

OREGON CHAMBER OF COMMERCE ELECTS

Charles Hall, of Marshfield, Is Chosen President.

15 DIRECTORS ARE NAMED

State-Wide Importance of Organization to Be Impressed on Local Bodies.

The Oregon Chamber of Commerce became an established factor yesterday for the co-ordination of community effort to aid in state development. Election of officers and members of the board of fifteen directors enlisted the active service of aggressive business and professional men from all of the counties interested. At the sessions of the directors held yesterday afternoon and last night this idea was further amplified in formation of important sub-committees that will be called upon to act in various capacities on behalf of the new commercial organization.

"We who have been fortunate enough to attend this meeting are satisfied in our own minds that this is truly a State Chamber of Commerce," said Louis J. Simpson, of Coos County, at the close of the general sessions, and he added: "It is our duty to go back to those who could not attend and strongly impress the idea upon them that the Oregon Chamber of Commerce is for the whole state and not for any part of it." This expressed the sentiment that was reiterated by other delegates, and was uttered in connection with a resolution of thanks to the Portland Chamber of Commerce for its hospitality and the generous manner in which it had extended cooperation to other sections of Oregon.

Marshfield Man President.

Charles Hall, Marshfield, was elected president; J. N. Burgess, Pendleton; P. E. Bramwell, Grants Pass, and Emory Olmstead, Portland, vice-presidents; William Pollman, Baker City, treasurer; George Quayle, Portland, secretary.

The board of 15 directors is composed of five from Eastern and five from Western Oregon, two from Multnomah County and three at large, as follows: Eastern Oregon—J. T. Bostick, The Dalles; J. N. Burgess, Pendleton; J. P. Keyes, Bend; J. T. Blackaby, Ontario; Vincent Palmer, La Grande.

Western Oregon—F. S. Bramwell, Grants Pass; Charles Hall, Marshfield; George H. McMurray, Eugene; F. W. Schmidt, Salem; R. S. Shaw, Astoria.

Multnomah County—Emory Olmstead, Portland; C. C. Chapman, Portland.

Directors at large—William Pollman, Baker City; H. E. Brodie, Oregon City; H. Hirschberger, Independence.

La Pine Delegate Speaks.

A. A. Aya, delegate from La Pine, was the principal speaker at the forenoon session yesterday. He spoke of the value of tourist travel to the state and related that in 1917, when the general advertising campaign of the Northwest Tourist Association was launched, travel to Crater Lake, one of the attractions of Oregon, was increased almost 40 per cent. He gave statistics as to the revenue derived and expenditures made for advertising by Los Angeles, Denver and other sections.

The climatic attraction of mild winters and temperate summers was touched upon as distinctive assets. He recommended that a legislative committee be appointed to use the machinery of the state to secure recognition of the merit of attracting tourists to woods, streams, parks, playgrounds and towns—one of the benefits in which the whole state would share.

W. H. Crawford, secretary of the Oregon Land Settlement Commission, told the delegates of the comprehensive plans that are being perfected, and declared that stabilizing of the business of agriculture and the effort to provide profitable occupation for returned soldiers and mechanics from industrial occupations of the war period are the biggest problems that are now to be solved. He foretold a real back-to-the-farm movement which the State Chamber may play a most important part, and which would include plans for enabling the farmer to acquire the land he wishes to occupy it without paying an excessive price.

POLICEMAN IS CONVICTED

R. C. Brown Caught With Suitcase Full of Liquor.

R. C. Brown, a policeman charged with violating the prohibition ordinance, was fined \$250 and sentenced to 15 days in jail by Municipal Judge Rosman yesterday. His attorney announced an appeal.

Brown was convicted by a jury Friday, with no witnesses except Patrolmen Myers and Abbott, who arrested him. The two said they saw Brown get off a Southern Pacific train with a suitcase full of whisky at the East Side depot. Brown said he had confiscated the liquor and was taking it to police headquarters. Victor Anderson was fined \$250 yesterday for violating the prohibition law.

Fruit Pits Used for Fuel.

HOOD RIVER, Or., Dec. 14.—(Special.)—The local Red Cross chapter has sold to the Hellbromet building a ton and a half of peach and apricot pits, gathered before the signing of the armistice by Eastern Oregon chapters for the manufacture of gas masks for the army. A purchase price of \$10.50 was paid for the material to be used for fuel in heating the building, the largest business structure in Hood River.

