

POLK SCHOOLS TO HOLD TRACK MEET AT INDEPENDENCE

Independence, Or., April 1.—The principals of the various high schools of Polk county met in the Independence grade school on Saturday, March 25, for the purpose of organizing a county athletic association, appointing G. D. Byers, principal of the Independence school, as chairman. Polk County Athletic association was the name adopted by the new organization.

The idea seemed to prevail that the county should be divided into two classes, viz., elementary grades and high school grades. The chairman was authorized to appoint a committee of three members, together with the county superintendent, Josiah Willis, to work out rules and regulations for the field meet which is to be held in this city on Saturday, May 20. Last year the meet was held in Dallas, but this will be the first held in Polk county under the standard athletic association.

The chairman appointed the following committee to draft rules and regulations for the new association: L. L. Goding, J. A. Griffin, G. D. Byers and Josiah Willis. The following rules and regulations were reported by this committee:

- Lot 1, for girls under 100 pounds—Class 1, 50 yard dash; class 2, 100-yard dash; class 3, baseball throw for distance.
 - Lot 2, for girls over 100 pounds—Class 1, 50-yard dash; class 2, 100-yard dash; class 3, baseball throw for distance.
 - Lot 3, for boys under 100 pounds—Class 1, 50-yard dash; class 2, running high jump; class 3, running broad jump; class 4, 440-yard relay race.
 - Lot 4, for boys over 100 pounds—Class 1, 70-yard dash; class 2, running broad jump; class 3, 190-yard dash; class 4, running high jump; class 5, 880-yard relay race.
 - Lot 5, high school (all weights)—Class 1, 50-yard dash; class 2, 100-yard dash; class 3, 220-yard run; class 4, 120-yard hurdle race (10 hurdles); class 5, relay race (each boy to run 440 yards); class 6, running high jump; class 7, putting 12-pound shot; class 8, running broad jump; class 9, pole vault; class 10, discus throw (distance).
- According to the rules adopted first place scores five points, second place two points and third place one point.

Lot 6—Class 1, tennis for singles (girls); class 2, tennis for singles (boys); class 3, tennis for doubles (girls); class 4, tennis for doubles (boys).

Only three contestants (except tennis and relay races, which will be limited to one team) for each event can enter from any one school. The school which makes the highest number of points will be given a pennant. One of the pennants will be given for the elementary grades and one for the high school division.

CHURCH TREASURES ARE ENOUGH TO FEED CITY

Kiev, Russia, April 1.—(By Associated Press.)—The treasures within the Kiev-Pechorskaya Lavra monastery here, if converted into cash would buy food sufficient to sustain the entire famine stricken population of the Ukraine and Black sea districts for some time, Premier Lenine has been informed by M. Serafimov, Ukrainian deputy commissar of the interior, who was appointed to superintend the confiscation of the treasures in Kiev's churches and monasteries under the recent soviet decree.

M. Serafimov declares in his report that among the monastery's treasures are two mitres which were appraised in 1870 at \$25,000,000.

THIRTY SEVEN MURDERS IN NEW YORK IN MARCH

New York, April 1.—March was record month for violence in this city. Thirty-seven persons were murdered, among them three women.

In the last 48 hours one murder was committed by a woman, four bandits were captured in an attempt to rob a construction company's payroll, three men shot and seriously wounded a department store manager and three other bandits clubbed a watchman and a guard and took \$1,000 from the counting room of a daily newspaper.

Night News Summary

London.—Seven hundred men belonging to two French columns have been killed or wounded in a surprise attack by tribesmen in the Moulouya valley, French Morocco.

New York.—A charge that agents for the children's society sought to "shake down" Tex Rickard for \$50,000 before his recent trial and acquittal and a counter charge that the affair was concocted to create a "favorable atmosphere" for the accused promoter during his trial were reported as involved in the suspension of two agents of the society.

London.—A dispatch to the Daily Mail from Belfast says the republican committee has ordered a secret mobilization of the republican section of the Irish republican army for Sunday, possibly with the intention of violent action.

Macon Ga.—J. J. Costa of Anthony, Kan., was injured fatally and W. L. Fisher of Mack, Colo., and Ray Roundtree of Portland, Or., received injuries that may result fatally when their airplane crashed into a 60-foot smoke stack at the Macon, Dublin & Savannah railroad shops.

HOUGHTON AND FLETCHER SAIL FOR FOREIGN POSTS

New York, April 1.—Alanson B. Houghton, newly appointed ambassador to Germany, with his wife and two daughters, were passengers aboard the Olympic, sailing today for England. Ambassador Houghton will proceed immediately to Berlin to take up his duties.

Other passengers were Henry P. Fletcher, ambassador to Belgium and a delegation of railroad executives to the international railway congress at Rome including W. W. Atterbury, vice-president of the Pennsylvania system.

REGULATION OF COAL INDUSTRY NEEDED, CLAIM

New York, April 1.—(By Associated Press.)—Congressional action to prohibit over-development of the coal industry was proposed here today by Philip Murray, vice-president of the United Mine Workers of America, as "a cure for the great evil which has America in the grip of a nation-wide strike today."

