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DR. CHASE TO BE PRESIDENT OF STATE 'U'

North Carolina Educator Given Place at Oregon University

WILL DECIDE SOON

Regents Allow Him Two Weeks in Which to Make up His Mind

EUGENE, Ore., Feb. 10—(U. P.)—Dr. Harry Woodburn Chase, nationally known educator and president of the University of North Carolina, has two weeks in which to decide whether or not he wants to become president of the University of Oregon.

Dr. Chase was elected president of the university at a meeting of the board of regents late yesterday, according to an official statement given out following the session.

The new appointee made a request that he be allowed a fortnight in which to take the offer under advisement, and this request was granted by the board.

LENTEN SEASON TO START NEXT WEEK

Ash Wednesday, Feb. 17 Will Mark Opening of Special Service

Lenten season will start this year on Wednesday, Feb. 17, and continue until Easter Sunday, on April 4.

In both the Episcopal and Catholic churches special services will be held during Lent on Wednesdays and Fridays. At the Episcopal church there will be a special service at 11 o'clock in the morning of Ash Wednesday and an evening service at 7:30. Litany services will be held on Wednesday and Friday afternoons at 4 o'clock.

In the Catholic church there will be special Wednesday and Friday evening services as well as the daily mass at 8 o'clock each morning.

Cigarettes and Petting Parties To Be Under Ban

WILLAMETTE UNIVERSITY, Salem, Feb. 10—A strict policy of locking the university prayer room has been adhered to by the authorities here since a recent party, when cigar and cigarette stubs were left in the room. The room is being locked promptly at 10 o'clock each evening. The prayer room is located in the basement of Waller hall and is a small room set aside for the purpose of prayer and meditation for students from out of town who have no place to go for this purpose.

According to a number of the students, the recent party was by no means the only one held in the room in the past semester. Rumors are also current that, besides being used as a place to smoke, a number of students have reported to the room for the purpose of holding petting parties.

Heavy Rainfall Descends Today

One of those typical Oregon rains which bring smiles of delight to farmers began pouring down in Ashland and elsewhere about the country shortly after noon today, giving promise of a generous rainfall during the remainder of the day.

Snow was reported falling on the other side of the mountain, but in Ashland it was just plain rain and everybody appeared to be satisfied.

North Bend Safe Blown; Note Left by Gang of Yeggs

NORTH BEND, Ore., Feb. 10—Easiest job since we robbed the Denver mint. This cryptic note was left in the office of the Liberty theatre here by a group of safe-blowers who broke open the theater safe and robbed the contents of \$400 in cash. Police thus far are without clues, they announced this afternoon.

OFFICER IS KILLED BY LIQUOR RUNNERS

G. H. Griffin Falls Victim to Gang of Mexican Bootleggers

SAN GABRIEL, Cal., Feb. 10—G. H. Griffin, motorcycle officer, is dead, and R. D. Bentz, a police patrolman, is in a local hospital with bullet wounds as the result of being ambushed last night by a group of four Mexican run runners.

The two officers came upon the Mexicans in an unlighted automobile along the highway. When they started to search the car and found liquor in it, the Mexicans opened fire, and made their escape. One suspect is in jail.

U. S. CITIZENS HELD BY CHINESE TROOPS

WASHINGTON, D. C., Feb. 10—(U. P.)—American Minister McMurray reported to the state department today that Kuomintang exporters in Peking have promised to investigate the holding as hostages of 26 Americans at Sinyang by Kuomintang troops.

Southern Oregon Law Enforcement Officers to Meet

Organization of a Southern Oregon Peace Officers' association may be perfected tomorrow night at a get-together banquet of law enforcement officers at the Lithia Springs hotel. Between 40 and 50 peace officers from various cities and counties of Southern Oregon are expected to be present.

This will be the second banquet of its kind within the past three months. The first banquet at Medford last December proved so successful that it was proposed to form a permanent association, and tomorrow night's dinner is expected to lead to definite action. Police Chief McNabb has received responses from officers as far north as Roseburg, from Coos Bay and from other points in the southern part of the state, and indications are that it will be in every way a successful gathering. The banquet will start at 6:30.

