

### WOULD REQUIRE DRY AGENTS TO TAKE OUT BOND

WASHINGTON, May 29.—(AP)—Senator Hawes, democrat, Missouri, introduced a bill Wednesday to require all prohibition agents to give a bond of \$10,000 to afford protection to the public against the reckless officials.

In a statement Hawes said the bond would be for the payment of damages "for wrongfully or negligently causing personal injury or death, or damage to or loss of property, or for trespass to persons or property by prohibition agents under color of the discharge of their duty."

The Missouriian said there were many fine men in the prohibition service, but there are some others who are reckless with firearms and careless in destroying property.

"There have been more than 1300 lives lost in the enforcement of prohibition laws," he said.

### CO-OP DAIRIES TO GET FEDERAL AID

WASHINGTON, May 30.—(AP)—The farm board today tentatively approved loans aggregating \$1,350,000 to two co-operative dairy associations in the far west.

The United Dairymen's association of Seattle will receive \$900,000 and the Challenge Cream and Butter association of Los Angeles \$450,000.

The board said these associations and the Lower Columbia Dairy association of Astoria, Ore., which was granted a loan last January, include in their present membership practically all of the dairy co-operatives in the states west of the Rocky mountains.

### TENGWALD SPENT \$100 IN CAMPAIGN

SALEM, Ore., May 30.—(AP)—A personal campaign expense statement filed with the secretary of state by Charles Hall, one of the unsuccessful candidates for the republican nomination for governor, shows an expenditure of \$117.25. Other statements filed today include the following:

Edward Bailey, for the democratic nomination for governor, the successful candidate for \$419.02; Carl V. Tengwald, Medford, chairman of Norblad-Governor club, \$100.

### FAST PACIFIC MAIL CONTRACT PROPOSED

PORTLAND, Ore., May 30.—(AP)—E. R. White, director of international postal service, who arrived here last night for a conference with postal authorities, said today the postoffice department is favorable toward placing a trans-Pacific mail contract with the line of fast combination passenger and cargo ships proposed by Charles E. Dant and Kenneth D. Dawson, prominent Pacific coast lumbermen and shippers.

### Five From Medford Area to Graduate From O. S. C. In Exercises On June 2



Left to right: Top row—Mary Sweeney and Hollis Swingle, Medford, vocational education; Second row—Homer Jackson Hartman, Jacksonville, forestry; Ralph Bailey and Chester Hubbard, Medford, commerce.

OREGON STATE COLLEGE, Corvallis.—(Sp1)—Bachelor of science degrees will be awarded four Medford students and one Jacksonville student at Oregon State college at the 61st annual commencement exercises June 2. Ralph Bailey and Chester Hubbard will be awarded degrees in commerce, Mary Martha Sweeney and Hollis Swingle in vocational education, and Homer Jackson Hartman from Jacksonville, in forestry.

These students are among the 489 who will be graduated from the 10 degree-granting schools of the institution. The school of commerce leads in number of graduates with 109. The school of engineering is second with 92 from four departments: industrial arts 12; civil engineering 24; electrical engineering 27 and mechanical engineering 29. Home economics follows with 77, vocational education 68, agriculture 29, pharmacy and pharmaceutical chemistry 20, forestry 21, chemical engineering 18 and mining engineering 7. Twenty-eight graduate students will receive masters' degrees.

Bailey has majored in accounting in the school of commerce. He is a member of Beta Alpha Psi, honorary fraternity for men in accounting, and Alpha Kappa Psi, honorary fraternity in commerce. While a freshman he was on the rook tennis team, and since then he has been a member of the all-college champion intramural tennis team and singles champion of the college. During his senior year he was president of the National Independence association, vice-president and treasurer of Weatherford hall and a member of the junior week-end dance committee.

Hubbard, who has majored in general business, is also a member of Alpha Kappa Psi. During his junior year he was on the homecoming committee, chairman of the pep committee and chairman of the junior follies, the annual all-men's show. This year he has been president of the senior class, president of Sigma Nu, social fraternity, and a member of the student council and interfraternity council.

Miss Swingle, who specialized in English in the school of vocational education, has been connected with two campus publications, the Beaver, annual year book, and the student directory. While a sophomore she was president of the freshman committee; secretary of the Associated Women Students, as a junior; and this year she has been a member of the senior hall committee. She is a member of Delta Zeta, social fraternity.

Miss Sweeney's major has been education. She has been active socially and was a member of the senior announcement committee. She is a member of Alpha Chi Omega.

Hartman, whose major has been technical forestry in the school of forestry, has been treasurer of the forestry club and on the staff of the Annual Cruise, forestry club publication. During his freshman year he was on both the track and football squads.

As graduates of Oregon State college, the students will be well prepared to pursue work in their chosen fields. The institution ranks as one of the foremost state colleges in the country, both in the reputation of its graduates and in the number of students. Although a large proportion of Oregon State graduates have found their life work in Oregon, many of them are leaders of their professions in other states and foreign countries.

### RUSSIAN CLOWN SCHOOL IS UNIT OF PROPAGANDA

By James A. Mills, Associated Press Correspondent. MOSCOW.—(AP)—Soviet Russia claims to be the only country in the world which has a school for clowns. It also boasts of a school for training acrobats, jugglers, tight-rope walkers, bareback riders, magicians and other circus performers.

