Additional Help To Protect Wild Fowl State Need

Until the warden service in each state can be adequately supplied with enough men violations of the law protecting wild fowl will continue to increase, in the opinion of the officials of the biological survey, which has just turned in its annual report to the office of federal game warden Ray C. Steele. Records show that the protection now given migratory birds is resulting in a material increase in their numbers. With the abolition of spring shooting, water fowl are extending their breeding range.

The problem of feeding and caring for these birds in Oregon has been so great that it was discovered last year that large numbers of wild ducks died of starvation and others were in an emaciated condition after having eaten all the vegetation from the ponds in the locality in which they were found. This emphasizes the necessity of prompt action in setting aside and perpetuating as homes for these birds and other wild life, marsh and water areas unsuitable for agricultural purposes.

More than 4,000,000 state hunting licenses were issued during the last year in the United States, but this does not represent the total number of hunters because in some sections farmers and others are exempt from the hunting license law. During the last year the number of United States game wardens varied from 25 to 28 and were aided by 48 United States deputy game wardens who were employed on salary during short intervals. A corps of 350 federal deputy game wardens stationed at suitable points throughout the country receiving a nominal salary of $1 per annum cooperated by reporting violations of the law. But the number is still inadequate for the vast territory to be patrolled.

Famous Health Resort Closed

Medford, Dec. 30.—Shovel Creek Hot Springs, a famous health and fishing resort on the Klamath river at Beswick, near the Oregon line, in Siskiyou county, has been permanently closed. It is reported that the property has been taken over by the California-Oregon Power company, whose Copco dam lies a few miles below Beswick. Many people from Oregon formerly took the baths at Shovel Creek.

KELSO LICENSES

Kelso, Wash., Dec. 30.—Marriage licenses have been issued here to C. W. French and Ruth D. Welch, Portland; Perry Hobson and Florence Edmonds, Castle Rock; Isaac Hoffer and Eunice M. Taylor, Hoquiam; O. H. Zeller, Salem, Or., and Marie Proudfit, Portland; Albert Hedrick and Rena Peterson, Vancouver, Wash.

BAD CHECKS PASSED

Kelso, Wash., Dec. 30.—A man purporting to be George Jackson passed bad checks on several Kelso business houses recently. He used Wenatchee National bank checks, changing them to read "First National bank of Kelso," where he had no account.

Bird of Paradise Feather Cheap in N. Y.? Wait, Read

(By Universal Service)

New York, Dec. 30.—Hunting birds of paradise is a tough job, one of the hardest in the world, because these are rare birds. It is no wonder, then, that a professional hunter of these rarities should have a bad case of popeyes when he sees hundreds of paradise birds on Broadway after searching for years in the native haunt of the bird and seeing only a few dozen or so.

The answer, discovered accidentally today, is that the habitat of the bird of paradise has been changed from the South Sea Islands to feather factories on the east side of New York. Now, ladies, get out your beautiful hat and put it under the glare of pitiless publicity.

E. W. Barber, United States customs inspector, was accosted by a sailor who offered to sell him a $100 bird of paradise for $20. He arrested the man, who said he had smuggled it in.

But when he showed the evidence in asking a warrant for the sailor, a bird "expert" gave him the scornful snort.

"This," he said, picking a piece from the object, "is a vulture feather. This is a pigeon head, and this an ordinary barnyard rooster feather. The whole job was beautifully colored up in an east side factory and worth $2.50 wholesale with a handsome profit."

The feather smuggler was kicked out, for there was no government charge to hold against him.

Honor to Wilson Is Paid in Walla Walla

Walla Walla, Wash., Dec. 30.—Democrats of Walla Walla Thursday night at a banquet observed the 66th birthday anniversary of former President Woodrow Wilson. Professors W. H. Bleakney and W. A. Bratton of Whitman college eulogized the work of the World War president for progressive legislation in this country and the service he rendered the world at the peace conference. T. P. Gose and C. M. McKinney, prominent local attorneys; W. A. White, chairman of the Walla Walla county Democratic central committee and Rev. A. R. Liverett spoke.

