York, Eugene, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Mendenhall of this city, reports that every time they pass the "hot-dog" with their terrier in their car the dog bristles at the huge roadside dog and prepares to do battle.

WOODEN BRIDGES FOR COAST ROAD PROPOSED

Cost From Lane Lumber Would Be Much Less Than for Concrete.

It seems quite likely before the session of the county chamber of commerce held last night at the Sparks ranch on the McKenzie that the body would endorse wooden bridges for the five spans proposed on the Coast road to replace ferries now in use. Action was not taken until after The Sentinel had gone to press.

Commissioner Hurd was to present figures to show that the cost would be about one-sixth the cost of concrete bridges favored by the state highway commission's engineer. It was estimated that a concrete bridge at Florence alone would cost $400,000, while the cost of a wooden structure would be approximately $75,000, and such construction would be an aid to this county's lumber industry. Lane is interested in the proposed bridges at Florence and Reedsport, the cost of which it probably will be asked to finance to the extent of one-fourth.

It is proposed that the state highway commission borrow from the federal reconstruction finance corporation the money with which to build the bridges. As it is a condition upon which the federal money is loaned that the projects must be self-financing, the bridges would have to be toll bridges until the amounts received repay the federal government. It is estimated that this could be accomplished within ten years if the cheaper wooden bridges are constructed, while the period would be much longer if the higher priced bridges are constructed. Tolls for wooden bridges could also be made lower.

E. R. Boyce, C. E. Stewart and Elbert Bede attended from here.

Helping Transients Is Discouraged Locally

Chairman of Relief Council Explains Self-Help Plan That Is Used Here.

Cottage Grove and Lane county relief programs were explained Sunday night by A. V. Breese, local relief chairman, at a union meeting held at the Baptist church.

Mr. Breese explained how relief work has been organized in the city and county and said that methods adopted in Cottage Grove and later by the county have been adopted elsewhere. The policy is to help the helpless to help themselves. Garden projects have aided greatly in carrying out this idea. Garden plots were secured in many instances on vacant property and seed was furnished those unable to buy their own. The results have been satisfactory.

It has been the policy of the local relief council to discourage aid to transients, and home owners have been urged to send such persons to the relief council which, if the persons are really in need, will see that a woodpile is provided.

The operation of the county's mobile cannery was explained and it was stated that the cost of caring for the needy in Lane county has been $1.18 per capita, compared with an average cost of $1.36 per capita for all western Oregon counties. The low cost here is believed due to intelligent investigation of needy cases, of cooperation of residents of the county and to the self-help and educational program.

Lions Swimming Classes Attract Many Children

Seventy-five children were registered Monday for the learn-to-swim and life saving classes sponsored by the Cottage Grove Lions club held at the steel bridge swimming hole under the supervision of the Red Cross. Lessons are given free and classes will be conducted for ten days. The instructors are Gilbert Sprague and Jimmy Brooks of Eugene and Lois Godard of Cottage Grove. Children may yet enter the classes.

A new schedule has been given out as follows:

9—Boy beginners.
9:30—Boy swimmers.
10—Girl beginners.
10:30—Girl swimmers.
11 to 12—Junior and senior life saving.

Robert Woodard Breaks Arm.

Word has been received here that Robert Woodard, small son of Mr. and Mrs. John Woodard, who is visiting in New York with his mother, recently fell and broke an arm. He was in the hospital for several days, but is now out and is recovering satisfactorily.

Fish Pond Is Near Death Trap

A fishpond at the D. H. Hemenway home came near being a death-trap a few days ago for 3½-year-old Verla Whitlock, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Whitlock. The child, who lives nearby, had wandered into the Hemenway yard and had fallen into the pond, which is so deep and slippery that the child was unable to save herself and was rescued by her grandfather, James Bennett, who also lives nearby and chanced to pass in the nick of time to hear the tot floundering in the water and rescue her.

