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S. P. RECEIVES 53 NEW ENGINES

New Locomotives Being Delivered Are in Addition to Recent Order for 63.

One Type of New Locomotives Being Delivered Is the Most Powerful Made.

Following the announcement that the Southern Pacific had placed orders for 63 new locomotives made several days ago comes the news that the eastern manufacturing concerns have begun the delivery of 53 new freight and passenger locomotives ordered during the early part of the year by that company.

The two orders, adding a total of 113 engines for handling constantly increasing traffic in the West, will represent an expenditure of about \$8,000,000 when delivered and fitted for service. The new locomotives embody the latest approved features for increasing efficiency and economy of operation as worked out by Southern Pacific motive power experts. They will make possible longer runs and the handling of heavier trains.

"2-10-2" Powerful Type

Thirty-four of the locomotives now being delivered are of the "2-10-2" type for heavy freight service and are similar to those in use on mountain sections of the line. These are among the largest and most modern of their type in use on any railroad. Ten are of the "4-8-2" type, commonly known as the mountain type, passenger locomotive, which are among the most powerful and modern passenger locomotive ever built. These are to be used in fast passenger service over mountain divisions and on exceptionally long runs. The remaining six locomotives are of the "4-6-2" type of passenger engine, similar to those built in 1921 for use on the Salt Lake Division, which have proven so efficient in making the run of 536 miles between Ogden, Utah, and Sparks, Nevada.

The new mountain type passenger locomotives are heavier and more powerful than any passenger locomotive now used by the Southern Pacific. They have a tractive, or pulling power of 57,510 pounds without the auxiliary booster engine and 67,660 pounds with the booster. The total weight of engine and tender is approximately 572,900 pounds; length over all, 97 feet, 6 1/4 inches; height, 16 feet, 1 1/2 inches; driving wheels, 73 1/2 inches in diameter. The booster engine is a separate two-cylinder steam engine geared to axle of trailing truck wheels for the purpose of assisting main engine in handling trains, both in starting and on heavy grades. It is cut out as soon as the train attains a speed of about 15 miles per hour. The "4-6-2" type passenger locomotives, found to be one of the most efficient and easiest riding engines in use, have a tractive power of 43,660 pounds, weight with tender approximately 527,250 pounds, and are 96 feet, 5 1/4 inches in length.

The powerful "2-10-2" freight locomotives are 97 feet, 9 1/4 inches long, have tractive power without booster of 75,150 pounds, with booster 84,740 pounds and weigh approximately 619,800 pounds. All of the engines are equipped with feed water heaters, which perform the double operation of heating the water as it comes from the tender and pumping it into the boiler. They also have clasp brakes on tender truck wheels, consisting of two brake shoes per wheel, which provide more efficient braking and less wear.

ROYAL HEADS OF SPAIN PAY VISIT TO ITALY

ROME, Nov. 19.—Brilliant ceremonies marked the arrival of King Alfonso, Queen Victoria, and General Rivera, heads of the Spanish government, who arrived to pay a visit to King Victor Emmanuel and Pope Pius XI. It is expected the visit will result in closer relations between Spain and Italy and the Vatican. A great crowd filled the streets and cheered the royal party on its way from the station.

MCADOO IS EXPECTED TO MAKE STATEMENT

LOS ANGELES, Nov. 19.—While prominent Southern California Democrats prepared to greet William Gibbs McAdoo upon his arrival here late today from the East, reports were going the rounds that McAdoo would make a formal announcement tonight of his presidential campaign. Mr. McAdoo has practically admitted he will be a candidate and his supporters have made a similar announcement.

MANY TEACHERS TO ATTEND CHAMBER DINNER TUESDAY

Many of the Ashland Teachers are planning to attend the Chamber of Commerce dinner tomorrow night at the Hotel Ashland. This will be an excellent opportunity to meet and get acquainted with our teaching force. Music for the event is to be furnished by High School students under direction of Miss Magsters, instructor in music.

Mr. V. V. Mills will represent the American Legion on the program for the C. of C. dinner tomorrow night at Hotel Ashland. The topic assigned to the Legion is "Patriotism", this being the subject for the day.

Prof. H. S. Tuttle, principal speaker for the C. of C. dinner gave two splendid addresses yesterday in the Congregational and Methodist churches.

Don't forget the Chrysanthemum exhibit at the Hotel Ashland tomorrow evening. Bring your chrysanthemums to the hotel between four and five Tuesday afternoon.

