

### CATTLEMEN WANT BUREAU SHORN OF GRAZING POWERS

SALT LAKE CITY, Aug. 26.—(A. P.)—Stockmen of eleven western states attending the American National Livestock association conference here last night adjourned their two-day session and prepared to present to the senate sub-committee on public lands which opens its initial western hearing here today, the points they want enacted into law covering the use of government-controlled forests by them.

Recommendations were passed asking that the forestry bureau shall be shorn of its power of granting grazing leases and a resolution asking congress to pass a law legalizing livestock grazing upon national forests was adopted.

The points recommended for grazing on the national forests are: That by law there be recognition, definition and protection of rights to grazing upon national forest ranges upon an area basis; that such rights shall be based upon established priority and preference at the time of enactment of the law; that such rights shall be transferable without penalty with provisions for ingress and egress from and to ranges, and subject to provisions necessary for the protection of the other resources of the national forests.

That the holders of such rights shall be responsible for wilful damage done to the forests; that the exercise of such right shall be such as will insure the beneficial use of grazing resources as considered from the standpoint of general business welfare and equitable protection to communities, to the small farmer, to the wild life and to recreational facilities; that no charge basis shall be made effective in such law which results in depreciating investment values in the privately owned dependent properties of the holders of such rights; and that provisions be made for returning whatever amounts are collected for grazing to the state.

The conference elected Frank J. Hagenbarth of Idaho, president of the National Wool Growers' association and Frank Bixby, Lone Beach, Cal., president of the American Livestock association, to appear as official representatives before the senatorial committee.

LONDON, Aug. 26.—Labor leaders are asking golf clubs to raise sheep in order to cut the cost of living.

### KLAN LEADER IN FAVOR OF RETURN TO MASKING PLAN

BUCKEYE LAKE, Ohio, Aug. 26.—(A. P.)—State and regional heads of the Ku Klux Klan meeting here in national council had before them today plans to obtain better cooperation of Protestant ministers in the religious work of the order.

Means of further strengthening of the women's branch of the Klan and the junior order also were to be decided. Representatives are present from virtually all the states, in addition to Dr. Herman W. Evans, imperial wizard.

H. K. Ramsay of Atlanta, in an address yesterday said a reversion to the original intent of the order to keep its membership secret is necessary. He denounced the practice of klansmen appearing in public with the visors of their hoods rolled up and said they should never make a public appearance unless they are masked.

### 7 ASSASSINS OF SIRDAR HANGED

CAIRO, Egypt, Aug. 26.—(A. P.)—The seven men principally concerned in the assassination of Sir Lee Stack, sirdar of the Egyptian army and governor general of the Sudan, have paid the extreme penalty for their act, which caused such a sensation last November, and which had such far-reaching political consequences.

They were sent to the scaffold yesterday and were hanged at 15 minute intervals, the hoisting of a black flag each time notifying the crowds outside the prison walls that the trap had fallen.

17 Babies Saved in Fire. CHICAGO, Aug. 26.—Seventeen babies, all under one month in age, were saved from suffocation yesterday when nurses carried them from a smoke filled nursery at the Presbyterian hospital. The smoke was from a fire in the hospital laboratory, resulting from an overheated culture incubator, which was put out with a minimum of damage.

Cook with gas.

### MAYOR HILAN IN LETTER TO SENATOR, SCORES AL SMITH

NEW YORK, Aug. 26.—(A. P.)—Politicians were amazed today by Mayor Hylan's attack on Governor Smith who is opposing the mayor for renomination.

The attack, contained in a letter to United States Royal S. Copeland, is generally considered as another indication that the mayor with the backing of W. R. Hearst, will run as an independent if defeated in the primaries September 15.

On the other hand republicans who say the democratic primary is a battle between Governor Smith and Mr. Hearst for the control of the New York delegation to the democratic national convention in 1928 saw a possible three-cornered fight, a chance to elect a republican mayor.

Mayor Hylan said it was time to "call a spade a spade," and an "underworld grafter an underworld grafter," but he mentioned no names in connection with these phrases. He linked the governor and Senator James W. Walker, his Tammany opponent for the democratic nomination, with the traction interests.

His defeat, he wrote, would mean a wide-open town and ten cent car fares. Both the mayor and Senator Walker gained adherents. Senator Copeland and former Governor William Sulzer came out for Mr. Hylan. State Senator Thomas J. Walsh of State Island endorsed Walker.

Three former governors promised to stump for Frank D. Waterman and the republican organization ticket. They were Charles Evans Hughes, Nathan Miller and Charles S. Whitman.

