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FOOTBALL MEN CONFERRED HERE

Dr. Stewart of O. A. C. and Manager Walker of U. of O. Give Tentative Plans.

BIG GAME TO BE STAGED HERE ON NOVEMBER 8

Matter May Come Up Before Commercial Club for Action of Business Men.

Football! University of Oregon vs. Oregon Agricultural College. November 8, Albany.

Dr. E. J. Stewart, director of athletics at the O. A. C. and Graduate Manager Dean Walker, of the University, were here today to size up the situation.

In company with Wm. Eagles, who successfully engineered the staging of the big game here last year, they were shown over the field this morning. Afterwards the three met and talked informally over the plans.

The result is that the football men want Albany to place the football field in first class order, construct bleachers for seating capacity of 8000 exclusive of any cost to either of the schools, and guarantee that that number can be seated. This is aside from other minor stipulations.

On the other hand they will grant the right to Albany, to make out an excursion train schedule to suit the majority of the business men. In other words the excursion trains should arrive and depart from the city when the game is over.

Thirdly it is probable that the city will be called upon to stand for the rental of the athletic park which will be from \$250 to \$300, unless the members of the local athletic association, who have the field under lease, come forward and assist in bringing the big game here to some of this extent.

These matters will probably be brought up before the meeting of the Commercial club tonight and there will probably be concerted action one way or the other. They are to come up at the instance of Mr. Eagles, to whom the tentative plans for the game were given this morning by the football managers of the two schools.

Notwithstanding the fact that there is a possibility of disapproval of any proposition in part submitted by either side there is a strong probability that the game will be played here. While neither of the football men made statements that would be regarded as absolute assurance, while on the grounds this morning, one suggested the flip of a coin to decide which side of the field they could choose for their rooters. The statement that it hadn't been definitely determined whether the game would be played here, caused this matter to be dropped.

It is understood that Manager Walker is strong for the staging of the game at Eugene while Dr. Stewart wants it played in Portland, but the question might arise as to whether it will be played at all unless at Albany. The action of the Commercial club in the matter will be communicated tomorrow without delay to the two managers.

Toured this Section of County.—A Lebanon real estate man and a party of four strangers arrived in Albany yesterday afternoon by automobile after touring the section of Linn county between here and that place. The members of the party were: W. R. NuHoff, of Lebanon; F. G. Wight and C. E. Swick, of Berkeley, Calif.; and O. T. Arnold and George F. Hardin, of Kansas City.

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SOLICITING COMMITTEES ARE TO MEET TOMORROW

Tomorrow evening at 6.30 o'clock in the banquet room of the New Elite, a meeting of the soliciting committees of the Riverside Cemetery Association will convene for the purpose of discussing plans for soliciting funds for the association and to talk over any other business that may be brought before the meeting.

A full attendance is urged. Those who attend should not eat supper before going as there will be a meal served that will be fit for a king.

TODAY WAS OBSERVED "AS COLUMBUS DAY"

Banking, City and County Business Was Suspended and Employees Enjoy Holiday.

With the court house, city office, and banks closed during the day and other signs of a legal holiday, Albany today observed "Columbus Day."

County and city officials enjoyed a complete holiday while the bankers and bank clerks enjoyed the same, with the exception of a few who put in overtime. However, all of the banking houses remained closed throughout the day.

Yesterday special services in some of the churches did honor to the day. Yesterday was the actual date for the observance of the day but owing to the fact that it fell on Sunday, the day was observed today by the suspension of banking, county and city business.

NEW YORK GUNMEN HAVE ROUND IN COURT

Arguments Appeal of Ex-Police Lieut. Becker Made Before Court of Appeals.

Albany, N. Y., Oct. 13.—Arguments on the appeal of Ex-Police Lieutenant Charles Becker and his four Russian gunmen from sentence of death, were begun today before the court of appeals. The arguments were to have been made some two weeks ago but the Sulzer impeachment proceedings at which the court of appeals judges sat as members of the impeachment court, made necessary the postponement until today. Speedy decisions in the Becker-gunmen cases are expected. Should the court decide against the condemned men it seemed certain today that a further appeal would be taken to the United States supreme court. This would mean that the men convicted of the sensational killing of Gambler Rosenthal will not be executed for many months at least.

