

FISH AND GAME FEUD NOW LYING DORMANT

Legislative Investigators Hold Meeting in Portland.

IS PROBE WANTED? ASKED

No One of Senators and Representatives Displays Any Great Enthusiasm for Investigation.

If the fish and game commission wants to be investigated, or if the Portland anglers want it investigated, a probe will be applied by a special committee appointed by the legislature to do so. This was as far as the special committee proceeded yesterday when it assembled in the Imperial.

None of the senators or representatives on the committee displayed an extraordinary enthusiasm for beginning an investigation unless there is a demand, for the reason that they do not wish to stir up the dormant elements and resurrect the bitterness and feud which was rampant last December and January.

The legislative committee consists of Representatives L. E. Bean of Lane, Harvey Cross of Clackamas and W. G. Hare of Washington; Senators W. Norblad of Clatsop and Louis Lachmund of Marion. The resolution calling for a committee to make the investigation was introduced in the special session of 1920 by Mr. Bean, where there were charges and counter charges regarding the state fish and game commission, and the then state biologist, W. L. Finley.

Investigation to Be Thorough.

Whether anyone now wants an investigation members of the committee did not know, but Mr. Bean was instructed to find out by correspondence with the commission, with Richard Price and H. B. Van Duzer representing a faction of anglers, and Mr. Finley. If an investigation is wanted, the committee, without dissent, intends going clear to the bottom.

Mr. Cross said that when he returned home from the special session he was called on by Mr. Van Duzer and another man, who requested that when the investigation was held that they would be given an opportunity to appear. This was the only information any of the legislators had on the subject, and the request was five months ago.

One of the accusations made by the anglers against the commission was that money had been misappropriated by being taken from the game fund and used for the propagation of commercial fish. Since that charge was leveled at the commission, a certified accountant has audited the books of the fish and game commission, and his report disproves the allegation, one of the legislators pointed out.

"What's the use of investigating, if no one wants it done?" demanded Mr. Hare, after the committee had attempted to discover whether there was any reason for their existence.

Old Alignment Still Exists.

The only incident which disclosed that the alignment of the 1919 and 1920 sessions still exists came when it was proposed that a permanent organization be effected for the possible investigation. Although Mr. Bean favored the resolution which created the committee, Senator Lachmund nominated Mr. Hare for permanent chairman, and Mr. Hare nominated Mr. Lachmund, and Senator Norblad nominated Mr. Bean. Mr. Cross remained the unknown quantity, as he did at Salem. In the past two sessions Senator Lachmund and Mr. Hare played the same "game," and Senator Norblad and Mr. Bean were on the opposite side. A compromise was effected by taking no action for permanent organization, and Mr. Bean was left as temporary chairman. However, all correspondence he has with the commission, the anglers and Mr. Finley is to be furnished, in copy, to the other members.

State Game Warden Burghdoff appeared before the committee and stated that certain property belonging to the state of Oregon is still in the possession of Mr. Finley, the property having a value of several thousand dollars. Mr. Finley has not returned this property, explained the game warden. Mr. Hare contended that such an affair did not belong properly before the legislative committee, and that the state could institute suit to recover its property from the former state biologist.

WINGED M HAS FROLIC

PICNIC AT CRYSTAL LAKE PARK DRAWS MORE THAN 1000.

Contests of All Kinds Are Put on for Members, but Dancing Proves to Be Favorite Fun.

Crystal lake park presented a lively scene yesterday morning, early in the afternoon to late last night, the reason for all this bustle and excitement being the annual picnic and outdoor party of the Multnomah Amateur Athletic club.

The affair was a success from start to finish and it was estimated that more than 1000 members of the Winged M institution were on hand for the carnival.

Professor Otto Mauthe, assisted by Dr. R. J. Chapman, William Knapp and others were in charge of the day's program which ranged from baseball games to four-legged races. Volley ball, swimming, boating, many novelty contests were indulged in by the flock of fun-seeking "city dwellers" out for a good time and a good time they did have.

The dancing pavilion was crowded throughout the afternoon and evening with the strains of a jazz band haunting the pine-laden ozone.

