

### EAST ENTHUSIASTIC ON JOHNSON FOR PRESIDENT

Announcement of the candidacy of Senator Hiram W. Johnson for the republican nomination for the presidency has created a sensation in New York and throughout the East, according to a telegram received today by Frank R. Havemeier, secretary of the Northern California Roosevelt League, from George Henry Payne, editor of the Forum of New York. The message follows:

"Senator Johnson's announcement has created sensation here in New York and throughout East. Progressives are aroused as they have not been since Roosevelt's announcement in 1912 and many regular leaders are cordial and sympathetic, as they feel he will put some life into the party and give it a chance to win. Johnson's announcement has practically put an end to all talk of New York delegation being for Coolidge, and it is generally admitted by most conservative leaders that those delegates who will not be for Johnson in convention will be for Wadsworth."—San Francisco Call.

### Uncle Sam Imports \$5,000,000 Worth of Chinese Eggs

A single shipment of Chinese eggs recently received in this country and inspected by the Bureau of Chemistry of the Department of Agriculture was estimated to be worth approximately \$5,000,000. The shipment, which came in at the port of New York, consisted of 43,369 cases and 123,262 tins of frozen eggs from Nanking and Hankow, and 16,009 cases of dried eggs exclusive of egg albumen. On the weight basis there were 9,460,000 pounds of frozen eggs and 1,600,000 pounds of dried eggs. The total was equivalent to 435,000 cases of shell eggs, which, at the going price of \$10 a case, was worth nearly five million American dollars. The shipment of eggs represented a year's work for perhaps one and a half million hens.

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### Woodburn High School vs. Silverton High School

Friday, November 23 opened with a down pour of rain which continued all day. The football game between Woodburn High and Silverton High scheduled for that afternoon came off according to plans in spite of the rain. Six car loads of boosters came over from Silverton. The business men of Woodburn closed their places of business and furnished a goodly attendance at the game, and representatives from Aurora, Hubbard and other districts were also present to see the sports. During the first half Woodburn scored a touchdown, but was unable to make a goal. Silverton scored two touchdowns and two goals, thereby winning the game by a score of 4 to 16. Woodburn feels that the loss of this game was due in part to the fact that four of her best players were unable to play.

### Woman's Club Meets

The Aurora Woman's Club was pleasantly entertained at the home of Mrs. Geo. Yergen Wednesday, Nov. 21st., Mrs. Yergen and Miss Noma Yergen being hostesses for the afternoon.

Mrs. Atkinson gave a short talk on the life of Henry James. Mrs. Sadler read extracts from his works. Selections from Walt Whitman were read by Mrs. Geo. Ehlen.

Mrs. Schoeler, Mrs. Hocken, Mrs. Nagl, and Mrs. Andy Miller were new members taken in.

Delicious refreshments were served, after which the club adjourned to meet with Mrs. Knapp December 5th.

### Notice of Important Meeting

A meeting will be held at Canby, Oregon, Saturday, December 1, at 2 p. m., at which time R. L. Ringer, Federal Supervisor, and O. E. Freytag, inspector of that district, will explain the potato grading law and demonstrate its application. All interested in the industry are invited to attend. The meeting will be held in the W. H. Lucke warehouse.

### Bazaar at Aurora Lutheran Church

On Saturday, December 9, beginning at 11 a. m., the Ladies' Aid will give its annual bazaar in the basement of the church, and the community is cordially invited to avail themselves of whatever may be offered. As regards the eats, menu cards will be printed, so everybody can order what he wishes. In addition to the usual lunch that is being served, the ladies plan on serving a good substantial dinner of "Liberty Cabbage" to those who care for it.

### ITEMS OF STATE WIDE INTEREST

The Albany Kiwanis club has been organized with more than 50 charter members.

During the month of October the Portland police department made a total of 1396 arrests.

The County Judges' and Commissioners' association of Oregon will hold its annual session in Salem January 4, 5, and 6.

Bend's school census, as yet incomplete, will show the city to have a population of 9000, City Superintendent Ager declares.

W. G. Flett, well known pioneer of eastern Oregon, died at his homestead on Rock creek, 16 miles from Condon, at the age of 81 years.

For the first time in more than a year there is a large surplus in Salem, according to officials of the federal employment office.

At a recent meeting of friends and members of the Congregational church at Rainier it was voted to build a new church to cost \$20,000 on the site of the present structure.

Fire losses in Oregon for the month of October exclusive of the city of Portland, aggregated \$1,037,375, according to a report issued by Will Moore, state fire marshal.

Mrs. Gladys Moore Burnett, wife of George H. Burnett, superintendent of the Warren Construction company, was fatally burned at Taft as the result of a coal oil explosion.

