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Volstead Wars On The Malt Sellers

Father of Prohibition Law to Fight Those who Sell Supplies.

stead, father of the national prohibi- the logical place to hold the contest, tion act and now legal advisor to the the Round-Up gridiron being ideal northwest prohibition enforcement for the event and the stands large unit, has laid the foundation on which enough to insure good seats. federal prohibition agents have opened brew" for private consumption.

trator, said dry agents would attempt varsity elevens. to close every malt shop in the north-

After an investigation, Mr. Volstead announced that in his opinion malt shop proprietors could be arrested under section 18, paragraph 2, of the national prohibition act. This paragraph forbids "possession or sale of materials designed for use in manufacturing intoxicating liquor." It provides a penalty of \$500.

Mr. Volstead further ruled that should a malt shop proprietor be found guilty under this section of the law, he could also be convicted of a conspiracy to violate the dry act, a charge which carries a penalty of two years' imprisonment.

OREGON HAS OVER MILLION POPULATION First Oregon Aviatrix

Salem Or .- Oregon's population has passed the million mark.

Kozer, is based upon figures available

dren of school age formed 25.52 per cent of the total population of Oregon. Ten years later this ratio was 27.30 per cent. These figures are determined from the federal and the state school census taken in the years mentioned and covering every district in

"A school district census taken in October, 1926, showed there were 256,-884 children in Oregon. To these figures have been applied the ratio of 26.41 per cent (an average of those for 1910 and 1920), which gives an estimated population for 1926 of 997.098. a gain of 213,709 over the federal census figures of 783,389 for 1920. Employing the same ratio of increase for the period since 1926, Oregon can justly boast an approximate population of slightly over 1,000,000.

Growth in population has been more marked in those counties of Oregon which are to the west of the Cas-

YANKS WIN PENNANT

World's Series Captured in 4 Straight Lieuallen, of Adams; Misses Edna

Victories from Pittsburg. dazed and battered crew of Pittsburg the hostesses. Pirates came to an ingiorious climax here Saturday when a wild pitch by Long John Miljus in the ninth inning, with two out and the bases full, gave sponsored by the Montgomery Ward the New York Yankees the winning stores over the country, opened run and the world's championship with Thursday, in Portland with a style a record-equaling streak of four suc- show in the cafeteria of the Portland

final game to the American league their friends attended. Miss Billie champions, spoiling a courageous come Baker who was one of the several an otherwise sensational relief pitch- where she will be remembered by ing performance. The score was 4 her many friends.

30,000 Mexicans Reported in Arms. Mr. and Mrs. Louie Nelson of San Antonio, Tex.-General Caesar Waitsburg stopped and took dinner Lopez De Lara, head of the De La with Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Singer, Huerta junta in this locality, asserted Wednesday. Mr. and Mrs. Nelson that his advices from Mexico indicated are friends of Mr. and Mrs. Singer that 30,000 revolutionists are in the and were on their way to Lincoln, field or ready to take the field in var- California, to make their home. ious parts of Mexico.

Medford Churches Closed Sunday. tion with the infantile paralysis pre. A large number of exhibits will be cautionary quarantine imposed for two entered for the show, which will be weeks by the city council, this city held in the Weston school gymnassed a churchless Sunday

Umatilla County Boys in Lineup at Pendleton Game

Pendleton - Special - The biggest football spectacle of the year in Eastern Oregon will be the contest Two Patrols Working Unbetween the University of Oregon freshman eleven and the Washington State College Cougar Kittens at Pendleton, October 21. This is the first game between freshmen of the two big institutions to be scheduled in Minneapolis, Minn.-Andrew Vol. years and Pendleton was selected as

Both Oregon and Washington State a war against manufacture of "home have some excellent freshmen material this year and are being coach-If Mr. Volstead's interpretation of ed by competent gridiron mentors the law, on which the malt shops were who know their football and the style members swam in the Y. M. C. A., raided, survives a court test, S. M. of play used is practically the same O. O. Stephens and Otho Reeder for Sovale, northwest prohibition adminis- as that employed by the big schools

Well over 100 beefy youngsters are turning out for the Washington troop will be in line for a hike up State first year eleven and a like Wild Horse creek, led by the scoutnumber is out for Oregon's first year master. Paired off in twos, the team under coach Rinehart. Athletic scouts will cook breakfast over the relations between Oregon and Wash- camp fire at some point up the creek. ington State have always been the At noon dinner will be cooked by the best, a clean spirit of athletic rivalry. scouts, and the two patrols will hike Both institutions turn out excellent back to town in the evening. freshman athletes each year.