FOUR KILLED IN OREGON INDUSTRIES DURING WEEK

SALEM, Nov. 18.—There were four fatalities due to industrial accidents in Oregon during the week ending November 15, according to a report prepared here today by the state industrial accident commission.

The victims were: Cyril Avrit, Black Rock, faller; Howard Peterson, brakeman, Waldport; Hosie A. Stephens, Valseltz, liner, and Leroy Smith, Portland, boom man.

Of the 642 accidents reported, 521 were subject to benefits under the workman's compensation act, 116 were from firms and corporations that have rejected the law, and five were from public utilities not entitled to the state protection.

MORE AUTOS ON FARMS AND IN SMALL TOWNS THAN IN BIG CITIES

WASHINGTON, Nov. 15.—"How you gonna keep 'em down on the farm?"

That's easy, explains the National Automobile Chamber of Commerce, which reports that proportionately more cars are owned in the farms and villages from 1,000 to 5,000 population all over the country than among the gayest "White Way," Fifth Avenue, Broadway, Michigan Boulevard, Euclid avenue, or F street.

In fact, motor cars have put the main in Main street. "The ownership of motor cars is proportionately heaviest in the villages from 1,000 to 5,000 population, which have but nine per cent of the United States population, yet use 20 per cent of the total motor cars," according to the Chamber. "Stating it another way, these communities have one motor car for

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DUNSMUIR ENJOYING SUBSTANTIAL GROWTH

DUNSMUIR, Nov. 19.—Dunsmuir's growth has been the cause of redistricting the voting precincts, four new ones being established.

Within the corporate limits of the town will be precincts 1 to 6. The outside ones will be 7 and 8. Previous to this change, those voters outside the town were put to much discomfort to reach the voting place at Masson's during stormy weather.

ANNUAL CONSUMPTION OF ORANGES ON INCREASE

LOS ANGELES, Nov. 19.—Approximately 100,000 carloads of oranges and grapefruit and 13,000 carloads of lemons, or the largest total supply of citrus fruits ever marketed in the United States and Canada, were consumed during the 1922-23 season in these two countries, according to the annual report of E. G. Dezell, General Manager of the California Fruit Growers Exchange, Los Angeles, which was issued today.

Of this quantity, California shipped 50,966 carloads of oranges and grapefruit and 8,741 cars of lemons, figured on a basis of 400 boxes to the car, it is reported.

CRITICIZES JUDGE AND GETS TERM IN JAIL

WASHINGTON, Nov. 19.—Comptroller Craig, of New York, must serve a jail sentence for contempt of court for criticizing Federal Judge Mayer, of New York, the United States supreme court sustaining the action of Judge Mayer.

Popular Education and Free Government

Popular education is necessary for the preservation of those conditions of freedom, political and social, which are indispensable to free individual development. And, in the second place, no instrumentality less universal in its power and authority than government can secure popular education. Without popular education moreover, no government which rests upon popular action can long endure. The people must be schooled in the knowledge and, if possible, in the virtues upon which the maintenance and success of free institutions depend. No free government can last in health if it lose hold of the traditions of its history, and in the public schools these traditions may be and should be sedulously preserved, carefully replanted in the thought and consciousness of each successive generation.—Woodrow Wilson.

ASHLAND VICTORIOUS IN GAME WITH ROSEBURG BY A SCORE OF 12 TO 0

Ashland High defeated Roseburg on the local grid field Saturday afternoon by a score of 12 to 0. The visitors' favorite attack was by air, although they had one backfield man who staged three 35 to 40 yard runs. Roseburg twice lacked the final punch to push the ball less than a foot for a touchdown. Ashland had a new player in the form of Marske, who broke up pass after pass by Roseburg. Marske also did some real tackling in real football like form. Ashland pulled three or four nice passes, but Roseburg made more yards in that department, but the receiver seldom got away from Ashland's fast backfield.

In the drive to goal Ashland had the punch over Roseburg to a considerable degree, and thereby hangs the victory. The game was free from roughness and played with less stalling than the Medford game of Armistice day. The fans delighted in the game with Roseburg because of the continual shifting of attacks and the hard playing of Roseburg's backfield, who pulled several neat fake plays and fine end runs.

