

HOOD RIVER APPLE MEETING DECIDES TO JOIN N. P. F. D. A.

Mode of Handling Joint Output Agreed Upon; White Salmon, Underwood and Mosier Also Pledge Affiliation.

Hood River, Or., May 31.—A large mass meeting of apple growers of Hood River this afternoon voted unanimously to instruct the board of directors of the Hood River Apple Growers' association, now the central selling agency of the Hood River district, to perfect plans for affiliation with North Pacific Fruit Distributors' association.

Directors of the distributors' association from Montana, Idaho, Washington and Oregon were present at the meeting and stated the views of the respective districts and said all were in favor of co-operating with the distributors' association. White Salmon and Underwood, Wash., and Mosier, Or., were represented and pledged affiliation with the distributors.

One million and a half boxes will be controlled by the Hood River district this season. J. H. Robbins and Mr. Nichols, North Yakima; H. C. Sampson and Horace Bormer, Spokane; H. Huber, Milton, Or.; W. N. Yost and William Hackett, Montana, and W. K. Newell, Hood River, were present at the meeting and urged immediate action on the part of the growers. It was decided that the district largely depended upon the action here.

At a meeting of the board of directors of the distributors' association held in the forenoon it was decided that the pack and grade of all districts to affiliate must be standardized. The largest possible number of selling agents are to be placed in the field at once and claim agents and traffic managers appointed. The present trade of any district in the association is not to be disturbed and each district is to furnish fruit to such markets as its previous trade has established, but it is to be furnished through the distributors' association. Markets can be supplied proportionately from each district, based upon the tonnage signed up.

A wider distinction is to be made between fancy and extra fancy brands. The association is to charge \$15 per car for handling fruit after it has been loaded at the station.

An auxiliary board composed of two members in each district in addition to a representative on the board of directors, to have one vote for each 100 cars tonnage from each district based on the previous year's shipment, is to decide all disputed questions arising.

DELEGATES OF WOOL GROWERS ENTERTAINED

Frank Brown, owner of the Craig Lea stock farm at Carlton, Or., entertained 20 delegates of the Willamette Valley Wool Growers' association yesterday, when they held their annual meeting. Delegates representing all of the Willamette valley wool growers were present.

Addresses pertaining to the raising of stock and the disposal of wool were made by Dr. James Withycombe, of O. A. C. Dr. H. Lytle, of Pendleton, state sheep inspector, O. M. Plumber, general manager of the North Portland stock yards; Honorable C. L. Hawley, of Monmouth, and L. L. Page, of Gaston, Or.

The delegates present passed resolutions recommending Mr. Hawley for appointment on the commission to attend the Panama Pacific exposition in San Francisco. Resolutions asking the United States senators to do everything possible within their power to keep the tariff up on wool and meat, and advocating a pure wool law, were passed.

The officers chosen to handle the affairs of the association for the ensuing year were Charles Cleveland, of Gresham, president; F. A. Koser, of Rieckreath, vice president; T. D. Minton, of Portland, secretary; and J. E. Staples, of Portland, treasurer.

Following the business meeting, Mr. Brown, owner of the farm at Carlton, entertained his guests royally. A big dinner was served consisting of a variety of farm products. Following the dinner, the guests were shown about the big stock farm.

It is the custom of the members of the association to meet each year at the home of one of the members. They will meet at the home of another wool grower next year.

MRS. CHAMBERLAIN ARRIVES IN PORTLAND

Mrs. George E. Chamberlain, wife of United States Senator Chamberlain, arrived in Portland last night accompanied by her daughters, Misses Carrie Lee and Fannie Chamberlain, and Miss Helen Blair. Mrs. Chamberlain and her daughters will spend the summer in Portland and will probably be joined in September by Senator Chamberlain, who does not anticipate being able to leave Washington prior to that month. Mrs. Chamberlain stated that the senator is in excellent health and is very busy.

Mrs. Chamberlain, her daughters and her guest will stay for the present with Mrs. H. R. Galtier, her daughters, Mr. and Mrs. Galtier are occupying the home of Senator and Mrs. Chamberlain, at 681 Tillamook street. Miss Blair, who is the sister of George Blair, a son-in-law of Senator and Mrs. Chamberlain, joined Mrs. Chamberlain en route. Miss Blair is a Michigan girl and will probably remain in Portland for the winter, attending school here. Miss Fannie Chamberlain has been attending Gresham Hall, a private school of Washington.

