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## LOCALS START ON PENNANT WINNING CAREER

### Yoncalla, First Victim, Is Drubbed to Defeat by the One-Sided Score of 19 to 3.

Cottage Grove won its first game of the season on the home grounds Sunday in a one-sided contest with Yoncalla, the score being 19 to 3. For six innings Yoncalla failed to get more than three men to bat. The locals simply had things their own way and but for loose playing with things coming so easy the visitors might not have scored at all. There were numerous errors on both sides but none were costly to Cottage Grove except those in the eighth and ninth.

In the sixth inning with the locals up the bases were kept full but the visiting battery tightened up on their work and two were forced out at home on dinky hits. One score was forced.

The locals have not yet got their speed and the slugging was mild. The heaviest hits were two-baggers, one each by Smith and King. The visitors were tickled to death with anything that looked like a single.

The batteries were: Yoncalla—Howard and Hoffman; Cottage Grove—Cellers and King.

Howard had credit for 4 strikeouts and Cellers 14. The latter eased up once in a while to let the visitors get a feel of the horsehide. Howard issued five tickets to the initial sack and Cellers none.

The receiving ends of both batteries were in good form. Hoffman is a former leaguer who has been out of the game a number of years. King has also done work with the professionals and made a real rep. with the locals last year.

The umpires were Applegate, of Yoncalla, and Baker, of Cottage Grove. The game was a clean one throughout and there was no squabbling. The band and the bleachers vociferously cheered the locals to victory.

The lineup was as follows:

Yoncalla	R	H	E
Miller, ss	0	2	2
E. Kruse, 2b	0	0	4
Wise, 1b	0	0	1
Tracy, cf	0	0	1
Howard, p	0	1	0
Hoffman, c	1	1	2
K. Kruse, rf	2	2	0
Daugherty, 3b	0	0	3
Tarpan, lf	0	1	0
Total	3	7	16

  

Cottage Grove	R	H	E
Cederstrom, ss	2	1	2
King, c	5	3	0
King, 1b	3	4	0
Stewart, 3b	3	4	1
Smith, 2b	2	2	5
Wilson, lf	1	1	0
Cellers, p	0	2	0
Kime, rf	1	0	0
Arthur, cf	2	1	0
Delassus, 1b	0	0	3
Totals	19	18	11

\*Eighth and ninth innings.

Owing to slight inaccuracies in keeping the box score, credit may have been given for two or three hits that were not earned.

## How Do Farmers Stand on Millage Bill?

Corvallis, Ore., May 4.—(To the Editor.)—Some of the citizens of your community have endorsed the millage tax proposition but what have you, Mr. Farmer, to say about it?

Do you as a farmer realize the personal benefit you derive from the Oregon Agricultural College? It gives you all the latest data on farming just for the asking. The next time something comes up you don't understand in your farm work, apply to the O. A. C. extension service. Try it out. It will not fail you. You can be one of its long distance students. These students are scattered all over Oregon.

Have you ever heard of Prof. James Dryden and his flock of White Leghorns? He is the man who made the Oregon hen famous and he still is in the good work of stimulating the aristocracy of Biddydum toward the production of 300 eggs a year or thereabouts. Lady MacDuff, his creation, was the first fowl, so far as known, to lay more than 300 eggs in a year, she produced 303. Recent records show that hens of this same strain have laid as high as 309 eggs yearly. Increased egg production has brought more to the state of Oregon than the total maintenance costs of O. A. C. from its foundation. Prof. Dryden issues a bulletin every month on poultry husbandry. If you want to make money in chicken raising, send for this pamphlet.

The college has discovered how to combat fruit pests and eliminate weeds. This service has already proved of immeasurable value to all who work with the soil.

Would you want to get back to cutting grain by hand? There don't compete the rising generation of Oregon to do that very thing in the attempt to gain an education. They must have tools to work with. Schools are their tools.

Schools cost money and more money than they ever did before, because the buying power of a dollar has fallen to 45 cents; because operating costs have more than doubled; because the number of students has increased 148 per cent. The state revenue for higher education has stood practically still. It has increased only 3.8 per cent.

