

# GREATEST GRAIN AND HAY SHOW EVER HELD WEST OF CHICAGO OPENS TONIGHT

## 3,000,000 BUS. OF WHEAT SOLD IN THIS COUNTY

Grain Buying Houses Estimate 50 Per Cent of Umatilla County Wheat is Sold.

GRAIN MARKET AT PRESENT TIME IS REPORTED SLOW.

Recent Slump in Price is Cause of Lighter Receipts According to Grain Buyer.

Approximately 3,000,000 bushels of wheat have been sold by Umatilla county farmers, according to estimates made today by several of the grain buying houses. There was some variation in the amount buyers think has passed from the hands of the growers, but the average of the estimates has it that about 50 per cent has been sold.

"About 3,000,000 bushels, I think," is the statement made by H. W. Collins, when asked the amount of grain sold. Mr. Collins declared that the movement right now is slower than it has been. He expressed the opinion that the recent slump in price is the cause of lighter receipts and said it is probable that if the price should come so farmers could net \$1 a bushel, that another million bushels would be sold within a comparatively short time.

At the office of Balfour, Guthrie and Co. it was stated that probably one-half and possibly a little more wheat has been sold. Of the amount farmers have disposed of, practically all has been moved to the coast, it was stated. Flat cars have been pressed into service for shipping, it is said, but the weather has been good so there was no loss from this action.

Paul Ostroff, manager for the Pacific Grain Co., gives it as his opinion that about 50 per cent of the slightly more than 6,000,000 bushels of wheat has been sold by farmers.

"About one-half, I think," is what Guy Johnson gave as his estimate. "It may be that not quite that much has been bought, but that figure is approximately correct."

The bulk of the wheat which has been sold so far has brought a dollar or a little less than that amount.

## GROWERS OF POTATOES ON WESTON MOUNTAIN INTERESTED IN WORK

That an intense interest is being taken in the production of pure seed by potato growers on Weston Mountain is a statement of Prof. George L. Hyslop, who on Saturday finished his second inspection of the fields for which certification is sought.

"Some of the farmers who are growing potatoes went over their fields four times and removed the diseased plants," Prof. Hyslop stated. "Some of the fields showed a very low percentage of diseased plants and quite a number of fields were passed for certification."

Many of the growers who had a little too much disease present in their fields to secure certification will have heavy yields of potatoes for commercial purposes, according to the O. A. C. authority.

**CATTLE MARKET LOWER.**

PORTLAND, Sept. 19.—(A. P.)—Cattle are 25 cents lower, choice steers \$5.75 to \$6.25; hogs are 10 to 15¢ higher, prime light \$11 to \$11.50, and extreme top \$11.75. Sheep are strong with weathers 50 cents higher. Eggs are firm. Butter is steady.

## THE WEATHER

Reported by Major Lee Moorhouse, weather observer.

Maximum 62.

Minimum 42.

Barometer 29.20.

Rainfall .06 of an inch.

## TODAY'S FORECAST

Tonight and Tuesday rain.

## AMANN AND STILLMAN TO ENTER PLEAS IN COURT ON THURSDAY

Grand Jury Makes Return of 12 Indictments Against Former Co. Bookkeeper in Report

Thursday is the time that has been set for the entering of the pleas of K. C. Amann, former bookkeeper in the office of the county roadmaster, indicted on 12 counts by the grand jury on charges of forgery and securing money under false pretenses, and Horace D. "Bumps" Stillman, charged with the larceny of the C. G. Bracher hardware store at Pilot Rock. The men were arraigned Saturday evening in circuit court, and they entered no pleas. Steve Lawler, arraigned at the same time, entered a plea of not guilty to a charge of having received stolen goods.

The returning of the indictments against Amann is the result of work that has been done here for several weeks by Jack Wichman, accountant of Whitfield, Whitman and Co. in checking up the books of the office in which Amann worked. The total amount is said to be about \$19,000.

No report was made in the Jepson murder case by the grand jury. Deputy Sheriff E. B. F. Ridgway has returned from Government Mountain where he made further investigations in the case. Fred Patterson is held as a suspect in the case.

Following are the indictments brought in by the grand jury against Amann:

Forgery, based upon a time check made out to A. E. Gullickson on January 8, 1921, for \$59.94.

Knowingly uttering and publishing a forged Umatilla county road time check made out to George E. Barr on April 2, 1921, for \$47.37.

Forgery of endorsement of a time check made out to P. Dykman on May 24 for \$119.80.

