

CITY CLEANUP WILL SEEK TO FORESTALL FLY

Work Announced To Begin
Next Week

COOPERATION ASKED

Efficient Aid From Citizens Counted
On In Campaign For Sanitary

Town—Much To Be Done
Declares Fire Chief.

Bend's annual cleanup will start early this year. Next week is the starting time, announces Fire Chief Tom Carlton, who declares that the chief object beginning before winter is apparently ended is to "swat the fly" before that insect has appeared. "We intend to have removed every tin can and every bit of refuse of any kind which could serve as a breeding place or food for the flies," he said. "We believe that in this way the fly nuisance in Bend can be largely prevented."

Civic Pride Urged

Cooperation extended by the people of Bend in the cleanup campaign of last year was excellent, Carlton said, adding that he counts on even more efficient assistance this year. "It is a matter of civic pride as well as being to the interest of every householder to have property rightly and well kept," declared the fire chief.

Due to the long drawn out winter, there is much to be done, Carlton admitted, but believed that the work could be accomplished in a week's time.

FOREST NEEDS TRAINED MEN

District Chief Sees Chance
For Beginners—Public
Interest Gains.

PORLTAND, March 17.—More technically trained men are needed in government forestry work is the statement of District Forester George H. Cecil in calling attention to the special examinations to be held the latter part of March for forest assistant and grazing assistant throughout the western states.

"The spread of the forestry idea throughout the United States during the past few years," said Mr. Cecil, "has been most marked. The creation of two new forest experiment stations by the federal government during the past year and the introduction of bills in congress for several more stations, as well as the widespread interest being manifested in the two general forestry bills now before congress, are an indication that the country as a whole is realizing the seriousness of the forest problems of the country."

"These problems call for an early solution and here is an unparalleled opportunity for trained foresters, whether they enter government work or whether they become associated with lumber associations, as logging engineers with lumber companies, or with pulp and paper concerns, or whether they enter the teaching field."

SEATTLE POLICE OFFICER KILLED

Veteran Patrolman Found In Auto,
With Two Bullet Holes Through
Head—Murder Unquestioned

(By United Press to The Bend Bulletin.)

SEATTLE, March 17.—Shot twice through the head, the body of Charles Legate, veteran Seattle policeman, was found today in the back seat of his automobile. A third bullet had gone through the floor.

Evidence of there having been a struggle and the unnatural position of the body, are held by the coroner and by the police as prima-facie evidence of murder.

WIFE SHOOTS MATE WHILE HE SLEEPS

CHICAGO, March 17.—Mrs. Rosa Abramson shot her husband dead as he lay sleeping last night, lit a match to see if he was dead, dropped it and surrendered to the police.

Jobless Man Wants To
Spray National Forest;
Only 1,300,000 Acres

"I understand that you're going to spray the trees in the Deschutes National forest this year. I want the job."

The applicant for the task of treating 1,300,000 acres of government timber, presumably for the eradication of the pine beetle, presented himself at National forest headquarters here yesterday afternoon, and expressed great disappointment when told by Supervisor H. L. Plumb that there was no vacancy for the position.

The forest service has no plans whatever for spraying. Plumb said this morning, expressing his belief that the applicant for work must have been the victim of a hoax.

F.O.P.S. SCORED BY LEGISLATOR

Bean Criticizes Political Ac-
tivity of K. K. K. And
Other "Patriots."

EUGENE, March 17.—Methods employed by so called patriotic societies of the state in attempting to pick a governor of Oregon came in for stinging criticism from L. E. Bean, speaker of the state house of representatives and candidate for nomination for governor on his return from a trip to Portland. He found there that the people are not centering on any one candidate and that the backing evident is that of these societies.

While Bean said he had no quarrel to pick with any of the orders affiliated with the patriotic society of Portland, he did view the methods being used by these societies as entirely un-American when they undertake to dictate to the people of Oregon who shall be governor, Mr. Bean declared he was satisfied that none of the old line fraternal organizations were having anything to do with the so called patriotic societies. The Orangemen, Ku Klux Klan and one or two other societies he named as being openly members of the patriotic body.

