

PORTER, FARRELL HOLD CONFERENCE ON CITY MATTERS

Meet With Executive Head of State League — Parley in Grants Pass Will Consider Manager Proposal

Herman Kehrl, executive secretary of the League of Oregon Cities and director of the municipal research bureau of the University of Oregon, conferred here this morning with Mayor George W. Porter and Frank P. Farrell, city attorney and chairman of the league's legislative committee.

The three officials discussed municipal administrative matters, Mr. Kehrl being on a brief tour to gather data for the league. The league acts as a clearing house and bureau of information for its members as well as performing other services that are considered of great value to municipal governments in the state.

Mr. Kehrl proceeded to Grants Pass where he was to attend a conference this afternoon regarding the city of Grants Pass. The conference was called by A. E. Voorhies, chairman of the committee appointed by the council to make a study of the management type of city administration. Mayor R. S. Anderson and other Grants Pass officials were to attend the meeting. Mr. Kehrl is to tell of the experiences other Oregon cities have had with public managers and to present other data the league has gathered on the subject.

The Grants Pass council is to meet tomorrow to determine whether the management proposition should be placed on the November election ballot. The council is on record as in favor of the change.

Mr. Kehrl told the Mail Tribune that college students are showing an increasing interest in governmental administration. To meet a new demand, he said, a course in "problems of public administration" will be given by him at the university this year. The new course, he said, will correlate other courses on government given at the university. He stated that a similar course would probably be added to the curriculum of Oregon State college, many of whose graduates enter the service of various branches of the government.

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Meteorological Report

Forecasts
Medford and vicinity: Fair tonight and Thursday; little change in temperature.
Oregon: Fair tonight and Thursday but overcast at times on coast; little change in temperature.
Local Data
Temperature a year ago today: highest 88; lowest 49.
Total monthly precipitation, .35 inches; excess for the month, .04 inches.
Total precipitation since September 1, 1936, .35 inches; excess for the season, .04 inches.
Relative humidity at 5 p. m. yesterday, 13 percent; 5 a. m. today, 72 percent.
Tomorrow: sunrise 6:00 a. m.; sunset, 6:06 p. m.

Observations Taken at 5 a. m., 120 Meridian Time.

CITY	Temp	Wind	Clouds	Weather
Boise	82	50	00	Clear
Boston	74	64	00	Cloudy
Chicago	88	68	00	Clear
Denver	82	52	82	Clear
Eureka	60	50	00	Foggy
Helena	78	—	—	—
Los Angeles	84	64	00	Clear
Medford	93	50	00	Clear
New York	78	66	00	Foggy
Omaha	90	68	00	Cloudy
Phoenix	98	70	00	Clear
Portland	74	55	00	Clear
Reno	80	50	00	Clear
Roseburg	84	54	00	Clear
Salt Lake	82	44	00	Clear
San Francisco	66	54	00	P. Cloudy
Seattle	66	52	00	Clear
Spokane	78	46	00	Clear
Walla Walla	80	—	—	—
Wash., D. C.	90	68	00	Clear

REPUBLICAN MEET SCHEDULED FRIDAY

A big Republican meeting will be held in this city Friday evening, the time and place to be decided later, it was announced today.

Senator Clifford Titus of Joplin, Missouri, and Dave Segar of Portland, will be the main speakers. Senator Titus is considered one of the best speakers on the roster of the Republican national committee, and Segar is a Republican state committeeman.

A report will be made on the progress of the Republican Volunteer's "Win the West" movement. Already an ambitious program on that motto is going forward in 17 states, it was said.

SWIFT PACE SET BY SUNSHINE MAC, VITAMIN-FED BABY

DAYTON, O. (UP)—McDonald Charles Miller, 8 months old, will not have to eat spinach to gain vitality if an experiment being conducted by his parents ends as successfully as it has started.

Donald H. Miller, the father of the baby, is a chemist. His occupation provides the answer for the experiment which has been responsible for feeding the child synthetically all the seven vitamins daily.

A crushed tablet, containing all the known vitamins has been placed in the Miller baby's milk since the day of his birth. The child, who has been nicknamed "Sunshine Mac," has thrived on the diet. He is two pounds heavier and three inches taller than normal babies of his age. "Sunshine Mac" cut two teeth when five months old. He now has three teeth and is cutting three more.

Most babies do not cut a tooth until approximately a year old.

The child also has another distinction. He already has had two haircuts. When guided, he is able to walk.

"Sunshine Mac" never has been ill, and it is believed his special diet will help him to escape the usual children's diseases.

The American Medical association is said to have studied the child's diet and habits and may make a report.

The child's health, and not the diet makes of his physical strength, is the aim of his parents.

"We do not intend that he should be a prize fighter, football player or engage in any profession in which strength is an asset unless he desires it," the Millers said. "Our only aim is for him to become the 'world's most healthy person'."