Knowingly uttering and publishing a forged Umatilla county road time check made out to Paul Miller on May 24 for \$25.84.

Forgery of a time check made out to James Whitney on January 3, 1921, for \$136.23.

Obtaining money under false pretenses through a time check made out to A. Cressman on March 23, 1921, for \$125.75.

Obtaining money under false pretenses through a time check made out to William Faust on December 20, 1920, for \$103.84.

Obtaining money under false pretenses through a time check made out to George Pershall on December 20, 1920, for \$119.85.

Obtaining money under false pretenses through a time check made out to H. P. Faltin on November 30, 1920, for \$116.82.

Obtaining money under false pretenses through a time check made out to B. French on June 20, 1921, for \$25.80.

Obtaining money under false pretenses through a time check made out to L. C. Mortin on February 3, 1921, for \$116.74.

## EDUCATIONAL EXHIBITS PROVE OF FASCINATING INTEREST TO GRAIN & HAY SHOW PATRONS

Work of Different Stations Graphically Shown Through Charts and Demonstrations.

Although prizes aggregating \$1,500 will be awarded the winners in the various events in the Northwest Grain and Hay Show, interest in other features will be equally keen, boosters of the big event believe. One of those attractions will be the educational exhibits which have been allotted liberal space in the huge pavilion, and the stories told by them in pictures and graphs will bring home to farmers in a graphic way the results that have been accomplished by the institutions which now help agriculturists in some of their most difficult problems.

The Umatilla County Farm Bureau shows the correct methods of seed treatment and different varieties of seed. Forty-two feet of wall space is required for the charts and pictures of the Federal Grain Supervisor's exhibit. The way in which broad is adversely effected by the prevalence of different pests in wheat is shown by this exhibit, pictures of bread made from flour of different degrees of purity being exhibited.

**Varities of Alfalfa**

The Burns Experiment Station is responsible for the appearance of a display of results of trials of alfalfa varieties. Grimm is shown to have yielded seven and one-fourth tons,

## JEWELL CHARGES ROADS ATTEMPT TO FORCE STRIKE

Labor Leader Gave This as Reason for Advising Members of Craft Against Strike

SHOPMEN DEFER WALKOUT UNTIL AFTER BOARD MEETS

Action Will be Delayed Until New Working Rules Now Formulating, Are Announced

CHICAGO, Sept. 19.—(U. P.)—E. M. Jewell, head of the Railroad Department of the American Federation of Labor charged the railroads were attempting to force the employees into a strike. Jewell gave this belief as his reason for advising the members of the shop crafts against a strike. The shopmen consequently intend to defer a walkout until the outcome of the board work on the new working rule.

**Immediate Danger Averted**

CHICAGO, Sept. 19.—(U. P.)—An immediate danger of a railroad strike was averted when labor reached a decision to withhold further action until the railroad labor board announces the new working rules now being formulated. Shop employees already voted overwhelmingly favoring a strike against accepting the 12 per cent wage cut the board ordered July first.

**Second Battle Taken**

H. M. Jewell, head of the railroad department of the American Federation of Labor, announced he would take a second battle among the shop crafts when the rules are announced. If the membership votes against acceptance they will wage a fight before the railroad labor board and call a strike if necessary. Railroad executives and union representatives are holding meetings all over the country, formulating new sets of working rules. The labor board abandoned the wartime working rules months ago.

## COLLECTOR FOR CHAIN OF STORES IS ROBBED

DENVER, Colo., Sept. 19.—(U. P.)—Robbers held up George Lowry, collector for a chain of stores, and escaped with \$7500 cash. They cornered Lowry as he ascended a dark stairway to his office.

**WILL MEET MONDAY.**

WASHINGTON, Sept. 19.—(A. P.)—The national unemployment conference will meet here next Monday. Secretary Hoover announced. The policy proposed does not contemplate charity but a practical working program.

## GRAVESTONES OF BRYAN'S ANCESTORS, WRECKED BY VANDALS, TO BE RESTORED

POINT PLEASANT, W. V., Sept. 19.—(U. P.)—During one of the Presidential campaigns of William Jennings Bryan a feeling ran so strong and excitement was so great that vandals kicked over and otherwise wrecked the monument over the graves of Mr. and Mrs. John Bryan, grandparents of the Congressman. A movement has just been launched here to replace the monument destroyed. William J. Bryan arrived here recently to visit his ancestors' graves, located on the G. G. Arntson farm, three miles from this city. When he arrived at the graves he found the stones broken into small pieces. He was visibly affected by the scene and authorized E. P. Bell, of this city, to have the monument replaced by popular subscription. He said it would give the people a chance to remove the stigma attached to the destruction of the original stones and offer them an opportunity to show the highest esteem in which Mr. Bryan is held here. John Bryan moved to Point Pleasant from Culpeper County, Virginia, in 1821 and died in 1883.

