

Islands of Galapagos

Defy March of Years

While things have changed mightily upon the face of the earth with the onward march of years, there is one little spot where nature has never changed.

In the Pacific ocean the Galapagos islands are still in the Reptilian age. That was the period of the earth's existence when monstrous dinosaurs, reptiles 60 feet or more in length, with armored, impenetrable hides and great teeth, roamed the surface of the globe.

In this one spot things are today very much as they were in the ages of the past, long before the most primitive ape-man. From that interesting group of islands there has recently returned an expedition which has found many strange creatures that are today just as their ancestors were millions of years ago.

It is true that no 60-foot dinosaurs have been found on the Galapagos islands, but the reptiles living there are startlingly close relations of the old monsters. The swarming, ferocious 4-foot land lizards, called Coniophus, are declared to bear a striking resemblance to the ancient extinct Stegosaurus. They are extremely fierce, and can bite a man's leg off.

The gigantic land tortoise, some times reaching a weight of 800 pounds or more, was at one time the best-known product of the Galapagos islands. Through the excessive demand for them the tortoises have become nearly extinct.

The bird life is also very wonderful, and the sea lions, which play happily with human beings, are quite entertaining. There are huge spiders that snare birds and whose webs might throttle a man, and other spiders whose bite is said to be deadly to human beings.

Mr. John Essman, of Nebraska, and Mr. Glenn G. Bohannan, of Oklahoma, who have been harvesting in this vicinity, took a star, Monday morning, for Coquille. It is their purpose to enter Oregon State College this fall.

TURKEY PICNIC AT PILOT ROCK

Ukia, represented by the Canas Prairie Grange, has accepted Pilot Rock's invitation to attend the turkey growers' picnic scheduled for August 25th at the Pilot Rock park.

The people of Ukia, Albee, Heppner, Echo, Horniston, Starfield and Lone are being invited and it is hoped that there will be attendance from all these places.

Morning and afternoon programs of interest to growers and an afternoon program of entertainment are planned. A potluck lunch will be served at noon. Coffee and ice cream supplied by the business men of Pilot Rock will be dispensed.

The Pilot Rock Turkey growers association, the White Eagle Grange and the Pilot Rock Commercial association are cooperating in putting on the picnic.

Power of Prayer

Doctor Stricklegh, the new minister, was young and full of faith, hope and charity, but he did not always plan his speech with care.

One Sunday evening he said very earnestly to his congregation: "Let us pray that we may have an attendance of at least one hundred at our next young people's meeting. And remember that the prayer of faith is always answered."

Now, the next service did not bring out one hundred persons, or anywhere near that number, but the young minister looked cheerfully down upon the faithful few.

"Friends," he said briskly, "there aren't a hundred of us, but there are thirteen, and that's one or two more than I had counted on."—Los Angeles Times.

Masculine Preferred


If ever it was deemed a handicap to have been born a girl, that can no longer be the attitude of mind of any one who sees how wide open to women are all the doors of opportunity. It is a Portland (Maine) boy must still be of the opinion that he was in luck to have been born of the masculine gender. Recently in Sunday school the subject of regeneration was being discussed. When told that it meant to be born again, he made it clear that he was not in favor of it. When asked his reason, he said:

"How do I know that if I was to be born again I wouldn't be a girl?"

Reference Only to Age

The words "senior" and "junior" when used after names refer to age, not relationship. John Smith, Jr., may be the son of John Smith, Sr., or he may be the grandson, or he may not be related to him at all. Webster's International dictionary defines "senior" as "elderly; often used after a personal name to indicate the older of two bearing it." "Junior" means younger, and when used after a personal name indicates the younger of two bearing it. Such a form as "John Smith II" would refer only to persons in the same lineage.

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Church Directory

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
Sunday School at 10:00 A. M.
Prayer Meeting, Thur., 7:30 P. M.

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH
Rev. W. W. HEAD, Pastor
Services
11:00 A. M.; 6:45, P. M.
Prayer Meeting, Wed., 7:30

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Sunday School 10:00 A. M.
Prayer Meeting Thurs. Evening
Services
C. E.; 6:30; Preaching Service, at 7:30 P. M.

