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HORNER HARD BOY TO BEAT

Jim Horner who is matched to box Frankie Smith the ten round main event before the Medford Athletic Club Labor Day September 2nd, is said to be a very promising lightweight and has yet to suffer his first knock down in the roped arena.

Either Horner or Smith matched with Bud Anderson would make a bout well worth seeing and manager Edwards states that the winner of the Horner-Smith contest will be given an opportunity to meet Bud Anderson in the near future.

YOUNG STRAIGHTENS FINANCIAL AFFAIRS

Dick Young brought back Monday afternoon from Portland by Constable Singler charged with frenzied finance in this city, was able to get straight his affairs as to leave Medford a free man on the next train north.

Through friends in this city and the services of M. Purdin, attorney, Young straightened the different financial entanglements which led to his arrest. The charge against him was dropped when he paid court costs.

MILK CAUSE OF SPINAL MENINGITIS

VANCOUVER, B. C., Aug. 27.—"Owing to the shocking state of affairs in this city, unique perhaps on the continent inasmuch as there are no regulations governing the sale of milk for consumption, one of my patients is dying from spinal meningitis, contracted from bad milk," said Dr. A. A. Wilson last night.

The case to which the Dr. refers is that of Miss Elsie Stainforth, a girl of sixteen years at 1938 Third avenue West, who at a late hour last night was not expected to survive.

About four days ago, Miss Stainforth partook of some fresh milk purchased at the dairy and shortly after consumption of the milk, symptoms of poison were apparent, and Dr. Wilson was called to attend the girl. He diagnosed the case to be that of spinal meningitis, and attributed it to the consumption of milk containing poisonous germs.

PHOENIX LUMBER YARD PURCHASED BY BIG PINES

The Western Lumber and Supply company having yards at Phoenix sold their holdings last week to the Big Pines Lumber company of this city, consideration not named. Possession will be taken as soon as an invoice of the stock can be taken. A resident manager will be placed on the ground by the Big Pines people, and improvements made. The Big Pines company has holdings in timber, mills, and yards throughout southern Oregon and northern California, and the Phoenix purchase is in line with their announced policy when they purchased the Medford plant the first of the year.

HARLAN'S SON FOLLOWS TEDDY IN NEW ENGLAND

NEW YORK, Aug. 27.—John Maynard Harlan, son of the late Supreme Court Justice Harlan and an ardent republican, will follow Colonel Roosevelt into New England for the purpose of answering the progressive candidate's arguments, according to announcement made here today at republican headquarters.

ASHLAND PEACHES ARE GOING FORWARD

PORTLAND, Aug. 27.—Peach shipments in carload lots from the banner peach section of the United States began last week, two full cars, besides a number of consignments in quantities varying from a few boxes to several hundred, being sent to the Portland market. The fruit is finding a ready sale, while that from other sections stands on the sidetracks and goes begging for a lesser price. The season's output has been sold at a standing rate of 40 and 45 cents for everything of a size of 90 and larger. All under 90 are consigned.

Growers in this vicinity are generally pleased with the figures secured through the association. It is reported here on the best of authority that peaches from the Wenatchee and Yakima districts are standing on the tracks in Portland, finding a difficult market at 30 and 35 cents. Peaches from The Dalles are expected on the market this week and the prospect is that Front street in Portland will be so flooded with the fruit that consigned peaches will go begging. That the Ashland crop has been sold at so advantageous a figure, in the light of existing conditions, is a matter of congratulation for the Ashland growers. The deal is made possible by the high standard of quality and pack that characterizes the output of the Ashland association, due to the untiring and efficient services of Manager Linniger.

Mr. Linniger reports that the demand for Ashland peaches is brisk. Almost the entire output of the association goes through the hands of a single firm in Portland. The result of this arrangement is that the price of the fruit is held up at the Portland end so long as the standard of quality is held up at Ashland. A car a day will be rushed to the Portland market this week. British Columbia points have made requisition upon the local association for carload lots but will be unable to get them on account of the contract sale already recorded.

