

BRYAN APPROVES FARMERS' BLOC; DELEGATES CHEER

Washington, Jan. 24.—A portly, partially bald gentleman of mature years, whose face was familiar to every man in the room, sat throughout the two sessions of the agricultural conference opening here Monday.

He heard President Harding make a speech and listened to the applause—joined in it. He heard numerous other speeches, accompanied by more or less applause. He was a visitor, not a delegate. He had attended to look and listen.

Then came the hour for adjournment. The chairman, who had noted the quiet figure, arose and made some brief introductory remarks, and then:

"Gentlemen of the conference: William Jennings Bryan."

The visitor arose from his seat amid thunderous applause. These were faces he was accustomed to look in during his 30 years of active political life. The applause was music, and his ear, during the conference discussions, had become attuned to the dominant note. He launched into a glowing tribute of the farm bloc in congress—its work, as compared to the oldtime Wall street bloc.

And here are some of the things he said, punctuated by enthusiastic outbursts of approval from his audience.

"The bloc is better than any I have known in the last 30 years, because it is honest enough to act openly."

"The farmer was the first man on earth and he will be the last man. It is a distinct step forward that the farmer has a man to speak for him in congress."

"This congress has done more than the last congress because it is more scared. There has been more coercion on the part of the farmers' representatives in congress."

"They say that the agricultural bloc is unpatriotic. This is very interesting. In my 30 years of political observation I have never yet seen the absence of a financial bloc, or a manufacturers' bloc."

"The solution of our agricultural problems will be reached if the farmer will get back of his needs, just as the financier has gotten back of his needs in congress."

It was a knockout—a regular old fashioned Bryan knockout. The farmers liked it and yelled for more.

Mrs. Wm. Siegrist Dies at La Grande

La Grande, Jan. 24.—Mrs. William Siegrist died here Monday, following a short illness. She was prominent in social activities in La Grande and was the daughter of N. K. West, head of a department store here. Mrs. Siegrist was born in Portland in 1847 and was married 13 years ago. She received her education at St. Helens hall in Portland. She is survived by her husband, who is associated with his father-in-law in business; her father, and a 12-year-old son, Kenneth. Funeral services will be held at St. Peter's Episcopal church here at 2 o'clock Wednesday afternoon.

NEW POSTMASTERS
Washington, Jan. 24.—(WASHINGTON BUREAU OF THE JOURNAL)—The senate has confirmed the following postmasters: Guy E. Tex at Central Point, Evelyn N. Everson at Creswell, Albert M. Pater at Gaston, William C. Depew at Lebanon, Carl A. Patterson at Orengo, John S. Sitcha at Scio and William H. Tate at Wasco.

MORE BIRTHS THAN DEATHS
Ashland, Jan. 24.—The birth rate exceeded the death rate in Ashland in 1921, according to Dr. P. G. Swenson, secretary of the local board of health.

Attempting Woman's Rescue on Ice, Man Breaks Leg and Arm

J. O. Wright, an automobile driver living at 488 East Davis street, was painfully injured at noon Monday while attempting to rescue Miss Grace Hall of Norfolk, Va., from a dangerous position on the ice along the Columbia river highway at Mist falls, 33 miles east of Portland. Miss Hall was one of a party of tourists who hired Wright's car for a drive over the highway. She climbed too near the edge of the ice pack above the O-W. R. & N. tracks and called for help. Wright went to her assistance, lost his footing at the brink of the icy precipice and fell to the railroad tracks, 30 feet below.

The injured man was carried to the car and taken to the Good Samaritan hospital, where it was found that he had suffered a fracture of his left leg and left arm, besides other serious bruises and contusions. Other members of the party were T. W. Allen of Virginia and Mrs. Lillian McDougall of Montreal, Canada. None of the party, except Wright, was injured. Allen is a cattle buyer, registered at the Portland hotel, and the two women are tourists.

LIVESTOCK SHOW DATES NOV. 4-11

Date for the next Pacific International Livestock exposition was set for November 4 to 11, 1922, at the directors' meeting, held Monday in the offices of Charles H. Carey, Teon building, Walter A. Moore of Hollywood, Wash., was elected to serve as director in the place left vacant by the late Fred S. Stimson. Moore is a son-in-law of Stimson, who held the position of president of the exposition until his death Thanksgiving day.

It was decided not to select a new president until the next meeting of the board of directors March 30. Meanwhile, Carey will continue to serve temporarily in this position. A committee was appointed to make out a budget for this year's expenses. Members of the committee are Roderick Macleay of Wedderburn, E. A. Stuart of Seattle, W. B. Ayer and Frank Robertson of Portland. Some of the controversy arose over the dates for the coming show. Both A. D. Dunn of Wapato, Wash., and F. M. Rothrock held out for a later date. There was doubt in some minds as to the date that would fit in with the dates selected for other shows attended by the same class of stock.

The books of the association have recently been gone over carefully by an auditor and his report indicates that the association is in a satisfactory financial condition, with little debt yet to be paid, although a heavy building program has been carried on during the last few years. With another show as successful as the last, it is believed the books will show a good margin on the right side of the ledger.