Can you house 148 sheep where you only kept 1 sheep before? Can you feed 148 sheep on only 3.8 per cent increased food? No. Neither can we meet the economic conditions at O. A. C. with our present funds. We ask your help. We are confident that the farmers of Oregon will not desert us in this crisis.

Vote for the millage tax law. It will cost you only \$1.26 for every thousand dollars of taxable property you own. Have you figured it out that way? BELLE BURKHOLDER, O. A. C.

## MAIL CARRIER POPULAR ON DAY LIVE WIRE IS PUBLISHED

A. H. Sprinkel, who does a stunt of delivering the morning mail about the city, when not engaged in some other of his multitudinous activities, declares that he has unraveled a great mystery which had greatly ruffled his urbane dignity. He had noticed that on Friday mornings all the feminine patrons along the route were out to greet him with glad smiles. For several weeks he was greatly troubled as to the reason for this unexplained display of pleasure at his appearance, and a great weight has been taken from his mind by the happy solution of the mystery. On last Friday morning, one of the said and aforesaid feminine patrons greeted him with the usual resplendent smile, took her mail and sorted it over. Radiance disappeared from her comely face. "Where's my Sentinel this morning?" she demanded. And then the great light broke. After this Sprinkel will see that the full quota of the live wire newspaper is in the sack.

## CHICKENS AND OTHER LIVE STOCK REGULATED

An ordinance was passed by the city council Monday evening prohibiting the erection of barns, stables and chicken coops within 30 feet of any residence, except the residence of the person building the barn, stable or chicken coop.

The passing of the ordinance resulted from complaints regarding the erection of a chicken coop on the street line directly in front of several of the best residences of the city.

## TWO ARE HURT ON THE SAME MACHINE DURING THE PAST WEEK

Charles Stevens lost a part of the first joint of the second finger of the left hand in an accident at the plant of the Cottage Grove Manufacturing company yesterday forenoon. He was demonstrating the operation of the machinery to members of the physics class of the high school. A part of the mechanism of the saw machine stalled. While fixing this his hand was caught by the knife and the part of the finger so badly macerated that it was necessary to amputate it.

Like Leonard sustained a severe injury to a finger of one of his hands in the same machine a few days before.

Mr. Stevens is one of the heavy stockholders of the company and the manager of the plant.

## City Council

May 5.—Regular meeting. All members and mayor present. Roll called. Minutes read and approved.

Ordinance No. 447, being an ordinance to prohibit the erection of any barn, stable or chicken coop within 30 feet of any street, or within 30 feet of any residence except that of the person building such barn, stable or chicken coop, without written consent of the common council, was read first, second and third times and passed.

On motion Wynne & Kime were granted permission to erect a woodshed at the rear of the city hall, the same to be removed at any time upon order of the common council.

The mayor announced the appointment of Mrs. J. H. Chambers on the library board to fill the unexpired term of Mrs. A. B. Wood.

The water rate for the east side school building was fixed at \$10 the month until the meter is repaired.

On motion the street committee was instructed to look into the matter of grading and graveling Monroe avenue between Sixth and Tenth streets and to report at the next meeting.

On motion O. H. Willard was given permission to secure lumber at the city's expense to repair crosswalk near his place.

On election the water rate for J. H. Chambers at Latham was fixed at \$25 the month for fire protection and for drinking purposes for his employees and at \$37.50 the month if attached to the boilers.

The following bills were read, audited and ordered paid:

N. J. Nelson, Jr., sweeping of streets	\$ 38.75
Wynne & Kime, hardware	16.68
Fire company, salaries	18.00
G. B. Pitcher, salary and expenses	129.83
Phil Jones, work on pipe line	7.50
G. F. Gouroute, salary as night police	66.60
L. A. Randall, hauling rubbish	33.75
Henry Selde, hauling rubbish	31.25
J. E. Blackmore, hauling rubbish	31.25
C. E. Elec. Co., April lights	233.83
J. E. Young, salary	55.00
W. W. Oglesby, salary and expenses	11.50

On motion council adjourned for one week.