Eugene. Another is Tuck Hodgen, sical development. former Athena star. Francis Sulli-Thomas Johns of Pendleton are also to secure the services of Mr. Hackett working on the first year eleven un- as scoutmaster. His experience of der Coach Rinehart and show prom- several years with boys in Y. M. C.

Enrolled at Portland

Portland-Special-The first aviastatement issued by Secretary of State Flying school here last week, took and troop treasurer; Carl Calvert, her first official hop in the training troop secretary; Marville Zerba, Emplane and vowed she was more de- ery Rogers, Herbert Reeder. "The estimate that Oregon has a population of more than 1,000,000 is termined than ever before to become kins, patrol 2, "Panthers," Leland Jenkins, patrol leader; Garth Pinkerton, based upon careful calculation of the ter, pretty stenographer of Portland, assistant patrol leader; George Pittbased upon careful calculation of the ratio of the school population to the than five feet in height. She makes Campbell, up for that by an abundance of enthusiasm.

after the completion of the two years. month's course, she will probably be the first woman to do so in the Pacific Northwest, and will be among the very few on the Pacific slope.

Entertain at Bridge

Mrs. Max Hopper and Mrs. James Lieuallen entertained at Mrs. Hopper's home on 3rd street Wednesday afternoon, when seven tables of Bridge were at play, Mrs. Duff receiving high, score for the afternoon and Mrs. Michener, second. Guests were, Mesdames, H. I. Watts, Dell, Littlejohn, LeGrow, Barrett, Richards, Ferguson, Eager, Michener, Ames, Kershaw, McIntyre, Pinkerton, Douglas, Prestbye, Thompson, Dudley, Harwood, Zerba, Logsdon, Hansell, Athena; Lieuallen, Duff, Stone, Pinkerton and Hilda Dickenson, Athe-New York.—The last stand of a na. Refreshments were served by

Ward Week is Success "Ward Week," an annual event branch, says a Portland news-Miljus made a gift of the fourth and paper. Hundreds of employes and back by the Buccaneers and wrecking models formerly resided in Athena,

Visitors from Waitsburg

Annual Potato Show The sixth annual Umatilla County Medford, Or.-With all the leading Potato Show will be held at Weston, churches closed Sunday in conforma. Friday and Saturday, October 21-22.

nasium.

Athena Boy Scouts **Active Organization**

der Direction of Hackett, Scoutmaster.

Athena Boy Scout troop recently organized for scout work under direction of Scoutmaster D. L. Hackett, has been divided into two patrols. each patrol comprising eight scouts.

Active scout work has been participated in since organization of the troop. Last Saturday both patrols went to Walla Walla, where the the trip.

Tomorrow morning at 6 o'clocks the

Indoor quarters have been secured Prominent among the Umatilla for the scouts in the building adjoinboys playing on the Oregon eleven ing the Standard Theatre, where volis Harold Johnson, former McLaugh- lyball and archery equipment will be lin high fullback, who is making a installed, together with other forms

The boys of Athena and vicinity A., work, makes him proficient as head of the Boy Scout movement. Following is the membership roll of the Athena troop:

Patrol 1, "Flying Eagles," Stafford Hansell, patrol leader and bugler; raisers. trix in Oregon enrolled at the Rankin John Kirk, assistant patrol leader

A complete troop is composed of 3 pacity. patrols or 24 boys. Each patrol is Miss Carter is the first woman fly- organized according to the ages of er on record in Oregon and is the boys. The patrols are named such

> chased from the Wright estate, mov- was now drawing up the bills pro house-mover from Freewater.



Dr. Mikas Bacdonas is the new charge d'affaires of the Lithuanian

Farmers Grain Elevator

Extensive improvements have been made recently at the plant of the strong bid for the yearling eleven at of recreation, amusement and phy- Farmers Grain Elevator company at Athena. The office has been remodquarters, and lends greater accommodations to patrons.