Local Girl Weds At Crescent City

Miss Kathryn Pratt, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Carol Pratt of this city, and Everett Reekman of Harbor, Oregon, were married at Crescent City by Rev. Morrison of the Methodist church Saturday at 2:30, with immediate friends as witnesses. After the ceremony they returned to Harbor, where they expect to make their home. Mrs. Reekman has been teaching the Harbor school and will finish the year.

Mrs. Reekman was a well known Ashland girl and graduated with high honors from the Ashland High school with the class of '23. Mr. Reekman is a well known young man in that section of the state.

BOYCOTT PLAN AGAINST U. S. TO BE SOUGHT

Filipino Leader Urges Drastic Action Against American Firms

WANT INDEPENDENCE

Speaker Roxas Says Capital Must Be Forced to Stop Fighting

MANILA, P. I., Feb. 10—(U. P.)—Following weeks of reports of an impending Filipino attempt to boycott American and British firms which are actually fighting Philippine independence, Manuel Roxas, speaker of the house of representatives, today came out flat-footedly in favor of such a boycott. In a fiery oration before the students of St. Thomas university, Speaker Roxas openly urged such a move as a means of forcing American capital to cease fighting the cause of Philippine independence.

American residents of the island see an ominous threat in such a proposal as sought by Roxas, and further trouble is feared.

HOLLMAYER FUNERAL WILL BE THURSDAY

Services for Ashland Merchant to be at 2 p. m. Tomorrow

Funeral services for J. P. Hollmeyer, prominent Ashland merchant, who died Sunday evening, will be held from the Dodge chapel at 2 o'clock tomorrow afternoon with the Christian Science service. Interment will be at the Mausoleum, with the Masonic lodge in charge.

Several relatives of the deceased and his family have arrived from various points to attend the final services.

Profiteers Lose Liquor Licenses

BUDAPEST, (U. P.)—Hungary has adopted a novel profiteering law which, according to results already achieved, gives promise of great effectiveness in keeping prices down.

It provides that anyone who is convicted of profiteering or of collusion in price raising loses automatically his license to sell alcoholic drinks.

In Hungary the housewives like to do all their shopping in one store. Since this shopping usually includes the purchase of a few bottles of wine no dealer in food supplies can expect to do business very long if his supply of drinkables is not complete. Also, by the absence of alcoholic beverages from his shelves customers are constantly reminded that they are buying from a convicted profiteer.

Goodyear Employee Confesses Theft

LOS ANGELES, Feb. 10—William F. Downs, treasurer of the local branch of the Goodyear Tire and Rubber company, was arrested here late Monday, charged with having embezzled \$150,000 from his firm. Downs is reported to have made a complete confession.

In 1909, according to police, Downs was a clerk in the registrar's office, Baltimore, and was accused then of stealing \$66,000 of the city's funds. He was tried four times with hung juries each time. His case was finally dismissed.

BEND IS CHOSEN
THE DALLES, Ore., Feb. 10—(U. P.)—The 1927 meeting of the Central Oregon Farm Loan association will be held at Bend, it was decided at the closing session here today.

WINNING TEAM IS GIVEN FEED; ASHLAND LEGION HOSTS GATHER; MANY FEATURES BEING PLANNED

With Vic Mills, acting as captain of the kitchen squad, Ed Dunn, Elwood Hedburg, G. M. Green and Gerald Wenner as kitchen police and Fred Taylor as chief cook, the losing team in the local American Legion post's membership campaign of last year entertained the winners and a large number of other ex-service men at the local armory last night with a varied menu of "alum" and kindred dishes. More than 60 were present at the feed, which was reported one of the best entertainments of this nature ever held by the post. Following the feed, the regular meeting of Ashland post No. 14 was held, with Commander John Enders presiding.

The dance committee reported that instead of having a dance in February, it had been decided to have a Legion dance on St. Patrick's day, March 17, at the armory.

A committee reported that a total of \$55.75 was made by the Legion on the recent show at the Vining. It was voted to contribute half of this to the Auxiliary, whose members assisted the Legion in the ticket sales.

"On To Paris"
Andy McGee reported on the "On To Paris" proposition.

SPANISH AVIATOR COMPLETES FLIGHT

Commander Ramon Franco Flies From Spain to Argentina

BUENOS AIRES, Feb. 10—(U. P.)—Commander Ramon Franco, Spanish aviator, today successfully completed his 6,300-mile flight from Spain, reaching here at 12:30 this afternoon. He was wildly greeted by the entire city.