## REGULAR ROUTINE LIFE IS AGAIN TAKEN UP AT FEDERAL PENITENTIARY

McNeil Island, Sept. 19.—(A. P.)—The regular routine at the federal penitentiary was resumed today after two weeks' futile search for Gardner. The special guards were released, and the regulars called in. The patrol boats are anchored at the prison dock.

## UNSUCCESSFUL ATTEMPT MADE TO KIDNAP FORMER WIFE OF HARRY THAW

Miss Nesbit Will Prosecute Men Who Attempted to Take Her From Her Apartment.

NEW YORK, Sept. 19.—(U. P.)—Three men, Joseph Daly, John Wardner, Joseph Dunn, are in custody following the alleged attempt yesterday to kidnap Evelyn Nesbit, former wife of Harry K. Thaw. Miss Nesbit heard the men talking in the hall near her room. The men attempted to seize her. She screamed and the men fled. She called the police, who caught the men in the act. They did a fight ensued and the men were arrested. Miss Nesbit will prosecute.

## MAHONEY TO BE TRIED FOR HIS WIFE'S DEATH

SEATTLE, Sept. 19.—(U. P.)—James Mahoney goes to trial tomorrow for the murder of his wife. The defense is preparing a strong case in an attempt to prove Mrs. Kate Mahoney, the aged domestic wife whom the state accuses Mahoney slew, put into a trunk and threw into Lake Union, is still alive. A woman strongly resembling her, is reported to have been seen on numerous occasions.

## CHICAGO WHEAT MARKET SHOWS SLIGHT ADVANCE

Prices in the Chicago Grain Market show an advance today. September grain closing at \$1.25 1-2, December at \$1.28 and May at \$1.31 1-2. Saturday's closing prices were, September \$1.23 1-2, December \$1.26 and May \$1.29 1-2.

	Open	High	Low	Close
Sept.	\$1.24 1/2	\$1.26	\$1.24	\$1.25 1/2
Dec.	1.26	1.28 1/2	1.26	1.28
May	1.30	1.32	1.29 1/2	1.31 1/2
Sept.	.53 1/2	.53 1/2	.53 1/2	.53 1/2
Dec.	.52 1/2	.53 1/2	.52 1/2	.52 1/2
May	.57 1/2	.57 1/2	.57 1/2	.57 1/2
Sept.	.34 1/2	.34 1/2	.35 1/2	.36
Dec.	.38 1/2	.38 1/2	.37 1/2	.38 1/2
May	.42 1/2	.42 1/2	.42	.42 1/2

## SENATORS START INVESTIGATION OF MINGO MINE WAR

Mine Owners Treated us Like White Men Treated Slaves is Gist of Information.

SENATORS HEAR OPERATORS' SIDE OF TROUBLE TODAY

Refusal to Pay on Basis of Weight and Measurements is One Cause of Miners' Grief.

WILLIAMSON, W. Va., Sept. 19.—(U. P.)—"The mine owners treated us just like the white men did the slaves before the emancipation proclamation," is the gist of information the union miners, both white and black, gave Senators Kenyon and Shortridge, heading the congressional party investigating conditions causing the Mingo mine war.

Failure to properly check the coal mined, refusal to pay on a basis of weight and measurement and the operators' insistence that the miners trade at the company store are the chief grievances voiced. Senators are hearing the operators' side today.

Frank Kenney and Fred Moneys, president and secretary of district 17 of the United Mine Workers of America have arrived in Williamson. Both are indicted for murder. Following a conference with the county authorities the two men were taken to jail pending their hearing on bail. Minimum bail in this state is \$10,000.

## RUSSIAN INTERESTS TO BE WELL CARED FOR AT COMING CONFERENCE

WASHINGTON, Sept. 19.—(A. P.)—Assurances that "legitimate Russian interests" will be carefully guarded at the armament and far eastern conference have been conveyed to the Russian people by the state department.

## COMEDIAN'S WIFE HAS CONFIDENCE IN HIM

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 19.—(U. P.)—Minta Dufree, divorced wife of Roscoe Arbuckle, appealed to the people here to accord Arbuckle fair treatment. She told the press she believed when all the details of the party became known, Arbuckle's name would be cleared and he would take his old place in the hearts of the American people.

