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ALL FARM BOARD MEMBERS PASSED

Senate Confirms Eight On Board; Only Three Contested.

Washington.—Confirmation of the eight men selected by President Hoover to administer the farm relief act, was voted overwhelmingly by the senate.

Contests were waged against only three of the men—Alexander Legge of Chicago, the chairman and business representative; and Samuel R. McKelvie, of Nebraska, wheat representative; Carl Williams of Oklahoma, for cotton.

Roll calls were taken only on three, the others receiving approval without record votes. Legge was approved 67 to 13, McKelvie 50 to 27 and Williams 57 to 20.

The leaders of the democrats and republican independents, who twice put the export debenture principle of farm relief into the farm bill over President Hoover's objections, before the house finally rejected it, joined to express a willingness to give the president his own board to administer his own act.

Senator Robinson of Arkansas, the democratic leader, voted for all the nominees. Senator Borah of the republican independents supported Legge but voted against both McKelvie and Williams. Senator Norris of Nebraska, of this group, voted against Legge and Williams but refrained from voting on McKelvie.

"The responsibility must rest where it belongs," Senator Robinson stated in announcing that he was willing to give Mr. Hoover the farm board he chose to administer the act he demanded.

School Election Monday To Vote On Special Tax

The school election Monday afternoon to vote on the special tax levy for Union High school district No. 7 will be held at the school building in the usual voting place.

Interest in the election is at a high pitch in view of the fact that at two former elections the special tax was defeated. It is understood that efforts to effect a compromise between the opposing forces have failed, the latest being made this week by offer of the present board to resign; suggesting among others to succeed them, Mrs. Lizzie Haney and Virgil Zerba.

It is reported this offer was met by the proposal that Laurence Pinkerton, Marion Hansell and W. P. Littlejohn resign from the board, and that Homer I. Watts, Mrs. Lizzie Haney and Virgil Zerba be appointed in their places, and that the three board members above mentioned, were not to again serve on the board for a period covering the next five years.

Injured In Battle With Crazy Bull

McMinnville.—Clinging to the nose ring of the maddened animal until two of his fingers were torn off and his chest crushed, Isaac Boyer fought a barehanded, half hour battle with a bull here. Physicians said he probably would not live.

Boyer, in moments of consciousness, said the bull attacked him while he was leading it to water. He was knocked down and the animal leaped on him. He was able to grasp the nose ring, he said, and clung to it until he lost his fingers. Then he seized it with his other hand and hung on until his elderly father and two passersby came to his assistance.

Mis spelled Word Contest

The Tum-A-Lum Lumber company of this city has inaugurated a misspelled word contest for the readers of the Press this week. The misspelled word will be found in the columns of the "Tum-A-Lum Tickler,"—the company's advertisement, appearing on page two of today's Press. The company offers a prize of \$3.00 to the person finding the misspelled word. Send in the word with your name to the Tum-A-Lum office. All of the names sent in will be mixed and the lucky one drawn out, wins the prize.

Big Oregon Turk Crop

Corvallis.—Oregon will supply 10 per cent more turkeys for the nation's Thanksgiving and Christmas tables than heretofore, according to the first report issued by the marketing department of the Oregon State College extension service. How prices will be is still uncertain, but advance quotations are 40 cents a pound for number one dressed toms.

Dates for holding the annual potato show at Weston have been set for Friday and Saturday, November 1 and 2.

Idaho Vandals Are Real Menace For Northwest Conference Championship

University of Oregon.—Idaho, with a 19 to 0 triumph over Montana has become Oregon's immediate menace in the Northwest, and even more thorough preparation than had been previously planned will begin in the Webfoot camp Monday following the 34 to 0 slaughter of the light Willamette team Saturday. Since Washington's miserable showing against U. S. C., the Oregon-Vandal battle at Portland this week-end has moved into the position of prime importance in the north.

With the exception of Idaho, which will not run into southern competition until November 23 when it plays the Trojans at Los Angeles, all the teams north of the California line have been edged out of the Pacific Coast conference title race. The interest in the north now is to determine what Northwest football team is supreme in its own section.

Last year the unofficial title was divided between Oregon and Washington State, but the Cougars, in a last minute upset, were toppled from their claims by losing to Washington, 6 to 0, in the final game of the year. Thus on the basis of an undefeated conquest of the north in 1928, the title of the "strongest team in the Northwest" was tacked on to the Webfoots.

This year, however, the claim to Northwest supremacy is contended for by four schools. Washington, although still a factor, was pushed into secondary importance through its tie with Montana, and the Grizzlies in turn were automatically dropped after the loss to the Vandals. The four teams who now stand foremost in the north are Oregon, Oregon State, Idaho and Washington State.