### BIG TIMBER HOLDER IN OREGON DIES IN EAST

KALAMAZOO, Mich., Aug. 26.—(A. P.)—Woodbury Ransom, 52, director in a score of Kalamazoo's leading industrial and building concerns, an extensive holder in timber projects in Oregon and Arkansas and reputed to be Kalamazoo's wealthiest man, died yesterday. He had been ill two years.

### With the Women of Today

A charming French girl, barely out of her teens, has just won what is to students the most coveted prize in the world of painting, the Prix de Rome. The winner is Mile. Odette Pauvert of Paris, 22 years old. She is the first woman painter to capture the prize for painting and in consequence she will be the first woman to work in the Villa Medici in Rome.



Mile. Odette Pauvert.

Mile. Pauvert found the subject of her painting on a vacation trip to Locroneau, in Brittany—the legend of St. Roman who saved himself from the attack of two furious dogs by praying to God. She says she tried to put great sensitivity in her portrayal of the aureoled saint standing in his boat, the village indicated behind him with a few simple lines.

This is not the first honor—although it is the greatest—that has come to this young artist who has been studying with such masters as Humbolt and Reemard in Paris for almost a decade. In 1923, she won the Roux prize and in the following year a medal at the Salon. With a large canvas called "L'Invocation a Notre-Dame-des-Plots" she carried off the Chevrevard prize this year. She speaks English fluently and has the reputation of being a good student with great application.

It is only 34 years ago that the superior council of public education listened to the pleas of Mme. Leon Berteaux and decided "that the state cannot refuse to women the artistic

instruction that it gives to men." But it was 14 years later that Mile. Roudenay was admitted to this study. The next year, 1906, Mile. Heuselmann was likewise admitted and in 1911 she was the first woman to win the Grand Prix de Rome for sculpture.

A woman in Wyoming sent in an application for a position as teacher in Butte Co., South Dakota. In part the application read: "I will introduce myself as an old fashioned old maid school teacher. I can ride horseback, am not afraid of rats, mice or rattlesnakes. Will be pleased to receive a position in the wildest part of your country. I do not smoke cigarettes, use profane language nor drink booze. Am so homely that the men stay clear away from me."

Mrs. Angeline L. Avery of Willimantic, Conn., 86, is the youngest of thirteen living real daughters of the American Revolution. The oldest is Mrs. Sarah Bradway of Eastford, Conn., who was 107 years old April 30.

Alma Reed, member of the Hartman Mediterranean deep sea expedition will go down 5000 feet in a special designed steel diving chamber.

### DOC LINNVILLE OFFERED POST AS ASSIST. DIRECTOR

PORTLAND, Ore., Aug. 26.—Dr. J. A. Linnville, federal prohibition director for Oregon, on his arrival today from Washington, D. C., announced that he had been offered the position of first assistant federal prohibition director for the new 20th district and the alternative of continuance in the service in Portland.

Linnville said definite announcement of the appointments from Washington would not be made before Thursday. A Seattle dispatch carried a prediction from a political writer close to United States Senator James, Washington, that Frederick A. Hazeltine, outgoing director, would become assistant director in charge of enforcement and that Linnville would become assistant in charge of permits.

Roy C. Lytle assumes the directorship of district No. 20, September 1, under a nation-wide reorganization by the treasury department. Reindeer Get Hoof and Mouth. STOCKHOLM, Aug. 26.—The Lapps' reindeer have been attacked by the hoof and mouth disease.

### KELLY FAILS TO FIND SHOTGUN IN SALEM WOODS

SALEM, Ore., Aug. 26.—Led by Ellsworth Kelly, one of the trio of convicts who escaped from the Oregon state prison here several days ago, killing two guards in their flight, two guards of the penitentiary accompanied by Sheriff O. D. Bower and Deputy District Attorney Lytle J. Pace searched for more than two hours yesterday in the wooded area ten miles east of Salem near the Willard school house in an effort to locate the gun supposedly hidden there with which it is believed Ernest Holman was shot. The search was unavailing.

The only fruits of the hunt were the finding of the silk used by Tom Murray in intimidating guards in the turkey's office when the three convicts went there to obtain guns and the finding of pieces of clothing at the spot where the convicts left

and tied Zina Zinn, taxi driver and C. I. Ivitt. The gun is wanted by the district attorney as valuable evidence which might establish who killed Guard Holman and if found, it is said will be damaging evidence against the innocence plea of Kelly, who has denied participating in the shooting affray.



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