

SPECK TELLS OF LARGE FRUIT CROP

(Oregonian)
C. M. Speck, a large fruitgrower of Rogue River valley, who is at the Cornelius hotel, says that the outlook for a large fruit crop in the vicinity of Medford has never been better. Mr. Speck went to Medford from Spokane two years ago and purchased what was known as the Burrell orchard of 600 acres, which he sold later for from \$1000 to \$2000 an acre.

"The Burrell orchard will ship over 100 carloads of fruit this year," said Mr. Speck. "It contains the finest grove of Yellow Newtown Pippins in the world. But, of course, there are many fine fruit ranches in that locality.

"The Palmer farms, known as the Modge orchards, which contain 1500 acres, and the Palmer orchard of 110 acres adjoining the city limits of Medford, which produces its first commercial crop this year, are among the finest. The prominence of the Chicago family has added to the prominence of the farms.

"Medford is the home of many retired millionaires who are living on ranches and producing fruit for diversion, which in return is of high marketable value.

"Some powder firms have been experimenting in connection with the state in shooting through the harpoon which exists in some localities. The result has proven satisfactory, as subsoil has been reached, and at the same time leaving broken soil for better irrigation and for tender roots to take hold of. This experiment, unfortunately, has caused considerable talk among people who did not understand its reason or the result; they got the opinion that the soil around the Rogue river was so hard that it had to be dynamited to be used."

BOOSEY AGAIN IN TROUBLE WITH COURT

Asserting that W. J. Boosey has built three fences across the lane leading to his home near Central Point, and made a hog wallow, wheat field, garden patch and barnyard out of the same, despite the injunctions of the circuit court sustained by the supreme court of Oregon, C. C. Sanderson Tuesday asked the protection of the court. A warrant was issued for Boosey citing him to appear to answer to a charge of contempt of court, adding another chapter to a case that has been hanging fire in Jackson county for a dozen years.

The action of Tuesday is the result of a long-standing controversy as to the first rights to a lane known as the west foothill lane, and Sanderson alleges that the defendant has done everything in his power to ignore the orders of the court forbidding him from hindering traffic along the road. Sanderson and his father purchased the home place from a man by the name of Clark, and they claim their present legal trouble is a legacy left by the former. The circuit court has enjoined Boosey several times from blocking the road, but the injunctions have had little effect, though sandwiched with jail sentences.

Supporters of the Boosey side of the argument say that as fast as the fences have been built the Sanderson's have torn them down. Last summer Judge Nell instructed the Sanderson's to build a wire fence on their side of the land. The legal aspects of the case have been threshed out several times in the courts, without much prospect of any immediate clearing of the atmosphere.

CENTRAL POINT ITEMS.

John R. Clark of Butte Falls, spent Monday evening with relatives here and left for Halsey Tuesday morning.
D. W. Stone of Sacramento spent Monday night here with his father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Stone.
J. S. March spent Tuesday in Grants Pass.

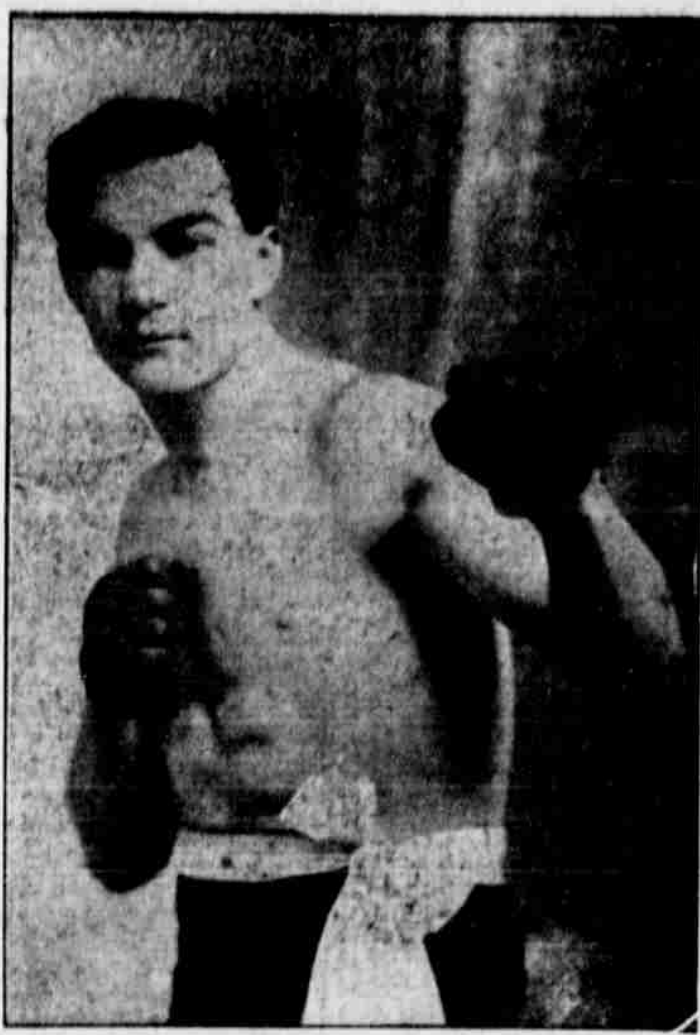
Mr. and Mrs. Nikolaus, father and mother of Mrs. J. V. Anderson have arrived from the east and will probably locate here.

Miss Edith Stone is spending this week with Mrs. Fred Sifers at Tolo.
J. Janson of the Jacobson-Bade Co. of Jacksonville, made a business trip here Tuesday afternoon.