Dayton Outplayed Mac-Hi According To Dayton View

Football is a hot topic in Milton-Freewater this year, where Mac-Hi has what is considered to be a winning team. Last Saturday, the game in which Dayton won from Mac-Hi by the score of 13 to 0, was a desperately fought contest.

It has since been whispered around that Dayton received the breaks in the game but a Dayton fan has this to say in the Walla Walla Union:

"Dayton went into this game outweighed at least ten pounds to the man, and outfought Mac-Hi from whistle to whistle. Dayton recovered almost every fumble simply because its boys were rushing the ball and always had two or three fighting wildcats within reach of it. We were hitting those big boys so hard it hurt and they simply were never given a chance to start a march to the goal line. Contrary to your recital of the game neither score came as a result of a recovered fumble. One score was a beautifully executed forward pass and it was an earned score in anybody's game. The second score was an interception returned to a touchdown."

Athena Is Playing At Hermiston Today

"Pike" Miller and his Athena high school football players, left this morning for Hermiston, where they will play Hermiston in the second game of the season, this afternoon. Hermiston defeated the local team on the home grounds in a hard fought contest, 6 to 0, on September 20.

Hermiston in the game here proved to be better than last year, but the Athena team forced her to use all she had in her repertoire of plays. Having this knowledge, the Athena team should be in a position to hold the west end team to another close score, or maybe take this afternoon's contest.

Athena has improved since meeting Hermiston here. New plays have been developed and the line and backfield has been strengthened by several shifts recently made by the coach. Today's game should be a good one.

Robbery Believed Solved

East Oregonian: With the arrest of William Grenier, 20, at Nampa, Idaho, the robbery of the Johnson Chapman home on the Umatilla Indian reservation is believed by the sheriff's office to be cleared up. Grenier was arrested by the Nampa police on information contained in a bulletin issued out of the sheriff's office Monday morning.

Hand Severely Burned

A gasoline stove in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Dickey became enveloped in flames, Monday, when excessive pressure in the tank caused the gasoline to overflow. Mr. Dickey had his right hand severely burned in carrying the stove from the house.

October Mercury Soars

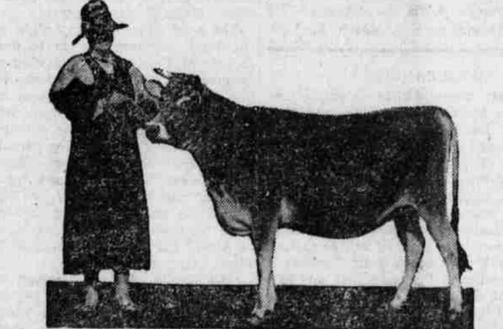
Midsummer heat in mid October has been experienced here this week. Monday the temperature ran up to 82, and Tuesday recording instruments showed 84.

Journey to Arctic Made in Canoe



Amos Burg of Portland, camera explorer and adventurer, and Dr. George Rebec, dean of the graduate school at the University of Oregon, spent the summer on a 8,000-mile canoe voyage of exploration that carried them along the Athabaska, Slave and Mackenzie rivers to the Arctic ocean. Here a 90-mile portage was made over the summit of the Rocky mountains to the headwaters of the Bell river, where the two men embarked in skin canoes for a 500-mile float down the western slope of the Rockies, the Bell and the Porcupine to Fort Yukon. Drawing shows map of journey. Insert is Burg upon departure.

Proud Owner Shows Champion



"You'll Do's Grey Creampot of W. M.", Junior Champion Jersey Cow and its owner Mrs. Edna L. Knight.

Mrs. Edna L. Knight, Willowmeadow Jersey Farm, Willows, California, one of the few women breeders of livestock—and successful, too—will exhibit her prize-winning Jerseys at the 19th Annual Pacific International Livestock Exposition, Portland, Oregon, Oct. 26-Nov. 2, inclusive.

This year, for the first time, the American Jersey Cattle Club has selected Pacific International to be one of the four sectional shows in the United States. This makes available awards for All-American honors in the Jersey division of the West's greatest livestock classic. The Club has also added \$1,000.00 to the Exposition's prize money, bringing the total premiums offered for Jerseys alone up to \$3,500.00. Total prize money for all classes aggregates \$100,000.00.