"Ten thousand bituminous mines are being worked in this country, when 7,000 mines could produce sufficient coal for the nation's needs," he declared.

"The reason for this condition is the greediness of corporations who hold undeveloped coal lands to make them pay profits. New mines are opened before there is a market for the products, millions of dollars are invested in properties that can only work part time, 150,000 more men than the industry can keep employed are drawn into it."

"We have seasons of great activities, and inactivities in all these mines, followed by long periods of idleness. Men are required to live 365 days on the earnings of from 40 to 200 days."

DAUGHTER OF HUNGARY'S REGENT TO WED, REPORT

Budapest, April 1.—(By Associated Press.)—The wedding of Pauleta Horthy, eldest daughter of Admiral Horthy, regent of Hungary, to Lieutenant Ladislav Fay, is announced will take place in the royal palace next Monday.

Announcement of the wedding date sets at rest rumors of a plan for the marriage of Mile. Horthy to the young former Archduke Albrecht, one of the numerous candidates for the crown of Hungary, as a solution of the royal issue.

LOBBYING CHARGES DROPPED

Jackson, Miss., April 1.—The special committee of the Mississippi house of representatives named to investigate charges of pernicious lobbying by certain fire insurance interests and other allegations made by Governor Russell in a recent special message to the legislature reported today that its investigation had failed to substantiate the charges.

"The coming generation will not acquire a taste for whiskey," Not if it learns to drink the stuff now on the market.

What's New on the Market

Egg receipts have been large this week, with a one cent increase. If warm weather keeps up there may be a slight reduction to start the month with. Seventeen and eighteen cents have been offered farmers by retailers with the retail price of 20 and 22 cents prevailing.

Chinook salmon is scarce with larger supplies expected in next week. Large catches of halibut have been reported at Newport and have met with a ready demand at the retail price of 25 cents a pound. The clam season closed yesterday, the supply being very small, retailers, however, expect some in next week.

The newly arrived Louisiana strawberries are in good condition and selling for 35 cents a box.

GOVERNMENT PRINTING SHOP FORCE REPLACED

Washington, April 1.—The bureau of engraving and printing was operating today under practically a complete new executive personnel from the director down and including every division of the bureau.

The sweeping change in the bureau's administration was effected by President Harding through an executive order last night removing James L. Wilmeth, the director and a number of division chiefs and other officials "for the good of the service." Louis A. Hill, assistant chief of the division of engraving was named as the new director.

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The FOUR HORSEMEN Of the APOCALYPSE A REX INGRAM PRODUCTION



Adapted by June Mathis
Photographed by John F. Seta

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J. C. Perry, Druggist, is selling
Genuine Autostrop Safety Razors
For
\$1.00

Its Model C and consists of a highly polished, AUTOSTROP, extra blades, and a selected, leather strop, packed in an attractive, velvet lined, metal case—vest pocket size—all for \$1.00.

J. C. PERRY
"The Rexall Store"

Court Street Christian Church
Corner N. 17th and Court Sts
Gospel Sermons—
Special Songs
PRE-EASTER GREETINGS
7:30 P. M.

Subject:
Sunday—"Will the Old Book Stand?"
Monday—"The Glory of a Stainless Life."
Tuesday—"God's Gospel for Each Age."
Wednesday—"The Task Master of Humanity."
Thursday—"The Ex-Christian."
Friday—"What Church Shall I Join?"

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Free Candy for the Children every Saturday and Sunday Matinee.
Continuous Daily Matinee, 25c, Evening 35c

BLIGH

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Corner of 17th and Nebraska Sts.
Commencing Sunday, April 2.
All Welcome

4 Days Starting Tomorrow



MAE MURRAY
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Where the Darling of Paris night life finds her reputation ready made.
West Is West Latest News Events for Laughing Only in Motion
Have You Heard Our New Pipe Organ?

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\$5 Down Buys Any Piano Or Player Piano
DURING THIS GREAT —PRICE CUTTING— STOCK REDUCING SALE

Due to slack business in the past few months we have accumulated an enormous stock of pianos and phonographs. We have contracted with large manufacturers for a certain amount of pianos—these were shipped—therefore, we must sell our present stock and do it quickly. We must clean house absolutely.

We are going to sell every piano and player-piano regardless of price—we are going to sell every phonograph regardless of terms. You can select any piano in our entire stock and pay only five dollars down and have it sent home and we will arrange the balance to suit. You can buy the world's finest phonographs for as low as one dollar down. We have Edison, Victorolas, Graphonolas, Stars, and many others, every one must be sold.

This sale starts at 8:30 sharp Monday morning and you will have to act at once if you would have first choice.

NEW		NEW	
\$ 425 Pianos	\$298	\$ 600 Players	\$ 495
450 Pianos	325	650 Players	520
500 Pianos	385	675 Players	545
550 Pianos	425	700 Players	585
575 Pianos	440	750 Players	595
600 Pianos	495	800 Players	635
650 Pianos	535	850 Players	695
750 Pianos	560	900 Players	715
1000 Pianos	795	1000 Players	735
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This Beautiful Used \$187 Buys this used \$500.00 PIANO \$5 Down \$1.50 Per Week
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Be here early Monday to get First Choice

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