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FARMERS HOLD CONVENTION

Farmers' Educational and Co-operative Union of County Meets in City.

SESSION IS PROFITABLE AND VERY ENJOYABLE

Prominent Horticulturists and Agriculturists Address Assembly of Umattilla Ranchers - Diversified Farming is Advocated as Better for Farmers and Farms Than Extensive Grain Growing - Elaborate Banquet Served.

Members of the Farmers Educational and Co-operative Union from different parts of Umattilla county gathered at the union hall in the Eagle-Woodman building today for one of the most interesting, successful and profitable meetings held by the union in this city.

The long table was loaded to the fullest capacity with the best the land affords and served as only the "cooks" of the union are capable of serving.

Preceding the banquet the members of the union held a secret business session and following the repast an open meeting was held.

The principal speakers of the afternoon were J. L. De Moss of Walla Walla, Byron Hunter of Walla Walla and H. Umburger of Moro.

De Moss is not only one of the best known growers of fruit in the northwest but he has a national reputation as an expert horticulturist.

Hunter is agriculturist for the southwestern part of Washington, while Umburger is in charge of the experiment station at Moro.

Both of these men urged upon their hearers the beneficial advantage of diversified farming.

The speakers both declared that it would be better for the farmer, his sons and his farms, if the growers of grain would leave more dollars in the shape of soil fertility in the land and cease trying to take the dollars from the land so rapidly.

Among those who participated in and were responsible for the success of the banquet were Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Sikes of Milton, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Connor of Helix, Mr. and Mrs. George Carmichael of Weston, Mr. and Mrs. A. Gules of Pendleton, L. D. Eaton and wife of north of town, Mrs. Kenneth McKee of Pendleton, Mrs. Emma Zeuske of Helix, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hill of Pendleton, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Dupuis of Nolin, Miss Gerking of Athena, C. F. Beddow of Holdman, Henry Lorenzen of Cold Springs, B. E. Bowman of McKay, C. F. Ashley of Nolin, James A. Cresswell, R. Raymond and wife, J. H. Christopher and wife of Pendleton.

To Fight for Title. New Orleans, Nov. 12.—Abe Attell, holder of the world's featherweight championship, will defend his title against Frankie Conley, the Kenosha Wis., fighter, in a twenty round bout before the West Side Athletic club tomorrow.

East Versus West. Philadelphia, Nov. 12.—With Michigan pitted against Pennsylvania, the big intersectional game of the season will be played on Franklin Field this afternoon.

HAWLEY WILL BE NEXT GOVERNOR OF IDAHO.

Boise, Nov. 12.—Latest returns indicate that Hawley, democrat, was elected governor over Governor Brady, republican, by eight to ten hundred.

W. C. T. U. CREATES BIG DEMAND FOR CLOVES

Baltimore, Nov. 12.—Cloves and other "breath-killers" were in great demand in Baltimore today, and many occasional tipplers even climbed upon the water wagon and donned white ribbons as marks of respect for the thousands of ladies who have come here from all parts of the United States to take part in the thirty-seventh national convention of the Woman's Christian Temperance Union.

A factious dealer in liquid refreshments even displayed his hospitable spirit by putting out a sign reading, "Welcome, W. C. T. U." but his wit was not appreciated and the offending invitation was speedily removed.

Baltimore church women have been preparing for months for the invasion of the temperance forces, and all the reception arrangements today went off without a hitch.

Miss Lillian M. N. Stevens of Portland, Me., is president of the national union. Since the organization of the union in 1874 it has played a large part in temperance activities all over the country.

MULES CAUSE OF SERIOUS ACCIDENT

STOP ON TRACK IN FRONT OF APPROACHING TRAIN

Arthur Bell, Driver of Team, May Die as Result of Animals' Stubbornness—Mules Escape Unhurt.

Arthur Bell, employed by Charles Hamilton a reservation farmer was seriously injured in a train accident as the crossing at 3:15 this afternoon. He was driving a four-mule team of mules across the track when delayed No. 17, the westbound through passenger came around the curve.

At sight of the train the mules stopped in their tracks and refused to move at the insistent urging of the driver or the whistle of the locomotive.

Bell was hurled over and rendered unconscious with a bad wound on the head. He was carried into the hospital within a few minutes after he was injured and at last reports was still unconscious.

The mules escaped uninjured.