WAR HERO IS BURIED

Hoquiam, Wash., Dec. 30.—A full military funeral was held here yesterday for Lee D. Cutler, war veteran, who died two weeks ago in Arizona, where he had been living in an effort to cure tuberculosis. Cutler was gassed in France. He was decorated for bravery on the battlefield.

FRANK JURMU

Kelso, Wash., Dec. 30. — Frank Jurmu, resident of the Mount Solo district for many years, died at Astoria, where he moved recently, following sale of his farm to the Long-Bell Lumber company.

HUSBAND ASKS DIVORCE

Chehalis, Wash., Dec. 30.—A divorce suit was filed here yesterday by Morton O. Barger against Opal E. Barger, married in Chehalis in 1917.

Collection of Rare Plants Presented O. A. C. Herbarium

A valuable collection of rare and useful plant specimens have been given to the Oregon Agricultural college herbarium by D. C. Ingram, grazing examiner for the United States forest service. During the last 12 years Ingram has assembled 1900 different kinds of Oregon plants collected in connection with a study of grazing possibilities in national forests of the state. Several specimens of each plant have been preserved, the original set being sent to Washington, D. C., a second set to the local forest service offices and the third going to the collector who in this case has decided to give the college the benefit of its use as study material.

One of the features of Oregon flora is that it merges several distinct ancient flora in one as is the case with that found in the redwood district of the Siskyou mountains where a number of the rarest plants have been picked up. One of these is the cypress vegitus which is found only in the Siskyous and which according to Ingram is an immigrant plant from Southern Europe. The plant is a freak specimen and its presence in Oregon is a curious fact in that the only other known plants of its kind are found abroad, notably in Egypt.

The Amorpha, a plant native to the Siskiyou region, is a new discovery in the flora of the West. Other rare specimens have been found in the Blue Mountains of Eastern Oregon where Henderson's oryzopsis was discovered. The original specimen was found in Washington by Henderson, a botanist, some years ago and the Oregon plant is the second one known to be in existence.

The collection of specimens which will soon be installed in the botany department of the O. A. C. contains practically all the native forage plants which are of use as grazing material for livestock, others are of little economic value except in research work.

MRS. CHARLOTTE HOLM

Walla Walla, Wash., Dec. 30.—Mrs. Charlotte Holm, 71, a resident of the Walla Walla valley for 50 years, died at her home in College Place, two miles west of here, Thursday. She was born in Luxenberg, Sweden, and came to this country in 1868. She was married shortly afterward and came West with her husband, Alex Holm, to Salem, Or.; later moving to the Walla Walla valley. She is survived by seven children: Miss Annie Holm, College Place; Oscar Holm, Seattle; Edgar Holm, Long Beach, Cal.; Edgar Holm, Umapine, Or.; Mrs. W. M. Davis and Roy Holm, College Place, and Maurice Holm, Haverhill, Mass.

HENRY FROST

Ridgefield, Wash., Dec. 30.—Henry Frost, 87, died December 23 at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Charles Frost, in the Etna district, northeast of Ridgefield.

U. P. Lines Lead in Safety Competition

The Union Pacific railway system ranked first among the 27 largest railways of the nation in safety during the first three months of 1922, according to an accident bulletin issued by the Interstate Commerce commission. Of the four lines under the system the O-W. R. & N. ranked second. The Interstate Commerce commission figures the number of accidents per million manhours of work and the O.-W. showed .2 killed per million manhours and 10.13 injured.

PROPOSED LINE BACKED

Prosser, Wash., Dec. 30.—A Priest Rapids Progressive league, comprising Priest Rapids, Hanford, White Bluffs, Allard, Vernita and Wahluke, has been organized seeking completion of the White Bluffs-Hanford soldiers' settlement, presentation of a constructive land settlement policy to the legislature and obtaining of a certificate of necessity for the Wenatchee Southern railway.

HOTEL EQUIPMENT RECEIVED

Bandon, Dec. 30.—A portion of the furniture for the new Hotel Westland was received in the steamer Elizabeth and the balance of the equipment of the hotel will come in a few days from Portland. The new hostlery will be opened January 15. It is especially designed to take care of tourist patronage, which is increasing every year. Two other large hotels have been filled to capacity and unable to meet the demands of the tourists.

