

GOLD RAY PLANS RENEW HOPE FOR RETURN OF FISH

T. E. Daniels Cites Long Effort to Secure Adequate Fishways at Power Site

dividends in attracting thousands of people to southern Oregon in the years to come."

Births

Born to Mr. and Mrs. John Selvey of Route 2 a girl weighing seven pounds and three ounces in Secord Heart hospital last night, Monday, January 8.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Arnold of 340 Haven street a boy weighing seven pounds and eight ounces in their home last night, Monday, January 8. The baby has been named Edwin Hugh.

An announcement by the California-Oregon Power company that the Gold Ray dam will be rebuilt this year is the first encouragement for fish and wild life conservationists in many years that there is yet a possibility of perpetuating some of the long lost forms of Rogue river, a migratory water course for the famous sea-run steelhead trout. It was stated today by T. E. Daniels, well-known Medford sportsman.

"For many years the present dam at Gold Ray has been responsible for the destruction of millions of fish, both steelhead trout and salmon, in their effort to ascend and descend the river at that point," Mr. Daniels explained.

Promises Cited

"The announced construction of the dam, or its rebuilding," Daniels pointed out, "reminds the sportsmen of the power company's outstretched promise in the past that a new fishway with its outlet below the power house, in the spillway, would be built when the dam was discharged practically the entire flow of the river at low water. This will there be enough water to attract the fish ascending the river. For many years a badly leaking Gold Ray dam has furnished some water above the spillway in low water seasons to attract fish. With a new practically water tight dam, the amount of water the present fishways will discharge at their outlets, even though they be kept full of water at all times, will be useless to attract ascending fish, which will vainly fight their lives away, as they have for many past years, below the power house."

Depression Delay

"Conservationists, sportsmen, state game commission and United States Bureau of Fisheries officials were promised the new fishway by the power company year after year, in connection with the proposed rebuilding of the dam. With the depression the expenditure of money for a new dam was said to be impossible.

"Future now to build the new fish ladder with the new dam will be the final blow to Rogue river's future possibilities of being rehabilitated as a sea-run steelhead trout fishing stream."

"Brown and Cox Webb, Zone Grey, Fred Barnham and hundreds of other anglers of world wide reputation, who once sung the praises of Rogue river steelhead fishing from Australia to Maine, deserted the stream years ago," Daniels said.

"Wherever one travels, from California to Canada, is heard the lament of the commercial despoliation of Rogue river as an anglers' paradise.

Situation Known

"The state game commission is fully aware of the Gold Ray dam situation and chamber of commerce will likewise appreciate the situation. They have an opportunity to justify their existence by insisting that there be no new dam construction at Gold Ray that does not incorporate, at the same time, the dam is rebuilt, the construction of a ladder from the top of the dam to the spillway below the power house. Anything less will be a useless gesture," Daniels stated.

"The power company has the opportunity to do a real service for Oregon, one which will receive the plaudits of every thinking conservationist in the west, by the construction of the promised fish ladder. It will be a successful model for future dam construction plans in other places in the country.

"A fish ladder of this type, carrying ample water, is acknowledged by all authorities on the subject to be absolutely efficient and successful. An easily accessible fish ladder at Gold Ray is of more importance to the southern Oregon community than the small amount of power to be developed there. If a well stored Rogue river steelhead fishing stream can be re-established it will pay unrestrained

Thomas C. Parker, assistant superintendent of the park, to the monument yesterday to observe the opening of the well. The monument is administered by the park administrative staff.

Mr. Doerr said the well water tasted good but would not be used generally until it had been thoroughly analyzed by chemists. The well is 756 feet deep. Digging of the well started about a year ago as a WPA project. Difficulty of collapsing walls was experienced from time to time.

Water from the well, Mr. Doerr explained, will serve the Lava Beds headquarters area. Previously the water has been hauled from Shaw's mill, a distance of 12 miles.

WELL IN LAVA BEDS 756 FEET IN DEPTH, YIELDS FIRST DRINK

PRESENT AIRPLANES 'TRUCKS' COMPARED WITH COMING SHIPS

Washington, Jan. 9.—(AP)—Aeronautical engineers forecast today American airplanes capable of flying to Europe with a full load of bombs, or passengers and cargo, and returning non-stop if necessary.

This probability, expected to become a reality in the next year or 18 months, grew out of two technical reports to Congress by the national advisory committee for aeronautics.

Two apparently simple simple changes in wing design, and the "fining" of airplane engine cylinders promise to increase vastly the range, speed, payload and efficiency of airplanes which already are being designed.

The present military and civil aircraft, which have brought Europe, South America, and Hawaii within a day's flying time of the United States, are partly the result of aeronautical research done by the committee's engineers in the laboratories at Langley Field, Va.

The same engineers regard the present airplanes as lumbering trucks, however, com-

pared with the planes which will be "coming out of the jigs" in a year or so.

The new streamlined wing will cut through the air with only one-third the resistance, or "drag," of present wing designs, permitting speeds of 450 to 500 miles an hour. It still is a closely guarded military secret.

Radio Highlights

By Associated Press (Pacific Standard Time)

Tonight: Europe—WABC-CBS 8:58, 9: WEAF-NBC-East 8: MBS 6: 6:15.

Wednesday: Europe—NBC 5

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THEN AT BEDTIME, rub VapoRub on throat and chest to get full benefit of its long-continued action while you sleep.

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PRODUCTION COST ADVOCATES PLAN CONGRESS FIGHT

Sponsors Say American Farmer Is Entitled to American Market at Profit

Washington, Jan. 9.—(AP)—Advocates of the cost-of-pro-

duction farm plan declared today that they would wage a determined fight for its adoption at this session of congress.