MONTEVIDEO, Feb. 10—(U. P.)—Commander Ramon Franco Spain to Argentine aviator, flew from here shortly before noon today on the last leg of his air journey from Spain to Buenos Aires.

This Chicago Man Has No Appendix

CHICAGO, Feb. 10—Chicago surgeons today were wondering whether or not the appendix performs any useful function in the human body. Such doubt was expressed following the announcement by Dr. W. A. Newman Dorland, prominent Chicago physician, that he has discovered a man who never had any appendix.

Dr. Dorland is prominent in the affairs of the Gorgas Memorial Institute, and because of his announcement physicians here are taking an unusual interest in the case.

H. O. FROBACH WILL BUY OUT ASSOCIATE

H. O. Frobach, who has been associated with J. W. Judy in the wholesale distribution of General gasoline in southern Oregon, reported to a Tidings reporter Tuesday while in Ashland, that he had purchased the interests of Mr. Judy in the concern and that sometime in the near future the name of the distributing company would be changed from Judy and Frobach to the Frobach Oil company.

THE WEATHER

Oregon and Washington—Occasional rain tonight and Thursday, not much change in temperature. Moderate south-west winds along coast.

CHINESE REDS DESTROY FLAG DURING FIGHT

Stars and Stripes Torn From Hospital by Mob of Students

AMERICANS UNINJURED

Complete Report of Affair to be Made to State Department

HONG KONG, Feb. 10—(U. P.)—The American flag was torn down today from the hospital of the American Presbyterian mission on Hainan Island when a group of 500 communist students and Canton government troops attacked the hospital. Miss Caroline McCreery, an American nurse, was in charge of the hospital at the time with one Coolie assistant. The remainder of the attendants fled after being badly beaten. Miss McCreery escaped without injury.

Feeling in the American settlement here was tense when word was received concerning the attack on the stars and stripes. A complete report of the affair is expected to be cabled to the American government in Washington tonight.

DISABLED VESSEL IS TAKEN IN TOW

Motor Ship Ohatelpepe Loses Sails North of Seattle

SEATTLE, Wash., Feb. 10—(U. P.)—The disabled motor ship Ohatelpepe was taken in tow off the straits of Juan de Fuca last night by the Canadian naval patrol steamer Thiepal, according to radio advices received here.

The disabled vessel, which is owned by a San Francisco firm, had lost her sails and wireless apparatus.

KLAMATH PIONEER EXPECTED TO DIE

Judge R. E. Hunsaker Reported to be at Death's Door

KLAMATH FALLS, Ore., Feb. 10—Robert E. Hunsaker, widely known Klamath pioneer, and former justice of the peace, was reported to be near death today at the family home here. The attending physicians say he can live but a short time.

Judge Hunsaker was stricken nearly a year ago with a strange bone ailment which physicians were unable to diagnose. He has been bed-ridden for more than six months.

Former Ashland Resident Passes

Word has been received of the death of M. H. Overocker yesterday at the home of his daughter, Mrs. L. A. Duncan, at Los Angeles, California. Mr. Overocker was a former Ashland resident. Mrs. Overocker and sons, Russell and Willard, and daughter, left by auto this morning for Los Angeles.

LINCOLN'S BIRTHDAY WILL BE CELEBRATED BY LOCAL KIWANIS

The local Kiwanis club will celebrate Lincoln's birthday, Friday, February 12, with a program appropriate to the occasion. Edwin Markham's poem on Lincoln and a talk by Rev. J. C. Mergler on the great emancipator will feature the program. The committee has also arranged some special music.

CRATER LAKE TRIP WILL BE MADE FEB. 20

R. W. Price Will Lead Party to Famed Scenic Point Next Week

EARLIEST IN HISTORY

Southern Oregon Will Obtain Good Publicity From Early Junket

Another winter record for Oregon will be shattered a week from next Sunday when R. W. Price, managing director of the Crater Lake Hotel company, will lead a party of Portland and Jackson county men to the rim of Crater Lake.

Heretofore, the earliest trip that has ever been made in to Crater Lake lodge has been the latter part of April, but because of the unusually mild winter, Mr. Price is making the trip this year two months earlier than ever before.