CITY NEWS

Went to Portland.—Leaving this morning Henrietta Brown, state vice president of the state W. C. T. U. went to Portland to attend a meeting of the executive committee of the union. She will return some time tomorrow.

Portland Doctor Visits Here.—Dr. W. E. Stewart and wife of Portland, are visiting here at the home of Judge and Mrs. C. H. Stewart. They are the parents of Dr. Stewart. The Portlanders will return to their home this afternoon.

Left to Hunt Deer.—B. F. Nix, former manager of the Dreamland theater, left today for the Alsea country where he will join a party of deer hunters. He expects to be gone several days.

Rally Day Observed.—Rally Day was observed yesterday in the Methodist church. The service in the morning appropriate to the occasion was marked by a special sermon by Rev. Leech and special music. A rally day program was given during the Sunday school hour. At the meeting of the Epworth League in the afternoon Miss Florence Twidwell, district deaconess, led the services. She sang a pleasing solo at the evening services. Throughout the day, the attendance at the various services was large.

Rev. Emerson's Class Popular.—Rev. Emerson's Bible class met yesterday afternoon at the Y. M. C. A. with a large number present. The meeting was an interesting one, and was highly appreciated by those present. By next Sunday it is expected that many more will have joined the class.

Gym Classes Commence.—The Y. M. C. A. gym classes for men and boys commenced today and will continue throughout the winter as per the schedule announced in Saturdays Democrat.

Goes to Junction City.—Leaving this morning for Junction City Mr. Herbsman who has been in the city the past week soliciting the sale of tickets with Secretary Foster of the Y. M. C. A., for the lyceum course to be given under the auspices of that institution, will conduct a similar campaign in that town. Over 450 in Albany have thus far signed up for tickets and Mr. Foster stated this morning that all those who desire to secure tickets may have them reserved by phoning to the Y. M. C. A. The course will open a week from Wednesday with Ralph Parlette, humorist lecturer.

Eugene People Motored Here.—Five Eugene people composed an automobile party that motored from that place to Albany and returned Sunday. The members of the party were: Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Elhardt, K. W. Wheeler and Misses Fenton and Holmar. L. F. Wouater, of Molalla, was an over Sunday visitor in the city.

SULZER BREAKS WITH ATTORNEYS

Governor Believes Mistake Was Made in Not Permitting Him to Take Stand.

MEMBERS OF SENATE SAYS SULZER WILL WIN

Tremendous Pressure Being Brought to Bear on Members of Court by Both Sides.

(By United Press Association) Albany, N. Y., Oct. 13.—Despite the predictions of Sulzer that only eleven members of the impeachment court favor him when he needs twenty to acquit, Senator Wendt this afternoon stated that he was sure that the governor would win, but gave no figures. He asserted that there are enough Sulzer members of the court to prevent his removal, adding that he expected one exception to vote for the governor. The anti-Sulzerites are claiming a victory over the governor on the final vote.

Albany, N. Y., Oct. 13.—Convinced that the defense in the impeachment trial has been unskillfully conducted, Governor Sulzer has practically broken with his lawyers who conducted the case. The governor is incensed in particular by what he considers the virtual admission of Attorney Herrick for the defense that he is unfit for the governorship, coupled with the contention that unfitness is not a ground for impeachment. Sulzer considers too that his counsel made a fatal mistake in refusing to allow him to make a statement in his own behalf from the witness stand and if convicted he will throw the blame at the boor of his attorneys. Tremendous pressure is being brought to bear on members of the court, both for and against the governor.

Albany, N. Y. That this afternoon will see the beginning of the end of the Sulzer impeachment trial seemed likely when court convened this morning. It appears improbable that a verdict would be returned before tomorrow but that Sulzer will be able to get a pretty definite idea concerning the number of supporters is indicated inasmuch as a vote is scheduled late today on the governor's contention that the court lacked the power to try him for acts preceding his induction into office.

