

FARMER NEAR BEND LOSES MEMORY AND HIRES OUT AS HERDER

**Recovers From 16-Day Lapse
to Find Himself Tending
Flocks on Tire Mountain 60
Miles From Home.**

BEND, Jan. 24.—When S. N. Hill, well known and prosperous farmer of the Port Rock section, recovered from a 16-day lapse of memory he found himself herding sheep on Wagon Tire mountain about 60 miles from his home.

At what time he suffered loss of memory, Hill was unable to say when he returned to his home Wednesday afternoon. He says that he has no recollection of being out to a sheep man to care for his flock nor of being paid a \$20 check which he found on his person after returning. For more

than three weeks Hill was absent from his home. Officials and relatives have held the view that he met with foud play. Hill will be brought to Bend for medical treatment.

COWBOYS COULDN'T BLOW OUT LIGHT SO THEY PUT IT IN DRESSER DRAWER

DENVER, Jan. 23.—Two Wyoming cowpunchers who came to Denver to attend the stock show and stayed Wednesday night at the Shirley hotel, evolved a novel method of extinguishing one of those "new fangled lights" these city hotels has.

Thursday morning about 5:30, when the stockmen came down to the clerk's desk, one of the men remarked: "Say, young feller, if you find a light missing from the table in our room, don't think we are taking it away in our pocket. We couldn't put the darn thing out so we shut it up in the bureau drawer."

The chambermaid found the light cord leading from the wall to a bureau where the light was futilely wasting its brilliance in one of the drawers.

EAGLE CITES COCKBURN, OF MILTON, FOR JUDGE

H. M. "Mac" Cockburn, of Milton, is launched as a county judge possibility by the Milton Eagle in an editorial in this week's issue. Mr. Cockburn is a former county commissioner and served for eight years as a representative of the east end of the county.

In a telephone conversation between Mr. Cockburn and County Judge C. H. Marsh today Mr. Cockburn said that the announcement came as a surprise to him and that he had not seriously considered the idea. It is not doubtful that Mr. Cockburn would run if he were assured sufficient backing.

Has Strong Record

During his time as commissioner he is said to have made an excellent record and would probably be a strong contender if he entered the race. Mr. Cockburn is a republican and is a member of the county central committee.

In his editorial launching Mr. Cockburn's name, Editor N. J. Vanskike says in part:

"At the primary elections next spring, candidates will be nominated for a number of county and state offices. Among these will be a successor to County Judge, Charles H. Marsh who has given his friends to understand that he will not accept another term.

Claims Sections Right

"Eastern Umatilla county has not for a long number of years furnished the county with its judge, and it seems only right and fair that the ensuing election should swing our way in this respect.

"For this most important office the Eagle puts forward and suggests the nomination and election of a tried and experienced business man, one who has already had long service as a member of the county court of which the judge is the presiding officer.

"We have reference to none other than H. M. Cockburn, whose qualifications for the office of chairman of the county court, the money handling body of the taxpayers, need no special endorsement, for they are well known to all, and admitted by friends and foes alike.

"It is a generally conceded fact that the eastern part of Umatilla county got more and better road work and was better represented by Mr. Cockburn during his eight years tenure of office as a county commissioner than this district had been accorded for a long time.

"Mr. Cockburn would make a good county judge."

FATHER BEQUEATHS WINE CELLAR TO HIS TWO SONS

ST. LOUIS, Jan. 24.—The will of Henry W. Kuhn, 7818 Hall street, president of the H. W. Kuhn Real Estate Co., who died December 17, bequeaths his "wine press, boshens, barrels and all other contents in his wine cellar of my residence" to his sons, Edward L. and William H. Kuhn. The will was made in 1912 and was filed Thursday.

Ninety shares of stock in the real estate company are divided among six children. A gift of \$500 to the German protestant Orphans' Home on the Natural Bridge road, is made.

LAST NURSES' CLUB CLOSES IN FRANCE

The last Y. W. C. A. Nurses' Club in France closed in December at Hospital 22, Brest. Since 1914, every nurse returning to this country from overseas service has passed through Brest, and has been entertained in one way or another at this club. Among the nurses who enjoyed the hospitality of the club during its last month of service were twenty Americans who had volunteered for service in Solcia, and who went to Calenz in Brest, to await orders to proceed.