LANE FRUIT TO SELL WHEN MONEY EASIER

Mrs. Betty Kappauf Returns From Trip in North Central States.

All that is necessary to insure a market for all the fruit Lane county can produce is money in the pockets of the farm population of Montana, North and South Dakota and Minnesota. That is the message brought back by Mrs. Betty Kappauf of Eugene, former resident of Cottage Grove, who recently made a trip of 7,000 miles through those states for the Riv-u-let Fruit company of Minneapolis, heavy purchasers of Lane county fruit. She also found that Riv-u-let is the standard by which all fruit is measured in those states.

Mrs. Kappauf, who has been prominent in Farmers' Union work in this state, found the north central states well organized and she devoted considerable of her time to talks before groups of members of that organization. She estimated that she addressed fully 7,000. She also gave a number of radio programs in which a short talk by the editor of this paper was featured. The talk was read by the radio announcer.

Mrs. Kappauf reported that farmers in the central states had received as low as 4 cents a dozen for their eggs. She explained this by the fact that due to the long cold season it is impossible to have large commercial flocks and eggs have not been put on the quality basis that resulted in much higher prices for Oregon eggs. Mrs. Kappauf gave cooperative selling a large part of the credit for the higher price received for the Oregon product.

The Riv-u-let business will be much smaller than it has been in years past, but that won't be because residents of the central states don't want Oregon fruit. It will be merely because they are not certain they will be able to pay for it. The upward trend in farm prices may greatly affect sales during the latter part of the selling season.

Mrs. Kappauf reported that grain in Montana is almost a complete failure, while the Dakotas and Minnesota have never had better crops.

Car Turns Over But Trip Completed

The fact that their car skidded and turned completely over on the highway did not prevent a party of Cottage Grove women from completing a trip to Eugene.

The car was the C. J. Kem car with Mrs. Kem at the wheel. Passengers were Mrs. A. W. Kime, Mrs. Roy Romaine and Geraldine Kem. While the car was crossing Camas swale a rear tire blew out and the accident happened. The only injuries were slight bruises and when others who stopped to give assistance righted the car and replaced the wrecked tire the journey was resumed. The car was only slightly damaged.

Legion Post Favors Bonus Payment

Immediate payment of the soldier's bonus was favored at the regular meeting of the American Legion Monday night. This will be the instruction to delegates to the national convention in Portland. There was a considerable difference of opinion among members, but the large majority favored the motion for immediate payment.

Motor Accident Injures Several.

Several persons were slightly injured in an accident Saturday afternoon when the car in which they were passengers skidded off the highway near Divide. Mrs. W. B. Lewis of Folsom, Cal., suffered an injured arm and chest and her body was severely bruised. It was at first feared that her injuries might prove fatal. Mrs. L. A. Dingmon of Fair Oaks, Cal., suffered injuries to her neck and was cut on her head. A daughter of Mrs. Dingmon suffered several cut fingers. Mr. Lewis and a son of Mrs. Dingmon were not injured. The party was returning to California from a trip north.

Charles White Is Injured.

Charles White of Roseburg, recently a resident here, was severely injured when he fell from a scaffold Sunday morning soon after starting papering a barber shop. It was at first feared that White's neck had been broken. The Roseburg News-Review, giving an account of the accident, does not say whether it was the senior or junior Charles White.

COTTAGE GROVE DIVOT DIGGERS ARE WINNERS

Corvallis Country Club Downed on Their Home Course by Score of 31½-22½.

A Cottage Grove golf club team easily defeated a Corvallis Country club team at Corvallis Sunday, the score being 31½ to 22½. Local players, a number of whom had never played at Corvallis, were highly complimentary in their remarks about the college city's course and the clean sportsmanship of the Corvallis divot diggers.

Moyer and Morelock were medalists for Cottage Grove.

