

ANNUAL MEETING OF WALNUT MEN HELD NEXT WEEK

The Western Walnut association will hold its annual meeting at the Multnomah hotel, Portland, November 12 and 13.

There is a very large acreage of walnuts and filberts in the state at this time, and nut culture is bound to become one of the strong horticultural lines of this state.

The officers of the Western Walnut association are: J. C. Cooper of McMinnville, president; C. I. Lewis of Salem, vice-president; and Knight Pearcey, Salem, secretary-treasurer.

A very strong program has been prepared for the meeting. C. A. Reed chief of the division of nut culture, U. S. department of agriculture, is to come across the continent to meet the nut growers of Oregon.

The program is as follows: Wednesday, Morning session 10 a. m. Annual message of president, J. C. Cooper, McMinnville.

Report of the secretary-treasurer, Knight Pearcey, Salem.

Planting the nuts in the orchard, Chas. Trunk, Dundee.

Nursery grafting filberts, J. C. Herren, Salem.

Walnut growing experiences, J. R. deNeul, Oregon City.

Afternoon Session. Statistics of nut culture, Earl Pearcey, Salem.

The California Walnut Growers association, J. F. Langner, associate editor Oregon Journal.

American nut culture literature, Ralph T. Olecott, editor American Nut Culture.

Nuts in confectionery use, Frank V. Brown, Dallas.

Filbert growing, John Norelius, Vancouver, Washington.

The Oregon Growers Cooperative association, and the Oregon nut grower, Robert C. Paulus, Salem.

Evening Session. Reports on yields, Trunk, Croner, Dearborn, Walgamot, Withycombe, Root, Shaw, Sourgeon, Norelius, Kruse Lewis, Page Nibler and others.

Filbert growing in the Northwest, Geo. Dorris, Springfield.

Nut growing in the U. S. C. A. Reed, Thursday.

Morning Session 9:30 a. m. Pruning the filbert, H. A. Kruse, Sherwood.

Growing walnuts on stump lands, N. E. Britt, Newberg.

A tree arboriculturist for our logged-off lands, Knight Pearcey, Salem.

New varieties, Kruse, Wilkins, Brixey, Groner.

Drying walnuts, Fred Groner, Hillsboro.

Question box. Afternoon Session. Increasing the consumption of nut products, Geo. Hall, Hall & Emory advertising agency.

Maintaining the vigor in nut trees, Prof. C. I. Lewis, organization manager Oregon Growers Cooperative association.

Notes on Filbert Varieties, R. Graves, Salem.

Promising Seedlings, J. C. Cooper, McMinnville.

Election of officers. The meeting of the association gives an unusual opportunity for those interested in nut culture to attend and gain helpful information.

Nearly all the speakers are men who own large nut properties, who are making a success of their venture, and who are willing and glad to give information and help to the beginner. Salem has one of the largest acreages of walnuts and filberts in the state.

A survey a year ago, showed in territory adjacent to Salem, over 1000 acres of walnuts alone. The famous Skyline orchards of 200 acres is typical of one of the better walnut orchards in the state.

INCORPORATIONS.

The construction of a railroad 185 miles long from Medford, Oregon, to a point in the vicinity of Eureka, California, is the avowed purpose of the Medford Coast Railroad company, which filed articles of incorporation with the corporation department here today.

The articles show a capitalization of only \$10,000. J. T. Gagnon, Armas Clement, Ernest Clement and Adelar Dellaire are the incorporators. Headquarters will be maintained in Medford.

Other companies filing articles. The Electric Maid Shop, Portland, \$3000; C. A. Kumler, M. D. Meacham and L. I. Merrick.

Union Depot Garage company, Portland, \$10,000; Charles H. McGirr, Jackson L. Morrow and James W. Morrow.

Luther Place Water company, Portland, \$1200; Howard Sweetland, Frank J. Streigib, Jr., Russell E. Sewall.

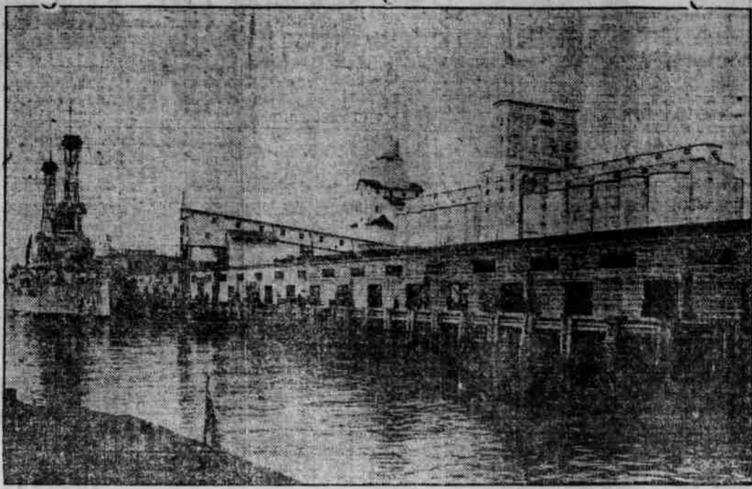
YOUTH NOT FOR SALE. San Quentin, Cal., Nov. 8. Resident physicians at San Quentin prison today received an offer of \$10,000 from a prominent business man if they would transfer to him the reproductive interstitial glands of Antonio Lapara, who is to be hanged December 19.

But the glands are not for sale.

The big Beaver Portland cement plant at Gold Hill, which has been idle the past three years, will resume operations at once, employing 50 men and turning out 1000 barrels daily.