The summary of events follows:

First section junior boys' baseball—Won by Campbell, Swanson, Woods, Gray, Gilbert and Jones.

Second section junior boys' baseball—Won by Corfoot, Mult, Darfee, Knight, Bates, Ashley, Sullivan, Luder and Coleman.

Third section junior girls' baseball—Won by Jewell, McKenney, Lela Reed, Florence Cavanaugh, Helen Hulet, Doris Ward, Camilla Burton, Alice Bracie and Wilma Wright.

Bottle-filling contest, first section junior girls—Winners: Irma Cavanaugh, Miriam Pruitt, Katherine Clemens, Ruth Leiter, Nell Patrick, Lenora Dorethy, Dorothy Read, Frances Murphy, Iona Wiedemeyer.

Baseball high school section junior boys—Winners: Houghton, Lombard, Haret, Peterson, Coulter, Schmoer, Rossbaw, Marshall, McCallahan.

Ladies' volley ball—Winners: Mesdames Feathers, Strube, Gardner, Mottler, Goodell and Knapp.

Baseball, ladies—Mesdames Lutz, Goodell, Conant, Stenzel, Lutz, Strube, Mauthe, Shipley and Chapman.

Baseball, seniors—Winners: Smyth.

SCENES AT MULTNOMAH AMATEUR ATHLETIC CLUB PICNIC AT CRYSTAL LAKE PARK, YESTERDAY.



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Goodwin, Ramsey, Barrell, Kribs, Card, Payne, Dewey and Hatton.

Senior volley ball—Kees, Martin, Bidwell, Dr. Chipman, Peck and Houghton.

Ladies' sack race—Miss Goodell, first; Mrs. Centro, second, and Mrs. Feathers, third.

Men's sack race—Ramsey, first; Martin, second, and Smyth, third.

Four-legged race—Misses Chapman, Shipley and Bonebrake, first; Martin, Rogers and Peck, second; Smyth, Payne and Goodwin, third.

SAFE RESISTS BURGLARS

Combination and Hinges Knocked Off With Sledge.

Safe crackers made an attempt early yesterday morning to open the safe of the Vancouver Avenue Garage & Blacksmith shop, 711 Vancouver avenue. The combination and hinges were knocked off with a sledge, but the effort to open the safe was unsuccessful. Captain of Inspectors Circle expressed the belief that the job was the work of amateurs, possibly boys.

Inspectors Hill and Cahill made an investigation yesterday morning and reported that entrance was gained to the office through a skylight. An effort will be made to trace the would-be yeggs by means of finger prints.

Partners Are Sued.

With the assertion that his partners refused him any information concerning the status of 749 acres of placer gold mining claims at Eagle Creek, Baker county, Oregon, in which he has a third interest, David Smith is suing Thomas Holt Sr., and Thomas Holt Jr., in the circuit court



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OREGON'S NEEDS ARE SHOWN BY STUDENTS

Bouquets and Brickbats Are Handed at High Schools.

CITY LIFE IS ATTRACTIVE

Four Thousand Asked What They Intend to Do—Only 140 Desire to Become Farmers.

Bouquets and brickbats are handed to Father Oregon by students of the Lincoln, Jefferson and Washington high schools in a survey just completed. The survey in the school is to be used in preparing a programme of activities for the Oregon State Chamber of Commerce. It was made as a part of the educational campaign leading up to the state chamber's budget canvass in this city Wednesday, Thursday and Friday of this week and beginning in the rest of the state June 14.

According to men familiar with such surveys, the fact that the result in the Portland schools is in the ratio of about 100 bouquets to each brickbat, is significant of an unusual liking for Oregon and confidence in its future. This is further emphasized by the pupils' own statements that 25 per cent have definitely determined to make their home permanently outside of Portland. As these surveys go, this percentage is very low, for high school age seems also to be the age when the conquering of new fields has a particular appeal.

Five Questions Propounded.

The pupils were asked to answer, in writing, the following questions: What business, profession or trade do you expect to pursue as a life work. Do you prefer to remain perma-

nently in Portland? (if not, why not?) What, in your opinion, is the thing of most importance that the Oregon State Chamber of Commerce should undertake first to assist you in preparing for your life work? What do you think the Oregon state chamber of commerce should undertake first for the improvement of Oregon.

