

HEAVIEST SNOW FALL OF SEASON BLANKETS VALLEY

From 5 to 7 inches of snow fell in the Rogue River valley Tuesday night. The snow storm was accompanied by a high wind and a temperature of 28 degrees above zero. The wind, which started in at sundown Tuesday blew the snow off the trees as fast as it fell and thus obviates any danger of breaking limbs in the orchards.

The temperature rose gradually all day Wednesday and predictions point to warmer weather although no sudden change is looked for. As the snow when melted will reduce to about one-sixth of its volume it is not believed there is any danger of flood waters in Bear creek.

From the Oregon line to below Chico, dispatches say, California is covered with a mantle of snow. At Dunsmuir it is one and a half feet deep and at Redding it is ten inches. Sacramento saw its first snow in a long time Wednesday morning but the flakes melted within an hour and the small boys were disappointed.

In Medford several home-made sleighs were out and if the snow holds out until evening there will be a number of sleighing parties arranged. The work on the Bear creek bridge was slightly delayed, it being the intention to start pouring concrete at the east end Wednesday morning. Before any work could be done a force of men had to shovel and sweep the snow from the entire structure.

FINAL ARGUMENTS ARCHBALD TRIAL

WASHINGTON, Jan. 8.—Arguments for the prosecution in the senate impeachment trial of Judge Robert W. Archbald of the commerce court, charged with misconduct in office were begun at 1 o'clock this afternoon. Representatives of Clayton of Alabama and Sterling of Illinois presented the arguments on behalf of the house prosecutors. They were limited to seven and a half hours.

For the defense, Attorneys Worthington, Martin and Simpson will speak. It is not yet known when the vote on the question of impeaching Judge Archbald, will be taken.

BOOZE CAGE BARRED FROM SEALS' GROUNDS

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 8.—"The booze cage," the most objectionable thing remaining in baseball will be missing from the San Francisco grounds next season, the management of the Seals having heeded the popular cry for its elimination. If any liquor is sold on the grounds it will be from a bar far removed from the diamond and there will be no peddling of beer and whiskey in grandstand or bleachers. The Oakland grounds also will be without liquor and if the transbay patrons want a drink they will have to go outside the grounds.

WOLGAST COMING TO MEDFORD TO BUY A RANCH

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., Jan. 8.—With the announced intention of buying about \$50,000 worth of Oregon ranch property, Ad Wolgast, lightweight champion and his manager, T. Jones, are scheduled to leave San Francisco for the north tonight. Jones said the first stop would be at Medford and that they also would visit McMinnville, Albany and Lebanon, Ore. He said their stay in Oregon might be anywhere from a few days to two weeks, after which Jones will go to Chicago and Wolgast to Cadillac, Mich.

When asked regarding the report from Los Angeles last week that he had retired as a twenty-round fighter, Wolgast said:

"Retired? Not if I can get any one of three men—Ritchie, Mandot or Rivers—or as long as any promoter wants to pay me \$10,000 for a match with any lightweight in the country."

"Nothing in it," said Jones, "Ad is liable to say anything when he is talking."

While in Chicago, it is probable that Jones may become manager of Jess Willard, the Texas heavyweight, who claims a decision over Luther McCarthy. Jones admitted that he and Wolgast together lost about \$16,000 when McCarthy beat Al Palzer New Year's Day.

Mail Tribune's classified ads bring results.

COUNTY CLERKS GET NATURALIZATION FEES

SALEM, Ore., Jan. 8.—The state supreme court has affirmed the decision of the lower court in issuing a writ of mandamus to compel the officials of Multnomah county to pay County Clerk Frank S. Fields his salary for July and August, 1911. This salary was held up by County Judge Cleeton and Commissioners Hart and Lightner, on the ground that Fields had refused to turn over to the county the money collected by him for naturalization fees.

In an opinion written by Judge Bean, the supreme court holds that the county is not entitled to these fees. It holds that under the act of congress, approved June 29, 1906, the county clerk is entitled to naturalization fees up to the amount of \$2000 annually, and any fees collected in excess of that amount must be turned over to the bureau of immigration.

"In the event that the state courts exercised the jurisdiction conferred by the federal statutes, the duties of the clerk pertaining to naturalization matters are in addition to those imposed by the state for which the salary is provided," says the opinion. "In naturalization proceedings the clerk acts as the agent of the United States."