Rex Lammann of the Gold Hill News spent a few hours here Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. J. H. Kincaid, Mrs. C. B. Rosted, Mrs. Conper, Miss Parks, Mrs. M. Peninger and son, Mrs. Lindsay, Florence Moore, Shipley Ross, H. F. Caton, Floyd Ross, Mr. Bertey, Merrill Kindle were among the Central Point people that spent Tuesday in Medford.
Medford Printing company carry a full line of legal blanks.

ANDERSON-M'FARLAND GO NEXT TUESDAY



Bud Anderson, the latest find in the lightweight division, who some day may wear the crown. He boxes Tommy McFarland ten rounds next Tuesday night before the Medford Athletic club.

HIGH SCHOOL TO GIVE ENTERTAINMENT

The pupils of the Roosevelt school have arranged for a splendid May festival entertainment to be given at the Medford high school on Thursday evening, May 2, and a matinee at the same place on Saturday afternoon. An admission fee of 25 cents will be charged for adults and 15 cents for children. Following is the program:
May song School
Recitation Grace Brainerd
Recitation Thora Eastman
Recitation Reginald Daddysman
Recitation Kathryn Ulrich
Duet—Japanese Song Grace Brainerd and Hese Schmeck-toch.
Singing Song Eight girls
Flag Song 1st, 2d and 3d grades
The May Queen—
Queen Helen Pierce
Ladies in waiting
Thora Eastman, Lorene Hamers-Tallien Isenhart, Delilah Stevens
Vera Dean May Lindley
Alice Lyons Bruce Putnam
Louise Adkins Kathrine Conser
Lela Rosebury Ella Barker
Herald Theodore Leonard
Bees Twelve boys
Birds Eight boys
Clovers Twelve girls
Daisies Twelve girls
Butterflies Five boys
A Boy's Bad Dream.
Boy Lloyd Lovelace
Mother Ella Barker
Fairy God-Mother Isabel Smart
Fairy Queen Mary Alice Foster
Fairy Bernice Lyning
Fairy Ethel Rummel
Fairy Pauline Johnson
Fairy Loveda Bullock
Fairy Dalton Meadows
Brownie Imp. Frederick Daddysman
Brownie Wilbur Newland
Brownie Gordon Kershaw
Brownie Millard Smith
Miss Muffet Nellie McCroight
Jack Horner Carol King
Boy Blue Carl Van Hardeburg
Mistress Mary Mattie Stevens
Ho-Peep Mabel Snyder
Sheep Adolph Wattenburg
Sheep Kenneth Wattenburg
Sheep Neel Newland
Jack Sprat Edward Kelly
Mrs. Sprat Constance Vance
Jack-Be-Nimble, Lawrence Eisenhart
Simple Simon John Wattenburg
Jack Arletta Pierce
Jill Bernice Robinson
Mother Hubbard Frances Imhois
Her Dog Carol King
Baby Billie Berriam
Baby Arletta Bullock
Baby Ella Esteman

ENGINEERS AND MAGNATES SETTLE

NEW YORK, May 1.—Before leaving New York for their homes today, representatives of the locomotive engineers of the fifty railroads east of Chicago expressed satisfaction over the agreement signed last night by them and representatives of the railroads which averted the threatened strike of engineers.

Patrik Morrissey of Chicago, formerly head of the Brotherhood of Railway Trainmen, was selected as the engineers' representative on the arbitration board which will attempt to adjust all wages and differences existing between the men and the railroads.

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GOOD ROADS MEN PARADE PORTLAND

PORTLAND, May 1.—Headed by Governor West, Mayor Haight and other city officials and good roads enthusiasts paraded through Portland's streets today.

Today marks the celebration of the initiation of six good roads bills.

The bills provide for extensive improvements on roads throughout the state.

WITH TEDDY AS BOSS CONVENTION MEETS

HARRISBURG, Pa., May 1.—With the Roosevelt delegates in control, the Pennsylvania republican state convention met here today. William Flynn of Pittsburg probably will be the national committeeman chosen.

The faction led by Senator Penrose will not attempt to defeat the election of 12 Roosevelt delegates at large.

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Silas Holcomb, Hetty's father..... Paul Robinson
Liza Ann Tucker, "The Borrower"..... Ruth Hutchins
Azariah Keep, Sweet on Alvira..... Glenn Conwell
Perry Deane, a country boy in love with Hetty..... Herman Purucker
HAROLD RUTLEDGE, Hetty's city admirer, later her husband..... HORACE BROMLEY
Mrs. Rutledge, Harold's mother..... Ethelwyn Brown
Isabelle Carney, friend of Mrs. R..... Dot Berry
David Hildreth, prominent New York Attorney and Isabelle's uncle..... Cole Holmes
Jennings, the Rutledge's butler..... Glenn Conwell
Verbena, the Holcomb's hired girl..... Jessie Purdy

SYNOPSIS OF SCENES.
Act One—Door Yard of Valley Farm in August.
Time—Just before Supper.
Act Two—Room in the Rutledge Mansion, New York City.
Time—About four p. m.
Act Three—Same as Act Two and immediately following.
Act Four—Parlor Silas Holcomb's House, Valley Farm.
Time—About eight p. m.

PROGRESSIVE AGGRESSIVE

Take It Away

There comes a breath of spring time,
But it is so awful wet,
So while you are lamenting,
And for fear that you forget,
While the neighbor's cat is singing,
And the dogs stir up a fuss,
If you want "Best Work" for a whole lot less,
Don't fail to come to US.

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