Medal scores and points won and lost were as follows, the indented names being those of Corvallis players:

	C.	G.	Corv.
Moyer, 80	2½		
Blakely, 81			½
Morelock, 80	2		
Weir, 82			1
Lasswell, 92	0		
Buxton, 80			3
B. Leonard, 88	2		
Hayslip, 89			1
Chambers, 89	0		
Rand, 81			3
Wells, 89	3		
McDevitt, 98			0
Trask, 88	2½		
Ordeman, 93			½
Lemley, 89	0		
Hall, 84			3
Hill, 91	3		
Byrne, 99			0
Bagley, 93	2		
Keeney, 96			1
Nelson, 92	3		
Beatty, 96			0
Smith, 94	1½		
Scott, 94			1½
Bede, 91	1½		
C. Whiteside, 91			1½
Swartz, 94	0		
Taylor, 92			3
Peret, 98	2½		
Long, 98			½
Mendenhall, 93	3		
G. Whiteside, 98			0
Coiner, 99	0		
Stiles, 96			3
Daugherty, 95	3		
Johnson, 103			0
	31½		22½

A return game will be played here the second Sunday of September.

PORTABLE CANNER DOES GOOD BUSINESS HERE

Approximately 400 quarts of beans and beets were canned here on each of three days, Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, by the county's portable cannery. The service of the cannery on wheels, a project suggested by Commissioner Crowe, is entirely free except that those using the service give one can out of six to the county, to be used for relief of the needy this winter. It has been estimated that this toll will just about cover expense of operation of the outfit.

Those bringing produce for canning prepared it at home ready for the cans. Women of the city, who assisted each day, placed the produce in cans and salted it. The canning outfit cooked and sealed it.

Other vegetables, fish and meat will be canned later in the year and after the canning season has been completed those who have a surplus of one item may exchange for items in the county's stock.

The outfit will be here again Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday of next week.

Martha Ann Woolley.

Martha Ann Faucett was born in Posey county, Illinois, September 3, 1847, and died August 10, 1932. Funeral services were held here.

She was the oldest of ten children of Rev. Thomas L. and Mary Jane Faucett, the father having been a minister of the Methodist church.

While Martha Ann was a small child her parents moved to Illinois, where she grew to womanhood. From thence they moved to Iowa, where in 1867 she was married to Richard B. Woolley. To them were born nine children, six sons and three daughters.

Mr. and Mrs. Woolley were pioneers and moved to North Dakota in 1884. They endured all the hardships of life in that new country. Her life was filled with caring for her growing family but she was never too busy to give a helping hand and gave aid to the sick for miles around. When only ten years of age she was converted and joined the Methodist church. She was ever an active member.

In 1905 Mr. and Mrs. Woolley came farther west, living first in Washington and then at Marshfield, Ore., coming to Cottage Grove in 1910 and living here until 1918, when Mr. Woolley died. After that Mrs. Woolley spent most of her time with her children but maintained a home at Dunsmuir, Cal. She is servived by six children: L. L. Woolley, Cottage Grove; F. M. Woolley, Oberon, N. D.; Grace W. Stickels, Spokane; Rollin B. Woolley, Gaston, Ore.; Nettie W. Hale and Martha Gilcrist, Dunsmuir, Cal.

There are four sisters, Josephine, Phillip and Cora Lovelace of Gravity, Ia.; Mary E. Ellis, Des Moines, Ia. and Laura Grubb, Lincoln, Neb. There are 28 grandchildren and eight great grandchildren. Three children have died, Oren, Austin and Horace.

American tourists spent $640,000,000 abroad in 1930.

Bohemia Gold to Be Congress Feature

The Bohemia gold mining district will get into the spotlight at the mining congress to be held in Eugene Saturday, August 27, when quartz from the Lead-Crystal property will be panned in a sluicebox that will be placed on the street in front of the chamber of commerce. George H. Jennings, who will be in charge of the panning exhibition, has announced that anyone wishing will be permitted to try his hand at handling the sluicebox and pan and, if fortunate enough to find a nugget, will be permitted to keep it. However, Bohemia gold seldom comes in nuggets.