J. E. YOUNG, City Recorder.

## Takes Agency for Three Good Ones.

George Hohl has taken the agency for the Mitchell six, Jordan six and Bell four. He will have a Mitchell and a Bell on exhibition on the streets Saturday evening. These are three of the best values in cars on the market. m7pd

## Telephone Company Incorporates.

Articles of association of the Walker Co-operative Telephone company were filed this week in the office of the county clerk. The incorporators are R. Y. Porter, Clyde Wright, F. E. Taylor, Marion Jackson and F. E. Englund, and the capital stock is \$500.

## PRETTY FLOWERS; HARD WORK GO TOGETHER

### John Bader Talks Before Grange and Says Planting Potatoes Is Only the Beginning.

Planting flowers is a waste of energy unless you are going to give them proper care," said John Bader in his talk before the grange Saturday. "You will get no results by setting out potatoes and then sitting down to watch them grow. You've got to keep them cultivated. You've got to attend to them and nothing looks much worse than a pretty parking of flowers next to another parking of weeds, or a pretty yard of flowers with grass and weeds allowed to grow without hindrance along the sidewalk. Pretty flowers are pretty things, but if you are going to have pretty flowers you are got to do a lot of other things. Pretty flowers are nice to look at, but you don't have pretty flowers and a pretty home without lots of hard work, which some folks do not think of when they come along and admire a pretty yard."

A woman will do anything for love and man will do anything for a woman, so there should not be many things left undone in this world.

## RATTLESNAKE BOB ADDS TEN MORE SKINS TO HIS RECORD

A rattlesnake captured by R. W. (Rattlesnake Bob) Veatch, has been on display this week in a hardware store window in Eugene. The reptile is eight years old and was one of 10 he found sunning themselves on the rocks near Coburg. He dispatched all except this one with a shotgun. Mr. Veatch is well known as a mortal enemy of rattlers, is given credit for practically cleaning them out of the Cottage Grove country and claims the record of killing 350 in one day in southern Oregon. Mr. Veatch is now living in Eugene.

## MRS. WEBBER'S PIANO CLASS GIVES SUCCESSFUL RECITAL

The recital given Wednesday evening in the high school auditorium by the piano pupils of Mrs. Harry S. Webber, was a success in every particular. The class was assisted by pupils from Mrs. Leonard DesLarzes' vocal class and by Miss Millicent Burrows, who gave a reading.

Grades from 1 to 7 were represented in the piano work which was given in a very creditable manner, pleasing a large and appreciative audience. The classic numbers were well received and the vocal solos were much enjoyed.

The reading to have been given by Miss Hazel Loucks was omitted on account of her inability to attend.

The decorations, consisting of ferns and apple blossoms, were beautifully arranged under the supervision of Mrs. H. B. Griggs.

One of the pleasing features of the evening was the loving tribute of the class to their teacher in the form of a gold fountain pen. Mrs. Webber was completely surprised.

## REGISTRATION IS 16,756 TWO-THIRDS REPUBLICANS

The total registration of voters in Lane county at the present time is 16,756, according to figures given out by County Clerk Bryson. Of these 11,500 are republicans, 4662 democrats and 634 are classified as miscellaneous, which gives the republicans two-thirds of the registration.

It is noted that the registration this year has narrowed to practically the two old political parties.

## Roads Being Scarified.

Many of the principal roads of Lane county are now receiving their annual scarifying and rolling. J. R. McKy, county road superintendent, has three crews engaged in this work and he expects to complete it by the first of June. Among the roads now being improved in this manner are the Prairie road between Eugene and Junction City, and the Row river road east of Cottage Grove as far east as Dorena. The road between Cottage Grove and London and the Bailey hill road southwest of Eugene will come next.

## Fire Department on the Job.

A small roof fire at the F. J. Alstott home in the northeastern portion of the city Wednesday forenoon caused a small amount of damage. The fire department arrived in record time and were ready to turn the water onto the flames in not over two or three minutes from the time the alarm was sounded. As it was not necessary to turn on a stream of water, the damage to the inside of the house was not great.

## Mother's Day Service and Musical Program at Methodist Church.

Sunday is Mother's Day. Appropriate services will be held in the morning at 11. All mothers are especially invited to the services. The choir will present a musical program at the evening hour, to which all are invited. The offering will go to the Armenian and Syrian relief in the far east. A cordial welcome extended to all services.