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C. E. SOCIETY
Pres. Thelma Forbes
V. Pres. John Condon
Sec. Mary Slocum
Treas. Elw. Keller
Next meeting, at Heppner Oregon.

Lodge Directory

IONE LODGE No. 129, A. F. & A. M.
Meets every first and third Wednesday of each month. W. M. Roy Stender, Secy., Elmer Griffith, Treas., A. A. McCabe.

Loest Chapter No. 119, O. E. Meets the second and fourth Tuesday of each month. W. M. Mrs. Martha Dick, Secy., Ruth Mason.

IONE LODGE No. 135, I. O. O. F.
Meets every Sunday evening. N. G. T. E. Peterson, V. G. E. C. Heliker, Secy., Lee Howell, Treas., E. J. Bristow.

BUNCH GRASS REBEKAH No. 9, I. O. O. F. Meets first and third Thursday of each month. N. G. Mrs. Della McCurdy, V. G. Gladys Lundel, Secy., Verda Ritchie, Treas., Etta Bristow.

JOHN J. RASKOB



John J. Raskob of Delaware and New York, who was elected chairman of the Democratic national committee and is directing the Smith-Robinson campaign. He was head of the financial committee of the General Motors corporation.

RADIO-MOVIE TEST PROVES SUCCESSFUL

Pittsburgh, Pa.—A radio utopia, when motion pictures will be sent through the air to homes in all parts of the world, was visioned by radio's most conspicuous leaders when "radio movies" were sent for the first time in history during a demonstration at the East Pittsburgh plant of the Westinghouse Electric & Manufacturing company.

Leaders in the radio world and newspaper men attended the demonstration and saw the movies sent through the air to a screen 30 feet from the transmitting apparatus.

While still in the laboratory stage, the process was described as successful and having great possibilities. It was pointed out by engineers that although the movies were sent only a short distance, the engineering principle is the same and they could be sent across the continent just as easily.

AMUNDSEN BELIEVED ALIVE

Krasin to Be Repaired and to Continue Search.

Stavanger, Norway.—The Russian ice-breaker Krasin arrived here to undergo repairs preparatory to resumption of the search for Roald Amundsen and the five men missing with him in the arctic.

Professor Samoilovitch, head of the expedition, declared his firm belief that the Amundsen party are all alive. He was almost equally optimistic about the six missing members of the crew of the dirigible Italia.

"If they are alive, we will find them," said Professor Samoilovitch. He said the search would be continued until the end of September. The efforts of the vessel are to be supplemented by scouting flights which will be made by Lieutenant Chukhnovsky.

Gene Tunney Engaged to Marry.

South Bristol, Me.—Gene Tunney, whose retirement as heavy-weight champion was announced recently, is to marry the granddaughter of one of the early Pittsburgh millionaires. His engagement to Miss Mary Josephine Lauder, one of the organizers of the Carnegie Steel company and a cousin of Andrew Carnegie, was announced by Mrs. George Lauder, Jr., his fiancée's mother.

Hickman Must Hang Oct. 19.

Los Angeles.—William E. Hickman was ordered hanged at San Quentin penitentiary on October 19 next for the slaying of Marian Parker. Judge Douglas Edmunds overruled nine defense objections before setting the second hanging date for the youthful kidnaper who slew the 12-year-old school girl here last December.

THE MARKETS

Portland

Wheat—Big Bend bluestem, hard white, \$1.25; soft white, western white \$1.12; hard winter, western red, \$1.03; northern spring, \$1.05.

Hay—Alfalfa \$16.50@17; valley timothy \$17.50@18; eastern Oregon timothy, \$21@21.50.

Butterfat—50c.

Eggs—Ranch, 25@30c.

Cattle—Steers, good, \$11.50@12.50.

Hogs—Medium to choice, \$10.50@12.25.

Lambs—Good to choice, \$10.75@12.25.

Seattle

Wheat—Soft white, western white, \$1.12; hard winter, western red, \$1.02; northern spring, \$1.04; bluestem, \$1.22.

Hay—Alfalfa, \$24; timothy \$30; P. S., \$24.

Butterfat—64c.

Eggs—Ranch, 24@32c.