Differing in detail, but under broad headings, the answers to the first question showed that the pupils intended to pursue a life work the following vocations: Engineering, 480; art, 280; teaching, 600; doctors, surgeons, dentists, etc., 485; navigation, 80; lumber, 60; mining, 40; journalism, 40; law, 160; dramatic art, 20; farmers, 140; professions and business, 785, and undecided, 720.

Of the 4000 answering the question of their intention to remain in Portland, 2400 answered in the affirmative; 1600 in the negative, and 600 did not answer.

Needs of State Expressed.

As to what the state chamber might do to assist them in their life work there was a great variety of answers which, however, generally fall under the following headings: Institutions of higher education, additional courses and better educational facilities, 1500; increase in teachers' salaries, 200; irrigation, 80; improvement of harbor and ports, 200; industrial expansion, 275; foreign trade promotion, 280; general hospitals, 20; not answering, 400.

To question No. 4—What the state chamber should do for the state at large, the answers grouped themselves under these headings: Forest protection, 80; better roads, 900; protection, beautification and increased accessibility of national park and other scenic beauties, 120; advertise Oregon, 440; more settlers on the land, 260; higher education, 355; harbor and port development, 720; industrial expansion, 480; water power development, 120; not answering, 425.

Tractors Haul Grain Trains.

ALBANY, Or., June 5.—(Special.)—Tractors will replace horses in another particular for the first time in this section of the state, and perhaps in Oregon, when H. T. Ridders of Albany will inaugurate the innovation of hauling grain to his threshing machine with tractors instead of teams and wagons. Mr. Ridders plans to use trailers from which the grain will slide off into feeding attachments, and he expects to handle as much grain with two tractors and trailers as formerly has been supplied to the machines by eight teams and wagons.

WILSON LAYS HIGH COSTS TO CONGRESS

Remedial Legislation Is Declared Lacking.

'WELFARE' HELD IGNORED

Message Sent to Railway Brotherhood in Reply to Protest Against Adjournment.

WASHINGTON, June 5.—Congress was charged today by President Wilson with failure to take "important remedial action with respect to the cost of living" and to give "serious consideration" to the revision of the tax laws and the problems of peace.

"The protracted delay in dealing with the problem of the railroads, the problem of the government-owned merchant marine and other similar urgent matters has resulted in unnecessary burdens upon the public treasury and ultimately in legislation so unsatisfactory that I could not accept it, if at all, only because I despaired of anything better."

The president's message was in reply to one from the brotherhood of officials protesting against the adjournment of congress. Mr. Wilson said that "in the light of the record of the present congress I have no reason to hope that its continuance in session would result in constructive measures for the relief of the economic conditions to which you call attention."

The president added that "the protracted delay in dealing with the problem of the railroads, the problem of the government-owned merchant marine and other similar urgent matters has resulted in unnecessary burdens on the public treasury and ultimately in legislation so unsatisfactory that I could accept

Important Action Lacking.

"I received your telegram of June 2. You call my attention to matters that I presented to the present congress in a special message delivered at a joint session of the two houses August 8, 1919. In nine months this congress has, however, taken no important remedial action with respect to the problem of the cost of living on the lines indicated in that address, or on any line. Not only has the present congress failed to deal directly with the cost of living, but it has failed even to give serious consideration to the urgent appeal, off-repeated by me and by the secretaries of the treasury, to revise the tax laws which in their present form are indirectly responsible in part for the high cost of living."

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"In the light of the record of the present congress I have no reason whatever to hope that its continuance in session would result in constructive measures for the relief of the economic conditions to which you call attention. It must be evident to all that the dominating motive which has actuated this congress is political expediency rather than lofty purpose to serve the public welfare."

MERCHANTS UNLOAD SHIP

Union Longshoremen Strike for 25 Per Cent Increase.

PRINCE RUPERT, B. C., June 5.—Prince Rupert business men, aided by railroad employees, today began unloading the cargo of the Grand Trunk Pacific steamer Prince George, following a strike of union longshoremen here.

The strike was called today to enforce a demand for a wage increase of 25 per cent.

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