"Mrs. Woodrow Wilson and her daughters are very charming and are making a decidedly favorable impression in Washington," Mrs. Chamberlain said. "Mrs. Wilson is making many friends through her informal ways. She has been entertaining with informal teas and receptions rather than with large formal receptions thus making possible more intimacy than would be otherwise. The cabinet members' wives have hardly become settled and I have met them only in formal gatherings."

An orchestra in an Ohio school is led by an electric flash light, so constructed that it can be made to beat any kind of time.

Journal Want Ads bring results.

JACK PINE LANDS SOON TO BE OPEN

La Pine People Believe They Have Made Uncle Sam See at Last.

(Special to The Journal.)
La Pine, Or., May 31.—The signing of petitions, drawn up by S. Berry of La Pine four months ago, by practically every resident in the upper Deschutes valley, in the territory extending from Lava Butte south about 65 miles and 30 miles wide, and the recent forwarding of said petitions to Secretary Lane of the interior department, Congressman N. J. Bennett of the second district in Oregon, and to Joseph N. Teal, chairman of the Oregon conservation commission, which has its headquarters in Portland, are having a tremendous effect upon the power that be at Washington, and indicate that the Jack pine lands in the national forests will be thrown open to settlement in a few months.

Assurances are daily being received here, that not only will an examination and classification of the thousands of acres of Jack pine be made by experts this summer, but that the examination will be conducted by experts from the bureau of soils of the department of agriculture, in no way connected with the forest service. A letter from Joseph N. Teal to Mr. Berry, written last Friday, says that Kingman Bowers, assistant secretary of the state conservation commission, will arrive at La Pine next Tuesday "to look over the situation in person."

The throwing open of Jack pine lands in the national forests would mean a great development in this section. Thousands of families would come and make the upper Deschutes valley their home. Hundreds have been driven away, particularly in the last two years, because of the tedious delay in having from applications, on one hand, and the numerous rejections of applications, on the other.

That the soil is adapted for agricultural purposes is proven yearly. Early last fall two open letters from La Pine country residents appeared in the Inter-Mountain, published here, inviting forestry men to visit their farms and inspect crops growing on punice soil and on high bench land, but in each instance the government men did not appear. One other interesting incident—an apparent glaring proof of what the soil is meant for—occurred six or seven years ago. In the spring of the year at that time the government set aside for a nursery a plot of ground at the head of Long Prairie, about 1 mile south of La Pine. The plot was fenced, the soil properly prepared and a few hundred little yellow pine trees planted. To further protect the trees from destruction by pine squirrels and the like, a quantity of poisoned grain seed was sown around the edge of the plot. When the forestry men visited the nursery three or four months later, every one of the trees had died, but from the poisoned seed had grown a little waving field of grain, four feet high.

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EXPLAINS FIGHT ON FRANCHISES

Opening of East Side by Means of Common User, Is Aim.

"There are two initiative measures to be decided upon Monday," stated C. C. Hall, a prominent member of the East Side Business Men's club, yesterday, which should receive a most careful investigation by every voter. These are the measures to annul the franchises of the O. W. R. & N. company and the Southern Pacific company, on East First and Second streets, respectively.

"This is not a fight against the railroad company affected, but it is a fight to open up the east side so that all lines coming into Portland will have free and easy access to the east side shipping district. This question does not affect only the east side, but it is a vital interest to the entire city of Portland."

Many people appear to be misinformed as to the correct meaning of these measures. We are not trying to annul these franchises for any length of time, but we do want them annulled so that these railroad companies will have to come before the council under the new commission form of government and attain their franchises which contain the common-user clause.

C. A. Bigelow, prominent east side business man and one of the prominent candidates for commissioner, has been urging the passage of these measures throughout his campaign.

"In regard to my candidacy," said Mr. Bigelow, "I want to thank the citizens from all parts of the city for the splendid recommendations which I have received. I have conducted my campaign in a fair and impartial manner; I have done no mud slinging, and if I am elected it will be because of my merits alone and not because I have tried to tear down others. I have always stood, and still stand on my public record and business ability. If I am elected I shall use my best endeavors in building up the city of Portland."