Dr. Arthur Beardslee, who tended Miss Rappé during the night following the party, is expected to furnish new evidence strengthening the case either for the defense or prosecution. He left on a hunting party in the Sierras when he heard of the outcome of Miss Rappé's sickness.

**Investigation to be Continued.**

The defense hopes Beardslee will be able to attribute Miss Rappé's death to other causes than Arbuckle's alleged assault. The state thought the physician might reveal possible statements Miss Rappé made to him during the night following the party, which might serve to strengthen the case against the comedian. The prosecution is watching its witnesses carefully. Federal agents said they would continue to press their prohibition investigation.

## HAPPY CANYON DANCES TO BE WELL MANAGED

Innovations which it is thought will lend added comfort to the huge crowds which attend the dances at Happy Canyon have been made this year by the management of the night show. The changes are in the manner of handling the crowds. The dance floor has been encircled by a railing, and a force of 25 men will be on the floor every night to see that the program moves smoothly. After every dance the floor will be cleared through exits and then the floor will be flled again by permitting the dancers to file through special admission gates. The gambling room will occupy additional space of 6200 square feet outside of the old building, and the bar is along one side of the building. Music for the dance will be furnished by the Shubert Orchestra of Chicago. The players are costumed and each one plays at least two instruments.

## MANY PROMINENT RIDERS ARRIVE IN PENDLETON TO COMPETE IN SHOW

Hugh Strickland, Who Won Bucking Championship at Frontier Days Arrives Today

Frank McCarroll, Bonnie McCarroll, Lorena Trickey, Yakima Canutt, Kitty Canutt, Hugh Strickland, Mabel Strickland, Harry Walters, Dave Campbell and Bob Lee are among the Round-Up performers who arrived in Pendleton today to compete in the events of track and arena when the big show opens on Thursday. The Eddie McCartney aggregation arrived here today and Charley Irwin, with 20 cowboys and cowgirls with a string of fast relay horses will arrive on Wednesday. Tommy Douglas, clown de luxe, will arrive here tomorrow from Nebraska.

Strickland enters the lists with still another championship to his credit, having won the bucking championship at the Frontier Days' exhibition. Yakima Canutt, thrice a Pendleton champion, was second, and Benny Oakes third.

**Girls Good Riders.**

Bonnie McCarroll, Lorena Trickey, Kitty Canutt and Mabel Strickland are famous women riders. Lorena was crowned champion a few weeks ago at Cheyenne and is the winner of the trophy offered by the McAlpin hotel of New York. With the hotel trophy is given a trip to New York, which trip Miss Trickey will take after she finishes her western Round-Up tour.

Miss Trickey was born in The Dalles and her childhood days were spent in riding bucking bronks. Her father and brothers objected to her riding in contests, but she "broke off" to Pendleton one time and came home a winner.

**Injured in Rides.**

Miss Trickey has suffered some injuries for the innumerable prizes she has won. Her worst injury occurred when another team in a Roman standing race crashed her mounts into a fence and trampled upon her. Yet she won the final Roman standing race at Cheyenne this year and her courage is not dimmed by accidents.

The bucking for this year's show gives promise of eclipsing all previous exhibitions, says S. R. Thompson, livestock director. No Name, Leatherneck, Sam Jackson, McAdoo and You Tell 'Em are in good form. Ten horses from the Okanagan country are here today and all are top-notch buckers. Tomorrow will see the arrival of the Idaho "King of Bronks," the horse which has unseated 38 riders and who has never been ridden.

**Phones from California.**

So anxious was Mrs. Freda Vocke Donk of San Francisco to secure Round-Up accommodations that she telephoned today from the Palace Hotel, San Francisco. She secured, through H. W. Collins, president of the Round-Up, quarters for herself and party. They will motor here from California. Mrs. Donk stated by telephone.

## MRS. STOKES GRANTED DIVORCE FOLLOWING SENSATIONAL BATTLE

NEW YORK, Sept. 19.—(U. P.)—A sensational battle between W. E. D. Stokes, capital st, and his pretty young wife, Helen Elwood Stokes, ended when Justice Edward Finch denied the millionaire's divorce suit and granted Mrs. Stokes an interlocutory decree of separation on her counter-claim. Finch, in his decision, however, took occasion to rebuke Mrs. Stokes for parts of her testimony against the aged millionaire as "exaggerated if indeed some of it really happened at all."