U. S. SUPREME COURT CONVENED AT NOON TODAY

Washington, Oct. 13.—With all the pomp and judicial dignity of precedent, the supreme court of the United States today met promptly at noon for the October term. In accordance with tradition which decrees that the court shall conduct no judicial business on the first day, the session was brief. Following the ceremonies and representation of Solicitor General Davis, by Attorney General McReynolds the justices repaired to the White House and were greeted by President Wilson.

Chief Justice White, led the associate justices garbed in their long black silk robes into the chamber promptly on the minute of twelve o'clock today. The justices marched in the order of their service on the highest bench as follows: Justices McKenna, Holmes, Day, Lurton, Hughes, Van Devanter, Lamar and Pitney. A respectful hush overspread the chamber as the procession entered and all arose and remained standing until the court ascended the bench. At a given signal from Chief Justice White spectators and court officers, including the attorney general, were seated and the session began. Following the solicitor general's presentation court adjourned for the visit to the White House.

Following ancient custom, Chief Justice White was the first to enter the executive mansion and grasp the president's hand. Seniority is one of the strict rules of the highest judicial body. The chief justice chatted for a few minutes with the president and passed on. Justice McKenna followed and the remaining justices were formally greeted by the chief executive. The formal greeting preceded an informal exchange of pleasantries between President Wilson and his visitors before the latter returned to the capital where work incident to the disposing of the heavy October term docket was immediately begun. The court will meet again tomorrow to hear arguments on the most advanced cases on the docket. A large list of these have been set for argument. The first decisions of the October term will be handed down on Monday, October 20.

LAWS MAY CONFLICT WITH ONE ANOTHER

County Clerk Marks Raises Question Regarding Special Elections.

HAS NOTIFIED OLCOTT OF HIS DISCOVERY

Point Raised Is Relative to Voting Hours; Attorney General to Answer.

A discovery in the election laws has been made by County Clerk Willard L. Marks that may effect local option liquor elections throughout the state.

That the code provides that the polls must be open at special elections from 8 o'clock in the morning until 7 o'clock at night, whereas a law passed at the last session of the legislature provides that the polls must be open from 8 o'clock in the morning until 8 o'clock at night, is the question raised by County Clerk Marks, upon the contention that the laws may conflict regarding the holding of special elections.

Mr. Marks has notified Secretary of State Olcott of his discovery relative to the differences in the two laws. Mr. Olcott is of the opinion, according to word received from Salem, that the new law repeals the section providing for voting hours by implication but urged Mr. Marks to get an opinion regarding it from Attorney General Crawford.

CANAL OPENING CELEBRATED BY RINGING OF BELL

Crabtree, Or., Oct. 10.—(Special to Democrat).—Report has reached here of the death of George Weddle in Eastern Oregon.

Everybody register at the cream station. Chas. Robert, and Will Hollis are going to California. The ringing of the school bell and other demonstrations celebrated the opening of the canal.

Newport Hotelman Here.—Mr. Abbey, one of the owners of the Abbey House at Newport, is a visitor in the city today. Mr. Abbey is on his way home after a trip to Canada where he looked after mining interests.

Presbytery Convenes.—The fall meeting of the Willamette Presbytery convened here this afternoon at 2 o'clock in the First Presbyterian church, with 35 or 40 present. The session will last until tomorrow.

BRYAN BRANDS RUMORS AS AN UNQUALIFIED FALSEHOOD

(By United Press Association.) Washington, D. C., Oct. 13.—A flat denial of the printed reports that the Japanese are buying land in California from his cousin, Governor Jennings of Florida was verified today by Secretary Bryan who characterized the statement as "an unqualified falsehood." Mr. Bryan added, "But you know the newspapers must have something to print."

A. C. Ackerman of Corvallis, attended business here Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. L. Plunkett, of Mukers, visited friends and shopped here Saturday.

Tom Walker, of Corvallis, was an over Sunday guest at the Hotel Vandran.

