# DIVERSIFIED FARM INDUSTRY URGENT NEED, SAYS TEAL

## Development of Central and Eastern Oregon Depends on This Plan, Says Commercial Club Speaker.

That something must be done to develop diversified farming in the great Eastern Oregon district and in central Oregon, was plainly set forth at a luncheon attended by a number of prominent Portland men at the Commercial club this afternoon. It was pointed out that to back up Portland and other cities in the state, the country must be developed, the country population must be increased.

J. N. Teal was the principal speaker, and it was for the purpose of hearing his report upon the counties of Gilliam, Morrow and Sherman that the gathering had been called. Mr. Teal has just returned from an inspection tour of these three eastern Oregon counties which he declares most typical of conditions in that part of the state.

"The first change to bring about," said Mr. Teal, 'is to secure the production of diversified crops. I know fruit, potatoes, vegetables and other products of agriculture can be grown here. Hops should be raised in large numbers. Some way must be found to bring about this change. Many people believe wheat is the only crop that can be grown there successfully on large holdings. These ideas must be rooted out by practical demonstrations. Theories won't go.

"Therefore to induce better methods, encourage diversified farming the Oregon Conservation Commission purposes to offer money prizes for the best crops of wheat and peas, and possibly some other agricultural product from the dry portions of the counties that I have not mentioned. These prizes I would suggest to be distributed at a tri-county fair to be held some time in the fall of 1912. And we should also offer prizes for the best pigs raised by farmers of those counties, memoranda showing how these pigs were raised and at a profit."

Mr. Teal gave an illustration of the tremendous area of those counties and the possibilities for trade to be developed there by Portland merchants.

Addresses were also made by R. D. Miller, traffic manager of the Harriman lines in Oregon; C. S. Jackson, publisher of the Journal; G. F. Johnson, chairman of the Commerical club Promotion committee, and Mr. Mariner from eastern Oregon.

Upon motion a committee composed of C. F. Johnson, R. D. Miller, E. Durkheimer, Dwight Edwards, S. C. Pier and C. N. Huggins was appointed to confer with Mr. Teal in regard to the proposal prize contest and tri-county fair movement.

# $600,000,000 MORTGAGE IS TAKEN ON HILL LINES

St. Paul, Minn., May 31.—James J. Hill anounced today the execution of $600,000,000 first and refunding mortgage to secure bonds for the Great Northern and Burlington.

Mr. Hill in a statement said that the size of the mortgage was explained by the fact that the outstanding obligations of the company, which are to be refunded, amount to $320,000,000.

Financiers seem to think that Hill intends going into railroad operations on the scale of the Northern Securities company.

## NEIGHBORS IN BIG ROW OVER CHICKENS; COURT FINES ONE MAN $10

It took Judge Tazwell, several attorneys, many witnesses and several interpreters to hear a case against Adam Hinkle of 834 Mallory avenue, who was accused by Conrad Henstrom, a neighbor, of cruelty to animals in that he beat a hen with a stick, broke its legs and wings and threw it into his neighbor's yard. In the end Hinkle was found guilty and fined $10 on the charge. It was shown that bad blood existed between the two parties, and that Hinkle had been much annoyed by the visits of Henstrom's chickens.

# STOCK OF TOBACCO TRUST TAKES DROP

## Court Decision and Fear of Prosecution Knocks Down Combination's Securities.

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)

New York, May 31.—American Tobacco securities dropped severely today on account of the recent court decision and the fear of arrest and further prosecution of the company's officials.

On change today American Tobacco stock started as high as $140 per share but later in the day dropped to $418 or a loss of $26 per share. This is one of the most severe losses ever encountered by any similar security on the local market.

Fears of prosecution also caused holders to unload as much of their United States Steel Corporation stock as possible today and a sharp loss was forced at the opening. Later, with a general boost by the big interests the market not only recovered its own but closed with a net advance of 1⅛ points over Monday's price.

Other metal security holders were less fortunate and Amalgamated Copper lost 2⅛ points while the common shares of American Smelting & Refining company, were down 1¼ points.

# ALASKA SALMON PACK LOOKS LIKE HUGE ONE

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)

Seattle, Wash., May 31.—According to those watching the Alaska salmon canning industry, indications are promising for a new record large pack. There is no effort this year to curtail the output, but with every restriction removed, every cannery is to work at full capacity for a maximum pack. Ten new salmon canneries were opened in Alaska this season, bringing the total packing plants up to 58. New canneries were located at Naknek, Chomley, Koggiung, Pin Point, Haw Inlet, Tee Harbor, Cape Edwards, Behm Canal and Seldovia, and one established by the Tongas Trading company is a floating plant. Two new packing plants are to be operated on Puget sound and preparations have been made to pack 400,000 cases of pink salmon in these waters.

