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FRUIT EXHIBIT AT THE NATATORIUM IS FINEST YET

POULTRY AND RABBIT DISPLAYS LARGEST SINCE ASSOCIATION WAS FORMED

JUDGING OF ENTRANTS NOW WELL UNDER WAY

Work Is Slow Due to Tardiness of Arrivals; School Exhibit Very Attractive and in Line with National Education Week.

One of the finest exhibits of fruit ever held in southern Oregon is on display at the Natatorium during the Winter Fair, while an exceptionally large number of poultry crates and rabbit hutches have been built to house the poultry and pet stock. Canine lovers will be delighted to see several fine specimens on display. Judging, which started late Tuesday, was continued today, and is slow, due to the late arrival of many of the exhibits, which come from points as far north as Seattle, Wash., and from Oakland, Calif., to the south.

A fair-sized audience greeted Prof. Irving E. Vining at the official opening of the Winter Fair at the Armory Tuesday night, the inclemency of the weather preventing many from attending. With many more of the displays ready today, a large crowd is expected to attend this evening.

Fred A. Williams, former public service commissioner, will speak tonight, sharing the program with H. E. Crosby, of the Oregon Agricultural college. Music will be furnished by a glee club from the high school and the high school orchestra. Music Tuesday night was given by the high school band, and was very much enjoyed by those present.

Merchants in general have put forth efforts to arrange attractive booths for the Winter Fair, and some very excellent displays are resultant. Booths have been arranged in the Natatorium by the Carson-Fowler Lumber company, the Ashland Fruit and Produce association, the Ashland Mills, the Ashland creamery, the W. C. T. U., Swenson & Peebler, the county agent, health nurse and home demonstration agent.

One entire swimming tank has been devoted to the poultry exhibit, with many fine pens of chickens and turkeys. Rabbits are arranged around the entire balcony, lights being strung so that a good view of the pet stock can be had. Water has been permitted to run in the lower end of the other swimming pool, and water fowl on exhibition are swimming gaily about the place.

Following out the suggestions of National Education week, special emphasis has been placed upon the school exhibit, which is excellent in the quality of work displayed, both by the poster work of the grade pupils and the art, domestic science and other forms of activities by the students from the upper grades and the high school. All doubt as to the importance and success of this kind of work in the public schools is dispelled when these exhibits are visited.

Visitors Like Ashland—

Mr. and Mrs. Ketel and son, of Portland, have been visiting in Ashland during the past few days. They are quite impressed with the city and think the park and the water they best they ever saw, paying high compliments to both. They will return to their home in a few days, but expect to drive through next summer and stated they expected to make a longer stay at that time.

BAKER SUGGESTED SENATOR IN 1924

SALEM, Dec. 6.—Information has reached here that a group of politicians affiliated with certain fraternal organizations are grooming Mayor Baker, of Portland, for United States senator in 1924, the final year of Senator McNary's term. Besides his fraternal connections, the Ku Klux Klan, it is said, will back Baker.

GREEKS ACCUSE PRINCE

Prince Andrew of Greece, uncle of King George II, has been arrested and will be tried for contributing to the defeat of the Greek army in Asia Minor.

NOTES TO ST. NICK BEING RECEIVED AT CITY POST OFFICE

With Christmas less than three weeks in the future, postal employes are already receiving the customary letters addressed to Santa Claus by the small Ashland boy and girl. Many people, especially the older ones, believe these letters are not sent through the mail to their proper destination, but the Tidings has it from good sources, namely, the word of Millard Grubb, assistant postmaster, that this report is false, and persons circulating such rumors are likely to be withdrawn from dear old Santa's list of names.

"Three letters have been received to date," Assistant Postmaster Grubb stated today. "These are apparently from some over-anxious youngsters, and though the office force were unable to decipher the contents, the letters were forwarded to his secret address. He is wonderful when it comes to reading various kinds of writing. Of course, we open the letters to see if the contents are important. Santa Claus has informed us that he is very busy at this time of year and cannot find time to answer all the mail he receives. Hence we have been instructed to open all letters addressed to him, and if the writer seems to be sincere in his or her request, and makes a reasonable demand, the letter is sent to him. Also we taken into account whether the writer is a good boy or girl. Those who do not help do the chores, chop wood, wipe dishes and dust, might as well not write, for in their cases the letters will not be forwarded."

STORM HITS COAST AND MIDDLE WEST

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 6.—The Pacific coast is swept by the worst storm of the winter. Snow from the Canadian line to northern California is reported, with a heavy gale and driving rain falling south of the snow line. The east is also storm swept with a 60 mile gale along the Great Lakes.

BIG ENGINE TURNS OVER NEAR WHITE POINT SIDING

One of the big decapod engines used by the Southern Pacific company over the Siskiyous turned over Tuesday at the siding at White Point when it hit a broken rail.