S. Tripp of Corvallis, was in the city yesterday.

I. Dubois, of Toledo, is attending business matters here today.

A. Crickson, of Corvallis, is stopping at the Hotel Vandran.

A. H. Cole, of Stayton, was a Saturday visitor here.

William Johnson, of Corvallis, is transacting business here today.

Chas. Wesley, of Scio, was a Sunday visitor here. He stopped at the Vandran hotel.

Ross Tapper, of Jefferson, came up Saturday to visit friends over Sunday.

Prof. A. Q. B. Bonquet, of the O. A. C. was in the city yesterday.

R. N. Hoover, of Salem, was a Sunday visitor here.

B. C. Avery, of Central Point, is attending business matters here today.

E. C. King, of Corvallis, returned to his home Saturday night after attending business here.

G. R. Sampson, of Corvallis, transacted business here Saturday afternoon.

A. W. Morgan, of Toledo, attended business matters here during the week end.

A. G. McSally, of Salem, was an over Sunday visitor here.

C. H. Rossburg, is a guest at the Hotel Vandran.

MAN WHO STOLE DOG HERE MAY BE MURDERER

Lloyd H. Wilkins, Is Being Sought by Police of Portland As Slayer of Winters.

That Lloyd H. Wilkins, who is being sought by the Portland police as the slayer of Lou L. Wilkins, was the man who last summer stole his valuable shepherd dog, was the statement made by Mr. Westbrook today. Mr. Westbrook says that Wilkins entered the back yard of his home on West Sixth street, unchained and virtually took the dog away from his young son who at the time was playing with it. Mr. Westbrook immediately swore out a warrant for the man's arrest and after the local police had watched all of the departing trains it later developed that Wilkins had walked to Conser where he boarded an Oregon Electric train for Portland, thereby frustrating the attempts to arrest him.

JACK JOHNSON'S BOND IS DECLARED FORFEITED

He Put Up Bonds in Sum of \$30,000 Pending Appeal in White Slavery Case.

(By United Press Association) Chicago, October 13.—Federal Judge Carpenter today declared forfeited the \$30,000 personal bond deposited by Jack Johnson when he appealed from the decision of the lower court upon his conviction upon the charge of white slavery. The bond was ordered forfeited when the negro failed to appear. Benjamin Bachrach, Johnson's attorney, requested a continuance of the case, saying that he was convinced the negro would return after finishing his vaudeville engagements. Judge Carpenter refused to entertain the request.

CITY NEWS

Important Jewish Holiday.—Saturday was a holiday among the Hebrew race the world over. The day is known as the Day of Atonement. Ten days ago was the Jewish New Year, and the period between them and Saturday is known as the Holy week. Most of the Jewish stores were closed and in the cities where there is the Jewish synagogue virtually every Hebrew closed up to commemorate the day.

November 18 Apple Day.—November 18 has been set aside as apple day in the state of Oregon and a special effort will be made to have all hotels and restaurants observe the day by featuring apples in their menus. This is the result of a movement to call attention to and stimulate interest in the Oregon apple which has become known the world over and as yet no regular apple day has ever been observed in the state at large.

State to Be Represented.—Oregon is planning to be represented at the United States land show, which is soon to be held in Chicago, by a large exhibit, showing what this state can do in the raising of various farm products. Each section of the state is planning to contribute to this exhibit.

Takes Position Here.—Ray Houston, has accepted a position in the Combination barber shop at this place. Ray is known as a good man at his trade and his many friends here will be pleased to learn of his location.

Found Guilty of Shooting from Road.—Tom Gilchrist, who was arrested recently by a game warden on a charge of shooting at game birds from a public road, pleaded guilty when arraigned in a justice court and the penalty was \$25 and costs.

athaway Case on.—Low Hathaway, who was arrested some time ago near Harrisburg by a game warden and brought here by Constable Catlin, on a charge of shooting a pheasant out of season, is being tried this afternoon in the justice court. At the hour of going to press the case was still in progress.

Charged with Assault.—Charged with assault and battery on a resident of near Sweet Home, Mike Gosgrove, was arrested near that place yesterday by Constable John Catlin and brought here. He will be given a hearing either late this afternoon or tomorrow morning in the justice court.