All but three sound canneries are to run this season. This year humpback salmon are due to run in large quantities and never have failed. The Fraser river, B. C., pack may be light, as only five of 15 canneries are to open. Packers believe the opening prices will be higher than a year ago because there is a scarcity of canned salmon of all kinds, and in fact the entire 1911 pack has been oversold, subject to approval, at opening prices.

# HARROUN WINS 500 MILE AUTO CONTEST

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)

Speedway, Indianapolis, Ind., May 31.—Harroun, driving a Marmon, won the 500-mile automobile sweepstakes yesterday. His time was 6:41:2. Harroun was the favorite and was in the lead during the greater part of the race, though pressed hard by Mulford and Bruce-Brown.

Mulford, in his Lozier, was second, and Bruce-Brown, driving a Fiat, was third. Spencer, in a Mercedes, was fourth.

Prizes amounting to about $15,000 go to the winners.

## QUEEN MARY'S CROWN WHOLLY OF DIAMONDS

(United Press Leased Wire.)

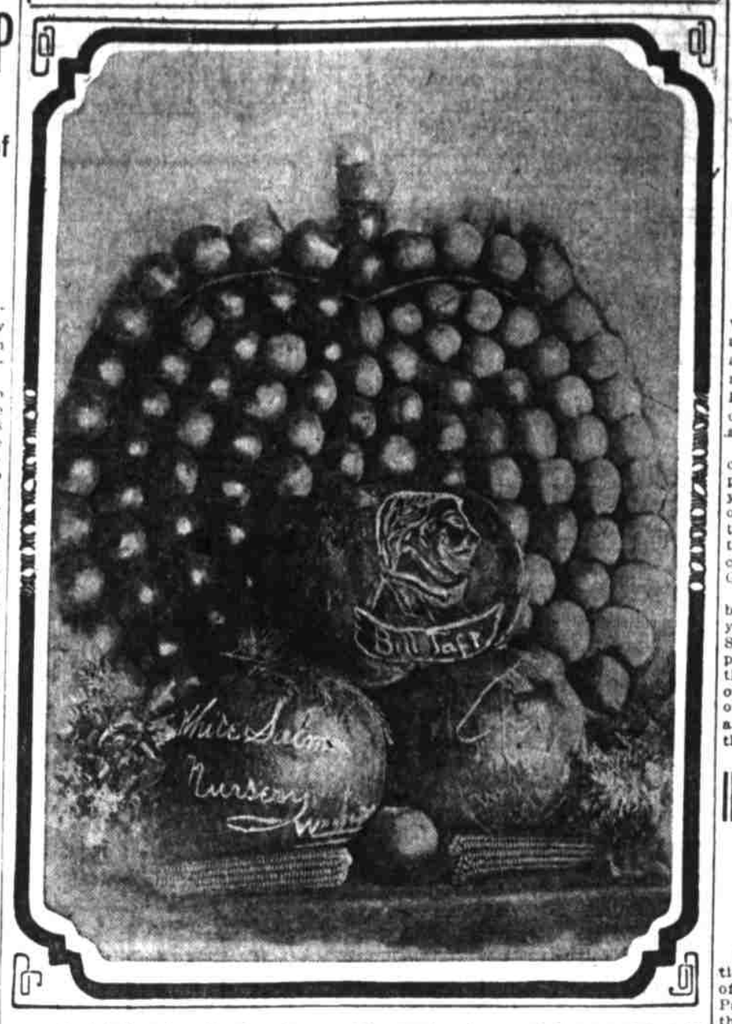
—London, May 31.—Queen Mary's crown, which will be placed upon her head during the coronation was completed today. It is according to her own design and weighs but 19 ounces. It is wholly of diamonds, set in a lace-like design, the famous Kohinoor being in the center.

The king today named Lord Roberts and Lord Kitchener among the boaters of the royal regatta.

### Trees Make Rapid Growth.

Hermiston, Or., May 31.—On the Tabor ranch may be seen peach trees that have made a growth of 22 inches already this spring, and on many other places near this city this can be duplicated.

## Pumpkin "Grows" Face of Taft




(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)

White Salmon, Wash., May 31.—The accompanying picture is of an exhibit made by a White Salmon realty firm. The apples were grown without irrigation, and the different varieties show good keeping qualities, as the picture was made one month ago.

Below are pumpkins from a local nursery, the caricature on them being the work of one of the owners, who drew them on the vegetables when small. In the center is one of the "Bill Taft pumpkins" from a neighbor's garden, which went Republican overnight. The nurseryman traced the Taft features on the young vegetables of his Democratic friend, who originally came from Tennessee, and very much chagrined was he at having to pick Taft pumpkins at harvest time last fall.

## LEADS IN CONTEST

Miss Elsie Bright.