New features announced for this year's Exposition are the 2000-coop display of the Oregon Poultry

and Pet Stock Show; Junior Agricultural activities in the new J. C. Penney Hall; and the Oregon Fish and Game Commission's Exhibit of Wild Life (including a Fish Hatchery in full operation). Altogether, the 1929 program will offer greater variety than ever before—12 complete shows—Pure Bred Live stock Show; Fat Stock Show; Dairy, Manufacturer's and Land Products Shows; Sheep Show; American National Fox Show; National Wool Show; Industrial Exposition; Boys' and Girls' Club Work Exhibits; Northwest Hay and Grain Show; and world-renowned Horace Show, including among other spectacular events the Six-Horse Team Driving contests during each of the seven evening programs.

Special reduced fares to the Exposition will be in effect on all leading transportation lines in this territory.

Sues For Divorce

Josie Frazier Walter has filed suit in the circuit court against Arthur Walker for a divorce, giving cruel and inhuman treatment as grounds for the action. In the complaint, Mrs. Walker asks that she be allowed \$100 attorneys fees, \$50 suit money, \$25 monthly as permanent alimony and that she be decreed one-third owner in county farming property and town lots in the city of Freewater.

Out Hunting Deer

Henry Dell and his son-in-law, Mr. De Merritt, left Monday for the John Day country on a deer hunt. They went to the same locality where last season they succeeded in killing a couple of bucks. Sunday morning W. C. Campbell, his son William and George Brace left for the Arbogast stock ranch in Grant county, on a deer hunting expedition.

Picture Program

The Standard Theatre offers Sax Rohmer's great character stage presentation, "The Mysterious Dr. Fu Manchu," in its silent screen version tomorrow night and Sunday. Three of Paramount's leading screen favorites, Warner Oland, Jean Arthur and Neil Hamilton are given the leading parts in the portrayal of what is considered the most thrilling mystery ever filmed. Comedy and news reel are as usual, a part of the program for both evenings.

Curtailed Season Cuts Profits

Harold Clifford, state game warden, tells the state game commission that postponement of the deer hunting season for 12 days this fall not only cut into the time limit for the hunter to bag his deer but also sliced the income of the state from licenses nearly \$30,000.

School Principals Are To Meet At Salem; Big Plans Are Studied

Salem.—High school principals of Oregon will meet in the hall of representatives here for a two-day conference today and tomorrow. The meeting will be under the joint auspices of the department of high school principals of the Oregon State Teachers' Association and the state department of education.

This forenoon Governor Patterson, state school superintendent C. A. Howard and president Harry B. Johnson of the Oregon High School Principals' Association will speak. The remainder of the day will be given to committee reports and in the evening the conference dinner will be served at the Marion Hotel.

Tomorrow forenoon Mrs. Virginia C. Bacon, state librarian, will talk on state library service, and E. B. Lemon of Oregon State College entrance requirements. The committee reports will occupy the rest of the session. The meeting will be recognized as an official convention of the principals.

Report Made By the County Health Nurse

Helen J. Samson, new county health nurse, gives the following report for publication in the county papers:

A large portion of the month has been spent in getting acquainted with the people and the conditions in the county. All the dentists and nearly all the doctors have been called upon, as well as many of the local people of the different towns who are interested in the health program.

As the greatest number of defects among the school children are listed under the heading of teeth, we are hoping for wonderful results from the coming dental survey by Dr. Brunk, of Salem. On account of the survey, it has been necessary to locate as many of the rural schools as possible and endeavor to have definite directions for reaching them, this has taken much time and without the aid of Mr. Yeager, county school superintendent, would have been impossible. Many of the larger schools have been visited and conferences held with the principals for the purpose of organizing the work. The pupils in nine of the rural schools have been given the regular routine examination.

A class for mothers was held in Pilot Rock. This was the first of a series of eight lessons.

Investigations were made for the county court, the Oregon Child Welfare commission, and the Doernbecher hospital.

Echo Groceryman Is Killed In an Accident

H. R. Willis, for the past 16 years a resident of Echo and proprietor of the Willis Grocery store, was killed in an automobile accident Monday night at 9 o'clock, when his car, a sedan, turned over after hitting loose gravel on the highway a half mile east of Hermiston.

Mr. Willis was returning to Echo after buying butter at Hermiston, when he attempted to pass another car, struck the gravel and the accident resulted. A passing motorist took Mr. Willis to the Hermiston hospital where he died in half an hour. He was badly bruised and suffered a fracture of the skull near the temple.

Mr. Willis, who is in his early forties, is survived by a widow as well as brothers and sisters living in New York.