At the present time, Manager Wil-

Lacking but sixty-two bushels, 200,-000 bushels of grain passed over the scales, into the bins of the big elevator and on to the floors of the warehouse department.

population dating back as far as 10 total population dating back as 10 total population dating back as 10 total population dating back as 10 total populatio

Wage Irrigation Fight

DR. M. BAGDONAS



legation in V/ashington.

Make Improvements

eled and enlarged. The change allots as a feature of the Milton-Freewater van, William Laing, Elbert Beltz and are fortunate in having opportunity the clerical force more convenient Apple Show, to be held October 26

son and his force are engaged in treating seed wheat for the farmers, a large tonnage of seed having already been run through the treating machines and delivered to wheat-

Manager Wilson reports a very prosperous season for the concern.

The new elevator annex, constructume of grain that taxed its full ca- 19. By so doing a definite time of Washington. The warden admits mitted by the United States chamber

N. J. Sinnott, Oregon representafirst in the seven years history of the as "Flying Eagles," "Panthers" etc. tive in Congress, will renew his The Boy Scout movement maintains fight for the Deschutes irrigation cal and dental examinations by local qualifies for her private pilot license, high ideals for boys from 1 to 18 project and the Umatilla dam imsession, he has announced. The legis-H. A. Barrett is having the Wright lator arrived in Portland Saturday ate those who undergo a similar exlivery stable building, which he pur- night on business, and said that he amination on starting to school. As Mr. and Mrs. Nelson will make their ed to his farm north of town. The viding for the projects. Mr. Sinnott building is being moved in sections, has fought for the same issues for under supervision of Mr. Groom, years, he says and has no intention of giving up.

Western Wools for World Markets

HAMPSHIRE RAM

Owned by Mt. Haggin Land & Livestock Co., Montana. Grand Champior

Ram, 1928 Pacific International Livestock Exposition.

animal of the breed at the 1926 Pa- at which commercial fleeces of all

sition. In addition to achieving Splendid showings are promised

this distinction it also won the again this year in every division of

same awards at the 1926 American the exposition which includes great

Royal, and Chicago International Livestock Show, Dairy Products

Shows. It will probably be shown Show, Land and Manufacturers'

in the flock being sent by the Mt. Products Show, Northwest Fox

Haggin Land and Livestock Co. to Show, Industrial Exposition and

the 17th Annual Pacific Interna- world-renowned Horse Show. The

tional to be held at Portland, Octo- Boys' and Girls' Club Work Exhibit

The Sheep Show at the Pacific its kind in this part of the country.

International will, this year, as in Millions of dollars' worth of the

the past, be one of the best of its country's finest Pure Bred Beet

kind in America. Some of the most and Dairy Cattle, Horses, Sheep.

noted judges in the country will Hogs and Goata will compete for

place the awards. In connection the \$100,000 00 offered in premiums.

with the Sheep Show a new depar- The leading railroads of the West

ture is being added. Under the di- co-operate by offering special fare

rection of the Pacific Co-operative and-one-third rates for those who Wool Growers Association a com- wish to attend the Exposition.

this year will be one of the best of

cific International Livestock Expo- grades will be exhibited.

ber 29 to November 5, inclusive.

This Ram was the outstanding prehensive Wool Show will be held,

Stephens Nominated For Office of Mayor

E. C. Rogers, H. Dell, A. E. Shick Named for Place On the Council.

ing city officers, O. O. Stephens was exceeded this figure, were on fruit nominated for the office of mayor, to from heavy orchard districts, such as succeed Homer I. Watts, present in- Freewater, Milton, Hood River and

E. C. Rogers, Henry Dell and A. E. Shick were nominated for council-

received the nomination for re-election to the office of city recorder. For the office of city treasurer,

Zerba removed from the city, was nominated. The city election at which ballots

Milton-Freewater to Hold Apple Show

The importance of the baby clinic and 27, is being stressed by the directors. This feature has been well received by the patrons of the show in the past and the large number of a inquiries as to plans for it this year about hunting. indicate that it is highly appreciated by the mothers of the community and his gun confiscated, charged with the outlaying territory.