Another exhibit expected is a two-stamp mill designed by Cecil Wooley of this city which is said to be the equal of a five-stamp mill.

Great interest in the congress has been manifested by mining communities over the coast and it is expected that the attendance from distant points will be large.

SAFEWAY STORES NOW IN ITS NEW LOCATION

The Safeway Store, established five years ago in the C. E. Stewart building, opened for business this morning in its new location in the Wheeler-Veatch building at the corner of Main and Fifth streets. The building had been completely remodelled by the new tenant and stock on the floor was doubled. In its new location the start is a self-service store, an innovation for this city. Customers may pass through one of two turnstiles and in leaving they pass the cashier's counter. Two clerks have been added, making four in addition to the manager.

Following a policy of promoting the communities in which they have stores, all work of remodelling the store building, with the exception of contractor and one man, was performed by local labor at the union scale of wages prevailing in Eugene. All material was also purchased of local dealers.

With five stores in the county, the organization claims to be one of the largest purchasers of home grown products.

The manager of the store is William Haldeman, who was born and reared here. He shares in the profits of the store, as all managers do. Clerks are Dick Clevenger, Jess Arbuckle, Leo Lyon and Loren Bryant. Steve Jenkins and E. E. Damewood are here from Eugene as extra clerks for the opening.

Sturdy Motor Boat Is Built by Keitzer

A motor boat that probably will be the outstanding small craft on the river is to be launched this week at Scottsburg by Ed Keitzer, who constructed and owns the boat. It is 18 feet in length and has a beam of 5 feet, 2 inches. It stands well out of the water and should be able to easily weather the roughest waters of the Umpqua. It has an enclosed Star marine engine and a motor car steering and driving apparatus. It is a sturdy boat designed for seven passengers but is capable of carrying as many as can be piled into and on the boat. It has a "V" front and a heavy keel. Every kind of an automobile from a Cadillac to a Ford contributed something to the mechanism or furnishings.

Cottage Grove Picnic Is Announced

The Cottage Grove association of Portland will hold its twelfth annual picnic at Peninsula Park Sunday, August 28. Dinner will be served at 1 o'clock and coffee and ice cream will be furnished. All present and former Cottage Grove residents will be welcomed.

Jack Dempsey Brief Visitor Here

Jack Dempsey, famous pugilist, stopped here briefly Saturday on his way south from an engagement in Portland. He was accompanied by his manager, Mr. Sachs, and a retinue. The cars carrying the party took on gas at the Main street Texaco station.

Marketing Day Is Attended.

Burris Young, agriculture teacher in the high school, was in Portland yesterday with members of his classes attending a cooperative marketing day conducted by the union stock yards. The boys received special instructions in grading and marketing stock and were permitted to sell any stock that they took with them. The object of the special day was to give Future Farmers of America knowledge and opportunity to get a fair price for their swine and sheep.

Tot Is Injured in Fall.

London, Aug. 16. — (Special.) — Twila Fern Shipp, small daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Shipp, was painfully injured Saturday when she fell from the approach to the Shipp barn, where she was playing and struck her mouth on a rock or some other hard object. Her upper lip and tongue were severely lacerated and two teeth were nearly knocked out. She was taken to Cottage Grove for medical attention.

DEFAMATION CHARGES TO GROW IN CASE OF MINISTER CAMERON

Cottage Grove Pastor, Up for Deportation, Claims Birth in Nebraska.

The following concerning the case of Rev. D. P. Cameron of this city, charged by the immigration department with being in this country illegally, appeared in Tuesday's Eugene Register-Guard:

Counter charges on grounds of defamatory libel will be filed against certain unnamed individuals as a result of the immigration charges now faced by Rev. Duncan P. Cameron, pastor of the Presbyterian church of Cottage Grove, the minister announced Tuesday. He refused to divulge the names of the persons against whom such charges would be filed.