Mr. Bean, who is a Mason and member of the Knights of Pythias, said he knew there are no lodges whose rituals would allow them to delve in politics as organizations.

SENATORS IN CLASH OVER 4 POWER PACT

Large Sums Used In Stirring Up
Sentiment For Ratification,
Charges France.

(By United Press to The Bend Bulletin.)

WASHINGTON, March 17.—Senators France of Maryland, Willis of Ohio, and Pomerene of Ohio, clashed today over the four power Pacific pact when France charged that treaty proponents had expended "large sums, probably two millions," stirring up sentiment for ratification.

Willis and Pomerene demanded that France furnish facts in substantiation. France in turn urged Willis to demand a senate investigation.

DESCHUTES STUDY IS BEGUN BY DERBY

Hood River Jurist Here To Begin
Adjudication Proceedings For
North Canal Company.

Judge A. J. Derby of Hood River, attorney for the North Canal Co., arrived in Bend last evening to begin a study of the waters of the Deschutes in connection with the company's move to secure adjudication by the state water board.

J. D. Williams, an engineer, arrived this morning to assist Derby in this study. They will be here until Sunday this time, returning at a later date. Oswald West, secretary of the company, is expected to return to Bend within a few days.

PLAYERS TO MAKE PRINEVILLE TRIP

The Players will leave shortly afternoon Saturday for Prineville, where they will present "The Gypsy Trail," three act comedy which they gave here two weeks ago. Ten members of the company will go by auto. Manager Leroy Cooley leaving early in the day.

INDEPENDENCE CELEBRATED IN IRELAND TODAY

St. Patrick's Is Occasion
For Jubilation.

TREATY IS SUPPORTED

Opponents Also Active—Wearing of
Green In Bend Not Lessened By
Irish Independence—Sinn Feiner
Buys Out Stock of Shamrocks

(By United Press to The Bend Bulletin.)
DUBLIN, March 17.—Ireland celebrated St. Patrick's Day by hailing the birth of the Irish Free State. Speakers everywhere heralded a vigorous campaign in support of the treaty with Britain. Michael Collins, provisional government head, spoke in Cork, the center of the disaffected area.

Treaty opponents also staged demonstrations.

A shooting affray occurred at Cork, one Free Stater being killed and others wounded.

"Wearing of the Green" in Bend this St. Patrick's day seems in no way lessened by the fact that the wearing of that color is now unrestricted in the land where the customs originated. One native Sinn Feiner was so enthusiastic this morning that he bought out all of the stock of shamrocks which one of his countrymen had laid in. The shamrocks were distributed among friends.

Many Wear Green
The display of green was not confined to descendants of the Gaelic kings, however. Indeed, one lady whose ancestors evidently lived in Africa was provided with a green decoration.

Public celebration of the day is to be confined to the dance at the American Legion building tonight, which promises to be one of the big social affairs of the season, and the Irish fair at Epworth hall. A number of private parties are to be held.

MANY HOMESEEKERS LOOKING FOR BEND

Commercial Club's Chief Interest Is
In Obtaining Settlers For Farm
Lands, Secretary Writes.

From 15 to 20 letters a week from people contemplating moving to Bend are being received at Bend Commercial club headquarters, says L. Antles, secretary. Answers are being promptly sent out advising those making inquiry that Bend now has no unemployment problem, but that an influx of people seeking work would result in one.

Letters from the club office emphasize that with present industrial conditions the club is chiefly desirous of securing settlers for Deschutes county farm lands.

SLIDE CLEARED UP TODAY, REPORTED

O.W. Track Blocked, Enforcing
Detour Near North Junction—
Car Reported Derailed.

A slide which has blocked the O.W. track near North Junction for two days was cleared up today, according to information reaching the local station. The slide has delayed the evening trains for two evenings, it being necessary for them to detour over the Oregon Trunk line.

Details of the slide had not been learned, but it was understood that it occurred while a freight train was passing, and that one car was derailed.