GRANTS PASS SMELLS ITS OWN SEWAGE

GRANTS PASS, Aug. 27.—Conditions along the river front have become so offensive that those residents who reside within smelling distance will be required to take drastic measures as a matter of self-protection if the authorities do not come to their assistance at once. The thousands of dead and decaying salmon that line the banks, and that pile up on the old dam have created a stench that is unbearable, while sewage emptied from the 5th and 7th street sewers adds to the smell and menaces health in all parts of the city.

Drs. Loughbridge and Truax, have reported at the request of a committee of citizens as follows upon the situation: "We find that hundreds of dead salmon, floating down the river, are caught in the bushes and drift along the river banks, or lodge on the old dam, making a stench that is unbearable to residents, the putrifying flesh filling the air with disease-breeding germs that may produce an epidemic of sickness in any part of the city.

"The sewage from the Fifth and Seventh street sewers is discharged within a few feet of the banks of the river, and but a few inches below the surface. At the points of discharge there is little current, and the sewage is thrown into the dead water to add to the foulness of the stench and the menace of health. "As a remedy for the condition, we recommend that the sewer outlets be extended further into the stream, where the current will carry the sewage down the river, and that the discharge be deeper under the water. We also recommend that a gateway be built through the dam, at least twenty-five feet wide, to create a current and carry sewage, dead fish, and other offensive material down the river."

SOUTH CAROLINA ELECTS STATE TICKET TODAY

CHARLESTON, S. C., Aug. 27.—After one of the bitterest campaigns in the history of South Carolina, a state ticket is being elected today with Governor Cole Bleese opposing Ira Jones for governor. Each claims victory by 15,000 majority and the result will be in doubt until late tonight.

The re-election of United States Senator Ben Tillman is practically conceded.

JOHNSON OFF TO STUMP THE EAST

LOS ANGELES, Cal., Aug. 27.—Governor Johnson is speeding toward Salt Lake City today after brief attention to the progressive party political fences in Southern California. Following his speech here last night to 6,000 persons, the governor enroute for the Mormon capital, which was scheduled to be his first stop on his journey to New York to engage the opposition forces in a forensic struggle for victory in the November presidential campaign.

Johnson's speech here contained an eulogy, a denunciation of the republican convention at Chicago and an elaboration of the principles expounded in the progressive party platform. He declared President Taft, in his effort for re-election, to be a negligible quantity, and that there are but two presidential possibilities—Roosevelt and Wilson.

"You must not believe," the governor said, "that the progressive party expects to embark on a tariff course that will be ruinous. What we want is a covenant for protection that will equalize conditions of competition between America, and for foreign countries for farmer and manufacturer."

Johnson referred but once to the petitions for his recall that have been placed in circulation. He said: "If I am not recalled in November I shall, during the next legislature, make efforts for a law that will give convicts in our penitentiaries a small regular wage."

This statement was contained in an outline of suggested reforms in California. Johnson was given a noisy greeting by his audience. Red bandana handkerchiefs were much in evidence.

USING SUNLIGHT TO IRRIGATE THE NILE

CAIRO, Egypt, Aug. 27.—The British and Egyptian authorities have had to go to Uncle Sam for help in the work of irrigating the Nile valley. According to the report of the British consul at Alexandria, the Shuman sun heat absorber has just been imported from Philadelphia, and the plant, which has been successfully tested, is being erected at Meadi, near this city. It will be used to pump water from the Nile to irrigate the surrounding land and should it prove satisfactory other plants will be erected throughout Egypt and the Sudan. Coal and other fuels are very expensive in Egypt, but there is no charge for the sunshine, of which there is plenty, so the experiments with this practical sun power plant are being followed with the keenest interest by agriculturalists.

PERKINS NOT NOW WITH J. P. MORGAN

A. K. Ware has received the following telegram from George W. Perkins: New York, Aug. 27, 1912. Medford, Ore.

Referring yours 20th I entirely severed my connections with J. P. Morgan and Co. a year ago last January, since which date have had no financial or business connection with that house. You are authorized to make this statement as public as you see fit.