## City Fighters Pay Fines.

The city treasury has been enriched during the past week by fines paid by combatants who took part in three fistie encounters in the anteroom at Moose hall Saturday evening during the progress of a dance. The "mills" were quite exclusive affairs and none of those in the dance hall knew of the added attraction until afterwards.

## CARELESS DRIVERS IMMUNE IN COTTAGE GROVE

### Authorities Seem to Take no Cognizance of Open Violation of All Law.

While reckless driving is not as common as it once was, careless handling of automobiles continues and almost no attention whatever is paid to running cars on the streets with cutouts open. No attempt is being made by the proper authorities to see that this latter regulation is enforced.

A few days ago a large truck with bluffer open went the entire length of Main avenue several times making more noise than a puffing locomotive.

A few days ago a tourist traveled a block or more clear over on the left side of the street bugging the curb and even passing a crossing on the extreme left side.

Bicycle riders seem the most careless with their own lives. A few days ago a young lad turned from Pacific highway onto the Main avenue bridge going east at full speed on the wrong side of the bridge. A car was coming off of the bridge and in endeavoring to get out of the way the lad fell into the street and only the fact that the driver threw on the brakes saved the lad from serious injury.

## NO NEED OF MONEY WITH MAMMOTH TUBER ON DISPLAY

Many may wonder why The Sentinel has failed to send out its statements as yet for last month's business. That the entire force has been too busy is a pretty good excuse, but a still better one can be produced. A few days ago Charles Beidler left on display in the Sentinel window a Burbank potato weighing close to three pounds. It is as flawless as the purest diamond and almost as valuable as one of those precious stones of the same weight. With this vast amount of wealth on display, no one has challenged The Sentinel's credit and it has got been necessary to collect the money where-with to pay the month's bills.

The Beidlers have about 500 bushels of the tubers and have refused a partnership with Rockefeller and Morgan.

## MARTIN CLARK ADMITTED TO BAIL IN SUM OF \$6000

Martin A. Clark, found guilty of manslaughter in the alleged killing of Charles L. Taylor and sentenced to four years in the state penitentiary, probably will be freed on bail within the next two or three days, Judge Skipworth having admitted him to bail.

Clark's attorneys filed notice in court of appeal to the state supreme court and soon afterward Judge Skipworth made an order granting time to file the transcript on appeal and granted an extension of 90 days, also ordering that in the meantime the prisoner may be allowed his freedom by furnishing bonds in the sum of \$6000.

## EVERYONE HAS PUDDING EXCEPT FOUR OR FIVE

Leave it to a child to let folks know what it is thinking, especially when it thinks it is being slighted. Not so many days ago, at the dinner table, a little tot in a family of five noticed that the mother's plate was flanked with a dish of left-over pudding. After many and sundry glances at the pudding, and evidently being dissatisfied with this exclusive arrangement, the child pulled this one: "Everyone has pudding but grandpa, and daddy, and brother, and me." After that remark mother gave a practical demonstration of a problem in short division and the only ones who didn't have pudding were grandpa, and daddy, and brother.

## BLOCKING OF RAILROAD CROSSING PUT UP TO S. P.

The commercial club is taking up with the Southern Pacific the matter of blocking the Main avenue crossing. It was reported to the club that many times the crossing is blocked for from 20 to 40 minutes, which is contrary to rulings of the public service commission. The speed of trains through the city is being taken up at the same time.

## Card of Thanks.

We wish to express our sincere appreciation of the many kindnesses shown us during the sickness and death of our sister and mother, and especially for the floral offerings.

MRS. J. P. CURRIN, MRS. HERBERT BAKIN, H. F. WYNNE, MRS. J. A. MERRYMAN, MRS. J. S. BENSON, A. L. WYNNE.

## Weather Report for April.

Following is the weather report for April, as kept by C. E. Stewart, local cooperative weather observer:

Mean maximum 58.1, mean minimum 37.4, mean 46.7, maximum 74, minimum 30, precipitation 5.28 inches, clear days 10, partly cloudy 6, cloudy 14.

For the same period in 1919 the maximum was 73, the minimum 32 and the precipitation 4.95.

