

'HOG AND CHICKEN SPECIAL' IS READY FOR LONG JOURNEY

Demonstration Train to Carry Gospel of Intensive Farming Into Central Oregon Next Week.

(Special to The Journal.) Oregon Agricultural College, Corvallis, Oct. 25.—The U. S. R. & N. farming demonstration train operated by the Oregon Agricultural college, will begin a tour of central Oregon counties next Monday. The cars are being fitted for the trip and the extensive piece of equipment are rapidly developing. In James Withycombe, director of the experimental station, will have charge of the college's part of the train, which is being referred to as the "Hog and Chicken Special," owing to the fact that a large part of the work will be along these lines.

Professor E. L. Potter of the animal husbandry department is arranging a unique exhibit which is attracting considerable attention. Two cars are being fitted up under his direction, one a box car with pens for the pigs and the other a flat car with a demonstration wing, which will be connected with the housing car by platforms. The pigs to be shown in an exhibition during the lectures. A model pigsty will occupy one end of the car and will show an automatic watering device. This will be surrounded by a pig fence.

Practical Work in Lectures. The lectures will deal largely with reference to fattening pigs. Several choice animals from the Agricultural college farm will be placed in the model farm. The animal husbandry department is endeavoring to make the exhibit of the greatest importance to the farmers and has made arrangements to obtain the very best types of the various breeds. Besides those from the college, two high class Berkshire gilts owned by Barrows & Davenport, of Coquille; two Jerseys owned by G. M. Harvey, of Salem; two Chester Whites, owned by W. G. Davis, of Tangent, and two Poland Chinas, owned by R. W. Haze, of Salem, have been loaned. Professor Potter will devote much of his time in demonstrating the points of the different breeds of hogs and explaining the methods of swine judging. The cars will be arranged so that visitors will be given an opportunity to examine all of the stock closely.

On another flat car will be the exhibit of the poultry department. This will include the latest type of stationary and portable poultry fence. Also a 7x12 foot colony house equipped with trap nests, feed hoppers and other modern poultry appliances. During the journey the car will be the home of 20 Plymouth Rock hens that have been selected with special reference to their individual egg production. The good and bad points will be clearly demonstrated. Brooding and hatching devices, including those which have been used with the most success at the college, will also be displayed. Professor

OKLAHOMA SOLON SUPPORTS WILSON

Senator Gore Says He Believes Jersey Executive Will Defeat President Taft.

(United Press Leased Wire.) San Francisco, Cal., Oct. 25.—"The democracy of the country," said Senator Gore of Oklahoma, who is here today, "is a whole lot better than it was a few years ago. I believe that he will defeat Taft, who I believe will be nominated by the Republicans. The insurgents will, of course, make a hard fight in the convention, but the 'black and tan' and the 'red and butter' factions will, I believe, put it over for Taft, as they did for Harrison. What happened to Harrison in 1892 may be expected to happen to Taft next year."

Senator Gore qualified his prophecy as to the national election by saying, "Of course, I speak the things I wish to be, and from what information I have been able to gather."

The blind senator was in conference here today with Judge Cardwell of Oklahoma, his campaign manager, when Gore was first quoted. The senator was tendered a noon "breakfast" by prominent Democrats.

That Governor Oswald West of Oregon is to be Woodrow Wilson's running mate in the presidential campaign is the prediction of Senator Gore.

Gore said that all but seven of twenty states visited by him were strong for Wilson. Harrison is favorite in three and Champ Clark in four.

Homesteaders May Leave Land. (Special to The Journal.) Huron, Or., Oct. 25.—Homesteaders living on land on the Umatilla project may be absent from their land until April 16, 1912, under a ruling from the department at Washington. A circular received by G. U. Uphogrove, United States commissioner, says that absence will be allowed but time will not be counted on the five years' residence required.

LIFE OR DEATH OF INITIATIVE SYSTEM HANGS UPON ISSUE

Bridge and Telephone Suits Before U. S. Supreme Court of Great Import to Nation, Says City Attorney Grant.

