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CARSON NAMED PRESIDENT OF LOCAL C. OF C.

Ashland Lumberman Succeeds G. A. Briscoe as
Presiding Officer

MILLS VICE-PRESIDENT

J. H. Fuller, Secretary and G. G. Eubanks, is Chosen
Treasurer

O. F. Carson of the Carson-Fowler Lumber company was elected president of the Ashland chapter of commerce at the annual meeting of the board of directors last night. Mr. Carson has served as vice-president of the organization during the regime of G. A. Briscoe, retiring president.

V. V. Mills was elected vice-president, J. H. Fuller, secretary and G. G. Eubanks, treasurer. Mr. Fuller is starting his seventh consecutive year as secretary of the local chamber, and is one of the oldest secretaries in point of service, in Oregon.

The next meeting of the new board will be held on April 22 at which time it will map out a definite program and name all standing committees for the ensuing year. This meeting probably will be a public gathering of the entire membership and will be held at the city hall.

Plans for the annual meeting and banquet of the chamber were discussed at length, and it was practically decided to delay this function until some time in May and stage it in conjunction with the dedication of the new Southern Oregon normal school. Some educator of prominence in the northwest will be asked to speak.

ASHLAND STUDENT ON DEBATING TEAM

John Galey Takes Part in
Freshman Forays at
University

UNIVERSITY OF OREGON, Eugene, Ore., April 8.—(Special)—Using the no-decision, cross-examination style of debate, John Galey of Ashland, Joseph McKeown of Marshfield and George Bellom of Coquille, freshman affirmative squad met freshman debaters of Linfield college at McMinnville last week.

The subject: "Resolved: That the policy of federal subsidies accompanied by federal supervision be discontinued," was discussed by the debaters.

"This type of debate," said Hugh E. Rosson, professor of English and law who acted as chairman for the negative debaters here, "is more interesting and animated for the audience, and tends to eliminate any nervousness in the speaker."

Huskies To Meet Oregon April 30

SEATTLE, April 8.—(AP)—The University of Washington baseball team is in the midst of the practicing season, preparing for its first game with the University of Oregon here, April 30.

The Huskies have four pitchers and two catchers who have worn variety uniforms in past years, and expects to develop a real baseball team.

Kiwanis Club To Sing At Luncheon

No set program has been prepared for the weekly Kiwanis club luncheon at the Lithia Springs hotel tomorrow noon, according to Randall J. Woods, chairman of the program committee. The Kiwanians, however, will devote much of the time to the singing of Kiwanis songs, a feature which has been a bit neglected at recent meetings.

Select Captains For Golf Club's Campaign Drive

Louis Dodge, A. C. Nintger, Dom Provost and O. P. Carson will be the four field captains for the membership campaign which the newly organized Ashland golf club will get under way tomorrow morning. The captains were selected today by Clyde A. Malone, general director for the drive.

Each of the captains will select his own workers, and they expect to sign up the needed 50 members by Saturday evening. The city has been mapped out in districts, while each captain also will be given a list of prospects. Confidence was expressed that the campaign will result in recruiting the membership up to the desired number.

BULLETS FIRED IN MODOC WAR FOUND IN OREGON LUMBER

Carpenters in S. P. Shops at
Sacramento Make Un-
usual Claim

SACRAMENTO, Cal., April 8.—Believe it or not, car builders in the local Southern Pacific railroad shops have been dulling their saw blades during the last week on rifle bullets fired at Captain Jack's and Modoc Charlie's Indian band in the famous Modoc lava bed war of the early '70s.

This claim was made here today with the explanation by Southern Pacific officials that a consignment of car building lumber received from Modoc county has been found to contain large quantities of the ancient bullets, some of them having penetrated the wood three or four inches. The bullets, believed to have been fired by General Canby's cavalrymen when they chased the Modoc Indians into the lava beds, have been identified as the type generally used at the time of the Franco-Prussian war.

