

RALPH COWGILL CHALLENGES THE EDITOR OF VOTER

Declaring his views on the new fish bill, proposing to close Rogue river and other streams in the state to further peawer development so that game fishing in the state may not be destroyed, Ralph Cowgill, former state representative from this county, today issued a challenge for a joint debate with Mr. Young, assistant editor of the Voter in this city and at Grants Pass, on the merits of the measure.

The article in the Voter to which Mr. Cowgill objects and his challenge are printed below:

Logic of River-Closers. A former member of the state legislature, a civil engineer by profession and a resident of the Rogue River country, is enthusiastically supporting the four river-closing bills. His argument runs something like this:

Practically all of the waters of the Rogue river are already appropriated, either by power companies or by irrigation districts. At some seasons of the year the river beds of the Rogue and some of its tributaries, are almost dry due to diversion for power and agricultural purposes.

Consequently the approval of the bill that prohibits further diversion of Rogue river water for power or irrigation purposes, cannot harm the Rogue river country as that stream is already practically entirely appropriated. Therefore there will be no blighting effect if a bill that prohibits that which cannot be done anyway, is approved and becomes a law.

Now, what we would like to know is: If there is nothing to be gained by approval of the bill closing the Rogue to further development since that river is already almost entirely appropriated, why advocate a bill which, if it becomes a law, will be a dead letter since it will be non-operative?

If conditions on the Rogue are as bad as they are described by our informant, the sportsmen's remedy, if they are primarily interested in more fish rather than in less power and irrigation, would seem to be legislation that would help them improve present conditions and overcome destructive effects of present power developments.

To attempt to cure what one enthusiast says cannot be cured by the initiated Rogue river bill, isn't particularly logical procedure even for sportsmen.—Oregon Voter.

Medford, Ore., 9, 29, '28. Mr. C. C. Chapman, Editor Oregon Voter, Portland, Oregon.

Dear Mr. Chairman: The article entitled "Logic of River-Closers" in the Voter of September 29, is so illogical that I am very much surprised that you would allow it space in your ordinarily fair paper. Mr. Young used as much of our conversation as suited his purpose to ridicule the Rogue river bill. No such conversation could have been placed as even conceived by any square shooter upon the personal conversation that I had with Mr. Young.

Since the Voter has seen fit to publicly ridicule me by juggling parts of a private conversation, I hereby challenge Mr. Young to a debate (subject to the approval of the state game and fish commissions) on the Rogue River Closing bill at Medford and Grants Pass. The Jackson County Game Protective association to have charge of the arrangements and dates.

It will be interesting to have Mr. Young attempt to twist facts to suit his own purposes in a public debate. Will you kindly give this letter and challenge the same space in the Voter that was given "Logic of River Closers." Very truly yours, RALPH P. COWGILL.

WOODIE ARCHER HELPED OREGON

Woodie Archer, a former Medford high school football star, played regular end on the University of Oregon varsity team Saturday, when tiny Pacific was routed by a 45 to 6 score. Archer's outstanding feat of the afternoon was to block and recover a punt, that put his team in position to score. Archer is regarded as leading end material among a large field of contenders for the berth.

O. S. C. O. A. C. alumni of the city and valley have their interest centered in the game next Saturday with the University of Southern California at Los Angeles. Oregon plays Stanford. Defeat for either Oregon signal eliminates them as conference or coast champions.

Astoria—Peppermint harvest in this section under way.

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ASHLAND WILL START Y. M. C. A. DRIVE OCT. 22

ASHLAND, Oct. 1.—(Special.)—The Ashland Y. M. C. A. has chosen its president, J. P. Hooper, as chairman of the organization to raise \$4000 to cover the budget requirements for the work of the year from Sept. 1, 1928, to Aug. 31, 1929. The campaign for the raising of these funds will be undertaken during the four days of Oct. 22 to 25 with a full organization of captains and teams. The Y. M. C. A. has had a very successful year in its work and hopes to render a still larger service during the coming year.

William "Bully" Addison and wife, old time residents of Ashland spent some time Thursday visiting old friends here on the return trip from a visit to Los Angeles where they have been visiting their son Roy.

The Congregational church held a social on Friday evening which was "Normal Night" in many of the Ashland churches for the entertainment of normal students who had expressed a church preference and for their friends. Games and light refreshments were features of the evening's entertainment for the young people.

