

ORGANIZING THE PRUNE INDUSTRY

Meetings Being Held All Over Valley; One in Salem This Evening

Under the direction of R. H. Kipp, marketing specialist of the Portland Chamber of Commerce, meetings are being held in each of the valley counties, with the county bankers, commercial organizations, prune growers and packers.

The first meeting was at Dallas Friday evening, the 19th, for Polk county, where the plan was unanimously endorsed. The chamber of commerce of Dallas at their noon luncheon yesterday also unanimously endorsed the movement.

Tonight, at the Salem Chamber of Commerce rooms, there will be a meeting of the bankers of Marion county, at which any one else will be made welcome.

Three different forms of local units being proposed for discussion. On Friday next, November 26, there will be a meeting at the commercial club rooms at Newberg, by the Bankers' association of Yamhill county.

All the nine counties of the valley will be covered by these meetings, before starting the holding of meetings with the prune growers.

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"The Kort Cafe" New Name of Eating Place

"The Kort Cafe" is the new name selected for the old Oyster Loaf restaurant by the judges in the recent name contest. Some time ago this restaurant changed hands. R. G. Henderson and E. C. Mennis are the proprietors. They have had the rooms completely remodeled and redecorated and also added some new and up to date equipment. All of the work done has added to the attractiveness of the place and a real homelike atmosphere is maintained.

In preparing for the opening of the remodeled restaurant, the proprietors thought a new name would be in order. Not being able to come to some decision for a name they decided to conduct a contest. Over 3000 names were submitted to the judges. Anna Nash submitted the name "The Kort Cafe," while the judges decided that F. W. Bailey had the second best offering. Judges were Rosalia Kerber, C. A. Carlson and R. W. Simeral.

Tyler's Big Z Cold Capsules will cure your cold. If you don't believe it try it for yourself. Tyler's is the only place to get them, 157 S. Com'l.

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FIREMAN KILLED WHEN SLIDE WRECKS LIMITED

After being derailed, instead of to the left, and into a rock bank, the entire train would have plunged down a 40 foot embankment into the Umatilla river, it is said.

J. H. Snodgrass, engineer, escaped injury when he was thrown clear on the river side of the track. Neither fireman or engineer had warning of the slide which came down the mountainside just as the limited reached the curve. A rock weighing almost a ton was found under the pilot of the engine.

C. M. Hamilton, express messenger, was lying on a bunk in the baggage car when the wreck occurred. Realizing what was happening he reached up and caught

hold of two iron bars above his head, swinging free as the baggage car dropped down the embankment. Two bodies being taken east were in the baggage car and Hamilton narrowly avoided injury or death when one of the boxes was hurled toward him. The baggage car was uncoupled from the tender and rolled into the river in order to facilitate getting the hoists to a point where the fireman's body could be released.

The Commercial Book Store has everything you need in books and stationery and supplies for the school, office or home at the lowest possible prices.

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FALL DOHENY HEARING MARKED WITH ORATORY

had spent this sum in improving his New Mexico ranch holdings, the former secretary "did not tell the truth about it, but tried in every way to conceal it."

Calling attention to that nearly a month after the loan was made, Doheny had advised the government his firm would not undertake the Pearl Harbor development, Hogan insisted there had been no secrecy; that Fall had given his demand note; had used the money to buy ranch property, paying \$10,000 in cash in the presence of witnesses, and making other payments in the usual way by checks and drafts.

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Hop Growing and Selling Concern Being Started

SILVERTON, Ore., Nov. 23.—(Special.)—A company with the paramount purpose of growing, buying, and selling high grade hops is being organized here this week. Frank A. Morley of this city, one of Oregon's well known hop men, will head the new concern. Mr. Morley is a hop man of years of experience and has reduced the business of growing hops to a science thus producing some of the finest crops in the valley. The company expects to be represented by an investment of over \$500,000.

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WOMAN RECITES STORY OF LIFE BEFORE DYING

before. This she used in the basement of her apartment house, she said, but later when her conscience troubled her because she was doing something that "Daddy would not like, she gathered up the poisoned food, placed for rats, and put it in the furnace.

She said that her husband, in cautioning her about the danger of children who were accustomed to be around the basement while their parents were washing clothes, picking up the poisoned food, had said to her: "The telltale convulsion would be such that everybody would know the child had poison and you would be unhappy all your life."

Mrs. McGee and Mrs. Aslop both testified that Dr. McGee was accustomed to take the poison mentioned by the state, as a heart stimulant.

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NEEDY REMEMBERED BY SALVATION ARMY

Special Thanksgiving Dinner for Homeless Men Thursday Planned

The local Salvation Army is planning a special program to be given at their hall, 241 State, Thanksgiving night, commencing at 8 o'clock. The occasion will also be in the nature of a welcome home to Mrs. Ensign Pitt, who returns to Salem today, after a three weeks' rest at her home in Colorado.

Homeless and indigent men of the city will be given a special Thanksgiving dinner on that day, from 1 to 2:30 p. m. Tickets for this will be distributed from the local hall Thursday morning, 10 to 12 o'clock.

Some especially needy families will be remembered with Thanksgiving baskets.

Nash leads the world in motor car values. Beautiful display of new models at the F. W. Pettyjohn Co., 365 N. Com'l.