HELPLESS VESSEL TOWED INTO PORT

Steamer Humboldt With 50
Passengers, Arrives at
San Francisco

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., April 8.—(U.P.)—The White Flyer line steamer Humboldt, battered about helplessly at sea during the storm last night, was towed into San Francisco bay today by the tug Sea Ranger. The engines of the vessel broke down at 11 o'clock last night as she was bringing about 50 passengers from San Pedro to San Francisco.

Poison Is Found In Stomach Of Former Governor

NOGALES, Ariz., April 8.—An analysis of the stomach of General Angel Flores, former governor of Sinaloa, Mexico, and recent presidential candidate, who died suddenly last week, has revealed indications of the presence of arsenical poisons, according to reports from Callacan, Sinaloa, received by members of the Mexican colony here today.

Flores was widely known in Mexico, and the reports today caused a sensation here and in Sonora, Mexico.

CLAMPITT HAS LETTERS FROM OTHER SUITOR

Army Chaplain May Prove
Forgery in Court Mar-
tial Proceedings

ANOTHER MAN NAMED

Officer Charged With Assaulting
Lucille Swallow May be
Freed

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., April 8.—(U.P.)—"I tried to shake down Captain Clampitt for money." This was the statement made to him by Lucille Swallow last summer, according to the testimony this afternoon by John A. Chapple, a recent graduate of the University of California. Chapple was the surprise witness which the defense promised to introduce.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 8.—(U.P.)—Chaplain Orville I. Clampitt's hopes of using letters of his accuser, Lucille Swallow, to prove that another man was responsible for the alleged illegal operation Clampitt was charged with financing, were dealt a severe blow at today's session of the court martial.

More than 50 of these letters, claimed by the chaplain's defense to have been written to Miss Swallow by Elmer Martin, Lawrence, Kan., garage man, were ruled inadmissible until the defense shows how they were obtained. Defense counsel immediately started plans to summon Martin as a witness to identify the letters.

Support of Clampitt's claim that letters purported to have been written by him to Miss Swallow were forged came from Chancey McGovern, handwriting expert.

Sentiment Favors Game Protection

PORTLAND, Ore., April 8.—(U.P.)—Sentiment in favor of game protection and against game law violation is growing in Oregon, according to State Game Warden E. F. Averill.

During the past year, 690 persons were arrested in Oregon for game violations and 599 were convicted. Fines totaling \$21,129 and 34 jail sentences were imposed.

Ford Owner With Old Plates Gets In Trouble Here

G. E. Roger, a farm hand who has been working near Roseburg was arrested shortly before noon today by Chief of Police McNabb for operating an automobile with 1925 license plates. The battered old Ford which he was driving had old plates which had been re-painted. Somebody had made a good job of changing the "1925" to "1926" and the counterfeit plate might have escaped notice if the driver had kept traveling.

The driver said he had owned the car since last October but could not account for the presence of the spurious Illinois plates.

Roger was taken before Police Judge Frost this afternoon where he was found guilty of operating with illegal plates. He was fined \$50 and sentenced to 20 days in the county jail.

OIL STOCK DROPS

NEW YORK, April 8.—(U.P.)—Stock in the Union Oil company of California dropped sharply on the stock exchange today, as the result of the two big California oil fires.

VACATIONISTS TO COME HERE; CALIFORNIANS HEADING NORTH; SEEK REAL FISHING STREAMS

Score another victory for the radio and Crater Lake! There came to The Tidings this morning a letter from M. M. Sanford of Bellflower, Calif., asking this newspaper to give him the "low-down" on Jackson county and Southern Oregon as a place for summer vacations. The writer was especially interested in the fishing streams and whether or not he could really catch trout in this part of the state.

He wrote that he had listened in on a radio talk about Crater Lake from station KNX, Hollywood, in which the speaker had told of the delights of Crater Lake and Southern Oregon, and the many recreational features which this section afforded. Also, he had received some Jackson county publicity and he wanted to come here for his vacation this summer with a view of locating here permanently if the country met up to what the radio had said about it.