The federal bureau of public roads will use funds left over from other projects and complete the unfinished portion of the Scottsburg-Reedsport section of the Umpqua highway.

In final settlement of the 1922 pool, checks totaling \$105,000 were mailed last week by the Oregon co-operative grain growers, according to a statement by A. H. Lea, general manager.

Representatives of the Union County Oil company have selected the Duncan McDonald ranch, three miles from Altel, as the site for their first oil well, drilling of which will begin at once.

After serving through 40 months of the world war with the Canadian corps and coming through safely, James McDonald, 27, met his death by drowning in a pond at Camp 14, near Estacada.

The Southern Pacific company, according to a report filed with the public service commission now has a surplus of 33 open cars. The shortage of closed cars has been reduced to 272.

The state tax commission has completed the county tax ratios for the year 1923. These ratios represent the per cent of taxable to full cash value of property generally in each county as determined by the state tax commission.

In order to prevent damage being done to the county roads during the wet season, the Douglas county court has issued an order limiting the loads which trucks may transport on county thoroughfares.

William Eib, charged with first degree murder for the killing of his wife at their home in West Linn in September last, was found guilty by a jury at Oregon City and was sentenced to life imprisonment.

The state income tax was carried in Oregon by a majority of 506. This is shown by the official returns, received by the secretary of state. The vote for the measure was 58,647 and the vote against it was 58,141.

The new Nehalem fish hatchery has just been completed and is being stocked with eggs, according to Carl Shoemaker, state fish warden. It is the third hatchery in size in the state, and represents an investment of \$10,000.

Mrs. Lucile Hager and H. H. Hurst, former employees of the Western Union Telegraph company at Coquille, were convicted in the circuit court of having defrauded that company of \$950 by means of forged telegraphic money orders.

At a recent meeting of the Tualatin school board it was voted to authorize the clerk to issue warrants for \$1500 to drill a well on the high school grounds. A pump house will be built and a modern pumping system installed.

Earl E. Patterson, convicted of embezzlement of \$48,618 from the Lumbermen's Trust company bank of Portland, where he was employed as head teller and assistant cashier, was sentenced to two years in the state penitentiary.

The Western Pine Manufacturing association, with headquarters in Portland, has appealed to the Oregon public service commission for assistance toward obtaining an export rate of 12 1/2 cents affecting the Spokane and Baker territory.

The civil service commission has been requested by the postoffice department to hold examinations for the selection of postmasters at Boring, Dufur, Freewater, Harrisburg, Hood River, Merrill, Myrtle Creek, Oregon City, Redmond and Sheridan.

On January 20 the Willamette river will be closed to all commercial fishing, according to an order issued by the state fish commission. This is for the purpose of allowing the spring run of Chinook to go unmolested up the river to the spawning grounds.

Repeal of the state income tax, enacted at the last session of the legislature and approved by the voters at a special election held November 6, will be urged through an initiative petition filed in the offices of the secretary of state by C. C. Chapman, editor of the Oregon Voter. The petition will go before the voters of the state at the general election in November, 1924.

There were four fatalities due to industrial accidents in Oregon during the week ending November 15, according to a report prepared by the state industrial accident commission. The victims were Cyril Avrit, Black Rock, faller; Howard Peterson, brakeman, Waldport; Hestia A. Stephens, Valsetz, liner, and Leroy Smith, Portland, boom man. A total of 642 accidents were reported.

Avard Fairbanks, head of the department of sculpture in the art school at the University of Oregon, is completing a design that will be a model for the trail-markers to be erected by the Old Oregon Trail association. The markers will be of bronze, 36 inches in diameter, and will be placed on boulders at various points along the trail, according to the plan of the association.

Mystery that came to light when the wasted body of a woman whose skull was fractured, weighted under rocks, was found Saturday morning, November 4, in the Columbia river, 15 miles above the little town of Umatilla, is believed to be well on the way to solution when the body was identified as that of Mrs. Edna Pitman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Rogers, ranchers in Eagle valley in Baker county.

Allocation of the funds in the year's budget for the state game commission was made by the commission at its regular monthly session in Portland. Some of the items in the budget are as follows: Hatcheries, \$110,000; warden services, \$90,000; scientific and education purposes, \$13,000; game farms, \$80,000; predatory animals, \$80,000; office and incidental expenses, \$45,000. The budget aggregates about \$298,000.

The stenographic force in the offices of the Oregon public service commission at Salem has completed the transcript of testimony in the somewhat celebrated case involving the rates of the Pacific Telephone & Telegraph company. The transcript contains more than 10,000 pages of closely typewritten matter and cost approximately \$5000. The aggregate expense attached to this case has been estimated at \$60,000, of which amount the telephone corporation paid more than \$35,000.