The school for training clowns, which gives instruction in the art of being funny and grotesque to both sexes, is located in Moscow and furnishes clowns, male and female, to hundreds of theaters and circuses in the Soviet Union. All are well grounded in methods of disseminating communism.

One of the oddest things about the school is that it was founded by a woman, the first wife of Anatole Lunacharsky, formerly commissar of education. Students of both sexes between the ages of 14 and 20, who are thought to have special aptitude for buffoonery are accepted.

**Training Is Free.** They pay nothing for their education, the Soviet government considering that clowns are good not only for spreading communism, but in disseminating through their "white-face art" communist doctrines and proletarian ideology.

There are now in the Soviet Union 100 pairs of musical clowns, 150 solo trick clowns and 50 "fuz" or tumbling clowns, many of them having been trained by the Moscow school.

Before their acceptance as students, applicants must pass a rigid medical and physical examination. They then are given a two months' trial before final enrollment as regular students. During these two months the student must prove aptitude to "play the fool" so that the government can determine whether it is worth while to spend the \$5,000 necessary to make him a first-class clown.

After a three-year course of instruction in acrobatics, music, dancing, singing, juggling, mimicry, pantomime and the art of facial make-up and bizarre dress, students are awarded diplomas as "certified clowns." Students are also given instruction in political economy, social and labor movements, revolutionary subjects and the history of the Communist party.

### IRRIGATION FIELD DAYS ARRANGED FOR TILLERS

OREGON STATE COLLEGE, Corvallis.—(Special)—Two demonstration field days arranged to allow Oregon farmers to view the results of supplemental irrigation and the equipment necessary for it, have been arranged for June 6 and 8.

The first one will be at the home station farm at Corvallis, where the results of three-year tests with irrigation on berries and small fruits will be shown. Guides will be at the farm just a mile east of Corvallis from morning till evening to show visitors through the plantings that have given increased yields, ranging from 57 to 144 per cent under irrigation.

The afternoon of June 8 has been designated for a public field day on the Sam Brown place at Gervais on the Pacific highway.

### GRANTS PASS ELK LODGE CEREMONY PLANNED JUNE 17

Deputy Grand Exalted Ruler for Oregon, South, O. Underwood, yesterday received a telegram from Walter B. Andrews, exalted ruler of all Elks, that the lodge has granted a petition for a dispensation for a new lodge of Elks in Grants Pass.

The telegram stated that property to install and carry on the lodge and the necessary information was being sent in a letter.

"The installation will probably be held June 17," Major Underwood stated.

"For some time Perry O. DeLar, state president, and I have been assisting in raising the petition and planning for the formation of the lodge."

"The Medford Elks have been of particular assistance in the work of preparing the petition and will, with the Lakeview, Bend, Ashland and Klamath Falls Elks assist in the formation and the Medford Elks will initiate the candidates into the new lodge," Major Underwood stated.

The charter will probably not be given the Grants Pass lodge until after the national convention, to be held in Atlantic City in July.—Klamath Falls News.

### EDITOR CLEARED ON CIVIL LIBEL

SALEM, Ore., May 30.—E. A. Koen, publisher of the Banner-Courier at Oregon City, was cleared of a civil charge of libel Tuesday when the state supreme court affirmed an order of non-suit by Judge J. U. Campbell.

Suit was brought against Koen by C. V. Kilgore, principal of the school at Molalla, because of articles published by Koen in connection with the arrest of Kilgore for the alleged theft of some harness from O. F. Cady. Kilgore was tried in the circuit court and acquitted.

In the lower court Koen moved for non-suit in the libel action, which was granted by Judge Campbell. The affirming opinion Tuesday, written by Justice Bean, holds that the articles of Koen's newspaper were privileged and without malice.

### STEEL EXPANSION PLAN FOR COAST

SAN FRANCISCO, May 30.—(AP)—James A. Farrell, president of United States Steel Corporation, announced here today that his company's holdings on the Pacific coast would be expanded.

Farrell said there would be a "rounding out" of the properties of the former Columbia Steel company, which was taken over by United States Steel last fall. This group includes manufacturing plants in California and Oregon and mines in Utah.

"To what extent this expansion will go I am not prepared to say," Farrell said. "There will be a general rounding out of the newly acquired plants."

### HOOVER APPROVES NEW PENSION PLAN

WASHINGTON, May 30.—(AP)—Chairman Knutson of the house pensions committee said Thursday President Hoover had expressed approval of a substitute Spanish American War Veterans' pension bill for that vetoed Wednesday.

After conferring with the president, he said the new bill would be offered in both houses today.

Mr. Hoover based his veto of the original bill on contentions that it reversed established principles upon which the governmental pensions system was established.

### RURAL EARS SHARPER THAN CITY DWELLERS

BOSTON.—(AP)—Hearing of rural and small town children seems to be better than that of city youngsters.

The examinations which give the country youth this lead were made in three small Maine communities with an audiometer, a comparatively new scientific instrument.

It was purchased by the Speech Reading club of Portland, and loaned to places outside the city on request.

The results are reported to Mrs. James F. Norris, chairman of the committee on children of the American Federation of Organizations for the Hard of Hearing.

ROME, May 31.—(AP)—When two men approach a third and induce him to distribute a legacy to the poor after putting up a guarantee of good faith, Italians call it "fruit of Americans" or "American theft." But perpetrators of the trick are never Americans, to judge by police reports.

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