

FARMERS TO HOLD MEETING TUESDAY AT HERMISTON

Hermiston, Dec. 13.—There will be a big meeting of the local farm bureau at the public library Tuesday at 2 o'clock.

Fred Benion, county agent, will be present and will read in the discussion of the continuation of the rabbit campaign, boys' and girls' club work, sulphur demonstrations, crop rotation and the most profitable type of farming for this community.

The Columbia Basin Alfalfa Growers' association will hold a meeting at the public library December 14, when J. N. Price of Tappahewa, Wash., manager of the Washington Hay Growers' association, will be the speaker.

HOOPER OUTLINES LABOR HARDING

Marion, Ore., Dec. 13.—(I. N. S.)—Another brief of the case to settle definitely the international policy of the United States was presented to Senator Harding today.

American Legion in Raymond Conducts Its Annual Election

Raymond, Wash., Dec. 13.—Raymond post, American Legion, elected Harry L. Sistrup, commander; Ryland Sizer, vice commander; A. J. Windshelmer, adjutant.

Church Steeple Is Blown Off; Sticks Up Through Roof

Toledo, Or., Dec. 13.—The high wind of Friday evening blew down the telephone and telegraph lines leading to the cutting Lincoln county off from all communication with the outside world.

National Purchase of Wheat Output Is Asked by Farmers

Washington, Dec. 13.—(I. N. S.)—Regulation of the agricultural products by the municipal authorities working in conjunction with a national grain corporation empowered to purchase the wheat crop and control elevators and milling companies, was vocated by Bent C. Marsh, secretary of the Farmers' National Council, today before the senate and house agriculture committees.

David Lamar, Called Wall Street Wolf, Loses Court Appeal

Washington, Dec. 13.—(I. N. S.)—David Lamar, "the wolf of Wall street," and Henry J. Martin of New York today lost in the supreme court of the United States their petition to have dismissed the cases pending against them for conspiring to violate the Sherman act in seeking to restrain shipments of munitions of war from this country to Great Britain, France, Italy and other countries at war with Germany.

Fred W. Richter, Well Known Among Musicians, Is Dead

Frederick W. Richter, 54, well known musician, died suddenly Sunday afternoon at his home, 322 Failing street, following a hemorrhage.

Toledo W. R. C. Picks Its List of Officers

Toledo, Wash., Dec. 13.—The following officers were elected by the local W. R. C.: President, Mrs. Clara Carpenter; senior vice president, Little Lyon; junior vice president, Mrs. J. S. Kincaid; treasurer, Miss Marjorie Crotty; chaplain, Mrs. R. L. Calvin; conductor, Mrs. Ann Layton.

HEGARDT SENDS MESSAGE TELLING OF TERMINALS

G. B. Hegardt, engineer of the dock commission, will forward to the New York chapter of American engineers to be held December 15. The text of the message that Hegardt will send is on the subject of the best type of terminals for combined rail and water deliveries.

WHEAT RATE CHARTER FOR EUROPE

Refusal of farmers to let go on wheat, the fluctuations on charters, delay of the shipping board to meet the rates of foreign owners and the sudden termination of demand on the continent for grain has practically ended the export business from the Pacific side as well as from Atlantic ports.

POSITIONS OF VESSELS

Radio reports from North Head give the positions of the following vessels at 8 p. m., December 12: Oregon, Port San Luis for Portland, barbound for Columbia river.

News of the Port

Arrivals, December 13: Rose City, American steamer, from San Francisco, passing at noon.

DAILY RIVER READINGS

Table with columns for Station, Date, Height, etc. Includes stations like Umatilla, Wallula, and Oregon City.

AT NEIGHBORING PORTS

Astoria, Dec. 13.—Arrived at 9:40 a. m.: Steamer West Kedron, from San Francisco. Arrived at 10:10 a. m.: Steamer Oregon, from Port San Luis.

INDOOR SPORTS

John P. Nelson Dies: John P. Nelson died Saturday evening at his residence, 1291 Rodney avenue, at the age of 63. He had resided in Portland since 1880.

BUDLSON REPORT SHOWS INCREASE IN POSTAL INCOME

Washington, Dec. 13.—The report of Postmaster General Budlson for the fiscal year ended June 30, 1920, shows that revenues of the postal service for the fiscal year ended June 30, 1920, including the revenues from money order and postal savings business, amounted to \$427,150,212.33.

MISS ALICE COLLIER AND F. HEILMAN TO MARRY IN NEW YORK

Portland friends of Miss Alice H. Collier, sister of Mrs. L. H. Bowby, 460 East Fifty-third street, will be interested to learn of her recent appointment as head of the Ohio and West Virginia division of the Young Woman's Christian Association, also of her forthcoming marriage on Saturday of this week to Frank W. Heilman, also well known in Portland.

TAKER W. H. LIBBY READY FOR WATER

Vancouver, Wash., Dec. 13.—The W. H. Libby 13,000-ton oil tanker, constructed by the G. M. Standifer corporation for the Standard Oil company, will be launched from the yards at noon Wednesday.

Paper Company of Spokane to Enlarge

Spokane, Wash., Dec. 13.—Announcement of addition to the plant and equipment of the Inland Empire Paper company, to cost between \$85,000 and \$100,000, was made by W. A. Brazee, secretary and manager. The capacity of the plant will be increased 25 per cent to produce daily 90 tons of sulphite or wood pulp.

Ford Plans Tractor For German Fields

Berlin, Dec. 13.—A German Ford tractor, built in German factories, by German workmen, under German direction, but with capital and "specifications" supplied by Henry Ford of America, may soon be at work in the fields of the central estates—if Ford can overcome certain obstacles that have cropped up since the announcement of his plans.

Bread Price Drops Cent in Milwaukee

Milwaukee, Wis., Dec. 13.—(U. P.)—Bread took a 1-cent drop here today, 13-pond loaves now selling for 15 cents, and pound loaves at 10 cents.

DEATHS AND FUNERALS

HEILS—At her home, 105 Fremont street, Dec. 12, Mrs. Frances Ellis, widow of the late Joseph Ellis, mother of Joseph A. and Victor E. William J. and Oliver Frances Ellis and Joseph Elmer, all of this city. The funeral services will be held at the conservatory chapel of the East Side Funeral Directors, 414 East Alder street, at 2 p. m. Wednesday, December 15. Friends invited. Interment, Rose City cemetery.

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Well, we spent 3 months learning auction bridge, bought all the books on it, we're all sharks on it, we're all sharks on it, we're all sharks on it.

INDOOR SPORTS

Discovering all of a sudden that after you've learned bridge, you've found out that there's none of your friends you'd like to play with.

INDOOR SPORTS

YOU SAY MR. PUMP CHEATS AND I KNOW THAT MRS. DUNKS IS A WINDBAG—OF COURSE WE CAN INVITE THE FAEBERS BUT HE'S SUCH A DUMB BELL.

INDOOR SPORTS

MOTHER—I COULD RING UP MY HAROLD AND WE COULD PLAY RIGHT HERE—BUT NOT FOR MONEY—HAROLD LOST HIS POSITION AND—

INDOOR SPORTS

THEY WIN THE HAND PAINTED FLOOR MATS.

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