The Coffey county (Burlington, Kas.) free fair offered two classes of prizes for corn displays this year, one for corn grown without irrigation; the other for corn grown on irrigated land.

The State Rural Electrification Authority reports 3,783.9 miles of rural power lines to serve 21,264 farms either have been built or are under construction in North Carolina.

Receipts from the sale of principal farm products in Kentucky during June, 1936, totaled \$1,100,000 against \$985,000 for the same month last year.

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Crop Statistician



C. J. BORUM

C. J. Borum, agricultural statistician, division of crops and livestock estimates, U. S. department of agriculture, for Oregon, was born in Indiana July 4, 1894, and graduated from Purdue university. He was in state agricultural work in Indiana eight years, entering the federal service in 1927 in Indiana and later going to South Dakota. He came to Oregon in 1935.

Pear Market Yesterday

NEW YORK, Sept. 22.—(AP-USDA)—Pear auctions: 19 cars arrived; 13 California, 13 Oregon, 1 Washington unloaded; 18 on track; by boat 12 California; market firm; California Bartlett, 5058 boxes, \$2.20-\$3.20, average \$2.77; Bosc, 348 boxes, \$1.75-\$2.10, average \$1.93; Oregon Bartlett, 323 boxes extra fancy, \$3.45-\$7.50, average \$2.83; 3120 boxes fancy, \$1.05-\$3.70, average \$2.48; Washington Flemish, 720 boxes fancy, \$1.55-\$7.50, average \$1.74.

CHICAGO, Sept. 22.—(AP-USDA)—Pear auctions: 5 Oregon, 1 Washington arrived; 11 on track, 9 sold; California Bartlett, 2770 boxes, \$2.40-\$7.00; Oregon Bartlett, 28 boxes extra fancy, \$2.25-\$4.50, average \$2.26; 2132 boxes fancy, \$2.20-\$3.00, average \$2.23; Washington Bartlett, 674 boxes extra fancy, \$1.95-\$2.05, average \$1.99; 46 boxes fancy, \$1.90-\$5.00, average \$1.92; Flemish, 720 boxes extra fancy, \$1.50-\$7.00, average \$1.64.

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AUSTRALIA LINKED TO FAR CENTERS BY PHONE CALLS

SYDNEY.—(UP)—Due to the distance from other centers of civilization, Australia is confident it has more long distance telephone calls than any other country in the world.

A report of postal authorities, who are in charge of long-distance telephone calls, shows a few facts of the past year as follows:

A call of 19,000 miles from Sydney to Valparaiso, via London and Buenos Aires, with perfect reception. Frequent calls from Sydney to London, San Francisco and to South Africa.

One call from Los Angeles to Sydney that occupied 53 minutes and constituted as far as time is concerned the longest long-distance call ever made into Australia. At regular rates it would have cost \$600.

A conference call from London to Australia that embraced Johannesburg, Bombay, Sydney, Melbourne, Adelaide and Perth, where everyone participating talked and heard each other as easily as though they were sitting around a conference table.

Since the radio-telephone service was inaugurated there have been 7000 calls between Australia and the outside world as far afield as Chile, the Saar, Finland, Hungary and Palestine.

The latest hookup in the long-distance telephone network has been with Tasmania.

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30 BOXES OF PEARS WILL GO INTO PIE FOR TALENT SHOW

Recipe was revealed today for the giant pear pie that is to be a feature of the southern Oregon pear and tomato show to be held in Talent, October 2 and 3.

The pie was described by Ray Schumacher, general chairman, as the "world's largest pear pie" and Mr. Schumacher is known to be a truthful gentleman who never exaggerates even under the stress of managing southern Oregon's greatest festival.

The pie, square in outline, will be ten feet long and nine feet wide, Mr. Schumacher related. It will be baked in 30 large pans at the Beck Bakery here. After it is baked, the sections will be joined and crust-stripped to make a huge single piece of luscious pastry, the general chairman explained.

Into the pie will go 30 boxes of prime Rogue valley Bosc pears, 100 pounds of flour, 100 pounds of sugar and 50 pounds of shortening. Mr. Schumacher stated. Everyone attending the Talent show will receive a piece of the pie.

Martin Luther, manager of the Rogue River company, has selected the pie pears and they are now in cold storage. They will be taken out of storage for ripening Monday and peeling will start next Wednesday, six to eight girls to be employed in the skinning job, Mr. Schumacher said.

On the pie committee, in addition to Mr. Luther, are J. J. Tryon, chairman, Stephen Nye, Harry Gleim and Michael Beck.

MORE BRITISH TROOPS LEAVE FOR PALESTINE SOUTHAMPTON, England, Sept. 23.—(AP)—A third contingent of troops, including almost 1800 men, sailed today for Palestine on the troopship California.

The reinforcements will bring to about 4400 the total troops sent to the Holy Land from England this month, a move which some observers said may be followed by martial law being declared in Palestine.

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