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PRODUCERS REQUIRE HELP

TRANSPORTATION NOW FARMERS' BIGGEST PROBLEM.

Development of Highways Transport Service Urged by Meier to Move U. S. Crops.

"If food will win the war" has been the slogan, the next phrase which must be the slogan for sometime to come should be peace and plenty," said Julius L. Meier, Northwest regional chairman for the highways transport committee of the National Council of Defense, yesterday. "To those people on the other side who have denied themselves everything, even daily bread, peace will be an empty peace if it does not assure them of plenty."

"We must divide our food with the people of Europe. How are we going to do it? The problem of the American farmer is, first, to produce, and second, to deliver his product. The farmer has been geared to the proposition for years that he had to produce food and then deliver it to port of shipment. "What we need is a more extensive transportation system operated by men who are not food producers. Men who have been trained in the motor transport service in the army should be available for establishment of motor truck lines in their home communities. "Successful war, of course, depends upon good highways. Only when there are plenty of good roads will the truck transport be a success. "With the shortage of food that exists, the production of every acre is something in which we all have an interest, and we have a right to demand that that land be operated to the maximum of its production. Consequently it is a National duty to provide transportation facilities and to aid producers in moving their crops."

UMATILLA LOSS IS 14 MEN

Five of County's Soldier Contingent Killed in Action.

PENDLETON, Or., Dec. 14.—(Special.)—So far as is known, only 14 Umatilla County men have died in the service of their country.

These are Private Dell Blancett, of Pendleton; Private Sheldon Ulrich, of Pendleton; Corporal Joseph B. Stephens, of Pendleton; Private James M. Webster, of Pendleton, and Private Lew Castee, of Ukiah, who were killed in action; Private Archie Stannard, of Pendleton, died of gas; Private Benjamin Ray Carlson, of Pendleton, killed by accidental explosion, and Private Irvin Huff, of Pendleton; Private Manuel Monese, of Echo; Private Charles Cunningham, of Pendleton; Lieutenant Kenneth Roger, of Pendleton; Private Claude Still, of Milton; Private Frank Goodman, of Pendleton; Private Adam Noble, of Pendleton, and Private Lyle T. Sloan, of Pendleton, all of whom died of disease.

FEW APPLES TO GO ABROAD

Space on Trans-Atlantic Steamers at Present Too Limited.

HOOD RIVER, Or., Dec. 14.—(Special.)—According to advices from the Apple Growers' Association of New York representative, G. W. Woodruff, the British food administration has decided not to apportion space on trans-Atlantic steamers for importations of apples.

In his letter Mr. Woodruff states that the matter will be left entirely, according to the present situation, to the steamship company, and it is apparent they will dispose of their space to shippers, whose commodities will bring the highest freight rate. The apple freight rate, at the present schedule, is \$2 per box.

APPLE CROP MOVES FAST

Almost 75 Per Cent of Tonnage of Hood River Shipped.

HOOD RIVER, Or., Dec. 14.—(Special.)—Without the slightest congestion in the movement of the Hood River Valley apple crop of this year, a tonnage of almost 1100 carloads has moved to points of distribution, with a more noticeable celerity than in the past seven years.

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Butterfat Record Broken.

CATHLAMET, Wash., Dec. 14.—(Special.)—The report of the Waukiakum County Cow Testing Association for the month of November shows that 321 cows were tested during the month. The average milk production was 418 pounds and butterfat 23.59 pounds. Thirteen cows averaged 40 pounds, and one of these, owned by O. P. Dosland,

of Grays River, broke the highest monthly record of 85 pounds with an average of 90.2 pounds of butterfat. Mr. Dosland also holds the highest general average with 13 cows averaging 66.8 pounds of milk and 37.54 pounds of fat.

Phone Increase Sought.

SALEM, Or., Dec. 14.—(Special.)—The Union County Telephone Company has filed an application with the Public Service Commission asking that it be allowed to increase rates on telephones in Union County 50 cents a month. The application says that the company is unable to operate on a maintenance basis on its present charges for phones.

Crossings to Be Eliminated.

COTTAGE GROVE, Or., Dec. 14.—(Special.)—The 13 crossings between here and Eugene on the Pacific Highway will be greatly reduced in number by work which the State Highway Commission plans. The most dangerous of these crossings are between here and Walker, and E. R. Bishop, of the highway commission's office, now has a crew at work surveying a route that will eliminate every one of these.

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