Great credit is due the members of the East Side Business Men's club for the initiative they have taken in trying to open up the east side to competing railroad lines. It was through their efforts that the common-user clause was inserted in the new charter. That part of the work having been done they prepared and circulated petitions for the annulment of the two franchises so that new franchises with the common-user clause would have to be secured. The members predict that great railroad developments on the east side will follow if the two measures are successful at the election on Monday.

HURT IN CAR ACCIDENT; CONDITION IS SERIOUS

Fred Bath, who was injured by a collision with a street car Friday evening, is in a semi-conscious condition at the Good Samaritan hospital. He has a compound fracture of the skull and his condition is considered serious. He lives by 218 Quincy street. The accident happened when his motorcycle ran into the street car.

Journal Want Ads bring results.

SLIPPED AWAY FOR OPERATION PERHAPS



Harry W. Abeles.

That Harry W. Abeles, who so mysteriously dropped out of sight in San Francisco more than a week ago, may be in one of the San Francisco hospitals, or may have even gone back as far as Rochester, Minn., in order to undergo an operation for a tumor in his head, is the belief of Mrs. Abeles, who, with her little son, arrived yesterday afternoon from Los Angeles.

The last seen of Abeles, so far as is known to his friends and family, was a week ago Friday night, when he was in company with Dr. Heller of San Francisco and A. E. Wittenberg of Portland. On arriving in Portland today, Mrs. Abeles was told that her husband had telegraphed a friend, while they were in St. Louis, that he would leave his wife in Los Angeles while he came on to San Francisco, and there have his operation, without letting his wife know about it.

When Mrs. Abeles learned this, she recalled that while traveling through New York, her husband became very much interested in the Maya brothers at Rochester, and mentioned the fact that he might go there for treatment for his trouble. One of the circumstances that would support this theory, is the fact that Abeles surrendered his ticket that would have brought him to Portland from San Francisco, at the San Francisco office of the Great Northern railway company, asking that if there was any value to it, the money be sent to his family in Portland.

FORGER AND JAILBREAKER GOES QUICKLY TO "PEN"

Goldendale, Wash., May 31.—Harry Mays, alias Jack Harbin, who was brought back to Goldendale yesterday from Prosser, where he was captured by the Sheriff of Benton county was arraigned in the Superior court this morning charged with passing three worthless checks on Goldendale merchants Saturday, May 24. Mays entered a plea of guilty and Judge Darch gave him an indeterminate sentence of from two to twenty years in state reformatory at Monroe, Wash. Sheriff F. A. Smith, of Klickitat county was notified Tuesday that Mays was wanted, and the sheriff at Prosser picked him up Thursday. An hour after Mays was caught and put in jail he and another prisoner made their escape from the county jail at Prosser by digging under a brick wall. They were both re-captured a few hours afterward while "beating it" through the sage brush nine miles east of Prosser. If no hitch occurs Mays will commence serving his sentence at Monroe just eight days after the crime was committed. Sheriff F. A. Smith brought Mays overland from Prosser yesterday in an automobile.

"For the Newest, Visit the Eastern"

EVERYONE will want to look their best for the Rose Festival. Just a week of preparation--The Eastern abounds with charming, new things in Summer Suits; lovely lingerie, Silk and Tub Dresses; White Coats, Silk Coats and nobby mixtures.

Needn't have ready money, either--pay as much as you can now, balance at convenient intervals.

Here's a New Mandarin-Sleeve Balkan Suit--a Newcomer!

Isn't it stunning? Note the new Mandarin sleeves, the jaunty Balkan girdle and sash; the draped, slashed skirt. Comes in coral eponge, black and tan Bedford and Shepherd checks.

Another of Nell rose eponge, with Bengaline sailor collar. Loops and buttons give effect of buttoning to the throat.

See the new Balkan Suits at

—\$27.50, \$32.50, \$35.00 and \$37.50

Lovely Combination Dresses

Dame Fashion's latest edict--lovely combination coat dress, with coat of one fabric or color, and skirt in another.