Archdeacon Visited Here.—Archdeacon Chambers of the diocese of Oregon, whose home is in Portland was in the city over Saturday night and Sunday morning. Yesterday morning he conducted services in the St. Peters church for Rev. J. D. Cummins. Archdeacon Chambers returned to his home in Portland yesterday afternoon. Rev. Cummins conducted the services in the church last night.

VULTORNO DEATH LIST UNCHANGED

Details of Ocean Disaster Continue to Come in Over Wireless During Day.

HULK OF VOLTURNO DID NOT SINK SAYS MESSAGE

Survivors on Their Way to Nearest Ports. One Rescue Boat Saved Eighty Seven.

(By United Press Association) London, October 13.—The latest reports by wireless indicate that the Voltorno's hulk did not sink and is a menace to navigation. The admiralty ordered the Cruiser Dongra to destroy the wreck.

Fishguard, October, 13.—The Carmania arrived here today. Captain Barr's story together with a list of the survivors is expected to follow. The steamship Minneapolis with more survivors is expected at London tomorrow afternoon. The boat Devonian with still more survivors is expected scheduled to arrive at Liverpool at the same time.

New York, Oct. 13.—The Liner Crosser Kurfuers which was the first ship to reach the Voltorno after the Carmania is off Nantucket with three hundred survivors of the Voltorno on board. Captain Spangenberg began sending an account of the disaster by wireless today. The message is in part as follows:

"Two of the Kurfuers boats were at sea attempting to reach the burning vessel from nine o'clock Thursday night until three o'clock Friday morning. During the night they picked up thirty-two of the passengers and crew and at dawn sixty more. Captain Spangenberg says that altogether his ship saved eighty-six passengers, two officers and sixteen members of the crew."

Havre, France, Oct. 13.—A wireless dispatch received here today reports the steamship Latourne with a share of the Voltorno survivors will arrive tomorrow.

Fishguard, October, 13.—The Carmania proceeds today to Liverpool. Captain Barr refused to make a statement in connection with the burning of the Voltorno and did not explain why the Carmania brought only one Voltorno survivor. The matter is a subject for speculation for other rescuing ships are crowded.

Captain Hagenmeyer of the German steamer Seydlitz reported by wireless today that he had on board two officers of the Voltorno, five stewards, one saloon passenger, sixteen men, seven women, three girls and four boys from the steerage and sixteen sailors.

MRS. A. W. STANARD PASSED AWAY AT BROWNSVILLE

After a lingering illness of several months, Mrs. Elizabeth A. Stanard, wife of A. W. Stanard, passed away at her home in Brownsville at 7:30 o'clock Monday morning, October 6.

Mrs. Stanard was born near Bonapart, Iowa, July 28, 1849. She came to Oregon with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Claybur Hill, by ox team in 1852, where she continuously lived until her final departure. The family settled near Brownsville. She was married to A. W. Stanard, November 23, 1856, and was the mother of ten children, three of whom preceded her by death.

Mrs. Stanard is survived by her husband, five sons and two daughters and a host of other relatives and warm friends. The children are W. O. Stanard and Geo. C. Stanard, of Portland; Rev. F. C. Stanard, of Chehalis, Wash.; H. A. Stanard, and May or C. E. Stanard, of Brownsville; Mrs. A. S. McDonald, of The Dalles, and Miss Minnie Stanard, of Brownsville. Her brothers are L. H. Hill, of Portland; Marshal Hill, of Hood River, and H. J. and Thos. Hill, of Eastern Oregon.

ARRESTED FOR HAVING HIS CUT-OUT OPEN

Charged with running his automobile through the streets with the cut out open, Bert Gainer, a Lebanon lad, was arrested yesterday afternoon on First street opposite the St. Francis hotel, by Policeman Griff King, under the provisions of the new ordinance recently passed by the city council which makes such running of moters unlawful.

Gainer will be arraigned in police court tomorrow morning at 9 o'clock to answer the charge. Meantime he is out on bail in the sum of \$12 furnished by A. W. Hubbs.