

## NORTH BEND WINS DEBATING HONORS

Springfield Loses Three Decisions to Coos Bay Aggregation at Eugene.

### STATE HAS FIVE DISTRICTS

Finals Between Central and Western Divisions Decided by Arguments on Suffrage and Maintenance of Navy.

UNIVERSITY OF OREGON, Eugene, Or., May 8.—(Special.)—North Bend tonight wrested the championship of the State High School Debating League from Springfield by three straight decisions. The winning team upheld the affirmative of the question "Resolved, that the United States should maintain a larger Navy."

Equal suffrage prevailed in both teams, each being composed of one boy and one young woman. Norma Chase and Lyle Chapell composed the North Bend team and Frances Bartlett and Walter Bailey the Springfield team. It was Miss Chase's final speech in rebuttal which clinched the debate for her school.

The negative team argued that a large navy is unnecessary under the present system of international arbitration and that the United States as the foremost nation in civilization and the arts of peace should take the lead in abolishing her navy.

The affirmative speakers denied the fulfillment of a navy and maintained that the world is not ready yet for disarmament and declared that a formidable navy is an insurance of safety. Miss Chase in her argument quoted the adage "eternal vigilance is the price of liberty."

Judges Declare Strength. Arguments of both sides were forcible and logical, according to the announcement of the judges in bringing in their verdict. The judges were Superintendent Rutherford, of the McMinnville schools, Dr. A. C. Schmidt, of Albany, and Professor Peterson, of Corvallis.

The Oregon High School Debating League, of which tonight's debate was the final contest, was organized six years ago. Bert Prescott, debating coach at the University of Oregon, is secretary of the league, and the championship battle is held each year under the auspices of the university during junior week end.

The state is divided by the league into five districts as follows: Central Oregon, Eastern Oregon, Southern Oregon, Columbia River and Coos Bay. Eastern Oregon schools temporarily withdrew from the competition this year.

Schools Send Delegations. North Bend as champions of the Coos Bay district, won its way to the finals by defeating Klamath Falls, leader of the Southern Oregon division. Similarly, Springfield qualified as the opponent of North Bend by winning the championship of the Central Oregon district, and defeating St. Johns, the victor in the Columbia River district.

A dozen students and faculty members from North Bend High School accompanied their representatives, while a large delegation was present to cheer the Springfield team. After the debate both delegations were banqueted by the league.

### EUROPEAN JEWS TO MEET

Zionists to Convene in Vienna During September.

BERLIN, May 10.—(Special.)—Professor Oscar Warburg, the chairman, and the other members of the executive of the Zionist organization have just issued a circular from the central office of the movement, saying that the eleventh congress of that organization will take place in Vienna in September.

"In this city," says the circular, "from which Theodor Herzl's call went out to the Jewish people, our organization will pass under review the development of Zionism from the first and from the last Basle Congress, and determine to what tasks it shall devote itself in the near future."

The representatives of the Jewish people again will meet, this time in a great Jewish center, and it is for Zionists to see that their congress forms a faithful reflection of national Jewry of the present day."

### WOMAN DOCTOR IS DEAD

First of Sex to Practice Medicine in Switzerland Has Hard Time.

BERNE, May 10.—(Special.)—Dr. Caroline Farnier, who was of English descent, has just died in Zurich at the age of 71 years. She is believed to have been the first woman in Switzerland to take her university degree in medicine. At first she met with much opposition from her colleagues, and it was many years before she succeeded in building a practice.

Mrs. Farnier persevered, and during the last 25 years had a large practice among women and children in Zurich. She was well-to-do, though she only charged nominal prices for consultations and did much good among the poor.