The party will leave Ashland early in the morning and expects to drive to the south entrance of the park; where the cars will be parked, and the remainder of the trip of approximately 12 miles made on skis.

To Get Publicity
As is his usual custom, Mr. Price will see that Southern Oregon and Crater Lake receive some desirable publicity as a result of the early junket to nature's wonderland over the hard-packed snow.

Frank Heaton, cameraman for The Oregonian screen review, and Charles E. Gratke, automobile editor for The Oregonian, will be included in the party, and in addition to a full-page illustrated article in The Oregonian, motion pictures of Crater Lake in her winter finery will be shown in motion picture houses throughout the country.

Others who will make the trip are Judge Lawrence McNary of Portland, Vernon Vawter of Medford and John Maben, for five years care-taker at the park. To Stay A Week
Mr. Price and Mr. Vawter will remain at Crater Lake for a couple of days, while other members of the party will remain for the week, "shooting" scenes in all accessible portions of the park reserve and along the crater's rim.

At last reports the snowfall at Crater Lake has been only half of normal for this season of the year, and it is due entirely to this mild weather that the party will be able to complete the trip during February.

BATTERY QUINTET WINS IN KLAMATH

Local Basketball Team Defeats Cardinals in Fast Contest

Battery B of Ashland won from the Klamath Falls Cardinals last night at Klamath Falls, by a score of 51-37. The game was played at the new Veterans Memorial Hall. The members of the team that played, from Ashland are, Bentley, Butterfield, Bryant, Hoxie and Young, with Caldwell, Jones, Robison, and Phipps playing the last five minutes of the game.

The Klamath Falls Cardinals and Battery B will play at the Armory here some time next week.

Four Youngsters Burned to Death

COATESVILLE, Penn., Feb. 10—Four children were burned to death early today when a fire from an exploding lamp destroyed the home of Benjamin Etter. Two children of the family were saved when Mrs. Etter gathered them in her arms and jumped to safety from the top of the porch.

One Dead; Four Critically Ill From Rat Poison

KANKAKEE, Ill., Feb. 10—Four women inmates of the Illinois state hospital here were still in a critical condition today, following the eating of rat poison which another woman patient had told them was candy.

One of the inmates died yesterday, shortly after swallowing the poison. Hospital physicians fear that other victims may die. Mrs. Anne Hass admitted she had found the rat poison and given it to the other five women.

MORTON HANSEN TO BE BURIED SUNDAY

Body of Young Drug Clerk to be Taken to Franklin, Oregon

Funeral services for Morton Hansen, popular young Ashland man who died suddenly yesterday morning, will be held Sunday afternoon at his former home in Franklin, Ore., according to announcement today by relatives. He will be buried from the Methodist church.

The body will leave here tomorrow on train No. 16 for Junction City, from which point it will be taken to Franklin. It will be accompanied by Mrs. Hansen.

Mr. Hansen died from throat trouble after a short illness. He was a pharmacist at the McNair drug store and was one of the best known young men of the city.

FATHER HELD FOR KILLING OWN SON

Baltimore Man Whips Child Until He Dies; Held For Murder

BALTIMORE, Md., Feb. 10—A charge of first degree murder was filed today against Ralph Coursey, 35, a street car conductor, who is accused of causing the death of his five-year-old son as the result of a whipping.

Coursey admitted to police that he had whipped the lad with a broomstick. The boy died several hours later. Incensed neighbors surrounded the Coursey home, but the accused man was saved from violence by a squad of police.

Open Season on China Pheasants Is Set by Board

China pheasant hunters of Oregon will have an extra Sunday in which to hunt these birds when the season opens next fall, according to word received from the state game commission today by Roy Parr, deputy state game warden.

This was assured at a meeting of the state game commission in Portland yesterday when the open season on pheasants was fixed at from October 17 to October 24 in all counties except Malheur. This change will give two Sundays in which hunters can go out after the birds. In Malheur county the season will remain at from October 15 to October 21.

The commission also revised the game fish bag limits. In lakes the limit will be 30 fish, or 15 pounds and one fish a day, or 30 pounds and one fish for seven consecutive days. For streams the bag limit will remain at 30 fish or 20 pounds and one fish a day, and 60 fish, or 40 pounds and one fish for seven consecutive days.

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