Radio Egg-Frying Demonstration to Be Staged at 'Y'

A demonstration of frying eggs by wireless will be given tomorrow by the Portland Y. M. C. A. as a feature of its annual New Year's day open house and reception. Several thousand persons are expected to attend. All departments—educational, physical, boys' and young men's divisions—will be in continuous operaton from the opening at 2:30 until 9:30. A concert by the "Y" orchestra will open the reception. Vaudeville stunts will follow.

Portland citizens will see volleyball and basketball games, gymnasium class exhibitions, fancy diving, life-saving, competitive swimming, strength testing, X-rays and insulator testing.

The Y. M. C. A. school will show chemical, physical and biological phenomena. The entertainment will be repeated in the evening beginning at 7:30.

VACATION NEARS END

Oregon Agricultural College, Corvallis, Dec. 30.—Vacation will end Tuesday and the regular winter term will open with two days for registration. Class work will begin Thursday morning.

PORTLAND AUTO FOUND

Kelso, Wash., Dec. 30.—Automobiles owned by A. Turtledove of Vancouver, Wash., and Dr. Vernon J. Brown of Portland were recovered by Kelso authorities.

College Needs Put At $50,000 in 1923

Walla Walla, Wash., Dec. 30.—According to estimates of the board of managers of Walla Walla college, located at College Place, two miles west of here, $50,000 will be needed to run that institution for the coming year. S. J. Lashier of College Place, secretary of the North Pacific Adventist conference, presided in the absence of H. W. Cotterill of Portland at the three-day session of the board of managers.

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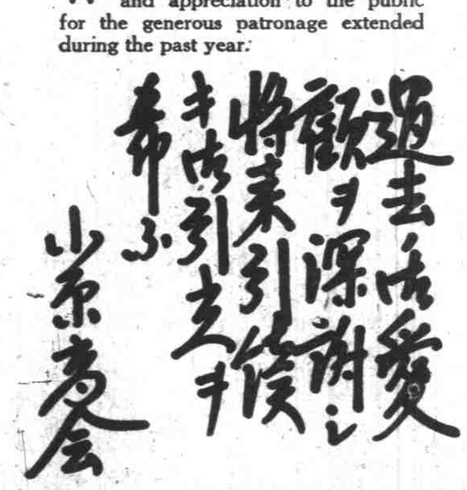

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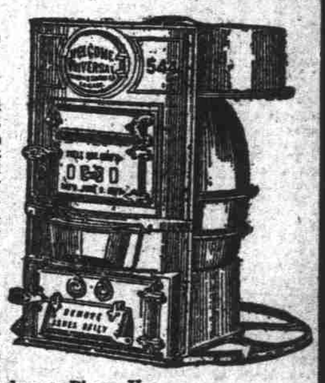

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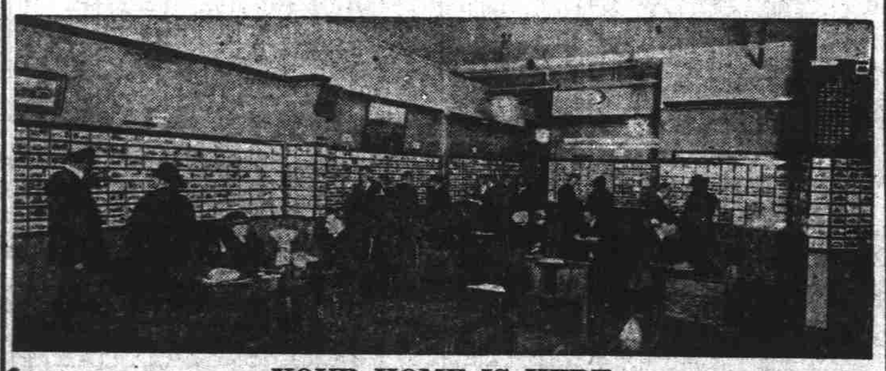

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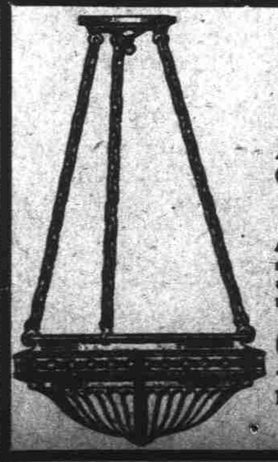

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