PRIEST RIVER POWER WANTED BY SPOKANE

Spokane, Wash. — Spokane has started negotiations to obtain control of all the power sites on Priest river from its source in Priest lake to its conjunction with the Pend d'Oreille river.

This action is taken for the purpose of providing power for the water system of the city and also for lighting the city. The city has also under consideration a plan for the bringing of water from Priest lake for use in the city.

Immediate action must be taken in the matter of obtaining power for the pumping of the water from the Spokane river into the city mains or the city will have to pay hundreds of thousands of dollars to the Washington Water Power company for a supply of power, as the present city dam of the Spokane river, which supplies the power, will have to be lowered.

HAS CLASSES IN HOUSEKEEPING

Battersea Polytechnic Teaches Girls Domestic Arts. London.—At Battersea polytechnic classes in practical housekeeping are being conducted which are calculated to be of special value to prospective brides.

Dancing Made Him Thin. Nashville, Ind.—Ellis E. Sands, aged 31, from Utica, Ky., walked into the local United States recruiting office here and asked to enlist. He was examined and it was found that his weight was a little under the average for his height.

The vacuum process is now used to clean railway coaches.

BLACK HAND IN PORTLAND

Wealthy Saloon Man is Told to Deliver \$1000 Under Pain of Death.

POLICE SEARCHING FOR SENDER OF LETTER

"Pete" Bruno Believes He is Marked for Death by Foreigners Because Italian was Murdered in Front of His Saloon—Plain Clothesmen Guarding Saloonman—Police Try Ruse to Catch Black Hand Man But it Fails.

Portland, Ore., Nov. 12.—Plain clothesmen are guarding "Pete" Bruno, a wealthy saloonman, today while the police are searching the north end for the sender of a threatening letter received by Bruno in which he was told to deposit a thousand dollars in currency in the mail box of a First street lodging house under pain of death for refusal.

El Paso, Nov. 12.—Reports from Guadalajara say an outbreak may occur but it is quiet today with troops patrolling the streets.

BUILDING BURNS AT UNIVERSITY OF NEBRASKA

Lincoln, Neb., Nov. 12.—Fire started this morning in the music and arts building of the University of Nebraska and half an hour later the building was a loss.

Savannah, Ga., Nov. 1.—David Bruce Brown in a Benz car won the grand prize cup in the automobile race here this afternoon. He finished two minutes ahead of Hemery, also in a Benz. Brown took the lead at the end of the twenty-third lap and kept it.

DAVID BRUCE BROWN WINS IN BENZ CAR

Fort Leavenworth, Kansas, Nov. 12.—A message referring to the anti-American riots in Mexico, it is believed, is being sent to President Taft, who is en route to Panama by the state department and was picked up here. It said: "Editors of incendiary newspaper will be arrested. Am informed on questionable authority that Rodriguez was born in New Mexico and was an American citizen."

NINE THOUSAND WOULD RECALL MAYOR GILL

Seattle, Nov. 12.—It was announced today that the recall petition against Mayor Gill is said to include more than nine thousand names. It will be formally filed early in December and a recall election will be held as soon as possible after January 1.

YALE SURPRISES TIGERS AND TAKES BIG GAME

Princeton, Nov. 12.—Yale beat Princeton today by the score of 5 to 3. Thirty thousand people witnessed the game which was played during a snowstorm. Princeton was the favorite at five to three and even at two to one.

Times Jury Adjourns.

Los Angeles, Nov. 12.—The special jury investigating the Times explosion adjourned today until next Tuesday. More witnesses will be subpoenaed.

MILLIONAIRE DYING, WIFE IS ACCUSED

Wheeling, W. Va., Nov. 12.—In a cell hung with damask, Mrs. Laura Schenk, fashionably gowned, is playing solitaire while waiting word from the Wheeling hospital that shall tell her whether she will later face a charge of murder. Her husband, John Schenk, a millionaire packer, is reported to be dying.

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ALL IS QUIET IN MEXICO

Anti-American Riots Cease and No More Outbreaks Are Feared.

LYNCHING OF RODRIGUES IS BEING INVESTIGATED

Mexican Consul Under Protection of Texan Governor Conducts Investigation of Lynching Bee Which Caused Riots—Texas Authorities Also Investigate—Reported Rodriguez Was American Citizen—Quiet Has Been Restored in Mexico.

El Paso, Nov. 12.—Reports from Guadalajara say an outbreak may occur but it is quiet today with troops patrolling the streets.