HAWAII TEAM HEADED BY ASHLAND MENTOR TO PLAY AT PASADENA

The University of Hawaii football team, headed by Otto Klum, former well known young man of Ashland, will play Pomona College at Pasadena, Cal., Thanksgiving day. The Hawaiian eleven has already sailed from Honolulu for the states and is composed of 19 men, in addition to the coach.

Otto Klum, coach of the visiting eleven was formerly coach of the Ashland High School and is a graduate of that institution. He has been at Honolulu for the past four or five years, during which he has been associated with the University of Hawaii.

The Hawaiian team is known as the "Deans" and is said to be very strong, using the aerial game copied after the University of California. The Navy team of the islands, champions for two years, was tied by Coach Klum's aggregation when they entered the fourth quarter with a score of 19-6 against them. The Pomona college was also defeated last year, according to a dispatch from the islands.

BAR ASSOCIATION WILL BE GUEST OF ASHLAND SATURDAY, DECEMBER 8

All members of the Jackson and Josephine county bar associations are to be the guests of the members of the Ashland bar at a banquet and meeting to be held in Ashland on the evening of Saturday, December 8th, next.

This gathering is the culmination of an invitation extended to the bar associations by the Ashland bar at the Constitution day meeting in Grants Pass.

This occasion is planned to be on a much more elaborate scale than any bar association affair which has ever been held in southern Oregon, and this time each member of the bar will be expected to bring his wife or lady to the banquet and meeting.

Aside from the banquet, the bar associations are to have as their guests, William G. Hale, Dean of the Department of Law of the University of Oregon, who will talk on the subject of the proposed increase in requirements for admission to the bar. Dean Hale is one of the foremost legal minds in the West, and his presence will insure a full attendance.

Circuit Judge C. M. Thomas will be asked to cover the subject as to how the attorneys may be of assistance to the Court and H. D. Norton, of Grants Pass will be asked to give a thorough discourse on the subject of legal ethics. Other speakers will be announced later, it is said.

Senate Dethrones Governor Walton

OKLAHOMA CITY, Nov. 19.—Governor Walton arch enemy of the Ku Klux Klan, was dethroned today by the state senate, sitting as an impeachment court. The court found him guilty of incompetency, flagrant violation of the constitutional laws and corruption in office. The verdict automatically removed Walton from the office and Lieutenant Governor Tripp becomes the new executive.

JAPS ARE GIVEN ANOTHER SHOCK

Aliens Prohibited From Owning Shares in Agricultural Land Corp.

Ruling Is the Result of Clarifying Important Decision Rendered Last Monday.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 19.—The United States supreme court has decided that the California Alien Land Act, which was ruled constitutional in a decision handed down last week, prohibits the execution of "cropping contracts" made between Japanese and landowners of California. In another ruling clarifying its decision with respect to the validity of the California land law, the court held that the ownership of shares of stock in California agricultural land corporations constituted an interest in real property, thus making the ownership illegal under the decision of last Monday, which prohibits Aliens not eligible to citizenship, to own farm lands within the state of California.

NO SUCCESSOR NAMED FOR WHITE IN SHASTA

REDDING, Nov. 19.—The state fish and game commission has not yet appointed a deputy fish and game commissioner for Shasta County to succeed the late James S. White, who was killed at Castella by John Vail on October 17th.

George Neal, chief executive officer of the commission, has instructed G. O. Lewis of Hayfork, deputy fish and game commissioner in Trinity County, to look after Shasta County as best he can until an appointment is made. Laws has arrived here and will devote some attention to this county right away. He has been game warden in Trinity County for fifteen years.

PREHISTORIC FOOTPRINTS DISCOVERED IN GRANITE

ETNA MILLS, Nov. 18.—While exploring in the mountains recently, Leonard Joss discovered what is believed to be the foot prints of some prehistoric animal.

The indentations show the marks of five distinct toes, or cushions, the larger ones measuring about two feet across.

They appear to have been made by animals moving in both directions.

The prints are in part of a ledge of granite found on the east side of the Salmon Mountain, about a quarter of a mile from the regular stage route and four miles from Etna.

PRIZE LIST COMPLETED FOR SCHOOL EXHIBITS AT COMING WINTER FAIR

For the Schools exhibit the following list of subjects and prizes has been offered by the committee consisting of G. A. Briscoe, Mrs. A. W. Woods, Mrs. Louis Schwein and Mrs. Emil Peil. These lists apply to Ashland schools but all Jackson county schools are invited to compete for two silver cups, under the direction of Mrs. Sussanne Homes Carter, County Superintendent, and full instructions will be made to each district relative to the terms of the contest.