I. L. Patterson of Elola, Polk county, for several terms a member of the state senate and candidate for governor at the last republican primary election, drew automobile license No. 1 for 1924, in the annual drawing of automobile plates held in the offices of the secretary of state in Salem. License No. 13, which is one of the most sought-after plates, went to Forest L. Moe of Hood River, while license No. 23, also a favorite among many drivers, was drawn by M. F. Tyler, of Portland.

The determination of the interstate commerce commission to maintain Columbia basin railroad rates as at present, by which Portland and Vancouver obtain a general average of 10 per cent advantage in rates on all classes and commodities moving from south of the Snake river and against shipments from the same territory to Seattle, Tacoma and Grays harbor cities, was evidenced again at Washington D. C., when a petition of the Astoria Chamber of Commerce for a rehearing of the original case out of which the differential grew was dismissed without comment.

### American Red Cross Chapter to Meet

The Annual meeting of Willamette Chapter, A. R. C., is to be held at 2:00 p. m., Wednesday, December 5th, at Red Cross Headquarters, 640 State Street, Salem, Oregon, for the purpose of electing a Board of Directors and discussing work for the past and coming years. All persons holding a 1923 membership card are entitled to a vote in this meeting and are urged to be present.

### Corn Show a Success

The annual corn show of Marion County closed Saturday night. This show proved to be the most successful event of its kind ever staged in this county. The three days' attendance was estimated to be 5000 and something like 50 industries were represented by exhibits. The next show will be held in November, 1924.

### Personals

Harry Yoder went to Portland Sunday for a few days stay.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Sadler were Portland visitors last week.

Norman Hurst is back home again after his illness in Portland.

B. L. Steinhoff shipped 50 dressed turkeys to Portland, Monday.

J. W. Sadler and Arthur Kraus were in Portland Thursday evening.

A. J. Ray & Co. shipped a car load of hogs to Ontario, Canada, Tuesday. Will Parly was at the home of his father, Henry Parly, for the week end.

Miss Bertha Tontz, of Portland, was a guest at the Frank Miller home on Sunday.

Mrs. Delphine Flerschinger left Tuesday for a short visit in Colfax, Washington.

Chas. Hodgeson, of Taber, Alta, Canada, is spending a few days at the home of Henry G. Kreis.

Mr. Paul Blaschke has returned home from Vernonia and will spend the winter here fixing up his place.

The Presbyterian and food sale Saturday was well attended and was a success socially and financially.

Mrs. Truman Cornell, with four friends from Portland, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Miller.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Baney, of Canby, and Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Smucker, of Silverton, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Yoder.

The little friends of Robert Johnston will be sorry to hear that he is ill with scarlet fever at his home, 1126 E. Lewis St., Pasco, Wash.

The scholars of the Presbyterian church held a very delightful party at the home of Miss Erma Evans, on Thursday evening and it was greatly enjoyed by all present.

### BUSINESS OPPORTUNITY IS SEEN FOR CANBY

Mr. David B. Carr and Mr. T. Holmes, of Portland, in the interest of David B. Carr & Co., of Portland, were visitors in Canby Wednesday. While here they interviewed a number of the business men of this city, as to the possibilities of locating a plant here for the manufacturing of fruit and vegetable graders and packing house equipment of all descriptions used in the marketing of this most important product of the world.

They claim their sizing and grading machine to be superior to anything now on the market. Mr Carr claims this is the only machine of its kind ever invented that will measure fruits or vegetables by actual measurement and do it accurately. These machines have met with much favor wherever tried.—Canby Herald.

### Aggies Win in Football Game

At the football meet last Saturday between U. of O. and O. A. C., the latter won, and on Monday a grand celebration was held at Corvallis. O. A. C. boosters are enjoying greatly this victory over their old competitors.

### Presbyterian Church

Sunday-school 10 a. m.; Christian Endeavor 6:30 p. m.; church 7:30 p. m. A cordial invitation is extended to all to come and help us worship. Come Sunday. Rev. Mathews.

### Aurora Lutheran Church

We are now in full running order again and were able to conduct two services last Sunday morning. In the German service we preached on the meeting between Peter and Cornelius, Acts 10, 23-48, and in the English service on the story of creation as given in Genesis 1. The Sunday-school is also in full swing again, three classes having been organized with Sidonia Nordhausen, Margaret Rueck and Mrs. Hugo Keil as teachers. Next Sunday the Sunday-school will begin at 10, the German service at 10:15 and the English service at 11:15. The texts are, for the German service, Acts 11, 1-18; and for the English service, Genesis 1, 26-31, describing the Making of Man. Please remember the Thanksgiving service on Thanksgiving Day, at 7:45 p. m.

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