Bridge Club Entertained

The second meeting in the fall series of the Athena Bridge club was enjoyed by members Friday afternoon when they were guests of Mrs. Henry Dell. For decorations the hostess used masses of Michaelmas daisies and other autumn flowers. Four tables were in play, additional guests including Mrs. Justin Harwood, Mrs. Alma Kooz of Portland and Mrs. Sarah Jane Bowles of Walla Walla. High club score was made by Mrs. H. I. Watts, Mrs. Harwood receiving a dainty guest prize the consolation falling to Mrs. W. P. Littlejohn.

Two Unclaimed Pictures

There are two unclaimed photographs at the Miller furniture store, where they were left by persons unknown to George Wall, now in charge of the store. Both are large photos and are framed. One is a photograph of the 6th U. S. Cavalry Reg., taken at Newport News, June 29 1919. The other large photograph is one taken of Warren Raymond's old stationary threshing outfit.

Pendleton-Mac-Hi

Pendleton and Mac-Hi will have their annual football contest on the Mac-Hi gridiron, tomorrow afternoon. Pendleton is promoting an automobile caravan to the game.

Trace of Rain

A slight trace of rain fell Wednesday night, and the change in temperature resulted in lower registrations.

Burglar Injured In Blast, Leaves An Ear and a Finger Behind

Roseburg.—The mutterings of an injured man while recovering from an anesthetic, paved the way to jail for Harry and Raymond Carr of Portland, on suspicion of being the men who attempted to blow a safe at Grants Pass.

Harry Carr had been taken to a hospital here by Raymond Carr, who said they were brothers, physicians revealed. The former was suffering from the loss of two fingers and an ear and other injuries. Physicians said they decided surgical attention was necessary.

Later Harry was removed to a ward. Physicians said other patients heard him mutter of "safe robberies." Sheriff G. T. Jackson was notified and he placed the brothers under arrest.

Physicians declared the injured man might not live.

Police at Grant's Pass said one of the robbers who attempted to blow the safe, had been injured. Bits of human flesh splattered the walls of the Golden Rule department store and a trail of blood led to the offices of Dr. C. E. Marks and Mrs. C. J. Moser in an adjacent building, where a human finger was found. Opiates and surgical instruments were reported to have been stolen from the physicians' offices.

The blast did not open the safe but wrecked it so badly that experts were unable to open it despite several hours of work.

Questioned here by Sheriff Jackson and Sheriff Lister of Grants' Pass, Raymond Carr denied any knowledge of the robbery. He said his brother had been injured in a hunting accident near here. The officers declared, however, that they found safe burglars tools and a bottle of nitro-glycerine in an automobile said to have been driven by Carr.

Adams Ladies Entertain At Autumn Luncheon

Gay blossoms in brilliant autumn hues were used in profusion about the rooms of the spacious home of Paul Lieuallen, last Thursday, when guests were bidden to luncheon by Mrs. Paul Lieuallen, Mrs. James Lieuallen and Mrs. Ravella Lieuallen. Covers were marked with cards suggestive of the Halloween season at small tables centered with miniature crystal baskets of flowers. Bridge was the diversion of the afternoon, twelve tables being in play. Honors fell to Mrs. Penn Harris who won first prize, Mrs. Ralph McEwen second, and Mrs. Glenn Dudley received the consolation. The following guests were present:

Mesdames H. I. Watts, B. B. Richards, W. P. Littlejohn, Ralph McEwen, Dean Dudley, Sheldon Taylor, Glenn Dudley, A. H. McIntyre, Chase Garfield, C. M. Eager, Lloyd Michener, Francis Lieuallen, Penn Harris, James Cresswell, Bryce Baker, Henry Dell, Armond DeMerritt, W. S. Ferguson, F. S. LeGrow, M. W. Hansell, L. L. Lieuallen, Fred Pinkerton, Chas. DuPuis, Don Johnson, Raul Morrison, L. W. Pinkerton, M. M. Johns, C. L. McFadden, Art. Douglas, A. W. Logsdon, H. A. Barrett, Miss Blanch Johnson, Mrs. Geo. Woodward and Mrs. Ralph Cannon of Walla Walla, Mrs. Tom Mosgrove of Milton, Mrs. C. Tubbs, Mrs. Roy Duff, Mrs. Kimball of Pendleton.

Hay Market Affects Sales of Livestock

The most active fall hay market in many years with average prices for alfalfa in Oregon \$2.60 above the level of a year ago, is reported in the weekly market review just released by the agricultural economics department of the state college extension service. Scarcity of feed because of poor pastures has stimulated the demand for hay at the same time that holdings the country over are some seven million tons below last year's total.