BECKER TRIAL STAYED UNTIL SEPTEMBER 4

NEW YORK, Aug. 27.—When Police Lieutenant Becker was arraigned here today for alleged complicity in the murder of Gambler Herman Rosenthal, his attorney served on the court an order from Supreme Court Judge Amend staying the proceedings until September 4. Judge Mulqueen accepted the order and remanded Becker to the Tombs.

GATES SELLS MAIN STREET LOTS TO THOMAS SCANTLIN

Harry E. Gates sold to Mr. Thomas Scantlin lots 1, 2 and 3 in block 1, and lots 3 and W 1/2 of lot 2 in block 2, all in Roanoke addition. These lots are located on West Main street near Rose avenue and are very desirable building sites.

HEALTH OF PUPILS NEEDS ATTENTION

WASHINGTON, Aug. 27.—Urging the necessity for better methods of conserving the health of the 20,000,000 school children in the United States, the federal Bureau of Education calls attention, in a circular just issued, to the fact that 75 per cent "need attention today for physical defects which are prejudicial to health and which are partially or completely remediable."

Pointing out the ailments that the children suffer, the circular states that 400,000 have organic heart disease, 1,000,000 at least have now or had tubercular affection of the lungs, another million have spinal curvature, flat foot or some other deformity serious enough to interfere with their health. A million have defective hearing, five million have defective vision and an equal number are afflicted with some form of malnutrition. Thirty per cent, or over 6,000,000 have enlarged tonsils and over 50 per cent, or 10,000,000, have defective teeth which are interfering with health. Several million of the children possess each or two or more of the foregoing named defects.

"To become an effective instrument for the protection and promotion of child health," the circular says, "it is essential that the school should not only be a sanitary, healthful place for children, but that the various agencies in the public education should be so organized that each child may be given the best possible opportunity to escape weakness and disease."

TAFT TAKES MOTOR TO ELUDE CROWD

BEVERLY, Mass., Aug. 27.—While a large crowd gathered around the station here awaiting the arrival of President Taft today the chief executive quietly motored into town from Boston and eluded the throng. The train arrived with the president's private car attached.

President Taft went to the Myopia links, where he played golf with his brother-in-law, W. C. Herron, and then spent the afternoon automobiling with Mrs. Taft.

C. E. HOOVER IN CHARGE OF NURSERY BUSINESS

C. E. Hoover has taken over the active management of the nursery business of L. E. Hoover and Son, owing to the recent death of his father. All outstanding accounts will be collected by him and the business will be conducted under his management. Mr. Hoover announces that he has 100,000 trees from Yakima, Washington and 125,000 from Milwaukee, Oregon. The supervision of this stock will be under county Pathologist P. J. O'Gara and all the stock will be guaranteed by the company.

NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned will apply to the city council at its meeting to be held September 3, 1912, for a license to sell malt, spirituous and vinous liquors in quantities less than a gallon at its place of business at No. 31 S. Front street, city of Medford for a period of six months.

B. S. REDCLIFF. Dated Aug. 20, 1912. 137

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School Year Opens September 20th

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Notice to Delinquent Taxpayers
Parties remitting amounts for property advertised please add 40 cents per line advertising, 10 per cent penalty and 1 per cent for each month delinquent from April 1st.
W. A. JONES, Sheriff.

Delinquent Tax List, 1911

This advertised list of delinquent taxes for the year 1911 is in pursuance of an act of the State Legislature, which is embodied in Chapter 275 of the GENERAL LAWS OF THE 1911 SESSION.
The taxes on the following advertised real property became delinquent on April 1, 1912, and are subject to a penalty of 10 per cent and interest at the rate of 12 per cent per annum until they shall have been paid.
Any party after the expiration of six months after the taxes charged against the following real property are delinquent for sheriff's sale authorized upon demand of any persons making application to issue to them a certificate of delinquency upon payment of the taxes, penalty, interest and cost of advertising.
Certificates of delinquency shall bear interest from the date of issuance until redeemed at the rate of 15 per cent per annum.

Table listing delinquent tax amounts for various properties in Ashland, including names like Gillette, Martha L., and amounts ranging from \$20.25 to \$7.70.