### DAILY CITY STATISTICS

**BIRTHS.**  
PESCOO—To the wife of John Pescoo, 1028 E. 20th st., N., April 30, a girl.  
SIMON—To the wife of Mayer Simon, 241 N. 21st st., April 30, a girl.  
CAMPELL—To the wife of Dale Campbell, 753 E. 6th st., N., May 2, a girl.  
VIAL—To the wife of P. H. Vial, 1000 E. 18th st., S., April 29, a girl.  
MULLIGAN—To the wife of C. W. Mulligan, Aurora, April 26, a girl.  
STEINER—To the wife of Ed L. Steiner, 524 E. 11th st., N., April 26, a girl.  
HUBBARD—To the wife of Ben P. Hubbard, 100 E. 17th st., May 3, a girl.  
**MARRIAGE LICENSES.**  
PEDRO-JACKSON—Stanley W. Pedro, Klamath Agency, 25, and Myrtle Jackson, 13.  
GILLIAM-CALL—William Henry Gilliam, city, 41, and Helen Froehle, 18.  
BOES-MYER—W. D. Boes, city, 32, and Mae Meyer.  
JOHNSON-GENTRY—Herbert Johnson, city, legal, and Actie Gentry, legal.  
CRONIN-BORR—John C. Cronin, city, 21, and Gladys Borr, 18.  
PAWLOPSEK-FROELKE—Otto Pawlopsek, city, 17, and Helen Froehle, 18.  
WILLIAMS-WEBB—Forrest B. Williams, city, 34, and Zola Webb, 18.  
MICHALSKI-PRINGER—Joseph Michalski, city, legal, and Sarah Pringer, legal.

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To be given away absolutely. Go on the Sunday excursion to Hillsboro—you may get the lot. Secure tickets at 90 Fifth st. at once. Round trip, including lunch, 25c. Train leaves Jefferson street depot at 10:30 A. M. Sunday.



## DEBATES TO BE HELD

Oregon Aggies to Meet Washington Students This Week.

### FOUR TEAMS TO COMPETE

Annual Contest to Be Devoted to Discussion of Federal Charters for Corporations Engaged in Interstate Trade.

### OREGON AGRICULTURAL COLLEGE, CORVALLIS, MAY 7.—(Special.)—The annual debates, between representatives of Oregon Agricultural College and Washington State College, will be held at the two institutions Saturday evening, May 10, the negative team of each school debating on the home floors.

The question to be discussed is "Resolved, That all corporations engaged in interstate commerce should be required to take out Federal charters; it being conceded that such a measure will be constitutional, and that Federal license shall not be available as an alternative plan."

Accompanied by O. B. Hayes, of the local debating society, the Oregon affirmatives—C. L. Hill, of Berea, Ky., and F. McCabe, of Portland—will go to Pullman Friday.

The negative side of the proposition will be supported by the Agricultural College by A. R. Chase, of Corvallis, and G. R. Hoerner, of Seattle.

Horace M. Miller, of Portland, has assisted both teams in working up the speeches and will act as alternate if occasion requires his services.

Both teams have been training for the last six weeks under the direction of Professor S. H. Peterson, department of public speaking.

Arrangements made by the Oregon Agricultural College Debating Society for the entertainment of the visiting team include a banquet to be given in their honor at the Julian Hotel immediately after the close of the debate.

The members of both teams, their coaches and judges of the contest will be the guests.

### ALBANY BOY HEADS LEAGUE

Arthur Hodge President of Collegiate Debating Organization.

ALBANY, Or., May 8.—(Special.)—Arthur Hodge, of Albany, was elected president of the Collegiate Debating League of Oregon. When the executive committee of the league met at Nwberg recently it elected Hodge as president of the league for the ensuing year and left the choice of the president to the student body of the college.

Hodge is a member of the Junior class of Albany College and is active in all college affairs. Besides being prominent in oratory and debating circles and ranking high in scholarship he plays on the college baseball and basketball teams. His home is at Arago, Coos County.

### WILDCAT TUNNEL OPENED

Willamette-Pacific Road Work Near Eugene Is Pushed.

EUGENE, Or., May 8.—(Special.)—Wildcat tunnel on the line of the Willamette-Pacific, between Eugene and Coos Bay, has been opened through, and but 448 feet out of 2500 remains to be cut on the North tunnel, 23 miles west of Eugene. At the rate of progress now being made, the latter tunnel will be opened throughout some time during August. The Wildcat tunnel is several miles west of Noti, and is but 350 feet long. It was constructed by a sub-contractor under Porter Brothers, while the North tunnel is being handled by Twohy Brothers.