This situation in the feed market has caused heavier shipments of unfinished cattle and hogs to market, temporarily depressing the price. The general outlook remains favorable after the present forced shipments are over, although some observers believe that the market for stocker and feeder cattle will remain somewhat below that of last year.

Admits Non-Support Charge

Mose McBean, who was arrested recently on a charge of non-support of two minor children, pleaded guilty to the charges when arraigned before the circuit court. His sentence was suspended and he was released under bond on the condition that he pay \$20 monthly for the support of the children.

Apple Harvest On

Apple harvest in the Touchet Valley is in full swing. Jonathans, Grimes Golden and the Delicious are about picked and work has been started on Rome Beauties. It is estimated that the apple crop is only 75 per cent average this year.

PYTHIAN KNIGHTS NAME OFFICERS

H. E. Dixon Of La Grande Becomes Chancellor —Sisters Elect.

Portland.—The Oregon grand lodge Knights of Pythias, meeting in the Pythian temple at Yamhill and West Park streets for its 47th annual convention, elected officers for the new year, discussed the welfare and social work of the lodge, and Tuesday night had a hilarious time at the initiative ceremonies of the sunshine branch of the order, the Dramatic Order of the Knights of Khorassan.

Officers elected were: Grand chancellor, H. E. Dixon, La Grande; grand vice-chancellor, Ira W. Carl, Portland; grand keeper of the seals, Walter Gleeson, Baker; grand master of the exchequer, J. W. Maloney, Pendleton; grand master at arms, Frank Taylor, Eugene; grand outer guard, Thorleif Hansen, Portland; grand inner guard, N. S. Soden, Vernonia; supreme representative, Fred J. Johnson, Portland; supreme representative-elect, Darwin E. Yoran, Eugene; grand prelate, I. W. Turner, Forest Grove.

The officers will be installed at ceremonies, the closing of the meeting.

While the knights were about their business, the Pythian Sisters, in adjoining rooms were electing the following: Grand chief, Mrs. Helen Stranahan, Hood River; grand senior, Mrs. Nettie Hardesty, Seaside; grand junior, Mrs. Eva Marks, Roseburg; grand manager, Mrs. Mamie Bennett, Bend; mistress of records and correspondence, Mrs. Rose Farrington, Portland; mistress of finance, Mrs. Mabel Erickson, Valsetz; grand guard, Mrs. Ethel Murphy, Albany; supreme representative, Mrs. Emma McKinney, Hillsboro. Mrs. Cobi de Lespinosse was re-elected.

Following the election of officers the knights and sisters gathered in the lodge auditorium for memorial services, with the past chiefs' club of Phalena temple, Portland, in charge.

In the report of the altruistic committee of the Pythian sisters, it was stated that the altruistic work for the year amounted to \$19,379.10. Past grand chiefs of the sisterhood held a banquet in the roseroom of the Hotel Benson.

School Boys Stage a Round-Up at Helix

Hugh and Donald McEwen aspiring young cowboys of the district north west of Athena are receiving quite a lot of newspaper notoriety this fall. The two boys took part in the pony races at the Walla Walla County fair last month, riding their Shetlands to and from the scene of action.

Last week during the vacation granted school children on account of the Teachers' Institute, the boys staged a miniature Round-Up in Helix at the Gun Club Park.

Details were carefully arranged, the parade being a feature of the day. Hugh, who was president led the concourse on a beautiful bay horse. A large number of buckaroos in brilliant costumes, a stage coach followed by Red Cross attendants with emergency cot wended its way to the grounds, when races and the bucking contest amused the large crowd of spectators. Admission of five and ten cents was charged, the receipts of the day totaling five dollars which was used in prizes for the successful contestants.

Hubert Snapp, Gordon Gammell and Harold Pierce were the judges. No casualties were suffered but Warren Hicks met with an accident when he fell from the large mule on which he was performing.

Three Deer Brought In

Leonard Geissel, Dale Stephens and Bryce Baker hunted deer out from the Arbogast stock ranch in Grant county Sunday. A nice buck fell before the unerring aim of Leonard. The boys returned home Monday forenoon Friday, John Stanton and Jens Jensen drove out west of Ukiah and returned Monday with two bucks, each hunter killing one out of a band of five, driven past them by shots of other hunters.

An interesting and attractive program is being arranged for a praise service to occur at the Christian church Sunday evening. Solos, duets and quartettes will be featured, a short devotional exercise and congregational singing are also planned for the occasion. An urgent invitation is extended to all to attend.

Goes To John Day

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Dickey are leaving for John Day, Grant county, where Mr. Dickey will operate a pool hall and rooming house. He has exchanged his Athena residence property for the John Day property.