## BERTHA BLANCETT, WELL KNOWN ROUND-UP RIDER IS VISITOR IN PENDLETON

Bertha Blancett, the most famous cowgirl in the world and a former Pendleton Round-Up cowgirl champion, is a visitor here and will remain until after the Round-Up.

Mrs. Blancett will lead the horseback quadrille at Happy Canyon. This is always a pleasing feature of Happy Canyon, the riders, in cowboy and cowgirl attire, going through the figures of the dance on dancing horses.

Mrs. Blancett, who is now employed by the Irwin-Hodson Co. in Portland, is unique among most women riders because she rides bucking horses "alick," without hobbled stirrups.

## 500 EXHIBITS FROM 5 STATES ARE DISPLAYED

Show Starts at 7:30 With Band Concert, Speakers to Tell of Show's Meaning.

UMATILLA COUNTY HAS 140 EXHIBITS IN PLACE

Awards Will be Made Best Exhibits Wednesday; G. R. Hyslop Serving as Judge.

The second greatest grain and hay show in the United States will open tonight in Pendleton with the presentation of the Northwest Grain and Hay show, with 500 exhibits of grain and hay from Oregon, Washington, Idaho and Montana, and a premium list of \$1500, the greatest ever offered in the Northwest for such products. The show is second only to the International Show held in Chicago.

A thousand dollars worth of baled hay was used in the construction of the building which houses the show, and which is located on Main and Railroad streets. The building is most unique, the sides and ends being of hay, with a roof of canvas. Orange pennants, green bunting and electric lights are used in decorating the building, where by tonight grain exhibits equal in expanse to three city blocks will be shown, together with baled hay.

**In Bushel Lots**

Each grain exhibit measures one bushel, and there are no "hand-picked" exhibits. There are many varieties and each is being placed in a separate bin, classified with the name of the grower, the locality and the kind of wheat. The exhibits are shown in three long rows, the bins being decorated with sheaves of Umatilla county wheat. Awards for the exhibits will be made by Wednesday morning. G. R. Hyslop, head of the farm crops department at Oregon Agricultural College, will make the awards. He is enthusiastic regarding the grains and hay and says that the exhibition is splendid.

Umatilla county is represented by 140 entries. Other wheat entries include 25 from Montana, 20 from Washington, 25 from Idaho, 25 from Morrow county, 20 from Sherman, 15 from Wasco, five from the Willamette Valley, 10 from Union and 10 from Wallawa. There will also be about 75 hay entries, mostly from Umatilla and Morrow counties and from the Yakima valley. Dayton and Columbia have sent entries by truck. California sent one entry, an exhibit of Rosary rye.

Many prominent wheat growers will attend the exhibition. C. B. Olson, of Boise, Idaho, state seed commissioner, D. B. Stevens, of the Morrow experiment station, Harold K. Dean, of the Hermiston station, R. Withycombe, of an -ommon station and Obit Shattuck of the Burns station will also attend during the show.

**Grain Grading Exhibit**

One hundred beautiful sheaves of wheat, barley and oats, comprising the 15 varieties of wheat and several of barley and oats grown in Umatilla county, from an attractive decoration for the ends of the rows of bins. They were selected from Umatilla county wheat fields, and were arranged by Frank Groves, assistant to Fred Burns, county agricultural agent. Among the varieties in the sheaves are Red Russian, Hard Federation, Forty Ford, Jenkins Club, White Hybrid and Turkey Red wheat, White Winter and Blue barley. These sheaves are not entered in the show but are used as a decoration.

Why hard wheats bring more money than other varieties is shown in a pictorial exhibit by the Federal Grain Supervision office, of the Pacific Coast. The display shows the baking tests and that bread made from Hard Red Spring wheat is superior to that made from other wheats. The relative value of Hard Red Spring, Hard Red Winter, Durum, Soft Red Winter and Common White Club, as found in tests made to discover the relation of the test weight to the flour yield, is shown. There are also pictures of the equipment used in testing grain, and a series of pictures showing how a tester enters a car, takes a sample, empties the grain probe, places the wheat in an airtight can, determines the moisture content, determines the weight and dockage, etc.

**Show Begins at 7:30**

Following a short band concert at Hotel Pendleton tonight, the Round-Up band will proceed to the Grain Show building. Will Peterson, Pendleton lawyer, will give the principal address during the evening. There will be talks by George A. Hartman, mayor of Pendleton, J. H. Burns, president of the Pendleton chamber,

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