More women went overseas as nurses than in any other capacity. Nearly 15,000 American nurses saw service abroad, and for these women the Y. W. C. A. Clubs furnished opportunity for rest and recreation in off-duty hours. There were thirty-eight Nurses' Clubs of various sizes, established and carried on during the war period. In one of the largest clubs, in Paris, 1,200 cups of tea were poured in one month.

The Nurses' Club did not restrict their sphere of usefulness to Americans alone. The one which was just closed at Brest, had entertained women from Canada, the Bermudas, Scotland, England, Ireland, Sweden and France, as well as from the United States.

American nurses appreciated so keenly the advantages of the Nurses' Clubs overseas that they refused to dispense with them when they returned to this country. Consequently the same sort of clubs were established by the Y. W. C. A. in army hospitals on this side of the water, and were carried on by Y. W. C. A. secretaries until November first, when they were taken over by a regular part of its program for army nurses.

ALLIES WILL RECOGNIZE ARMENIA'S INDEPENDENCE

LONDON, Jan. 24.—The allies have decided to recognize the de facto independence of Armenia. It was announced today. The capital of the nation will be Yerevan.

DECREE THAT INDIAN PAIR MUST GO SEPARATE WAYS SHATTERS TRIBAL ROMANCE

An Indian romance which was shattered Walker slurs her because she used drugs.

"I'd rather be punished," she said. Once married to a German, a story of carnival life and quiet tribal customs makes this girl interesting. She is bright, well educated and speaks English excellently. "I was married to a German," she told Reames. "But he died. He fell off his horse at Eureka, Cal., while his show played there. We had separated, so I wasn't interested enough to verify his death."

"Who told you he was dead?" Reames asked. "Captain Kid," she explained. "In October I met Walker. We weren't married because our customs do not require it. None of my forefathers were married according to legal form. It went through a civil marriage before a justice of the peace when I married my husband, because he was white. But we were married by Indian ritual later."

When arrested here, Walker was confronted with a charge of having brought the woman from Goldendale, Wash. Prior to going there they had been together on the reservation in Idaho for a time. On the strength of their assertion that they meant no wrong, however, Assistant United States Attorney Charles Reames recommended leniency when Walker was brought before the court for sentence.

Federal Judge Wolverton decided that the pair should be married. But the woman did not want to. She desired to go to the reservation and live with her people.

TWENTY THREE GRANTED TEACHERS' CERTIFICATES

Twenty three persons who recently took the examinations for state teachers' certificates in this county have been awarded their certificates and they were mailed out by the county superintendent today. Several more, who received demand certificates, are not included in the list but may obtain their certificates when they desire them.

The examinations were held in December both in Pendleton and in Milton. Only three of the successful ones are men. The names and addresses of those who obtained certificates are:

Miss Harriet Benjamin, Pendleton; Miss Isabella Bartlett, Pendleton; Miss Florence Hall, McKay; Miss Mabel Bond, Cabbage Hill; Miss One O'wenby, Freewater; Miss Fredrick Anderson, Freewater; Miss Bertha Olson, Freewater; Miss Pearl Peterson, Milton; Miss Minnie McCune, Echo; Miss Gertrude Nash, Pendleton; Miss Edith Bynon, Pendleton; Miss Edna Marie Stiles, Echo; Miss Charla Gates, Athena; Miss Rose Leibrand, Milton; Miss Josephine Stedman, Pine Grove; Mrs. Cora Mackey, Pendleton; Miss Cora Kicker, Freewater; Raymond Orth, Freewater; Miss Montana B. Condon, Hermon; Mrs. Mildred Ammons, Pendleton; Mrs. Zella L. Temple, Helix; R. W. Hargitt, Gibbon, and Kyle McDaniell, Freewater.

HIP POCKETS DOOMED TO INNOCUOUS DESUETUDE; ARE NO LONGER NEEDED

NEW YORK, Jan. 24.—Prohibition will sweep hip-pockets in men's trousers into innocuous desuetude, according to a prediction by experts of the International Association of Clothing Designers, who today issued an edict: "Make them smaller and shallower this season."