The Rebekah lodge observed its 75th anniversary with appropriate ceremonies Thursday evening in the Odd Fellows hall at Ashland. Miss Ethel Reid, noble grand of the Ashland lodge, was mistress of ceremonies. The splendid program consisted of a piano solo by Miss Maxine Forest, a reading by Miss Mary W. Young, a violin selection by Miss Floy Young, accompanied by Miss Marie Moon at the piano; a vocal solo, "My Rosary," by Miss Jenn Anderson accompanied by Mrs. Cora Van Fossen and a reading by Mrs. E. C. Payne. Two Ashland Campfire Girls entertained with several rustic dances.

At the Kiwanis club luncheon Friday noon Miss Ellen Waters, physical instructor in the high school, gave an interesting account of the girls' summer camp, their general activities and the purpose of the local Campfire Girls organization. Miss Regina Johnston of the Tidings office, delighted the club with two of her charming vocal solos. Wart Wright, chairman of the tree committee, reported on a plan for planting a row of new trees along the center of the Boulevard parking from the Ashland library to the Southern Oregon Normal school.

Mrs. Charlie Loomis plans to leave early in the coming week for San Francisco to join her daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Doris King. Mrs. Loomis and Mr. and Mrs. King will go to Los Angeles where they will spend the winter. Mrs. Loomis will also visit her sister, Mrs. Blaine Krum, at San Francisco and plans to see other former Ashland friends who are now living in southern California cities.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick England of Siskiyou and Mrs. C. M. Bomar of Ashland motored to the Oregon Caves and Crescent City on Tuesday.

Mrs. J. R. McCracken of Valley View was a business visitor in Ashland on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Dassenhill have purchased a new Studebaker sedan.

Mrs. F. B. Clark of Medford is visiting friends in Ashland for several days.

Phil Singleton, the Medford representative of the Zellerbach Paper Co., was in Ashland Friday.

George Coddling of Medford, Democratic candidate for the office of district attorney, spent part of Thursday and Friday in Ashland.

Carl J. Brommer, of the Southern Oregon Credit Bureau of Medford, made his usual Friday visit to Ashland this past week.

Ernest L. Scott, advertising man for the Medford News, was an Ashland visitor on Friday.

Mrs. Homer Grow, of Liberty street, was taken to a local hospital on Friday for the removal of an eye, the operation being made necessary by the formation of an abscess near the eye which forced the eyeball out of the socket and destroyed the sight.

C. C. Walters has purchased the Wolcott grocery located in the building next to the Citizens bank and will take possession on Monday after noon. Mr. Walters conducted a grocery store in Talent several years ago and has since worked for one of the several oil companies north of Ashland. With his family he has been in Ashland for several months past and recently purchased a home on Liberty street.

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SAMS VALLEY, Sept. 27.—Apple harvesting commenced this week and by next week practically all the orchardists will be engaged in harvesting their crops.

Real estate has been steadily moving in Sams Valley and a deal was closed last week for the sale of Mrs. E. A. Wilhite's home property to J. H. Johnson and by late reports E. H. Day has sold a valuable tract of land from his property known as the Pelton ranch to a local buyer.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Young and Mrs. Young's brother Joe Hiteh, all of Shelton, Wash., are weekly guests with the George McDonough family.

Walter Straus, who has been employed for several years in the Fort Klamath section is spending his annual vacation with home folks.

W. W. Edington and daughter, Miss Mary, attended the burial Monday of the infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Higham at Antioch cemetery.

Two members of the Jackson county boys' and girls' clubs from our district who received prizes from the county fair, were Wesley and Ella Brown.

Fred Loveland's parents and brother, who have spent much of the summer visiting here, left last week for their home in California.

Our school was dismissed Tuesday afternoon in order to allow the pupils to witness the dedication of the Joseph Lane peace treaty marker which was placed on the Sams Valley road near the Cameron place. Those attending, relate an interesting program.

Joseph Perry and Miss Mary West, who were recently married at Medford, left this week for Silverton where they will make their future home. Both young people are well known in this section and the well wishes of their friends go with them to their new home.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Gresham and sons Emory and Melvin of McMinnville, visited several days of last week with Mr. Gresham's brother Will. While here the men folks of the party took a hunt and

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