No arrests have been made in the last twenty-four hours and it is believed that there is little fear of more outbreaks outside the state of Jalisco. Rioting in Ciudad Porfirio Dias where the American consulate was attacked and partially wrecked yesterday has been stopped and today the little town is reported quiet.

The Mexican consul at Eagle Pass today began an investigation of the lynching of Rodriguez at Rock Springs, whose death was the immediate cause of the late unpleasantness. Governor Campbell of Texas, has arranged to give him all of the necessary protection. In the meantime, the authorities are investigating the matter on their own account and will report direct to the state department.

Taft Is Informed.

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All Quiet.

New York, Nov. 12.—Private advices say all is quiet in Mexico today.

THINK MRS. CRIPPEN LOCATED IN ALBERTA

Alta, Alberta, Nov. 12.—Considerable excitement has been caused here by the rumor that a woman who arrived Wednesday is Mrs. Belle Crippen for whose alleged murder Dr. Crippen is sentenced to hang in London. The woman went to a livery stable got a rig and disappeared. The team returned next day. While waiting for the buggy a man nearby remarked: "Guess Crippen is going to hang" and the woman fainted.

Later she read newspapers concerning Crippen's fate and fainted again. Her description tallied with the woman's description. Police have the woman under surveillance and she will probably be arrested.

Many Want New Jobs.

Lynn, Mass., Nov. 12.—With the closing of the nomination lists today, there appears to be no lack of candidates for jobs under Lynn's first commission system government. Under the new plan, a mayor and five commissioners will be elected. Party designations are abolished.

COUNT LEO TOLSTOI HAS DISAPPEARED

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Washington, Nov. 12.—The big football game of the year in the national capital will be played this afternoon, when Georgetown and Virginia meet in their annual contest for supremacy.

CHINESE RIOTERS BURN AMERICAN BUILDINGS

Hong Kong, Nov. 12.—Belated advices from Leichou in the province of Kwang Su, report Chinese rioters have burned a number of American buildings. The missionaries have fled to Canton. Three battalions left Canton to quell the disturbers. Among the buildings burned was the American Presbyterian church, college and hospital.

SOLDIER OF FORTUNE DIES PENNILESS AND ALONE

Seattle, Nov. 12.—Penniless and alone in the world, Judge Linguist, a member of the expedition that searched the arctic for Explorer Greeley, committed suicide early today in a cheap hotel. In an old suit case, the coroner found his discharges from the army and navy and letters and credentials which told of a life of hardship and bravery.

DEMOCRATS WILL PROBABLY CONTROL ILLINOIS HOUSE

Chicago, Nov. 12.—The control of the lower house of the Illinois legislature will probably be with the democrats. Practically complete returns indicate that republicans and democrats are tied with seventy-five votes each but that the prohibitionists and one independent probably will vote with the democrats thus giving them a majority.

PENDLETON LOSES TO BAKER CITY

SCORE OF 3 TO 2 DECIDES ANNUAL GRIDIRON GAME

One of the Closest Scores and Hardest Fought Contests in History of Eastern Oregon Football—Pendleton's Gains Not Consistent.

Pendleton high school's football team went down to defeat by a score of 3 to 2 yesterday afternoon on the Baker City gridiron in what is considered one of the closest matches ever played between eastern Oregon high school teams.

Pendleton lost solely through her inability to boot the pigskin as far as her opponents.

According to Pendletonians who returned last night from the scene of the disastrous conflict, the boys from this city succeeded in carrying the ball much further than did their opponents. Practically all of the game was played in Baker territory, but whenever hard pressed the Baker punter would apply his toe to the ball and send it far out of danger.

Because of a wet field neither team could successfully execute the forward pass, but the Pendleton boys worked several trick plays for good gains. Kimball got loose several times for 25 yard runs, but the gains of the big P. Sweaters were not consistent enough to carry the ball over for a touchdown.

Pendleton's score came in the first quarter when the ball was punned to the Baker ten yard line. A Baker player fumbled the catch and a Pendleton player, in attempting to pick the ball up, booted it over the line where a Baker man fell upon it, giving a safety to the visitors. Baker came back in the third quarter when a goal from placement was executed after the ball had been bucked down the field within striking distance.

The officials of the game were Glen Scott of Pendleton, formerly an Oregon player, and Cady of Baker, an old time star of O. A. C.

Several of the team came back last night, while the remainder arrived today.