SOUTH DAKOTA TO ELECT UNITED STATES SENATOR

PIERRE, S. D., Jan. 8.—With numerous senatorial booms and deadlocks expected, the state legislature opened here today. Dean Sterling was endorsed for senator in the primaries.

MINOR STOCKS SHOW STRENGTH ON MARKET

NEW YORK, Jan. 8.—With few changes from yesterday's close in prices, the tone of the market was indefinite at the opening here today. Strength was developed by a number of minor stocks. Denver and Rio Grande rose 2 3/8, rubber 1 1/4 and Petroleum issues about a point each. A decline of a point was suffered by Western Maryland preferred. The market closed dull. Bonds were steady.

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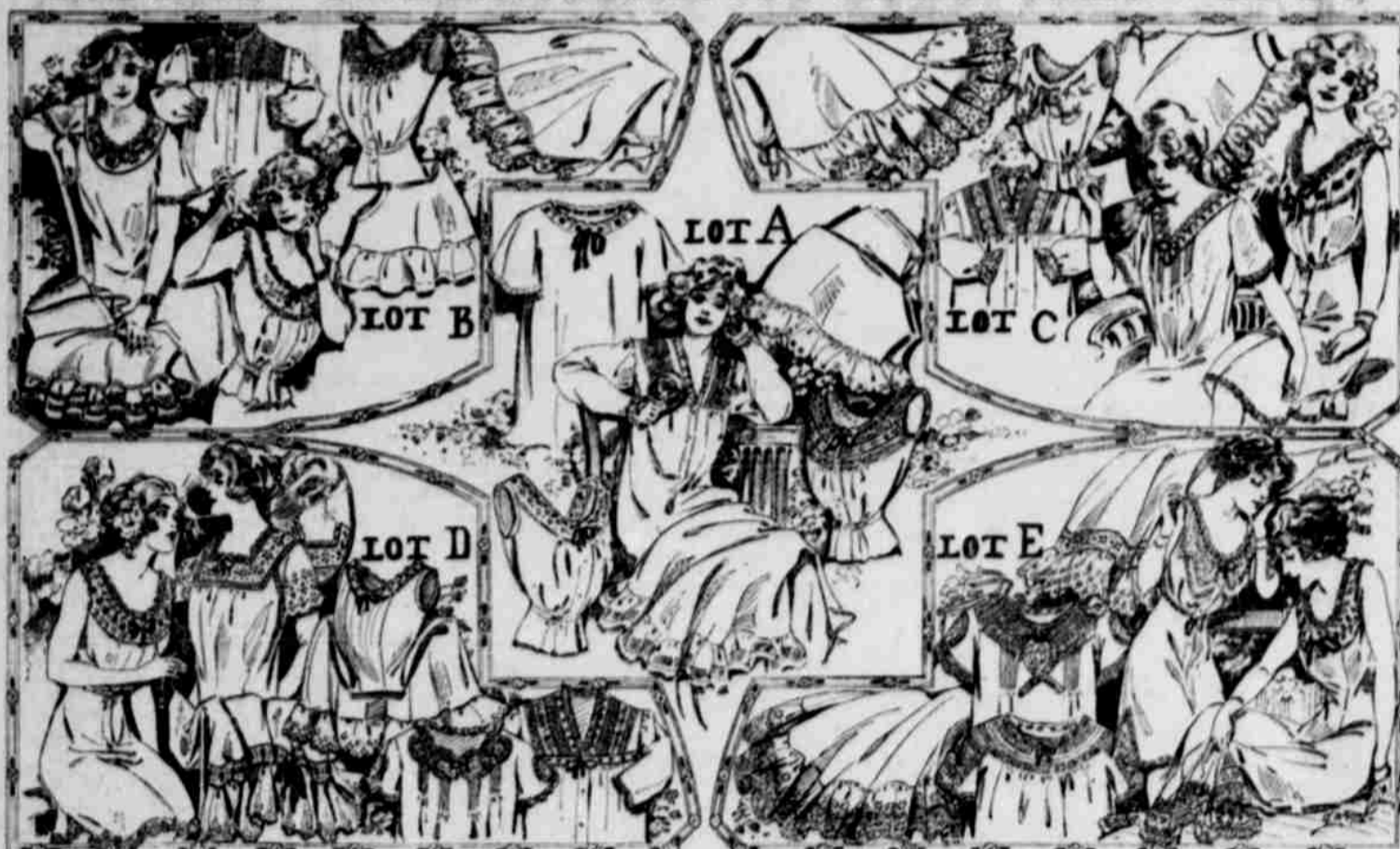
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