

People Here and There

Dan Smythe has returned from a business trip to Portland.

R. F. Kirkpatrick returned yesterday evening from Albany where he attended the grand lodge meeting of the Odd Fellows last week. On his way home he visited friends at Corvallis.

Alta Rogers and George Parman, prominent fruit ranchers of the Prosser district, were here today before the members of the county court on business matters.

A. K. Bessel, teacher of the eighth grade at Hermiston, was here today on business. In the examinations recently held for eighth graders, from Mr. Bessel's class of 23, 29 made passing grades.

NEWS OF THE COUNTY OFFICES AND OFFICERS

Marriage License.
A license to wed was issued this morning to Walter S. Chastel of Albion, a forest guard, and to Agnes K. Serougin, also of Albion.

Session Laws Copies Here.
Copies of the volumes containing the laws enacted by the recent legislature of the state have arrived in Pendleton and are being distributed. The new laws, unless otherwise provided

for, go into effect at midnight, May 25.

Members Elected At Large.
The law recently enacted by the state legislature provides that in a union high school district which is composed of more than five districts, there shall be five members of the board all of whom shall be elected at large. Nominations may be made by a petition of 10 voters which must be filed at least 10 days preceding the election either with the county superintendent of schools or the clerk of the district.

Files Amended Complaint.
Acting in behalf of Umatilla county, District Attorney R. L. Kentor has filed in circuit court an amended complaint against Dave Bonifer and 13 others in which the court is petitioned to make the defendants claimants with others for the regard of \$1000 offered by the county court for the apprehension of John L. Rathie. The action on the part of the county is to secure a final settlement with all claimants in court.

Asks for Divorce.
Suit for divorce was instituted in circuit court today by Mabel Durfy in which she seeks to have the matrimonial ties binding her to Matthew Durfy severed on the grounds of cruel and inhuman treatment and failure to provide. Custody of a two-year-old son, alimony of \$25 a month and payment of her attorney fees are sought by the plaintiff. The couple married May 4, 1918, in Pendleton according to the complaint, and were separated six

months ago. Peterson, Bishop and Clark are the plaintiff's attorneys.

To Let Road Contract.
Members of the Umatilla county court will leave in the morning for Portland where on Thursday the contract for the Cold Springs road will be let. The road to be improved consists of a stretch 12.2 miles long from the landing to Cold Springs. Grading and traveling is the work that will be called for in the contract. Judge L. M. Shannon, Commissioners G. L. Dunning and H. W. Bean and Roadmaster L. J. Shannon will make the trip. They will drive to Portland.

DALLAS CITIZENS LASH MAN WITH BLACKSNAKE TO AVENGE OUTRAGE

Culprit, Arrested for Enticing 12 Year Old Girl to Room Was Released on Bond.

DALLAS, Tex., May 24.—(U. P.)—The south avenged an alleged insult to a 12 year old girl, John T. Moore who is white and well dressed, was taken to a secluded spot in the country by ten masked men, given 25 lashes with a blacksnake and dumped from an automobile in the heart of the city. Moore was arrested on a charge of enticing the girl to come to his room. He was seized by the mob when he was released on bond. He is said to have admitted that the girl was in his room.

EVANS AND JONES WIN.
HOY LAKE, May 24.—(A. P.)—Chick Evans of Chicago, and Bobby Jones of Atlanta, won the victories today in the second round of play for the British amateur golf championship but Francis Ouimet and Jesse Guilford of Boston, were eliminated.

VOTERS TO HAVE FINAL DECISION

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the recent legislature is referred to the people for final decision.

The law if ratified, provides for the following increases:

- County judge, from \$1,800 to \$2,400.
- County treasurer, from \$1,500 to \$2,000.
- County clerk, from \$2,000 to \$2,400.
- Recorder of conveyances, from \$1,800 to \$2,000.
- County sheriff, from \$2,500 to \$3,000.
- County assessor, from \$1,500 to \$2,400.
- County Superintendent of schools from \$1,800 to \$2,400.

On Old Basis.
With two exceptions, the salaries paid to county officials today have not been changed during the past 23 to 25 years. An addition of \$300 has been put on the payroll to the credit of the county treasurer during that time, and the county judge, after the business of the county makes it imperative that full time be devoted to the office, was given more pay. The county clerk's pay is the same that it was when the old fee system was abolished about 1898.

Facts brought to light on the pay received by the county assessor discloses the fact that for several years the deputy assessor has received a higher salary than his chief.

Laborers More Arduous.
Since the salaries were established at the rate that now prevails, a study of figures shows that the valuation of Umatilla county has increased from the \$7,017,473 it was 25 years ago to a present valuation of \$38,000,000. The increase in valuation has also entailed more labor and responsibility on the part of the officials. Comparisons with the valuation of other counties in the state shows that Umatilla is second only to Multnomah county. Its salaries paid to county officials, there are ten counties in the state where the pay exceeds that of this county.

The work that must be performed now by the assessor has increased more than five fold during the past quarter of a century. Besides the necessity of fixing valuations on property valued at \$38,000,000, the assessor must now take care of tax extensions, an item of heavy labor that was not required then.

Responsibilities Increase.
The office of the county treasurer requires that the treasurer shall be responsible for a great deal more money than formerly was handled. During the past year, more than \$2,000,000 was received and disbursed through the office. About \$500,000 school money is also in charge of the treasurer for loans. During the past four years irrigation district work has been added and the county has been bonded for \$1,950,000 for roads.