Pending appearance of a defense witness, the hearing of Rev. Mr. Cameron being held at Portland on charges of illegal entry into the United States, was adjourned Monday, and the minister returned to his home. It is expected that the hearing will be resumed in about 10 days, when it will take but a short time to wind up the evidence.

"These charges are the result of personal spite and I intend to show up the individuals responsible for them," declared the Grove minister. "When the hearing in Portland is terminated, I expect to file charges based on defamation of character against those individuals."

The minister declared he was "amazed" at the action of the federal immigration authorities in giving so much credence to private complaints and in pursuing their attack upon him so vigorously on these complaints.

"The complete manner in which Mr. Noreen has delivered the Portland office of the immigration authorities to private individuals to vent their spite and jealousy on a citizen who has given several years to the service of the community, the state and nation is amazing to me and to my friends," he declared. "The last word, fortunately, is not with the Portland office but with headquarters at Washington, D. C."

The hearing in Portland was conducted before Roy Noreen, assistant district immigration director, who adjourned the hearing after listening to testimony all Monday forenoon. Immigration authorities arrested Rev. Mr. Cameron in Cottage Grove May 27 on the charge of illegal entry to the United States and the federal grand jury has indicted the minister for falsely representing himself as an American citizen in July. The indictment charged the minister with "fraudulently representing himself as a native of Nebraska in registering for an election." He is also said to have voted in the last election and to have entered his name as a candidate for precinct committeeman in the May primaries this year.

Immigration officials claim the minister was born in Canada, entering this country in 1926. He is alleged to have been convicted for forging and cashing a check in Calgary, Alberta, and to have served four months of a 15-month sentence. The minister, in defense, claims he was born in Nebraska when his parents were there on a visit.

In refusing to name the individuals against whom his charges will be filed, Rev. Mr. Cameron hinted at blackmail activities and declared that a Eugene man would be involved in the proceedings.

K. K. Mills, Homer Galloway, Garfield Beach and George Kerr accompanied Rev. Cameron to Portland for the hearing held there Monday.

Lemati Postoffice Is To Be No More

What is probably the city's oldest landmark will be torn down as the result of action of the city council Monday night when it condemned the Weir building at the corner of Tenth and east Washington avenue. The building played an important part in early history here. At one time it housed one of the important merchandising emporiums of the city and in it was located the Lemati postoffice during the years that there were two towns here. The old sign on the side of the building has been almost obliterated by action of the elements and the building itself has little left to indicate its former glory. A few years ago it was used as an auto wrecking house but for several years has not been occupied. It is located entirely outside of what is now the business section.

CALIFORNIA GOES AFTER WILD CAT TRUCK LINES

Holding shippers equally liable to punishment for misuse of the public highways in the transportation of freight, the California railroad commission has unsheathed a new and powerful weapon in its fight to curb the activities of so-called "wildcat" truck operators.

The commission's readiness to exert its full authority by proceeding against those who "aid and abet" violations of the laws governing truck lines was declared emphatically in decisions finding five truck owners and companies guilty of operating without permits.

It was held, according to the announcement, that the truck owners in question were operating illegally as common carriers, in competition with certficated motor lines and railroads. They were ordered to cease operations.

NON-PAYMENT OF TAXES HOLDS UP ROAD WORK

How non-payment of taxes is holding up road work is illustrated in the case of district 14 on Row river. A special tax of $1,570 was voted, but only $247.30 has been paid. Oiling in this district was planned and gravel is already on hand, but it is doubtful whether the county court will order the work done. The court is holding strictly to its policy of remaining on a cash basis.

Other districts of the county have been similarly affected.

League Goes to Springfield.

The Cottage Grove Epworth league went to Springfield Sunday night and conducted services there. Miss Edna Harvey was leader and the topic for discussion was "What qualities do we need in order to get along with others?"

THE FEATHERHEADS

By Osborne

And a Lot of Sand