## Card of Thanks.

We wish to express our sincere appreciation to the members of the fire department and to all others who assisted in saving our home from fire at noon Tuesday.

MR. AND MRS. D. STERLING.

## If your wedding stationery is printed by The Sentinel, you are assured a long and happy married life.

## BULLET EMBEDDED IN OLD FIR TREE CAUSES SPECULATION

While M. F. Babcock was engaged the other day in demolishing chunks of a fir tree and preparing the sticks in suitable size for the good wife to use, the ax hit some hard substance. An examination showed it to be a bullet embedded in the wood five inches under the bark. A pitch pocket had formed around the foreign substance and there was also a knot at this point on the outside of the bullet, whether caused by the bullet or not is not known.

Undoubtedly the bullet had been embedded there long enough for five inches of wood to grow over it. How it got there is, of course, unknown. Possibly the bullet was aimed at a deer, possibly at some farmer's cow, or mayhap the presence of the tree in the path of the bullet prevented a human tragedy. The history of how the bullet got there will remain unwritten.

## EUGENE WILL PLAY BALL HERE NEXT SUNDAY

The Eugene baseball team will be here next Sunday to contest with the local team and the game is expected to be one of the most spirited that will take place during the season. The Eugene team is the only one that defeated Cottage Grove last year and rivalry has always been keen between the teams of these two cities.

## SENTINEL WANTS TO KNOW NO EIGHT-HOURS-A-DAY REGULATIONS

Just a common, ordinary two-bit wanted sometimes gets wonderful results. C. H. Haight, who is a regular patron of The Sentinel's wanted column, reports the sale of pigs as far away as Wolf Creek from one little two-bit wanted. Sentinel wanteds will do most anything and belong to no eight-hours-a-day organization. They never sleep.

## Neighborhood News

### SAGINAW.

(Special to The Sentinel.) May 5.—Miss Chloe Whiteley spent the week end at her home at Star.

Mr. and Mrs. K. B. Moody spent Sunday at the home of Mr. Moody's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Moody.

The Adney children have all been on the sick list during the past week. A large audience attended the entertainment Saturday night.

W. L. Leonard was in the Grove Monday.

Mrs. F. T. Benston and children motored to Eugene Saturday.

Mrs. Barr and son were in Cottage Grove Tuesday.

Mrs. Dick, of Portland, is visiting at the home of her son, W. P. Dick.

Mrs. Benson and Mrs. Scott shopped in the Grove Tuesday.

Mr. Harold Hopper, of Springfield, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. Queen.

Chas. Sharon, of Portland, is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Sharon.

Mrs. W. P. Dick went to Eugene Sunday evening to visit her cousin who is in a hospital there.

Rev. Large visited Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Burgess.

A number from here attended the play at Walker Friday night.

Edwain Whiteley is visiting with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. C. Scott.

Lee Leonard has returned from Dayton, O., where he was discharged from the army, after serving three years. Terry Moody was in Eugene Monday.

### STAR.

(Special to The Sentinel.) May 5.—A large number from here attended the high school play at Dorena Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Miles Pitcher, Jr., moved into the J. T. Wicks house Monday of last week to be near camp, where Mr. Pitcher is employed.

Fairy Allen returned Saturday from a week's visit at Wendling at the home of her brother, Rollin Wicks.

Johnnie Cole, of the Grove, visited in Star Sunday.

Arthur Sallee, his mother, Mrs. M. E. Sallee, and Mr. and Mrs. Earl Neal were in Dorena Wednesday evening.

J. P. Wicks was in Eugene from Thursday to Saturday on business.

Francis Wicks, Ed. Whiteley and Dale Owen motored to Eugene Wednesday evening of last week.

Mrs. Clifford Magee left Sunday to visit her husband, who is in a hospital in Portland. He was injured in a logging camp in Washington.

Mrs. Bessie Casey and baby, Kittie Jane, and Jimmie Magee motored to the Grove Tuesday evening.

Miss Emalie Haldeman, teacher, and the pupils of the Wildwood school visited the Star school Friday.

There will be a basket social at the school house Friday evening, May 7, the proceeds to go to the Armenian relief fund.