The contest for queen to occupy the Lents float in the Rose Festival parade is waxing exceedingly warm as the contest will end tonight. The leader this afternoon is Miss Elsie Bright with Miss Tressie McDowell a close second. The vote stands as follows: Elsie Bright, 1649; Tressie McDowell, 1554; Pearl Armstrong, 433; Esther Bartholomew, 322.

## CORPS OF MEN POLL PRECINCTS TO AID IN SIMON'S REELECTION

Extensive polls by precincts and by different classes of industries or workers is being made by the Simon campaign committee. A large corps of men is engaged in this work, which is in charge of C. A. Bell, under direction of the general committee.

Mr. Bell says that most of the men engaged in this work are volunteers and receive no pay. About two dozen are being paid at the rate of $3.50 to $5 per day, two or three being engaged for as long a time as 10 days. These workers make polls, make reports on the sentiment they find in different sections, distribute cards and literature, and in some cases are also to be watchers or challengers at the polls.

All of the expenditures made are authorized by law, Mr. Bell declares, and no money is expended except for work to be performed along the lines indicated. He says a full statement of all expenditures will be filed with the city auditor and every dollar accounted for. The precinct work headquarters have been established in the Fenton building, J. P. Kennedy looking after the office, under the direction of Bell.

## F. C. MALLECK, SUICIDE, BURIED AT GRANTS PASS

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)

Grants Pass, Or., May 31.—The funeral of F. C. Malleck, aged 35, who committed suicide Monday, was held today at 2 o'clock from the Christian church. Malleck was despondent for some time. He had typhoid fever last fall, and probably never fully recovered. He was employed at the Pritchard ranch, three miles west of this city, where he shot himself. He leaves a young daughter. He had always borne a good name.

## EIGHT PERISH WHEN SQUALL HITS BOATS

(United Press Leased Wire.)

Cleveland, Ohio, May 31.—Eight persons are reported drowned as a result of a sudden squall on Lake Erie today. A number of persons were in rowboats on the lake when the squall come up.

One body has been recovered and identified as that of Mrs. F. Early. Her brothers, Thomas and David Longsrogh, were also drowned. Their bodies have not been recovered. Twenty-five men were rescued from the scow Lorain off the breakwater.

# GRANTS PASS MEN HOME FROM ILLINOIS VALLEY

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)

Grants Pass, Or., May 31.—Seventy members of the Grants Pass Commercial club returned from a pilgrimage to Illinois valley points last evening, highly delighted with the trip. A picnic dinner was served yesterday afternoon by Kerby residents in honor of the visitors. Speeches and dinners were features at Kerby, Holland and Waldo. Visitors from Crescent City were also present and took part in the big get-acquainted meetings. The outlook is bright for mining and agricultural interests.

## INCORPORATED CITIES

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legalized where not legalized at the time of the passage of the home rule bill."

Judge Burnett contends the home rule bill of no effect because of the phrase "subject to local option law." He takes the stand that the bill leaves conditions as in the first place. But Judge Moore bases his ruling on the additional clause "within its limits" and holds this to mean that the liquor traffic is left to the option of voters of municipalities without outside interference.

The clause of the home rule amendment reads:

"The legal voters of every city and town are hereby granted power to enact and amend their municipal charter, subject to the constitution and criminal laws of the state of Oregon, and the exclusive power to license, regulate, control, or to suppress or prohibit the sale of intoxicating liquors therein is vested in such municipality; but such municipality shall within its limits be subject to the provisions of the local option law of the state of Oregon."

Other decisions today were:

State of Oregon vs. Dan Hearn, Josephine county, lower court's decision affirmed. Defendant was convicted for violating the local option law and appealed, alleging that incorporated towns and municipalities were exempt from operation of the law.

John R. Harter vs. W. S. Cone, Tillamook county, decision of lower court in favor of defendant reversed and case remanded. The suit involved tax title lands and was a suit for ejectment.

C. R. Templeton vs. Cecil B. Lloyd, Multnomah county, motion to dismiss denied and decision affirmed on merits. This action is one for foreclosure of chattel mortgage on personal property.

John H. Lawrey vs. Charles H. Hanna, appealed from Umatilla county, judgment in favor of plaintiff reversed and case dismissed. The suit contested the purchase of government land and the reversal was on grounds that the state courts had no jurisdiction.

## LOCKSLEY HALL

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the west of Locksley hall was on fire but was saved. So was the Dearborn cottage, across the street from Mrs. Carlisle's two burned cottages. Much furniture was scattered about. The Grosnick cottage nearby was saved. J. W. and D. Carlisle are cousins of Mrs. L. A. Carlisle and of one another.

Locksley hall is one of the popular summer hostelries and has always enjoyed good patronage. It is widely known over the northwest. Besides its 50 rooms there were a large recreation hall and a dining hall.