At the meeting of the show board season. held Monday night Mrs. George Bishop of Freewater, in charge of this where the season is opened and was feature, outlined plans that will as- just over the state line when he fired sure even greater service and con- at a phasant. It flew over into venience to parents bringing their Washington and fell. Turner went to children under five years of age to the pick it up, and it moved on. He gave clinic. Mrs. Bishop is especially an- it the other barrel, and pocketed it. xious that the parents make an ap- The game warden stepped up and pointment with her for this free ex- took Turner, the gun and the bird, the day can be assigned to the par- the bird was wounded in Oregon, but waiting for her turn.

There will be no charge for this service, which will include both mediphysicians giving their time freely years has been established to eliminsoon as further arrangements are home at The Dalles, where they and completed for this service announcements will be made in the Press.

"Annie Laurie" and

its new Metro-Goldwyn picture sched- O'Brien, general manager of the ule tomorrow evening, when it pre- Union Pacific System. sents "Annie Laurie," a nine-reel special production, at regular admission prices. Featured in the leading roles of this fine photoplay are O, club held its first meeting for this Lillian Gish and Norman Kerry.

Sunday night Fred Thompson and All but two members were present his wonder horse, Silver King, will and both the spirit and the attendbe seen in the big Western play, ance promise well for the future of "Hands Across the Border."

Standard offers John Barrymore and bership roll left vacant by the re-Marceline Day in "The Beloved moval of Mrs. Lee Whitehead. The Rogue," on Wednesday evening. Uni- office of secretary and treasurer beted Artists claim for this super-spec- ing declared vacant Mrs. Ethel Monial production, their greatest picture tague was elected to fill the place of the year, and its long runs in the The hostess was assisted in serving principal theatres of the country, refreshments by Mrs. Lorraine Pinkbear out the statement.

From Gay Paree

From gay Paree, up 1000 feet on Eiffel Tower, Pete McFadden drops the Press a card, saying: "Having about November 10.

New Law Important

for noncompliance with the new migatory stock tax law, it is incumbent on stockmen to make a careful study

Oregon Fruit Spray Residue is Within Law

Tests of fruit from all parts of Oregon says the Oregon Journal, this fall have revealed that the arsenic trioxide, from spraying, is generally below the .01 of 1 per cent established by federal law as the maximum allowed in interstate shipment, D. P. Mickle, state dairy and At the meeting held for nominat- food commissioner announced Friday.

The exceptions, where the residue Medford, he said.

"Fruit is sprayed but twice, and before June 20, may be marketed without regard to the pure food law, men, to succeed F.B. Radtke, A. E. because there is almost no spray resi-Shick and W. J. Pinkerton, whose due," he continued. "In the heavier terms as councilmen have expired. orchard districts, however, where sev-B. B. Richards, present incumbent, en cr eight sprays are used, some after June 20 when the fruit is well formed, the residue is so heavy that the fruit must be cleaned to comply with the state pure food laws or with Fred Kershaw, who has been serving the federal law if sold outside the as treasurer since Treasurer E. A.

"Orchardists have been notified that fruit bearing more than .01 of will be cast for the candidates nam- 1 per cent of arsenic trioxide may ed above, will be held Tuesday No. not be sold within the borders of the state of Oregon until it has been

No spray at all, or only two sprays are used by most farmers, he explained, so that the requirements affect only a few districts of the state

Killing of Pheasant Brings Up Law Point

Walla Walla-Here's a chance for Solomon who knows something

Roy Turner is under arrest, with

Turner was hunting in Oregon, fields. mine the rest of it.

Nelson Retired After 35 Years Weston Leader: After long and faithful service with the track de-Nelson, veteran section foreman at They expect to make occasional visits to the Weston country, where they have resided many years and where year after the changes are made. "The Beloved Rogue" one of their sons, S. S. Nelson, is son's retirement was accompanied by should not exceed ten per cent. The Standard Theatre begins on a letter of appreciation from J. P.

O. D. O. First Meeting Last Friday afternoon the O. D. season at Mrs. Virgil Zerba's home the club. Mrs. Emmett Lee was For its mid-week presentation, the elected to fill the place on the menerton. The next meeting of the club will be held October 21 at the nome of Mrs. Julia Smith.