Also coat Dresses in new silk matelasse, of new French blue, Copenhagen and white. A large showing at \$20 upwards.

Handsome Novelty Coats

Beautiful silk matelasse, embossed ratine and eponge, in the new blues, Nell rose, gray, terra cotta, etc.

Many caught at side with immense ornaments and buttons. Draped effects are very pronounced. Prices--\$25 to \$40.

Come in tomorrow and let us open a Credit Account for you. Thousands of Portland's best people enjoy the advantages of our liberal policy

Eastern Outfitting Co.

Ask for Brown Trading Stamps

405 Washington at Leith

FEDERAL SLEUTH GOES WEDNESDAY

S. A. Connell Transferred From Portland to Kansas City.

S. A. Connell, operative in charge of the Portland United States secret service office, whose transfer to Kansas City is announced in The Journal today, leaves for his new post Wednesday morning.

By the announcement of Connell's transfer, the suspicion that the visit of Secret Service Chief William J. Flynn here 10 days ago was of more than mere passing importance is justified. Flynn was really in the city on a tour of reconnaissance of the offices, and the policy that has been adopted by the department of putting the older secret service men in the more important stations of the east.

S. A. Connell had already become famous when he was moved to Portland in 1905. Entering the United States secret service in 1892, he immediately jumped into the line of duty as an immensely efficient man. He worked in St. Louis, New York, Boston, Philadelphia, Washington, Chicago, St. Paul and other cities in the order named.

Body Guard for Roosevelt.
With James Sloan, Connell served as Theodore Roosevelt's personal body guard during the first four years of the strenuous Bull Moose's tenure in the presidency. Connell traveled all over the country with Roosevelt and is his fast friend.

When Prince Henry of Prussia visited the United States in 1902 Connell was detailed to attend him and accompanied the German noble in his tour of the country. Connell also went to China to escort the Chinese prince who was the late occupant of the celestial throne, to this country and he was also with him on his famous tour. Connell was one of the party that had the ticklish job of defending the Russian Grand Duke Boris from bloodthirsty American anarchists when that autocrat visited the states.

Is a Class No. 1 Man.
Connell is an operative of Class No. 1, the highest in the service. He was sent to Portland to operate a temporary office here while the Lewis and Clark exposition was open. Later in the same year, 1905, he came back, this time to open the permanent office, and he has been here ever since.

While his work has not been highly spectacular here, this is because the district is remarkably free from the class of criminals for which he looks out. Connell has the record of working up his cases so well and so promptly that once he had made an arrest, no counterfeiter has ever gone free, acquitted of the charge.

At Kansas City he will have charge of Kansas, Western Missouri and Oklahoma.

COURT'S CRITICISM ANGERS MRS. HEYE

Would-Be Divorcee Declares Brooklyn Judge Lacks Understanding of Needs.

(United Press Licensed Wire.)
New York, May 31.—Red hot answer to Judge Aspinwall's criticism of her application for \$79,000 yearly alimony was voiced here today by Mrs. George E. Heye, formerly of San Francisco, who is suing her millionaire husband for divorce. The court aroused Mrs. Heye's ire when she asserted that "you society women ought to be home nursing babies instead of sitting around hotel cafes sipping cocktails and highballs and smoking cigarettes." Then he turned down Mrs. Heye's alimony application as exorbitant.

Judge Declared Narrow.
"That's what I get," said Mrs. Heye, "for allowing a Brooklyn magistrate to sit in my case. They are not familiar with the true situation, know nothing about the expenditures of New York society women and can see no further than their Brooklyn-bred noses."

"Yes, I bought \$561 worth of liquors and \$49 worth of cigarettes at one hotel but I bought them for guests. I did not drink and Mr. Heye knows it. Judge Aspinwall made a silly statement when he suggested that I am one of those women who keep people dogs with long, silky hair. But what can you expect from a Brooklyn magistrate? We never kept a dog in our family until last year when one was bought for the children."

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WILLAMETTE REACHES HEIGHT OF 21 FEET

The Willamette river reached the 21 foot mark last night and is still rising as a result of back water from the Columbia, which has been rising rapidly for several days. Weather Forecaster Beals believes the Willamette will continue to rise and that it will be well towards the 22 foot mark