1. First Grade—Illustrated story "Little Miss Muffet", size 9x18, pattern work. Prizes: \$2.00, \$1.50, \$1.00, 50c.
2. Second Grade—Thanksgiving booklet: decorated cover, pattern and color work. Prizes: \$2.00, \$1.50, \$1.00, 50c.
3. Third Grade—Illustrated story, "The Wise Men": camels, men, desert, star, city. Pattern, construction and color—9x12. Prizes: 2.00, \$1.50, \$1.00, 50c.
4. Fourth Grade—Rag dolls: old stockings. Prizes: \$2.00, \$1.50, \$1.00, 50c.
5. Fifth Grade—Flower basket. Freehand drawing and coloring and cutting. Prizes: \$2.00, \$1.50, \$1.00, 50c.
6. Sixth Grade—6B—Map of U. S. Possessions, 9x12. Prizes \$2.00, \$1.50, 6A—Good English Poster, 18x12. Prizes: \$2.00, \$1.50.
7. Seventh Grade—Art work, selected. Prizes: \$2.00, \$1.50, \$1.00, 50c.
8. Eighth Grade—Art work, selected. Prizes: \$2.00, \$1.50, \$1.00, 50c.
9. Sewing: (a) Junior High School—Prizes: \$2.00, \$1.50, \$1.00, 50c. (b) Senior High School. Prizes: \$2.00, \$1.50, \$1.00, 50c.

TAKE MAN'S HOUSE AND LOTS TO PAY LIQUOR FINE

VANCOUVER, Wash., Nov. 18.—A house and four city lots, owned by James W. Fitts of Yacolt, found guilty of illegal possession of liquor, was sold today for \$46.15, at the county courthouse to Clarke county by the sheriff, who conducted the sale under orders of Superior Judge George B. Simpson. Fitts had been sentenced to pay a fine of \$150, which he refused to do, so his real estate was attached and sold to pay his fine, most of which Fitts had already taken out by extra time served in jail.

This policy will be followed in the case of all offenders owning property in the county who fail to pay fines levied on them, Prosecuting Attorney Joseph E. Hall said. In the past obstinate offenders have often chosen to remain in jail rather than pay their fines, being allowed \$3 a day toward payment of the monetary penalty.

RESTRICTIONS ON TRUCKS MADE BY LANE COUNTY

EUGENE, Or., Nov. 19.—All gravel and macadam roads in Lane county will be protected this winter, the county court having made an order restricting loads to 350 pounds to the tire inch. This is the standard set by the state highway commission for all state macadam roads.

The Lane court already had set this limit on a number of roads in different parts of the county, but as many of the roads appeared to be suffering from heavy hauling over them it was decided to make the restriction county-wide.

AUTHOR OF RAGGEDY ANN WILL BE GUEST AT CHAMBER DINNER

Johnny Gruelle, author of the famous Raggedy Ann books, who became an Ashland resident during late summer, will be a guest of the Chamber of Commerce at the dinner at Hotel Ashland Tuesday evening.

Gruelle's series of books have made him one of the most famous authors of the country and his productions have been read and enjoyed by millions. Mr. Gruelle, accompanied by his family, came to Oregon during the summer to enjoy the mountains and streams and camped for some time at Lake of the Woods, near Ashland. As a result of frequent visits to Ashland they became enamored of the town and after investigating the schools here decided to make this their home, temporarily at least. The excellent standard of Ashland schools appealed particularly to Mr. and Mrs. Gruelle.

The fact that Gruelle has accepted an invitation to be the guest of the Chamber Tuesday evening is gratifying to that organization.

KLAMATH WILL DECLARE WAR ON COYOTE TRIBE

KLAMATH FALLS, Nov. 19.—War has been declared on Klamath county coyotes and hostilities will be directed here this winter by Elmer Williams of the United States biological service of Portland headquarters. The principal weapon of the campaign against the sheep killers will be strychnine and the farmers and ranchers will be organized to cooperate with the government and local deputies. Klamath sheepmen estimate that their losses annually from coyote depredations exceed 10 percent.