Parris Sells Farm

Sterling Parris has sold his 130some time. Am sort of up in the acre farm west of Athena to Revella ris has purchased an acre tract near Orchard Station, in Walla Walla county, where he and Mrs. Parris

Conviction Must Stand

ciaco.

Teapot Dome Oil Lease Annulled

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Supreme Court Decision Returns Oil Lands to the Government.

Washington, D. C .- Teapot Dome's millions of barrels of oil will go back to the government.

The United States supreme court has annulled the lease of the famous Wyoming oil field granted to Harry F. Sinclair's Mammoth Oil company, the starting point of the oil scandal

investigation of 1923-24. This decision brings to a successful close the government's long legal battle to regain the two rich naval oil reserves, leased by the then Secrectary of the Interior Albert B. Fall in 1922 and 1923. E. L. Doheny's lease of the Elk Hills reserve in California has been annulled by the su preme court and President Harding's executive order giving the interior de partment jurisdiction over the navy oil has been revoked by President Coolidge

Associate Justice Pierce Butler an nounced the unanimous decision of the court in an opinion which took 47 minutes to read.

Butler's opinion contained a long history of the negotiations between oil men and government officials, disclosure of which by the senate oil committee in 1923, 1924, stirred the

There was never any legitimate reason. Butler said, for the great secrecy with which Fall was said to have surrounded the leases.

He found also that the leases were shooting a Chinese pheasant out of not made to prevent drainage of Teapot Dome by nearby privately drilled

NATIONAL CHAMBER **PLANS LOWER TAXES**

Washington, D. C .- A \$400,000,000 tax reduction program is being subof commerce to its 1500-member orent, eliminating the necessity of will put it up to the judge to deter- ganizations for a referendum vote to determine its policy during congressional consideration of revenue legis-

The program as worked out by a special committee calls for reduction mediately upon the opening of the to this work. The age limit of five partment of the Union Pacific, N. H. of corporate income taxes and repeal of federal estate and war excise taxes. Weston, has been retired on pension. The recommendations submitted in the referendum are:

"That there be immediate reduction their children have land interests, and repeals in federal taxes which, if made effective, are estimated to amount to \$400,000,000 in the first full

"That the rate of corporate income tax applicable to net income of 1927

"That congress should provide full opportunity for the joint congressional tax committee to perfect proposals for revision of federal laws and their administration."

FARM BILLS OPPOSED

Grain Dealers to Fight Revision of Market System. Omaha, Neb .- Attacks on the Mc

Nary-Haugen and Fess farm relief bills, and on all proposals to grant governmental aid to co-operative marketing organizations, were made by C. D. Quinn, secretary-treasurer of the Grain Dealers' National association.

Nearly 1000 delegates and their wives from all parts of the country were in attendance at a three-day meeting of the association.

"We are in accord with any proposition that will, by economic methods, enhance the value of grain," said President Sturdevant, an Omaha man. "But we must and will go to Washington again next winter and oppose to the limit every legislative attack on our present efficient grain marketing system and every proposal that seeks to control or affect prices by manipulation."

Pershing to Head Church Fund Drive. Washington, D. C .- General John J. Pershing has accepted the chairmanship of a committee which will conduct a nation-wide campaign to raise ultimately \$30,000,000 for the compleof its provisions, that they comply Neims of Walla Walla, Washington tion and endowment of Washington cathedral and its associated institumen grazing stock in other counties rison narcotic act in that city, has tions. The cathedral is being built by should secure particulars from the been upheld by the United States cir- the Protestant Episcopel Cathedral county clerk regarding the new regu- cuit court of appeals at San Fran- Foundation of the District of Colum-

air. John and the wife are-star-gaz- Lieuallen, consideration \$24,000. Mr. ing. Having a fine time. The big and Mrs. Lieuallen will move to the parade was a wonder, over 100,000 place in the near future to reside. along line of march-wonderful spir- Mr. Parris has leased the wheat it shown by the French." Mr. and ranch of his father, which comprises Mrs. McFadden will arrive home 640 acres, while his father, S. S. Par-Because of the penalties provided will make their home in the future

The conviction of Dr. Milton A. with the law intelligently. Stock- found guilty of violation of the Har-