The train was in charge of Engineer Samuel Kelby and Conductor G. W. Rose, and had just left the White Point station going down the hill when the engine hit the broken rail and left the track, plowing into the bank for several feet before stopping. Two flat cars which were directly behind the engine were forced almost through the tender.

Outside of a sprained ankle suffered by the fireman, no one was injured and traffic was resumed after a few hours.

MID-AIR CRASH BY TWO PLANES KILLS SIX MEN

ARMY AVIATORS IN COLLISION BETWEEN FOKKER AND BOMBER

ACCIDENT OCCURS AT LANGLEY FIELD, VA.

Major, Captain and Four Enlisted Men Perish When Machine Falls to Earth; An Official Investigation Is Now Under Way.

LANGLEY FIELD, Va., Dec. 6.—Six army aviators were killed here in a collision between a Fokker airplane and an army bomber.

The dead are: Major Guy Gerhardt, Captain L. Doyle of San Francisco, Sergeant Arthur Arsick of Cleveland, Private Leon Rollas of Philadelphia, Private Alex Blumka of Chicago and Private Tom Jordan of Deep Sleep, Ga.

The planes met head on in flight as the Fokker rose from the ground. They fell in flames. An official investigation has been ordered.

CHARLES S. PRICE AT ALBANY ARMORY

People are witnessing great examples of faith's powers as Dr. Charles S. Price continues his healing work as the avowed agent of the Supreme Being, declares the Albany Democrat, in speaking of the healing services held in that city last week.

An exceptionally earnest and inspiring testimony of the work done through the Price evangelistic meetings was that given by Mrs. George Bayne, of Peoria, who went forward to be annointed Saturday. Faith fairly radiated from her features and shone in her eyes throughout the interview the following day.

Meetings in the Hub city are being held in the Armory, a building with considerable more floor space than the Ashland Armory, and are being attended by thousands of people. At one of the meetings last week more than 3000 were turned away, while at least 2500 were able to get inside the Armory for the services. Many brought luncheons to the afternoon meetings and remained all day. By 5:30 o'clock in the afternoon the building was already filled to capacity for the evening meetings.

An effort is being made by Eugene ministers to have Dr. Price conduct a series of meetings in the University city, and it is believed the evangelist will accept the call from that city.

HIGH SCHOOL EDITORS WILL MEET IN EUGENE

UNIVERSITY OF OREGON, Eugene, Nov. 6.—(Special.)—The annual conference of the High School Press association, which is held each year under the auspices of the University of Oregon school of journalism, has been scheduled for January 19 and 20. The conference will be held coincidentally with the meeting of presidents of the high school student bodies on the campus.

The conference of editors and student body presidents was held in the spring last year, but the date was set for January this year at the suggestion of the high schools themselves. They favored a winter conference as it will give the young men and women who are delegates, the opportunity to put into effect from January to June ideas and plans proposed and discussed at the conference.

PORTLAND WRITERS PRAISE FAIR LIVESTOCK SECTION

That the Winter Fair has no equal in an exposition of its kind on the Pacific coast, and that the display of rabbits was equal if not even better than that of the Pacific International Livestock exposition, held in Portland last month, is the opinion of P. W. Harries, editor of the Pacific Northwest Poultry Journal, of Portland, who is in the city attending the Winter Fair.

Another Portland writer who praised the local exposition today, was George N. Angell, of the Oregon Farmer, who is attending the Winter Fair in order to cover it for his publication. He expressed himself as being disappointed in that there was no department for the dairy cow, which he likes to see present in any exposition of farm resources.

Descuhtes county will spend $15,180 for market roads.

COMING EVENTS

Nineteen days Before Christmas. Don't Delay That Shopping.

December 5-8—Winter Fair.

December 16—Stewart Long, lecturer, Lyceum course.

December 22.—High school operetta, "The Captain of Plymouth."

December 25, Monday — Christmas Day.

COUNCIL HAS LONG DISCUSSION OVER CITY MILK SUPPLY

The city council held its regular meeting last evening at the city hall. All the members were present except Councilman Finley.

The principal discussion of the session centered about a proposed ordinance to regulate the sale of milk and cream in the city, when the same was brought up by the reading of the proposed law. From the reading, the proposed ordinance appeared to be just about what was needed, but after various points had been brought out by members of the council and some of the dairymen present, it was seen that several changes would make the ordinance much more satisfactory, whereupon it was decided to leave the same over until the next meeting at which time it will be brought up for further consideration.

Among other matters taken up during the evening besides the presenatation and allowing of bills for the month, which amounted to a little more than $7000, was the granting of a ten year franchise to the Southern Pacific to build a siding to the Enders wholesale house at the corner of Oak and A streets.