### Ready for Irrigation.

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)

Lakeview, Or., June 3.—Fifty men are employed on the Davis Creek orchards dam which is nearly completed. The company has 60 acres planted to trees and about 200 acres in grain, with an additional 800 acres in alfalfa and timothy. There will be plenty of water for irrigating purposes this year, the reservoir having already been filled to the 12 foot level and then released several times.

### Off on Long Hike.

New York, May 31.—Henry Mooner started today to walk to San Francisco in 100 days.

# SHOOTING AFFRAY MAY END FATALLY

## Loren Hawks Puts Bullets Into Lem Graham on the Grande Ronde.

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)

Wallowa, Or., May 31.—Lem Graham was seriously wounded in a gun fight at the Joseph schoolhouse, three miles above the mouth of the Grand Ronde river. The shooting was done by Loren Hawks, who fired two shots at Graham, one of the bullets entering the stomach and the other the right groin.

According to a report the shooting occurred over a horse race which took place at the mouth of the Grand Ronde yesterday afternoon. The dispute was over the merits of the horses owned by the men as to speed. It is reported that the men were somewhat intoxicated and following a heated altercation Graham fired the two shots.

Hawks is about 35 years old and has been in that section for about three years, having been employed by R. R. Steen at his Billy creek ranch for a period. Graham is also well known in the Joseph creek section. Hawks was one of the men who were riding the outlaw horses at the Grand Ronde picnic and was thrown from his mount when the horses ran into the willows.

# INTERNATIONAL ISSUE CROPS UP AT BOISE

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)

Boise, Idaho, May 31.—An international question is involved in the case of Xura Case, manager of the Pacific Paving company, which was argued in the Idaho supreme court today. Case was arrested and convicted for employing foreign labor on public works in violation of an Idaho statute, and has applied for a writ of habeas corpus, alleging that the statute is a violation of the existing commercial treaty between the United States and Greece. So, it is understood, the case will be carried to the federal courts.

## WIELDER OF ROD FOR 45 YEARS BECOMES VENERABLE LAWYER

(Salem Bureau of The Journal.)

Salem, Or., May 31.—Finding that power in law which stirs up latent genius has resulted in Professor B. H. Hawthorne of Eugene taking the state bar examination here today at the age of 73 years. Professor Hawthorne taught school in Oregon 45 years, and for a number of years occupied the chair of psychology at the state university. He is entitled to retire on pension from the Carnegie fund for superannuated teachers, and will take up practice of law.

Eighty aspiring lawyers are taking examinations today. They range in ages from lads who are barely able to scratch through the 21 year limit to the 73 year old veteran.

# CONSIDER FORMATION OF NEIGHBORHOOD CLUB

Residents of Piedmont and Walnut Park will meet in the Piedmont Presbyterian church tonight at 8 o'clock to consider plans for the formation of a neighborhood club. It is proposed to acquire a block of land, build a clubhouse with tennis courts and children's playground, somewhat after the style of the Irvington tennis club. W. F. Woodward, president of the Irvington club, will tell of the work done by that organization. The Rev. Dr. Snyder, pastor of the Piedmont Presbyterian church, will be among the speakers.

## MANY MAKE PROMISES BUT FEW GO FURTHER

(United Press Leased Wire.)

Washington, May 31.—Joseph Allen of New York, testifying before the senate finance committee today, said a number of manufacturers had volunteered to contribute to the national grange's anti-reciprocity fund, but that only one, whose name he declined to give, had paid.

## SCRAPPY PLAYERS ARE GIVEN FINES OF $25

(United Press Leased Wire.)

Seattle, May 31—Eddie Householder of Victoria, and Eddie Mensor of Portland were both fined $25 today by President Lindsey for having a fist fight last Sunday. Judge Lindsey went to Tacoma to investigate the affair. The suspension of both men has been lifted.

# 40 INDICTMENTS SEALED AT TACOMA

## Most of Them Believed to Be Connected With Census Frauds.

(United Press Leased Wire.)

Tacoma, Wash., May 31. — Forty sealed indictments were returned this afternoon by the grand jury, which has been in session for several days, and it is believed that a majority of these are a result of the investigation into alleged frauds in connection with the taking of last year's census. Arrests are expected today.

Witnesses from Seattle and Bellingham were before the inquisitorial body this forenoon and it is probable that the matter of census irregularities in these cities was also taken up. It is stated the present jury is fully empowered to act in any case coming up in this district, which includes Bellingham.

Some of those in attendance from outside points, however, are stated by the assistant district attorney to be here on matters other than the census probe.

### Steam Shovel Busy.

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)

La Pine, Or., June 3.—A steam shovel capable of lifting 1800 cubic yards of earth a day has been installed at the works of the Deschutes Land company.

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