VISITORS REPORTED IN SALEM

J. J. Sweeney of Wedderburn is a local visitor.

F. E. Jones of The Dalles is in this city today.

L. Farrington of Newport was a visitor in this city Tuesday.

M. J. Lynch of Eugene was a Salem visitor Tuesday night.

J. W. Dunbar of Eugene spent Tuesday in this city.

Glen Robertson of Springfield was among the out of town visitors in this city Tuesday night.

W. C. Reamy of Hillsboro spent Tuesday night in this city.

E. L. France of Alsea is a Salem visitor.

A. Brown of Fossil arrived in this city Tuesday night.

L. E. Arnold of Lebanon is a visitor in this city.

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Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Wood of Jone are Salem visitors.

Josie Ziemer of Mill City was in this city Monday.

H. Schmid of Eugene was a Salem visitor Tuesday.

M. C. Patty of McMinnville was in this city Tuesday.

Frank Taylor of Albany was a visitor in this city Tuesday.

C. W. Avery of Weston was a visitor here Monday.

W. A. Jones of Macleay was a Salem visitor yesterday.

Albert T. Savage of Victor Point was a Salem visitor yesterday.

E. N. Downing, a resident of Pacific City, was in the city Tuesday.

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BUDGET FOR SCHOOL DISTRICT FAVORED

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less than at first estimated. The tentatively estimated cost of the proposed addition, as submitted by Lytle Bartholomew, architect, was given as \$2238. In case an added heater for the new addition is put in, the cost will be increased \$1200, making \$3588 in all. This would make the total cost of the building \$89,325.

The regular annual taxpayers' meeting for consideration of the school district budget for 1927 was scheduled for last night, but no taxpayers showed up at the meeting.

The board resolved itself into such a committee and approved the budget after a discussion lasting about one minute.

The school nurse will be allowed \$10 a month to pay for gasoline and oil used in school business, the board decided.

Thirty-eight lockers for use in the senior high school building will be ordered from the Durobilt Manufacturing company. It was decided. These lockers are built fitted with locks.

Appointment of a superintendent of construction for the new Leslie junior high school was postponed, as the architects will be on the ground to oversee the preliminary construction work.

Letters of appreciation will be sent to the Hansen-Hammond company because it offered \$1000 to repair the dry rot in Parrish junior high school, and to Knighton & Howell, architects for the school, for their cooperation and assistance in suppressing the dry rot.

Mr. Shannon, representing the Peninsula Foundry & Machine company, offered to install fuel burners free of cost in the Parrish and senior high school buildings for a demonstration of the burner's economy of operation. No action was taken on the offer.

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MEXICAN MINING LAW WRANGLE NEARS CRISIS

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departure of embassy staffs of both countries.

In diplomatic history, breaks in diplomatic relations between first class powers always have been followed by war. Such, however has not always been the case in relations between the United States and Latin America.

The Mexican government has been warned, between the lines at least, that diplomatic relations

will be endangered if it deprives American citizens in Mexico "of the full ownership and enjoyment" of their property rights.

The Mexican government has replied, calling upon the United States for "the concrete cases in which recognized principles of international law may have been violated or may be violated in disregard of legitimate interests of American citizens since in such cases it (the Mexican government) will be disposed to repair such violations."

For the moment, the situation rests there.

There were four notes in the group published today. The first, by Secretary Kellogg, dated July 31, of this year, enumerates four basic principles which it says had "all been endorsed by the Mexican government" and said the remaining difficulties lie in "specific application of the general conceptions."

The four petitions are: "First: Lawfully vested rights of property of every description are to be respected and preserved in conformity with the recognized principles of international law and of equity."

"Second: The general understanding reached by the commissioners of the two countries in 1923, and approved by both governments at the time of resumption of diplomatic relations between them, stands unmodified and its binding force is recognized."

"Third: The principle of international law that it is both the right and the duty of a government to protect its citizens against any invasion of their rights of person or property by a foreign government, and that this right may not be contracted away by

the individuals is conceded.

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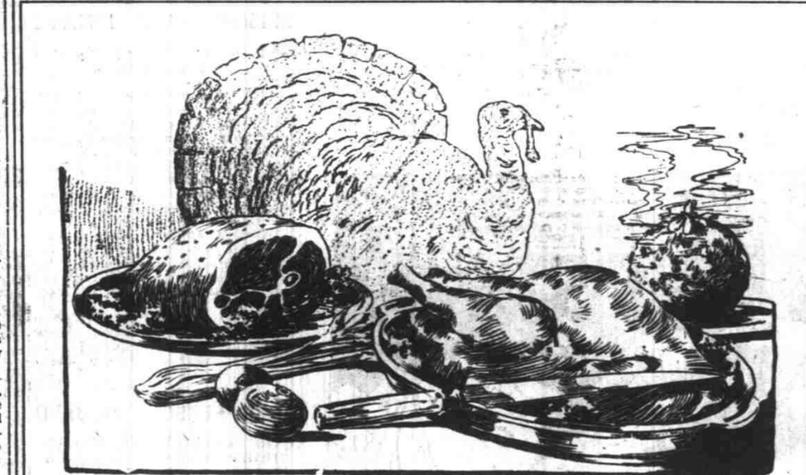
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The Judges were: Miss Rosalia Keber, C. A. Carlson and R. W. Simeral.

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