Councilman Frost asked that the city deed a strip of ground back to him, which he deeded to the city for street purposes, and which was never used, the street having been constructed along the edge of his property instead of through it as had at first been planned. Mr. Frost expects to deed the ground where the street is now located to the city in exchange for the other parcel of ground. City Attorney Wm. Briggs brought up another case and asked that the council vacate an alley through the Merrill property on the Boulevard, which was granted to the city several years ago, but which was never used. After a short discussion on both cases, the city attorney was instructed to draw up the proper papers for the vacating of both pieces of ground.

The matter of certain pavement assessments which are long overdue and which amount to some $5000, was taken up, and it was decided to foreclose on these properties unless satisfactory payment is made at once.

Water has been requested by a citizen on the south end of Weightman street, and following a discussion on the needs of that section of the city, the water superintendent was instructed to purchase sufficient four-inch main to connecte the dead end of the two-inch water main on Weightman street with the main on the Boulevard.

KLEPPER BARRED AT BASEBALL MEET

LOUISVILLE, Ky., Dec. 6.—The National Association of Professional Baseball in session here, through an act of the board of arbitration, has barred William Klepper, president of the Portland Pacific Coast league team, from further participation in the affairs of organized baseball.

CLEMENCEAU TO ASK WILSON FOR HIS VIEW POINT

"TIGER" WANTS TO KNOW IF FURTHER PARTICIPATION IS PROBABLE

DEMOCRATIC POLICIES FAVORED BY FRENCHMAN

Meets Wilson as an Equal and States He Is in Favor of the League of Nations; Makes Prophecy at the War College.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 6.—Clemenceau, in his meeting with Woodrow Wilson late this afternoon is expected to ask what chance there would be for a greater American participation in European affairs under a democratic administration. The two will meet here as equals, as they did in Paris at the peace conference. Clemenceau will tell Wilson that he favors the League of Nations.

Clemenceau addressed American generals in the war college today and left this prophetic message: "One of these days, under a form I don't exactly know, the time will come when we will meet again in France."

U. S. C. CHOSEN FOR NEW YEAR CLASSIC

CORVALLIS, Dec. 6.—The University of Southern California was selected to represent the west at Pasadena against the Penn State football team on New Year's day.

Dr. U. G. Duback, president of the Pacific Coast conference announced today that the Trojans received six of the eight votes. Idaho voted for California and Oregon voted for itself. All the others were for Southern California.

STUDENTS TO EARN CREDIT BY DRILLING WITH O. N. G.

SALEM, Dec. 6.—One of the 15 units necessary for graduation from a standard high school may be earned by student members of the Oregon National Guard when, throughout their four-year course, they attend all drills regularly and meet the requirements of the 15 days' annual training camp.

This was announced in a letter prepared by J. A. Chruchill, state superintendent of public instruction, to be distributed among the superintendents of schools of districts in which there is a company of the Guard.

All attendance must be certified to by the captain of the company, based upon the federal drill attendance returns, upon which the United States treasury pays the men.

FARMERS' SHORT COURSE SET FOR JAN. 2 AT CORVALLIS

OREGON AGRICULTURAL COLLEGE, Corvallis, Dec. 6.—(Special.)—A winter short course in general agriculture lasting 11 weeks will begin at the college January 2. Organized to meet the needs of farmers, old and young, who cannot attend college a full year, the course will include thorough instruction in stock judging, stock feeding and management, practical farm management and farm crops.

Drilling and practice in judging beef cattle, sheep, swine and horses, using score cards with five two-hour laboratory periods a week and one recitation make up one course.

OREGON PENITENTIARY HAS FEWER INMATES; MORE SOON

SALEM, Dec. 6.—The population at the Oregon state penitentiary which last August totaled 470 has dropped to 458, according to a report prepared by prison officials today. In August the population reached the highest tide for several years. The decrease in the number of inmates, officials said, probably was due to the fact that few of the circuit courts held sessions during the months of September and October. With a large number of courts now in session, officials predicted that by December 15, the population of the prison will be larger than ever before.

WHEN DAVID FIGHTS

Characteristic photograph of David Lloyd George addressing a crowd from the steps of the Reform club in Manchester, during one of the most famous speeches ever made by the big little Welshman, who is fighting to regain power in England.

AMBULANCE FUNDS ARE BOOSTED WHEN MORE CONTRIBUTE

Several more names have been added to the list of contributors to the fund for purchasing a community ambulance to augment the equipment of the Community hospital. Though the checks are being received from day to day, they should be speeded up in order that the ambulance may be purchased as soon as possible.

With the appearance of the new names today, the total paid in sum, which has been deposited by the Ashland Daily Tidings in a separate account in the bank, has reached $791. With the addition of $150 promised, but not yet paid, there has been $941 contributed to the special fund.