Twohy Brothers also have three grading camps at work, at 6, 10 and 18 miles from Eugene. The two first-named will complete their work in a week, and the latter in a month or six weeks.

### CACHE OF BOMBS FOUND

Irrigation Ditch-Walker at Echo Discovers Battery in Hole.

ECHO, Or., May 8.—(Special.)—A cache of dynamite bombs was discovered here today near the old immigrant road about a mile west of Echo. There were 16 in all; each consisting of about half a stick of dynamite incased in a lead pipe; with about ten feet of double insulated copper wire attached; all ready for firing by an electric battery.

The bombs were wrapped up in an old grain sack and stuck in a badger hole. They were accidentally discovered by a ditch walker on the irrigation canal. They had evidently been there for months.

### RIGHT-OF-WAY DEED FILED

Work on Road to Sandy Promised in Near Future.

SANDY, Or., May 8.—(Special.)—The right-of-way deed covering the route of

## COLONY BUYS LAND

Russians in Canada to Locate in Linn County.

### 3500-ACRE TRACT SECURED

Ten Families to Be Located Near Albany Immediately and Later Others Will Follow—Horses and Cattle Purchased.

ALBANY, Or., May 8.—(Special.)—The four representatives of a Russian colony in Saskatchewan, who have been touring Western Oregon for 10 days, looking for a location for the colony, today closed a deal for 3500 acres of land in Linn County, which is the first tract they have purchased.

One thousand acres owned by B. J. Hecker and Owen Beam, of this city, were bought and a contract made for the remainder. They will colonize the tract when they return to Canada. The land practically lies in one body and is situated 12 miles south of Albany. It is not far from the Willamette River and most of it is improved farm land.

The colony, which will occupy this land, was incorporated by articles filed in the County Clerk's office today under the name of Society of Independent Doukhobors, with a capital stock of \$100,000.

The incorporators are M. F. Reibin, Anton Popoff, W. Vareschagin and Wasil Lephinoff, the four men who came here as representatives of the colony.

Ten families will be placed on this land at once and several more will come as soon as they can sell their land in Canada. The work of subdividing the land for each family will begin at once.

The colonizers also are contracting for good horses and cattle in this vicinity. They expect to engage principally in clover raising, berry culture and market gardening.

Excursion to Hillsboro Sunday Round Trip, Including Lunch, 25c.

Get tickets now at 90 Fifth street—train leaves Jefferson-st. depot, Front and Jefferson streets at 10:30 A. M. Sunday.

Centralia Auto Goes Into Ditch.

CENTRALIA, Wash., May 8.—(Special.)—A big automobile, driven by Harry Barner, a Centralia chauffeur, went into the ditch while coming down the Boistfort hill Monday night. The front wheels were torn from the car and the machine was otherwise badly damaged. There were seven occupants in the car.

Klickitat Farmers to Hear Expert.

GOLDENDALE, Wash., May 8.—(Special.)—Professor Thomas Shaw, of St. Paul, Minn., agriculturist for the Great Northern Railroad, will address the farmers of the Klickitat Valley on May 12. Two meetings will be held, one at Goldendale in the day time, and one at Centerville at night. It is expected that Mr. Shaw will make dry land alfalfa raising his main topic.

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Often get hurried

And stir in a

Heaping spoonful

Which is about double the

Right quantity and makes

It bitter.

Same as a double quantity

Of coffee or tea.

However, if you

Like it very strong, use

The heaping spoonful.

Be sure and put in plenty

Of cream and it has

A snap and go that

Pleases some palates.

Speak out and tell them

How you want it.

### ASHLAND OPPOSES REFERENDUM

ASHLAND, Or., May 8.—(Special.)—Strong resolutions were adopted at a recent meeting of the Ashland Commercial Club unfavorable to the referendum petition which is being circulated by Parkison et al. upon the University of Oregon appropriation.

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