"These two cases present the most important issue that has come before the United States supreme court for years, not even excepting the recent Standard Oil cases," declared City Attorney Frank A. Grant this morning, his referred to the case of Kiernan vs. the city of Portland, and the Pacific States Telephone & Telegraph company vs. the state of Oregon.

"The issue at stake involves the very life of the initiative and referendum, not only in Oregon, but all over the country," continued the city attorney, "and upon the decision of the great national tribunal hangs the fate of popular legislation. An adverse decision will mean that the people can not legally enact laws that are in contravention to those made by state legislatures, which are but creatures of the people."

"I have prepared a strong brief in the Kiernan case, and am confident that the city will win, but there is no telling how the supreme court will view the situation."

That the supreme court regards the question as being of utmost import to the nation is evidenced by the fact that both cases have been advanced far ahead on the calendar through the intercession of Attorney General Crawford and the city attorney.

The case of the telephone company against the state involves the legality of an initiative amendment providing for a tax on the gross receipts of the company and the case of Kiernan vs. the city will decide whether or not the people have a right to vote bond issues. If the city should lose future bond issues would have to be put up to the state legislature. The case questions the legality of the Broadway bridge bonds. Both the local circuit court and the supreme court of the state have decided in favor of the city. The decision of the federal court of last resort will settle the question forever, and will either establish the initiative and referendum as an institution or consign it to death. In the event that the supreme court decides adversely the result of such a decision on the nation could hardly be imagined. It is not beyond the possibilities that the people would rise up in revolt.

"I received a dispatch last night from Washington," said the city attorney, "apprising me to appear before the supreme court this week of October 30. The message stated that the cases would be heard not later than the second of November."

25,264 BOOKS ARE LOANED IN 1 YEAR

State Library Report Shows Wide Range of Use of Good Books.

(Salem Bureau of The Journal.) Salem, Or., Oct. 25.—In making her report to the annual meeting of the Oregon library commission at the statehouse yesterday afternoon, Miss Cornelia Marvin, secretary of the commission, showed that during the year 25,264 loans had been made, not including those loans made directly to individuals from the office. The loans are divided as follows:

Traveling libraries, 13,151 books; general loans, 1869; debate libraries, 4923; fringe libraries, 6321. The commission library contains 26,760 volumes and pamphlets and 10,378 clippings. There are also numerous files of newspapers, magazines and documents which are extremely useful but of which no record has been made.

Special effort is being made to see that all school libraries throughout the state are well cared for, and the larger ones classified and organized. The orders received from the schools were remarkable this year, as but few selections were made by the superintendents. Several counties exceeded the 10 cent compulsory tax levy, among these being Benton with 17 cents, Crook with 19 cents, Grant with 20 cents, Klamath with 17 cents, Malheur with 27 cents, Umatilla with 19 1/2 cents and Wasco with 29 cents.

In Miss Marvin's report are incorporated pleas for a library post, or the privilege of sending books into rural communities as cheaply as papers are sent; strong district libraries in various sections of the state to aid in the development of the country libraries; the purchase of good books, and for a general increase in the number of good books which may be sent to those too far isolated inland to have access to libraries or even to the daily newspapers.

Preparing Report of Fair. (Salem Bureau of The Journal.) Salem, Or., Oct. 25.—Frank Meredith, secretary of the state fair, is again established in an office at the statehouse. He has the same rooms off the senate chamber which he occupied prior to the fair. C. D. Frazer, secretary of the state purchasing board, has moved into the small room used during legislative sessions as the senate cloak and wash room. Mr. Meredith is working on his financial statement preparatory to the annual meeting of the fair association in December.

NO SMOKING REQUEST OF WOMEN JURORS IS REFUSED AT SEATTLE

(United Press Leased Wire.) Seattle, Wash., Oct. 25.—While granting all other requests of women jurors to make it easier for them to perform this duty, the county commissioners refused to make a rule against smoking on the part of men. That would be a hardship, they declare. The women will be provided with separate retiring rooms and a woman bufile. Eight women are now serving on local juries.

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