

### STRAWBERRIES DROP IN PORTLAND MARKET, EGG LAW OPERATES

PORTLAND, Ore., May 26.—Excess supplies of strawberries in the Portland market caused prices to break this morning. Shipping demand has dropped and demands for home canning have not yet appeared. Yesterday's top price was around \$2 a case.

Today's prices range from \$1.75 for Marshalls to \$2.25 for Improved Oregon. Some fancy stock is going at \$2.75 a case.

Stronger demand for berries is expected by the end of this week.

May 26 is the effective date of the new law of the Oregon legislature requiring grading and marking of eggs offered for sale, according to J. D. Mickle, state dairy and food commissioner, who says the new law embodies the main features of the egg ruling which he promulgated last year.

Discussing the chief requirements of the new law, Commissioner Mickle says:

"Grading of all eggs into four classes is required, viz: Fresh standard, eggs weighing not less than one and five-sixths ounces; fresh medium eggs, and fresh eggs weighing not less than one and seven-twelfths ounces; fresh undersize eggs, any fresh egg weighing less than one and seven-twelfths ounces and under-grade eggs, which class includes all edible eggs not good enough to class as fresh.

The new law does not mention storage of processed eggs, but permits all eggs to go onto the market, according to their grade and merit.

### Son of Grizzly Bear and Police Dog Has Characteristics of Former



What is it, a beag or a grizmine? Zoologists are displaying interest in "Blackie," son of a California grizzly bear and a Belgian police dog. "Blackie" gets most of his characteristics from his grizzly mother. He is shown with his present owner, Pauline Garon, film actress.

### ROSEBURG C. OF C. TO GET BEND SECRETARY

BEND, Ore., May 26.—Lincoln Antles, who has been secretary of the Bend commercial club for four and a half years, has resigned to accept a similar position with the Roseburg chamber of commerce. Antles came to Bend from Denver and had previously been secretary of the commercial club at Grand Junction, Colo.

L. K. Cramb, recently of Klamath Falls, was last night appointed secretary of the Bend commercial club at a special meeting of the board of directors. He will take over the work here at once.

Antles was to have gone to Roseburg June 1, but because of a misunderstanding as to the date he had made plans for a brief vacation and business trip and may not be able to get to Roseburg before July first, but hopes to be there by June 15, he said this morning.



Last Saturday eight fortunate Scouts made a trip to the top of Little Roxy Ann to locate a suitable place to erect a flag pole high enough to be seen from town when it is decorated with a large National Flag, a pole was also located and will be raised in the near future.

May 28th is the date of the next Court of Honor, a large number of Scouts who have been waiting for this event, will apply for advancement to Second, First and Merit Badge ranks. This session will be held in the Federal court. Scouts who are to take advancement must notify headquarters at once.

It is expected that the Scout section of the Memorial Day parade will be a large one this year. All Troops will be in line in charge of their scoutmasters, the troop having the best and neatest appearance will be given the position of honor in this section.

The bird house contest closes Saturday, May 30th. Entries will be received all this week. Six of the most useful and artistic will be chosen to hang in headquarters, others will be sold to people wishing to use them to attract birds to their gardens. A number of people have spoken for bird houses and the scouts are hoping to be able to fill all orders.

Troop 5, A. U. Grubb, scoutmaster, had a very interesting meeting last Friday night, a number of boys expecting to receive Tenderfoot rank tried hard to pass their tests, but will have to try again as they were not quite ready, they will be initiated as soon as they can qualify.

Headquarters had inquirers from Gold Hill and Grants Pass this week. In regard to registering troops in those towns, it is stated that troops are already formed and will apply for charter under the Crater Lake council.

In the afternoon on Saturday, Memorial Day, Scouts will go on a trip, the destination of which is a mystery, all who go will take one meal and be prepared to return home about nine o'clock.

### Queen Mary Celebrates Her 58th Birthday

LONDON, May 25.—(By Associated Press.) Queen Mary today quietly celebrated her 58th birthday. She received countless congratulations including messages from the Prince of Wales who is now in South Africa and Prince George, who is on his way to join the British squadron in Chinese waters.

French Royalist Murdered PARIS, May 25.—M. Berger, treasurer of the French royalist league of action, was today shot through the head, reportedly fatally, in a subway station by an unidentified assailant who escaped.

### MAE MURRAY GETS DIVORCE IN RECORD TIME IN GAY PAREE

PARIS, May 26.—(A. P.)—A divorce was granted today to Mae Murray, American motion picture actress, in almost record time, the grounds being desertion, cruelty and failure to provide.

The movie actress' husband, Robert Z. Leonard, opposed the divorce decree, contending that the action was groundless. Miss Murray set forth that the union had been unhappy almost from the beginning and that her husband had treated her with cruelty, disdain, contempt and had caused violent scenes on futile pretenses. Finally he excluded her from their home and had made no provision for her since the movie star maintained. She said she had tried in vain to bring about a reconciliation.

Secy. Weeks to Be Operated on BOSTON, May 26.—(By Associated Press.) Secretary of War John W. Weeks, who came to Boston last Saturday to consult physicians regarding gall bladder trouble from which he has been suffering, will undergo an operation at Phillips house, Massachusetts General hospital next Thursday, it was announced today.

France to Maintain Vatican Post. PARIS, May 26.—(A. P.)—An agreement was reached today by the government and the opposition in the senate whereby the French embassy at the Vatican will be maintained.

### THOMPSON'S SHORTAGE PAID BACK TO STATE

SALEM, Ore., May 26.—The Fidelity and Deposit company and the American Surety company have paid the state treasury money to cover the shortage caused by the default of Clarence W. Thompson, former state cashier, who is now serving nine years in the state penitentiary. Thompson's default covered about \$5,000, of which he himself paid back about \$1000.

### U. S. Navy Needs More Light Scout Cruisers

ABOARD U. S. S. SEATTLE AT SEA ON A SORTIE, May 26.—(By Associated Press.) The United States needs additional scout cruisers of not more than ten thousand deadweight tonnage each. The Washington agreement placed no limit regarding the number of this type of vessel, the need of which was shown in the recent two day "war" between the white and green detachments of the grand fleet, in the opinion of observers expressed in an informal discussion aboard the U. S. S. Seattle.

Favor Revision R. R. Rates. WASHINGTON, May 26.—(A. P.)—Extensive revision of freight rates on grain and grain products moving from Rocky mountain territory to the Mississippi river and territory east was recommended to the interstate commerce commission today by its investigators.

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