"I know of 10 who have started to gather up their camp equipment and take invoice already," he writes. "You should keep spreading your news of that wonderful out-of-doors in that section, for we are becoming so con-

Luther Burbank Growing Weaker

SANTA ROSA, Cal., April 8.—(U.P.)—Luther Burbank's condition was considered extremely grave today and his condition last night was far from satisfactory. A nervous exhaustion has complicated the recent heart attack and intestinal trouble.

Bryan's Daughter Will Seek Office

MIAMI, Fla., April 8.—Mrs. Ruth Bryan Owen, daughter of the late William Jennings Bryan, will file her candidacy for the federal house from the Fourth Florida district, she announced today. She will seek the seat now held by Representative Sears.

Drives 4,700 Miles to Be Queen



Miss Virginia Herbsman drove the 4700 miles from Seattle, Wash. to St. Augustine, Fla., with her mother. Then, after she'd been there a while, they elected her Spanish Queen of the spring Ponce de Leon celebration.

BIG OIL TANK FIRE SPREADS TO 10 OTHERS

Blaze at San Luis Obispo
Expected to Result in
Loss of \$20,000,000

ENTIRE FARM DOOMED

Raging Fire Jumps Earth Em-
bankments and Gets Be-
yond all Control

LOS ANGELES, April 8.—(U.P.)—Started by lightning flashes, two of California's largest oil tank farms are blazing today in the fiercest disaster of its kind in the history of the petroleum industry. Besides the blazing tank farm near San Luis Obispo, which is doomed, another tank farm of the Union Oil company is afire near Los Angeles. Two reservoirs, each holding 750,000 barrels, have been ignited and others are threatened.

SAN LUIS OBISPO, Cal., April 8.—(U.P.)—Fire in the 300-acre tank farm of the Union Oil company near here got beyond control today, and is raging unchecked.

The fire, which had been confined to four reservoirs, jumped the earth embankments, during the early hours and spread to ten adjoining surface tanks.

The tank farm, which is the largest in the world, appeared to be doomed at noon today. The loss already is \$10,000,000, and it was estimated it would reach \$20,000,000 before the fire burns out.

BUILDING AND LOAN CAMPAIGN TO START

Thelma Cullen Siroy Here to
Organize Headquarters
in Ashland

Thelma Cullen Siroy, district manager for the Northern Savings and Loan association, is in Ashland today arranging for an intensive membership campaign which will get underway within the next few days. She first will engage a local manager for the Ashland district.

Miss Siroy at one time was legislative chairman for the Business and Professional Women's club and lobbied at the state legislature two sessions ago for bills of interest to this statewide organization.

Temporary headquarters for the local branch of the savings and loan association have been established at the Raggedy Ann shop.

MADDEN WILL OPPOSE ORIENTAL LINE SALE

Chairman of House Appro-
priations Committee
Announces Position

WASHINGTON, D. C., April 8.—(U.P.)—After a conference at the White House, Congressman Madden of Illinois, chairman of the house appropriations committee, today said he would exert his influence against the sale of the Admiral-Oriental line to any concern which would create a monopoly on west coast shipping.

Dry Sleuth Held On Bribe Charge

OREGON CITY, April 8.—D. C. Scott, special prohibition officer, is under arrest here charged with attempted bribery.

Scott, who is a former Portland policeman, is accused of sending a messenger to J. P. Lande, now in jail for liquor law violations, asking \$1,000 with the inference that he would be protected.

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Air Mail Pilot Lands Safely In Mountain Region

BOISE, Idaho, April 8.—(U.P.)—Blown 65 miles to the west of his course Tuesday afternoon, Franklin Rose, air mail pilot who was reported lost since then, has landed near Juniper mountain, Idaho, he reported here by telephone today.

He told of fighting the storm out of Elko Tuesday. Heavy winds exhausted his gas supply and he was forced to land in the remote mountain fastness.

Neither he nor his plane was injured, according to long-distance reports received here.

CHICO MEN FACING CHARGE OF ROBBERY

Two Portland Girls Claim
They Were Kidnaped
And Badly Treated

CHICO, Cal., April 8.—(U.P.)—Chico authorities today arrested O. B. Sloan and Edwin Chapel who are charged by Virginia Russell and Dora Edman of Portland with having taken them to a lonely farm north of Chico and holding them against their will.