Commenting on the attitude of the designers, George W. Hermann, a member of the organization said: "It's illegal to use a gun; it's unhandy to carry your handkerchief there, and you can't buy anything but wood alcohol to put in your flask. So the pocket just naturally will shrink away."

When a woman looks in a mirror she is lucky never able to see herself as other women see her.

It's enough to make a strong man tremble to think of a poor shad with rheumatism in all his bones.

200 BLIND PERSONS LAUGH WITH JOY AT DINNER IN DENVER

DENVER, Jan. 24.—"Out of the night that covers me, Dark as the pit, from pole to pole, I thank whatever gods may be, For my unquerable soul."

The spirit of "Invictus" was present at a dinner for the blind at the Albany hotel here this week. Two hundred persons whose physical blindness had failed to dim the joy of life laughed wholeheartedly and cheered the singers with an enthusiasm noways touched by the sadness of affliction.

The dinner was given through the efforts of the United Workers for the Blind.

During the dinner the Farmer quartet rendered several humorous songs. "Mick" Plakal, the accordion-playing Union station red cap, imitated everything from a violin to a brass band on his instrument, and Miss Margaret Sanford sang two solos.

Among those present was William Eubank, the only living son of a revolutionary war soldier.

LOVE OF WIFE IS CAUSE OF DIVORCE

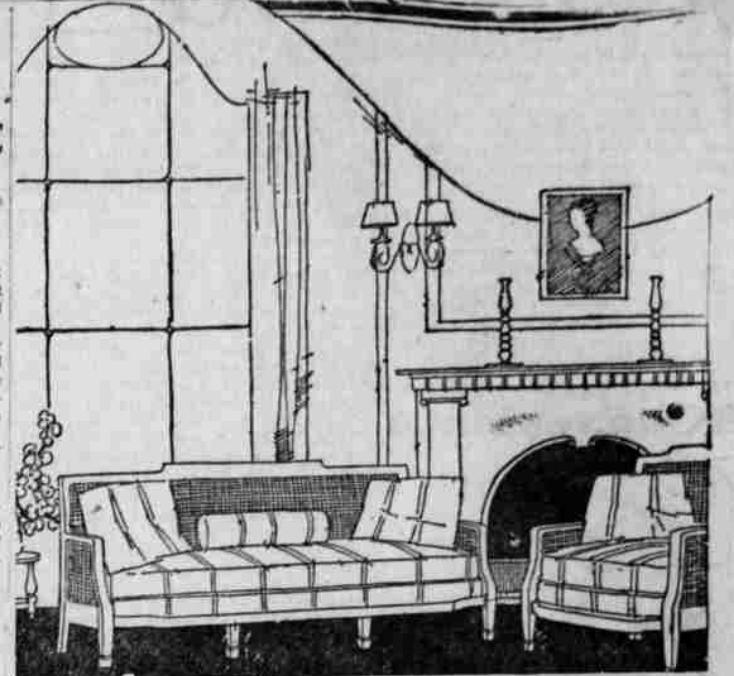
SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 24.—Asserting he loved his wife too much to stand in the way of her happiness, Joseph Bauer, an automobile dealer, today secured a divorce from Christina Bauer in Judge Graham's court on grounds of mental cruelty.

In giving his reasons to the court why he was obtaining the divorce, Bauer said: "She asked me to get a divorce so that she could marry another man, whom she loved better than me. I care too much for her to deny her any happiness that is in my power to grant her."

MAN BECOMES "RED" BY MISTAKE; THINKS HE FIGHTS H. C. O. L.

SPRINGFIELD, Jan. 24.—John Relavie, an alien, was a "red" by mistake. He joined the communist labor party in Mount Olive thinking it was an organization to battle the H. C. O. L. When he saw 20 brother members arrested and started for Russia he rushed to the office of United States District Attorney Knotts here to explain that he did not know what kind of a society he was in.

He has been in the United States 20 years but never was naturalized. He says he has no desire to be deported and is through with the communists.



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