No extensive building is contemplated for the near future, although it is probable that some repair work and a few improvements will be made before the opening of this year's show. Those attending the meeting were: Charles H. Carey, Portland; A. D. Dunn, Wapato, Wash.; Ray J. Fox, Lyons, Or.; C. L. Hawley, state dairy and food commissioner; Roderick Macleay of Wedderburn, Or.; F. M. Rothrock, Spokane; A. C. Ruby, Portland; E. A. Stuart, Seattle; O. V. Battles, Yakima; H. E. Sellwood, Oswald, Wash.; Frank Robertson and O. M. Plummer, general manager, all of Portland.

Mrs. Anna Matlock Dies at Pendleton

Pendleton, Jan. 24.—Mrs. Anna Matlock, aged 72, widow of the late William P. Matlock, pioneer of Oregon, died here Monday following a short attack of pneumonia. She leaves many relatives over the Pacific Coast. Mrs. Matlock was born in Illinois and crossed the plains in 1853. She was married in 1867 and came to Pendleton the same year. The late William Matlock was one of the builders of Pendleton. The funeral will be held from the Episcopal church Thursday.



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All the Fur Coats
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choice of all fur coats in the Lipman, Wolfe stock at exactly half price.
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All the Finest Cloth
Coats at \$97.50
—All the finest coats in Lipman, Wolfe's regular stock are half price and less than half price at \$97.50.
Coat Section—On the Third Floor



"Good-Bye Sale" of All Suits

At One Price—Take Your Choice at \$25

A Drastic Clearance Is This—Drastic Indeed Since the Sale Price Tomorrow Scarcely Is to Cover Actual Cost of the Trimmings on some of the Suits—This Is the "Suit Sale Supreme"

Many of the Suits on Display in Our Fifth-Street Windows Tonight and Tomorrow

Just 112 Suits Are in the Sale—Choice at \$25

—This notable selling event, the clearance of all the remaining Fall and Winter Suits in our regular stocks, begins tomorrow morning at 9:30.

—In the selling are tailored and semi-tailored suits with box coats or with coats in ripple and flared effects.

—Splendid suits, remarkable suits, better grade suits—their better qualities established by the fact that they are presented at Lipman, Wolfe's. Choice at \$25.00.

Positively Marvelous Are Such Suit Values

—Fine suits are these—made of moussyne, duvet de laine, velour, twill cord and tricotine, and as befits suits of this character, they're handsomely adorned with various fetching trimmings—especially prominent are those suits trimmed with such furs as moly, nutria and slynx.

—They're in sizes 16 to 40—a limited number in the larger sizes. None of these suits will be sent on approval—none will be reserved.



Suit Section—On the Third Floor—At Lipman, Wolfe's

Jersey Silk Bloomers
Extra Special at \$3.75

—Knickers in the sport length and with elastic at the waist as well as with elastic cuff knee. Sizes 5, 6 and 7. Not every size in each color, though.

Glove Silk Vests at \$2.97

—\$2.97 is a reduced price—it is far below the price these vests were marked originally. They're full-length vests of heavy quality glove silk and are in the bodice top style—in flesh tint only; sizes 36, 38 and 40.

On the Street Floor



Full-Fashioned Thread Silk
Hose Reduced to \$1.59

—The price, low as it is, in no way is adequate expression of the values in this selling. Fine gauze weight hose reinforced with lisle soles, toes and heels and garterproof tops. Cordovan and black.

On the Street Floor

Nightgowns and Bloomers in
Extraordinary Selling Wednesday

"Blue Bird" Crepe Gowns

—Shirred nightgowns of fine striped crepe in "Blue Bird" design. They're decidedly below the regular price at \$1.95.

Other Crepe Nightgowns

—These are fashioned with high "v" necks—and all with yokes and long sleeves; hemstitched. Choice of white and flesh tint. \$2.95

Pink Batiste Nightgowns

—Splendid gowns of batiste—some are in tailored styles while others are embroidered in dainty colors. \$1.15, \$1.45 and \$1.65.

On the Fourth Floor

Batiste Bloomers—Special

—Dainty pink batiste bloomers with ruffles and elastic; with blue stitching. All are reinforced. All are extra special at 59c.

Extra Sized Bloomers

—These are made of crepe in flesh tint or in pretty figured designs—all of them with ruffles. At \$1.25 these are splendid values. \$1.25

Batiste Step-In Drawers

—They're trimmed with lace and insertion—some with ruffles. In white and flesh tint. All are under regular price at 95c.

95c



"Polly Prim" Cretone
Aprons Reduced to 95c

—They are taken from our regular stock and repriced below the usual figure, to effect a clearance. They're finished with ric rac braid and two pockets.

Rubber Household Aprons 50c

—50c is a special price—and these are aprons of unusual worth. They're made of checked and plaid rubberized materials and are in bib style. Finished with tape.

On the Fourth Floor



Sewing Machines at
Lowered Prices

—The "Free" sewing machines are among those we are talking about, and these are machines possessing unusual merit—a fact attested by thousands of women. Several styles on display, and now at the lowered prices.

Seventh Floor—Lipman, Wolfe & Co.