The girls claimed they were roughly treated and robbed but were not assaulted. The girls are said to have identified money found on the two men as being theirs. The victims said 14 men and two women witnessed the kidnaping but did not interfere. More arrests are expected to follow.

ASK CLEMENCY FOR CONVICTED SLAYER

Friends of Archie Gody,
Murderer of Sheriff,
File Petition

SALEM, Ore., April 8.—(U.P.)—Because Archie Gody, aged 32, has the mentality of a 14-year-old boy, his friends today prepared to save him from the gallows for the murder of Sheriff Goodman of Harney county. Petitions bearing the names of thousands of people were received here today, asking for clemency for the convicted slayer.

CHIROPRACTOR NOT GUILTY, SAYS NOTE

Attorney Gets Mysterious
Letter Involving Other
Persons

PHILADELPHIA, April 8.—(U.P.)—Possibility of establishing the innocence of David L. Marshall in the slaying of his sweet heart, Anna May Dietrich was revealed today with receipt of a note signed "I. R." by Abraham Vernick, Marshall's counsel, which declared the chiropractor innocent, and asserted two other persons were in Marshall's office building when Miss Dietrich was slain.

Marshall, after a sensational trial, was found guilty of second degree murder two weeks ago.

Ten Moros Killed By Constabulary

MANILA, P. I., April 8.—(U.P.)—Ten Moros were killed and 10 members of the constabulary were wounded, two seriously, when the constabulary raided and captured two Moro strongholds in Lanao province today.

Oregon and Wash- ton — Unsettled tonight and Friday, probably rain west portion, moderate temperature. Gentle variable winds.

ASHLAND AND MEDFORD WILL START SEASON

Opening High School Base-
ball Game to be Play-
ed Here Tomorrow

FAST GAME IN SIGHT

Coach Hughes' Boys Expect to
Take Measure of Callison's
Squad

With a good fighting team, well coached and determined to win, Ashland high school will inaugurate the 1926 baseball season at the high school athletic park at 4 o'clock tomorrow afternoon against Medford high school.

This is the first time in two years that Ashland high school has had a baseball team, but the boys have taken a genuine interest in the work and Coach Hughes believes he has whipped together a team which can be expected to be right up in the running throughout the season.

The boys and their coach are especially anxious to get off to a good start by a victory over Medford tomorrow, and they are all pepped up over the opening game. The rain of the past few days has not injured the field; in fact, it has made it faster, and the players will be on their toes right from the start.

Kannasto, the twirler who did much of the mound work for the Ashland school two years ago, will start the game for Ashland, with Marake and Katzer, a south-paw, ready to go in as relief chockers at any moment.

Rest of Lineup Aldo Parr will do the catching. Frank Moore, another baseball letterman, will hold down the initial bag, with Hill on second, Gaudet on third base and Gosnell at short stop. Bibby, Cotter and M. Moore will start in the outfield.

NEW SETTLERS TO VALLEY SATISFIED

Land Settlement Workers
Interview Ten Families
in This Section

Olen Arnsperger of Medford, a member of the follow up division of the land settlement committee, and Arthur Foster, of the land settlement bureau, called on the newcomers in the upper valley yesterday afternoon, consisting of ten families from California, Washington, Idaho, Wyoming, New Mexico and Alberta, Canada and with one exception they are highly pleased with Oregon and the progress they are making here.

Mr. Foster stated many improvements were being made and new homes were noticeable. Dr. T. T. Temple of the Medford First Methodist church came up with Mr. Arnsperger from Medford.

Flier Fails To Find New Arctic Land In Flight

NEW YORK, April 8.—(U.P.)—Captain George H. Wilkins of the Detroit Aero club polar expedition and his pilot, Carl Ben Elisson, flew in their monoplane due north from Point Barrow, Alaska, to latitude 72 degrees 30 minutes, without sighting land, the North American Newspaper alliance today announced it had been advised.

Wilkins arrived at Circle City, Alaska, last night from Point Barrow. The flight north of Point Barrow was made March 31.

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