An ambulance such as will suffice for the present needs of the community can be purchased for $1200 Purchase of this machine will not be left to any one individual, whether he contributes to the fund or not. A committee will be selected consisting of the physicians of the city, and these will be empowered to make the purchase.

Contributions to date, money deposited to the Ambulance Fund, are:

Ashland Daily Tidings	$100
Jesse Winburn	100
Dr. George Jarvis	100
Dr. Wood	100
J. P. Dodge & Sons	100
G. S. Butler	100
Dr. Swedenburg	100
Bert L. Moses	50
O. A. Paulserud	25
C. L. Loomis	15
W. S. DePeau	1

Other contributors declared but not yet paid, are H. G. Enders Sr., $100; Mrs. Eugenia Atkinson, $25, and the Murphy Electric Co., $25.

IRISH FREE STATE NOW IN EXISTANCE

LONDON, Dec. 6.—King George, during a meeting of the privy council, at Buckingham palace, signed a proclamation that the Irish Free State is officially in existence. He appointed Timothy Healy as the first governor general of the Free State.

Precedent is broken in the appointment, for Healy is a commoner and a native of Ireland. Usually, men of high rank and title are appointed governor generals of the dominions.

EASTERN STAR ELECTS OFFICERS FOR THE YEAR

The annual election of officers took place at the regular meeting of Alpha chapter No. 1, Easter Star, Tuesday evening, and resulted in the following being chosen:

Worthy matron, Georgia Coffee; worthy patron, Dr. W. E. Blake; associate matron, Mrs. L. S. Brown; secretary, Mrs. Leah Caldwell; treasurer, Miss Lydia McCall; conductress, Mrs. F. F. Whittle; associate conductress, Mrs. W. M. Denton.

WOMAN ELUDES ALL EFFORTS TO RE-CAPTURE HER

CLARA PHILLIPS STILL AT LIBERTY AND POLICE ARE CLEWLESS

CAREFUL WATCH KEPT OVER MEXICAN BORDER

Believed That "Hammer Mudreress" Crossed Boundary to South by Airplane; Witness Appeals for Protection; Taxi Driver Questioned.

LOS ANGELES, Dec. 6.—Hunted by every officer in southern California and federal authorities along the Mexican border, Clara Phillips, convicted "hammer murderess" of Alberta Meadows, who escaped from the county jail yesterday, was still at large today.

Police have no clews, and the Mexican border is being particularly well guarded. It is even thought possible Mrs. Phillips may have escaped across the border in an airplane.

Armour Phillips, husband of the escaped woman, failed to throw any light on the sudden disappearance of his wife. He said he slept in a downtown hotel on the night of the escape, and that he knew nothing of her flight until reading the morning newspapers. Mrs. Madalynne Obenchain was questioned again regarding her knowledge of the escape.

Mrs. Peggy Caffee, star prosecution witness at Mrs. Phillip's trial, appealed to the sheriff's office for protection. She fears the escaped murderess will kill her, she told the authorities. The first tangible clew was unearthed when the police questioned a taxicab driver.

GIRLS TO SERVE LUNCHEONS DURING THE WINTER FAIR

Demonstrating the actual work being done in Ashalnd schools, girls of the junior and senior high schools will be at the Armory during the Winter Fair this week, showing how they learn to sew and cook at school. The exhibition is being staged in connection with National Education week.

Luncheons were prepared by the young ladies and served at noon today, with the same for Thursday and probably Friday. The lunch will not be free, but a sufficient cost placed upon it to cover the cost of materials.

Today has been designated as Teachers and Pupils day on the Educational Week calendar. Superintendent G. A. Briscoe, Principal B. F. Forsythe and Coach Walter Hughes will go to Central Point this evening in the interest of the day. National Education week is being observed in the local schools as well as in other schools and educational institutions throughout the nation.

DEN OF REPTILES FOUND BY CREW ON HIGHWAY

THE DALLES, Or., Dec. 6.—Highway workers on The Dalles-Dufur section of The Dalles-California highway recently dug out a mass of live rattlesnakes and grass snakes as big as a man's head, while engaged in excavation work, according to the report brought to this city by highway engineers.

The snakes were coiled about each other in a sinuous mass and were in a fissure of rock through which a small stream of water was running, it was said. They were in a semi-dormant state by reason of being in the process of hibernation, and the rattlers were killed without the usual excitement and danger attendant upon such a procedure.

DOUGLAS MAN MAY WIN PRESIDENCY

PORTLAND, Dec. 6.—The presidency of the state senate is said to be in the balance today, with a conference scheduled in Pendleton. Politicians believe the result may be a disruption of the line-up for Senator Jay Upton, of Crook county. It is believed that if a break comes, Senator Eddy, of Douglas county, will win out.