An effort is now being made to arrange a game with a Portland team or with Walla Walla high school for Thanksgiving.

Racing at Emeryville.

Oakland, Cal., Nov. 12.—With the pick of the stables of the United States and Canada entered, the winter race meeting of the New California Jockey club opens most auspiciously this afternoon at the Emeryville track. In addition to the round dozen of rich stake renewals, the purse values in over-night events will be liberally increased, and the horsemen are jubilant at the prospects.

Although the present meet will be an undoubted success, there is much uneasiness about the future of racing in California. The reform bug has invaded the Golden state and it is likely that the next legislature will put a ban on oral betting. There is also a movement to banish bookmakers from the state, and to confine betting activities to the pari-mutuel system. It is also possible that the number of days of racing will be limited, according to the system of racing supervision in vogue in Kentucky.

Great Apple Show.

Spokane, Wash., Nov. 12.—At noon today the last exhibits were received for the third National Apple Show, and the work of displaying the fruit to the best advantage is being pushed rapidly. The show will open to the public on Monday and continue through the week.

WHO IS TO BE CIRCUIT JUDGE?

Election of Bean to Supreme Bench Leaves Vacancy to Be Filled.

DISTRICT ATTORNEY PHELPS IS FOREMOST CANDIDATE

In Case of His Appointment, Steiwer Would Probably Be Elevated to Office of District Attorney—Acting Governor Bowerman Will Probably Make Appointments—Winter and Ellis are Also Spoken of as Candidates.

Who is to be the next circuit judge of the sixth judicial district and who is to be the next prosecuting attorney? These are two questions which are now foremost in the minds of local political leaders as a result of the election of Circuit Judge H. J. Bean to the supreme bench.

According to street rumor the law firm of Phelps & Steiwer seems to be in line to land both positions if it so desires. It is generally understood that Judge Bean will resign his present office just before January first on which day he will take the oath as a member of the state supreme court. It will then devolve upon Governor Benson, or his substitute, Acting Governor Jay Bowerman to name a successor. That the naming of this successor will not be left to West, the incoming democrat is a foregone conclusion.

It is also understood that District Attorney Phelps can have the circuit judgeship for the asking. This is by reason of the fact that Phelps was an active supporter of the candidacy of Bowerman in the primary as well as the general campaign, whereas Winter, the other local republican candidate, was not an active supporter of Bowerman during the primary struggle. Whether or not Phelps will ask for the plum for himself or for his friend, Congressman W. R. Ellis, is a question as yet unanswered to the satisfaction of the public. The impression prevails, however, that Phelps will take the position himself.

If Phelps is made judge a vacancy will be left in the district attorneyship and as Deputy Prosecuting Attorney Frederick Steiwer is a candidate for the position and as he stumbled a part of the state in behalf of Bowerman during the campaign just closed, the general consensus of opinion seems to be that he is in line for the promotion. There will be other candidates, however, and some of these may arise to side-track the aspirations of the present deputy.

GOVERNOR CARROLL APPOINTS YOUNG TO SUCCEED DOLLIVER

Des Moines, Nov. 12.—Governor Carroll today appointed Young to succeed Dolliver in the U. S. senate. The appointment of Young means war in the legislature which is one third republican, one third progressive and one third democratic. The report that Carroll will seek the senatorship himself has not been confirmed.

Cross-Country Run.

Providence, R. I., Nov. 12.—Providence Athletic club's formal annual handicap cross-country run will be held this afternoon over the Roger Williams Park course.

SHOOT MAN; CALLS POLICE.

Berlin Servant Girl Kills Herself Before Officers Arrive. Berlin—Marie Busch, a lady's maid, shot her master with a revolver in his home at Frankfurt and then telephoned to the police acquainting them with her act.

When the police arrived on the scene they found that the girl had blown out her brains, and the two bodies lay close together in the dining room. Marie had murdered her master and then shot herself. The girl, whose child had been adopted by her employers, murdered the child in a fit of madness two years ago and was re-engaged on her release from an asylum last August. Fault is found with the authorities for having released her.

WESTON NORMAL LOSES BY SEVERAL THOUSAND

Portland, Nov. 12.—Practical-ly complete returns indicate that the Monmouth normal bill won, but that the Ashland and Weston normals bills for maintenance lost by several thousand. This morning there was a total vote of 551 against Weston, including Umattilla county returns.

The county boundary bills lost by approximately 3300 votes, meaning there will be no new counties in Oregon.