ASSAULT UPON AGED MAN BRINGS CHARGE

ROSEBURG, Or., Nov. 18.—W. R. Gluyas, of Riddle, was indicted by the November grand jury Friday on a charge of assault and battery. Gluyas is charged with striking John D. Cornutt, aged Riddle resident, over the head with a shovel when the two men engaged in an altercation over a road. Cornutt suffered severe scalp injuries. Gluyas is being held for the grand jury under \$500 bonds.

COMMITTEE WANTS FLOWERS FOR COMING WINTER FAIR

Mrs. O. Winter, member of the decorating committee for the Winter Fair, requests that the Tidings inform all Ashland residents that as many chrysanthemums as it is possible to obtain are wanted for the fair. Those having chrysanthemums are requested to protect them in the event of freezing weather and to notify the decorating committee or Chamber of Commerce Cooperation in this matter will add much beauty to the exhibit room and greatly aid in the success of the coming event.

NEW LIGHT SHED ON KELS' VICTIM

Boston Woman Says Meservey May Be Member of a Boston Family

Description Given, Tallies Closely With the Man Killed by Alex A. Kels.

STOCKTON, Cal., Nov. 19.—Probability that light has at last been shed on the identity of Ed. Meservey, the itinerant laborer killed by Alex A. Kels, is seen in information contained in a letter received by Chief of Police Walker of Stockton. The letter is from Mrs. Charles L. Soule of Boston, and refers to an article published recently in a Boston paper.

Mrs. Soule says that an Edward Meservey, a member of her family has been missing for four years.

Gives Description
She describes him as 60 years of age, five feet ten inches tall, with very bad teeth, of light complexion and with blue eyes and thin hair. He weighed about 160 pounds. He was well educated, but out of luck and discouraged. His father is still alive and is quite worried about him, the letter states.

Chief Walker expresses belief that this was the man killed by Kels, the description tallying closely, and is taking the matter up with Sheriff Reicks.

Sister Visits Kels

FOLSOM, Calif., Nov. 19.—Mrs. E. C. Staples, sister of Alex A. Kels, awaiting the gallows on January 4th for the murder of Ed. Meservey, was a visitor at the Folsom State Prison for the second time this week, yesterday.

On Wednesday she had accompanied Mrs. Kels to see her husband here for the first time since he disappeared. Yesterday she returned with Mrs. Mary Muehling of Santa Rosa, another sister of Kels, and Mrs. Muehling's son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. James Ferguson.

The visitors talked with Kels in the office of Warden J. J. Smith for half an hour, and then returned to Lodi, where Mrs. Muehling and the Fergusons are guests.

ORDERS DEFENSE CLOED AGAINST FORBES' PROTEST

WASHINGTON, Nov. 19.—Over the protest of his counsel, the defense of Colonel Forbes, former head of the Veterans' bureau, against the charges of graft and corruption in his administration, was ordered closed today. Colonel Easby Smith, Forbes' counsel, charged that the committee's ruling made it impossible to present an adequate defense.

THIRD PARTY IN FAVOR OF PUBLIC OWNERSHIP

WASHINGTON, Nov. 19.—Instigators of the Third Party movement within the "committee of forty-eight" meeting here, announced that any presidential candidate counting on their support, must favor the public ownership of railroads and natural resources, also a revision of the banking laws. The progressive conference will continue today and tomorrow. J. Hopkins, head of the committee, said that the third party will make overtures to no candidate.

AT LIBERTY EIGHT YEARS FUGITIVE IS APPREHENDED

LONG BEACH, Cal., Nov. 19.—John Sabin, 45 a fugitive from Chicago justice since 1915, was arrested here today. Sabin is declared to have jumped a \$5000 bond which he put up in Chicago to secure his release during an appellate court hearing on an appealed robbery conviction. Sabin is also said to be under indictment in Keokuk, Ia. When arrested here he was alleged to be carrying \$32,000 in \$1,000 bills.

BURGLARS MAKE RICH HAUL AT KLAMATH FALLS STORE

KLAMATH FALLS, Nov. 19.—Burglars early today robbed the safe of the K. Suharnan store one of the largest here, and currency, estimated at between \$12,000 and \$15,000, was stolen.

HART WILL NOT RUN

OLYMPIA, Wash., Nov. 19.—Governor Hart told the state administrative board today that he would not be a candidate for re-election, due to personal and family reasons.

The Dalles—Life of Mrs. Ruby Pettis, 53, was saved by two shepherd dogs digging her out from under a wagon.