Cattle—Prime steers, \$11.75@12.50.

Hogs—Prime, \$13.50@13.60.

Lambs—Choice, \$11.25@12.25.

Spokane

Hogs—Good, choice, \$12.85@13.00.

Cattle—Steers, good, \$11.00@11.50.

OREGON STATE NEWS OF GENERAL INTEREST

Principal Events of the Week Assembled for Information of Our Readers.

It was learned recently that the Johnson mill would open in Coquille this fall, after it has been closed for the past year.

The city of Amity has purchased a 1-ton Chevrolet chassis upon which will be mounted the fire fighting apparatus of the city.

The per capita cost of operating the high schools of Tillamook county has ranged from \$75.11 at Cloverdale to \$142.33 at Wheeler.

The Jutstrom Fish company of Coos Bay shipped the first full carload of Salmon to leave Oregon this year. The car is going to Chicago.

The Dalles office of the U. S. department of agriculture's farm labor bureau placed 344 workmen on jobs during the month of July.

Jacob Demaris, pioneer of Milton, and a veteran of the civil war, died following a ten-day illness. Mr. Demaris was 85 years of age.

Ashland is making plans for the 36th annual grand reunion of soldiers of southern Oregon, to be held in Lithia park, August 29, 30 and 31.

Erixon & Engstrom, Salem contractors, have received the contract for constructing the North High street bridge. Their bid was \$27,075.

Work of laying a two-inch surface of bituminous macadam on the state highway between Coquille and Myrtle Point was started early this week.

The plant of the Lakeview Examiner at Lakeview was swept by fire last week. Guy Cronemiller, the editor and publisher, was on a vacation trip.

A yield of 1180 bushels of fall-sown wheat of the Holland variety was produced this year on a 20-acre field on the Winnie McDougal farm near Dayton.

Tillamook county's warrant indebtedness on August 1, according to the monthly report of Miss Kathleen Mills, county treasurer, amounted to \$121,405.53.

The picking of the largest crop of huckleberries ever known in the district is in progress at Swin, on the Mt. Hood loop highway, according to report.

Al Fausette, daredevil, who made the 184-foot drop over Silver Creek falls several weeks ago, announced that he intends to repeat the stunt on August 19.

Alvin Wilson, 57, was killed last week 10 miles north of Pendleton on the Holdman road when the truck he was driving plunged from the grade and overturned.

Burns caused by an explosion of gasoline poured into a stove were fatal to Mrs. Clara Baumgartner. She died at her home on the Kitchis river near Tillamook.

The Oak Grove apple packing house of Charles Savo burned Sunday, the fire destroying made-up apple boxes, which Savo had just completed for the coming harvest.

Activity at the plant of the Black Marble & Lime company at Enterprise has been resumed and the management hopes that at least one kiln will run continuously.

To take care for whatever overflow there is from the crowded junior high school building the Medford school board has rented the old First Methodist church building.

The Salem city council has asked for bids for the construction of a new bridge on South Liberty street at a cost of approximately \$85,000. The bids will be opened September 4.

The salmon movement has arrived off Coos bay and heavy catches are being marketed at North Bend, the major portion being silversides, but some chinooks are being taken.

The infant mortality rate in Oregon is lower than in any other state in the Union, according to a bulletin issued at Salem by Dr. William Dekleine of the Marion county health demonstration.

Arthur Smith, employed on a steam shovel working on the state highway near Cloverdale, was severely burned when a can of gasoline exploded. With his clothing aflame he ran and rolled in the grass nearby, stripped off his clothes and drove his automobile three-quarters of a mile to the nearest house to call a physician.

Salem's water supply will be increased approximately 2,500,000 gallons daily, according to announcement made by officials of the Oregon Washington Water Service company. A modern chlorination plant also will be installed.

Following a mass meeting attended by nearly all Gold Beach male residents, Game Warden Townsend has decided not to ask the state for a permit to kill the bull leader of the Hunters' head elk band. All the residents opposed the move.

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37.	Francis Griffin	2		200.00
38.	M. R. Ball	1	48.00	100 00
40.	F. L. Griffin	4		400.00
46.	Matt Halvorsen	10		500.00
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