Under the provisions of the law the sheriff will get an increase of \$500 if the law becomes effective. The law provides, however, that all fees collected on criminal cases shall be returned to the county. The expense of auto hire and upkeep and for telephone and telegraph bills assumed in chasing suspects must be borne by the official himself. It is claimed that the expense of the office on criminal business alone during April in chasing bootleggers and other cases of a similar nature amounted to \$200.

The salaries of the county commissioners remain at \$5 for each day for every day devoted to county business with 10 cents a mile allowed for traveling expenses. This mileage also applies to the county judge.

Tax Increase.
The total increase will amount to \$5,700 a year, and computed on the valuation of the property in the county, this would call for an added six one-thousandths of a mill, or to a taxpayer whose valuation is \$1,000, it would mean additional taxes of 4 1/4 cents. Those taxpayers whose valuation is \$15,000 would be taxed \$1 extra to meet the increase.

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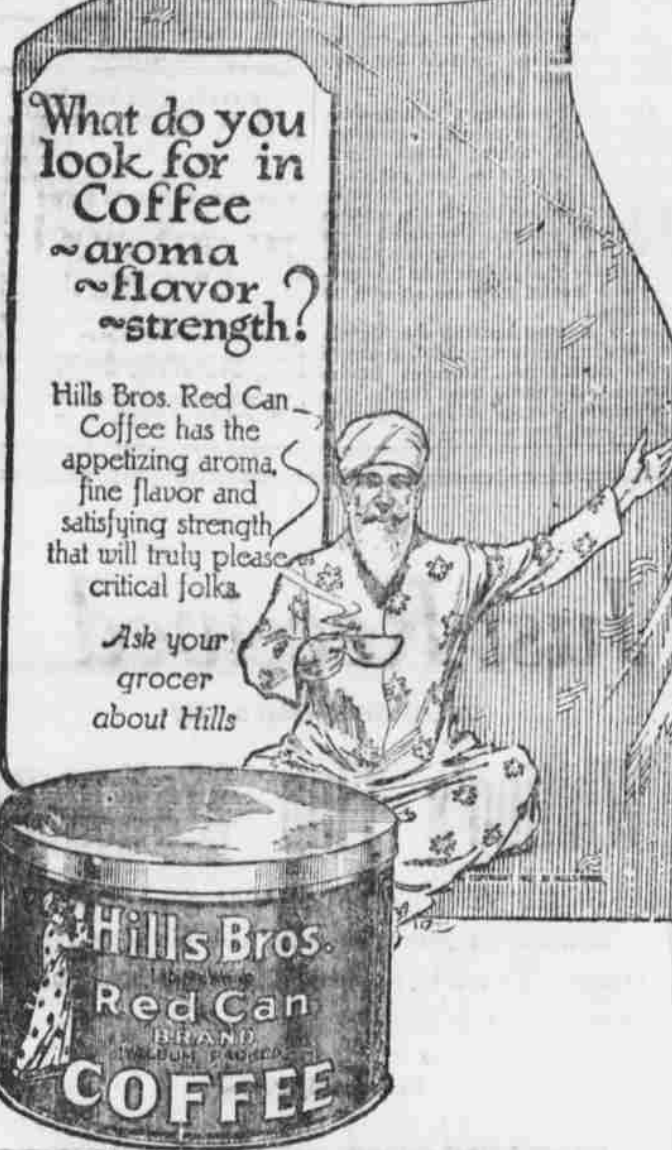
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LEAGUE OF NATIONS HAS BIG PROGRAM

GENEVA, Switzerland, May 24.—(U. P.)—Henry Wood, U. P. Staff Correspondent.—Although President Harding's announcement that the United States can never join the League of Nations in its present form is generally conceded to have killed the latter, nevertheless it is still keeping up a very marked degree of activity for a corps. The Secretariat today complete the program of activities for the summer months. The program includes:

June 6—Meeting at Geneva of the League's Council at which definite steps will probably be taken to meet President Harding's ideas as to what kind of a league the United States join.

June 10—Meeting at Geneva of the League's International Commission for Suppression of White-Slave Traffic, of which as a result of postwar conditions the world is now threatened with a recrudescence.

August 1—Meeting at Geneva of the League's International Commission on Emigration.

September 5—Meeting at Geneva of the Second Assembly of the League of Nations.

The latter session will last for about five weeks and will be even more important than the first one of November and December of last year. In the event it is possible to make over the league to meet the ideas of the United States the future basis of the League will be established at this time.

COUNTRIES ARE FRIENDLY
TOKIO, May 24.—(A. P.)—Referring to the advent of the Republican administration into power and to the inaugural address of President Harding, the Chuo, a leading daily newspaper says: "Japan has been on friendly terms with the United States since the opening of the country. It is true that several questions are pending between Japan and the United States at present but none of them is of such a nature as to offer great difficulty in its solution. Although many alarmist reports are circulated regarding the relationship between the two countries they are mostly due to lack of real knowledge of the problems. There can be little doubt that the Harding administration will try to solve the pending questions with as much celerity as possible."

RAINS ASSIST FOREST FIRES.
Duluth, Minn., May 24.—(A. P.)—Aided by heavy local rains, state and federal forestry men, reinforced by recruits, today gained control of forest fires in the Minnesota state and Superior national forest areas in Northwestern Minnesota. The fires started Friday and were at their worst yesterday afternoon and early last night.

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