Mrs. and Mrs. L. Gillespie and Mrs. LaSells Stewart visited Sunday with Mrs. Lillie Owen and Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Wicks.

Miss Velma Sallee returned to school at Dorena Monday, after a week-end visit at home.

Mr. and Mrs. Rollin Wicks and Mrs. Ed. Spray visited Sunday with Mrs. Ida M. Wicks.

Mrs. James Spahr, who was on the sick list several days the past week, is reported as better. Miss Gertrude Miller spent Sunday with Mrs. L. Gillespie at Row River.

## NEXT WEDNESDAY SECOND ANNUAL PARK DAY

### Business Houses to Close at 3 o'Clock; One Hundred Men and as Many Women Are Wanted.

Next Wednesday is Cottage Grove's annual park day. More than a hundred men and as many women are wanted to take part. The stores are expected to close at 3 p. m., to give business men and clerks an opportunity to participate in the work. Arrangements probably will be made for refreshments to be served in the park after the men have earned the same by the sweat of their brows. The entire park will be given a general grooming. The grass, weeds and brush will be mowed and raked; all miscellaneous tin cans, sticks, and debris will be removed; drainage ditches are to be cleaned; the turf is to be leveled and holes filled. A quantity of gravel will be laid on the Washington avenue stub and a fence will be put up to keep tourists from using the north end of the park for camping purposes. A brick oven also will be built. The commercial club, at its meeting Monday night, contributed \$40 for expenses incident to the work.

Inasmuch as the women have an equal voice (or more) in civic improvement, no restriction will be put on the number who feel disposed to wield a rake or assist in preparing refreshments for 6 p. m. Hot coffee and sandwiches will be served and it is desired that each woman prepare a basket of good things to eat. The men are asked to bring any or all of the following tools: shovels, scythes, brush hooks, rakes, pitchforks, axes, wheelbarrows and post-hole diggers.

## L. B. Woodruff Dies.

L. B. Woodruff, was for years associated with his son Frank in the conduct of the latter's plumbing shop, died April 30 at the home of his daughter, Mrs. H. S. Ousterhoudt, at Hopewell, Ore., near Salem. Death was sudden, resulting from an attack of heart trouble and bronchitis. The son Frank was present when the end came.

Leroy B. Woodruff was born November 2, 1841, at Lysander, Onondaga county, N. Y. He was married January 3, 1869, in Minnesota, to Miss Josephine Ricksicker, who died in Minnesota September 25, 1888. He came to Oregon 30 years ago and lived in or near Cottage Grove until moving to Portland a month ago. He served during the Civil war in Co. H, First Minnesota mounted rangers and was a member of Appomattox post, G. A. R. of this city. Surviving children are Frank B., of Portland, and Mrs. H. S. Ousterhoudt, of Hopewell, Ore. One son, Charles, died in infancy.

## QUICK ACTION BY MISS MCFARLAND SAVES HOUSE

Miss Mabel McFarland, by quick action, prevented what might have been a destructive fire at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. McFarland, in The Cedars district, Saturday afternoon. She was at home alone and, while sweeping the walk, discovered that the roof was on fire. After calling her uncle, Charles McFarland, by phone, she carried a ladder to the attic, climbed out onto the roof and had the flames extinguished before help arrived.

## Free Methodist Conference Here.

The annual conference of the Free Methodist church for the Southern Oregon district will be held in the Baptist church May 19 to 23. Bishop Warner will preside and Presiding Elder Dodge will be present May 13 to 15.

## Two Births, Four Deaths.

The report of Health Officer Oglesby shows that during April there were 12 births, of which four were males and eight females. There were four deaths, equally divided between the sexes.

## A few long scars on the side of a young man's face may not be sufficient circumstantial evidence that his whiskers have started to grow but they're an infallible sign that "pater familias" is going to swear the next time he tries to use his razor.

## If there is anything a woman enjoys more than having her grocery bill smaller than her neighbors' it is to have it enough bigger so that the neighbors will talk about what an extravagant cook she is.

## CHAUTAQUA SIGNERS!

A meeting of chautauqua signers will be held at 8 o'clock this evening at the commercial club, at which time the advance organizer for Ellison-White will be present. A large attendance