The Independent Phone company of Pilot Rock has applied to the public service commission for permission to increase its rates.

Excellence of Harbor Facilities At Astoria Demonstrated By Docking of Big Battleships



The accompanying photograph showing the big Battleship Vermont, moored in the slip at the Astoria port docks, demonstrates clearly that Oregon possesses a harbor and dockage facilities adequate to accommodate all the great ships of the Pacific fleet.

For the first time in the history of the Pacific coast, excepting at a navy yard, an American battleship of the dreadnaught class moored alongside a dock on September 6th of this year. The craft was the Battleship Vermont, of 16,000 tons displacement and drawing 27.5 feet, and the dock was in Astoria's harbor. She entered the river, came up the bay at half tide, ran into the slip and moored at Pier 1 without the aid of a tug.

The Vermont lay at the wharf until the afternoon of September 10th, when she backed out and, swinging around without assistance, proceeded to sea. The feat was a most unusual one at any port in the world and clearly defines the splendid conditions in the Astoria harbor and at the port terminals.

There is probably not another commercial dock from the Canadian line to the Mexican line where such a thing would be attempted.

State House Briefs. State Engineer Cupper has been requested to co-operate with the departments of California and Idaho in a joint investigation of the Surprise Valley irrigation district in northern California.

John R. Edgar, Hood River rancher, spent Friday in the capital city, the guest of Wm. A. Dalzell, deputy state scaler of weights and measures. Edgar has very emphatic views on the Japanese question especially with reference to the occupation of land in this country by the Japs, who, he declares are becoming a serious menace to the white population in the Hood River valley.

Arguments on the case of Pullen vs school district No. 3 in Multnomah county before the supreme court on appeal have been scheduled for November 21. The case involves the sale of \$20,000 worth of school bonds against which an injunction was asked but denied by the circuit court of Multnomah county.

OLDEST SILVERTON WOMAN CALLED BY DEATH AT AGE 91

Mrs. Orrilla Wilson, mother of Mrs. P. W. Potter, passed away in this city at the home of her daughter, Friday, October 31. She was probably the oldest resident living in Silvertown at the time of death, being a little past 91 years old.

Funeral services were held Monday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. P. W. Potter, Rev. J. A. Bennett officiating and burial was made in the Silvertown cemetery.

Mrs. Orrilla Wilson was born August 7, 1828, at Pike, Wyoming county, New York, and died in Silvertown, Oregon, October 31, 1919, aged 91 years, 2 months and 24 days.

The surviving children are: Mrs. Eva Potter and Fred Wilson, both of this city. She also leaves to mourn her two sisters and one brother, who live in Minnesota, and a large circle of friends.

VALE 'PHONE COMPANY ASKS HIGHER RATES. An increase in telephone rates to cover the increased cost of material and equipment and increased wages is asked for by the Malheur Home Telephone company, with its principal office at Vale, in a petition filed with the public service commission this morning.

GRAND SALEM Wed., Nov. 12 ONE NIGHT The Greatest Theatrical Event Ever in Oregon, Coming in All Its completeness headed by America's Greatest Actor

Advertisement for 'The MASQUERADER' featuring Guy Bates Post. It includes the name of the actor, the title of the play, and information about the performance on Wednesday, November 12th.

Court News

The hearing with the county court Friday afternoon of about 15 truck drivers and operators to arrive at a schedule of weights permissible for hauling over certain county roads was taken under advisement by the court.

A suit to foreclose a mortgage and for judgment of \$200, alleged due on a promissory note, and for \$60 attorney fees, was begun here in district court today by William Beringer against Mr. and Mrs. Karl O. Winzer.

Notice of appeal to the supreme court from the decision of District Judge Hinchman several days ago in the suit of H. A. Holmes against the state fish and game commission, was filed with the county clerk this morning.

Dallas Curfew Ordinance To Be Enforced Hereafter. (Capital Journal Special Service.) Dallas, Or., Nov. 8.—City Marshal Oliver P. Chase of Dallas has served notices on the parents of children in the city that the curfew laws of that city is to be strictly enforced in the hereafter and that all boys and girls under the age of 15 years must be off the streets after 8 o'clock at night or the parents will be hauled before the police judge for a hearing.

Roseburg school directors have closed the high school auditorium to all public entertainments other than those given by the student body or under its auspices.

Advertisement for 'The Master Touch' by BISHOP'S FABRICS. It features a woman in a stylish coat and hat, and text describing the quality and variety of clothing available. It also mentions a special sale on boys suits.

Large advertisement for Brunswick Phonographs. It features an image of a Brunswick No. 75 phonograph and text describing its features, such as 'Ten Double Records, Making 20 Selections' for \$107.50. The ad is signed by C. S. Hamilton.

COUNTY BUDGET LAW STILL IS ENFORCED. The county budget law is not repealed nor set aside by the supreme court but is still in full force and effect, according to an opinion prepared Thursday, by Attorney General Brown for the information and guidance of Paul V. Maris, county agent leader of the cooperative extension division of O. A. C. Attorney General Brown explains that he has had numerous inquiries from all parts of the state relative to the status of the budget law.

Advertisement for Sloan's Liniment. It features the slogan 'SLOAN'S LINIMENT NEVER FAILS ME!' and describes the liniment as a 'handy and used everywhere' remedy for various ailments like rheumatism, sprains, and muscle strain.

Advertisement for 'Cut This Out' featuring Oswald Empey and R. O. Cummins. It promotes an auto truck and offers distance hauling services, with contact information for their office at 143 S. Liberty Street.