FEDERAL MEN TAKE HUGE BOOZE CARGO

24 Prisoners And 4,000 Cases of
Liquor In Hands of Officers
Following Gun Battle.

(By United Press to The Bend Bulletin.)
NEW YORK, March 17.—Twenty-four men were arrested and four thousand cases of liquor seized aboard a schooner following a battle between federal officers and rum runners in the harbor here today. Guns were used freely on both sides.

Trains On Northern Pacific Crash; Trainmen Jump But Fireman Loses Life; Unidentified Hobo Is Victim

(By United Press to The Bend Bulletin.)

BUTTE, Mont., March 17.—Two persons were killed and three injured when the Butte local passenger train No. 20, crashed head on into Northern Pacific train No. One, the crack north coast limited, all of whom jumped as the crash came. The hobo rode on the blind baggage on the local. No passengers were injured.

The crash came on a mountain grade.

No names were given in the report here. The injured men are reported to be the engineer of the local, and the engineer and fireman of the limited, all of whom jumped as the crash came. The hobo rode on the blind baggage on the local. No passengers were injured.

PRICE RATIO'S EQUALIZATION BUSINESS AID

Portland Financier Notes
Prosperity Return

BUYING POWER GAINS

Bend Favored In Lumber Industry,
Declares Robert E. Smith—Live-
stock Market Must Strengthen,
He Says In Interview.

As the most encouraging feature in connection with the gradual betterment of business conditions in state and nation, Robert E. Smith, president of the Lumbermen's Trust Company of Portland, in Bend today to address a meeting of Masonic orders of Central Oregon this afternoon, commented in an interview given out this noon on the equalization which is going on between

prices of farm and manufactured products. The purchasing power of the farmer, Smith stated, has been badly crippled by the fact that while virtually pre-war crop prices have prevailed during the past year, manufactured products have averaged 168 per cent in comparison with that standard. Now, however, farm products prices are strengthening, and manufactured goods are steadily coming down, and just as steadily increasing the farmers' purchasing power and in consequence increasing the demand for more production.

Equation in Values Shown
In this connection, Smith quoted statistics covering a period of 20 years given him by an eastern economist, showing that the value of farm and manufactured products is equal. Based on this, he explained, greater value of crops will necessarily mean a larger industrial output.

Bend will be especially favored in the increasing prosperity, Smith predicted, because of the nature of the city's basic industry. "Lumber is improving," he said, "and with a prospect for good crops and greater relative values there is bound to be considerable building in anticipation." The return of prosperity, he said, will be definitely seen with the liquidation of the 1922 crop.

Allied Debt Feature
The livestock industry of Central Oregon in keeping with that of the country as a whole, will become stronger through increased demand incident to the heavy marketing of young stock during the past fall and winter, caused by the spur of necessity, he said.

Mentioning the international exchange situation, Smith predicted that in two years there would be a strong sentiment in America in favor of the cancellation of the allied debt to the United States. At present, he emphasized, this debt is extremely useful in insuring the nation's strong diplomatic position.

TROOPS' WITHDRAWAL AGAIN IS DEMANDED

(By United Press to The Bend Bulletin.)
WASHINGTON, March 17.—Senators Underwood and Borah today demanded in the senate that the United States withdraw all American troops from the Rhine immediately as an answer to the allies' refusal to permit payment of \$241,000,000 due the United States for their maintenance.

ARBUCKLE HEARING POSTPONED A DAY

(By United Press to The Bend Bulletin.)
SAN FRANCISCO, March 17.—The Roscoe Arbuckle trial has been postponed until tomorrow. Eight men and four women compose the jury.

Alternates are to be selected Saturday, and the trial starts in earnest Monday.

DODGE IS RELEASED ON HABEAS CORPUS

(By United Press to The Bend Bulletin.)
DETROIT, March 17.—John Duval Dodge, son of the late millionaire automobile manufacturer, was released today on a habeas corpus writ after spending last night in the house of correction for speeding.

He will be arraigned later for violating the liquor laws.