Farmer dissatisfaction with continued low prices, and President Roosevelt's recommendation that agricultural appropriations be cut, have prepared the legislative soil for success, they said.

The plan would substitute unlimited production for the present agricultural adjustment program of acreage and marketing quotas and crop subsidies.

Has Tariff Angle

It would prohibit sale of major farm products for domestic consumption below the cost of production, to be determined by

the secretary of agriculture at public hearings. The excess over domestic needs would be sold in the world market for what ever it would bring. Tariffs would keep out competing imports.

Soil conservation practices, crop insurance and some other features of the present farm program would be retained, but government limitations on production would be junked.

Sponsors of the cost-of-production plan declare the "American farmer is entitled to the American market at a profit," and they say this would give it to him.

Stymied in Senate

The senate agriculture committee voted unanimously to re-

port the bill favorably last spring and it went on the calendar, but its sponsors were unable to bring it on the floor for action.

House proponents have decided to press to bring the bill up for a vote in their chamber. The house agriculture committee refused at the last regular session of congress to report the bill. Leaders of the cost-of-production movement have obtained 108 signatures on a petition to force the bill up before the house for consideration. They have decided to start a campaign at once for the necessary 110 additional signatures.

Sponsors of the bill in the senate include Bone (D., Wash.) and Tolman (R., Ore.); in the

house, Pierce (D., Ore.) and Leavy (D., Wash.).

TOWNSEND CLUB NO. 1 TO CELEBRATE FRIDAY

(Contributed)

Townsend club will over the United States are this week celebrating Dr. Townsend's birthday with appropriate programs. Club No. 1 of Medford is having their celebration Friday evening, January 12, consisting of a supper from 8:30 on, a short business session and installation of officers and a program of en-

tertainment followed by a dance for the balance of the evening. This affair is open to the public and all are invited and urged to come up and have a good time.

Townsend hall is at 123 1/2 West Main street.

ARMY CONTINGENT IN MEDFORD TODAY

Traveling in 40 motor vehicles, 200 officers and men of the third balloon squadron, U. S. army air corps at Fort Lewis,

Wash., are scheduled to arrive here late this afternoon on a march to Monterey, Cal., for war games. The march will camp here for the night at the army. The march southward will be continued early tomorrow morning.

The third ordnance company of two officers and 37 men is scheduled to arrive here in 12 vehicles from Fort Lewis Saturday afternoon. The company also on a march to Monterey will spend the night at the army and resume the march Sunday morning. The unit is in command of Capt. Loren E. Gaitner, reserve officer.

Closing time for Town Late to Classify Ads is 1:30 p. m.

The Mail Tribune want ads.

MORSE UPHOLDS FERRY EMPLOYES

Eugene, Ore., Jan. 9.—(AP)—Increases in pay for all deck and engine workers of 22.50 per month, standardization of wages of stewards to the highest rate in each classification, uniform eight hour day, abolishment of "three quarter time employment seniority rights," and other requests were granted the employees of the Black Ball ferry lines in Puget Sound, in a sweeping decision handed down here today by Wayne L. Morse, dean of the University of Oregon school of law.

Dean Morse served as chairman of the board which has arbitrated the controversy which last summer tied up Ferry boat service in Puget Sound for several weeks. His ruling covers all points not agreed upon by the union and employer representatives.

RULING MODIFIED IN JACKSON CASE

Salem, Ore., Jan. 9.—(AP)—The state supreme court decisions today included:

Arthur Hinkle vs. State Industrial Accident Commission, appellant Arpel from Jackson county. Suit involving claim. Opinion by Justice Kelly, Judge G. C. Norton, modified.

Guy Gordon, executor of the will of Francis Marion Hutt, vs. James R. W. Greig, administrator of the estate of James Greig Hutt, and Lucy M. Skeeter, appellants, and Belle Taylor and others, appellees. Suit to clarify will. Opinion by Chief Justice Hand, Judge Carl E. Wimberly, modified.

CASCADE COUNTRY COVERED BY SNOW

Bend, Jan. 9.—(AP)—Deep snow, in some instances the heaviest in three years, hid the mid-state Cascade country today.

The blanket ranged from three to 36 inches. Bend's eighth inch covering was the most severe in three winters.

All roads, including the lofty McKenzie river pass, remained open. Eighteen inches during the night brought the summit's snow depth to 36 inches. The Sun Mountain pass on the Dalles-Columbia highway, between here and Klamath Falls was well covered but free for two-way traffic.

RIVER BARS HELP FOR INJURED MAN

Grants Pass, Jan. 9.—(AP)—The Illinois river, raging between rock walls and swollen by heavy rains, kept a medical aid today from a crushed gold miner, Ray Fountain.

A boulder crushed Fountain early Monday afternoon. He was discovered injured but alive by his partner, Fred Knight, who crossed the river by boat to summon help at Selma. In answer, Dr. S. C. Caspado and Coroner Virgil Hull, the latter driving an ambulance, rushed out at 11:30 last night. Forest service men also left the Redwood ranger station at Cave Junction.

Meanwhile Volght returned across to the injured man. Heavy rains fell and the river rose a foot an hour. None of the later-arrived rescuers could cross the precipitous walls and the torrent.

Eugene Poplacz Strong For Milk

Eugene, Jan. 9.—(AP)—Per capita milk consumption in the city of Eugene in 1939 was the highest in the state, Dr. L. G. Hetterline, milk and meat inspector, has announced.

Every citizen consumed an average of a pint a day, he said. Eugene also led Oregon in milk consumption in 1938.

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Reduced 20%! Dashing sober patterns in white and navy blue. 8c

UNIONSUITS

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Men! For full protection wear these partition suits. Full cut! Medium heavy weight.

Flashlight Batteries

2 for 5c

Ward standard quality.

TURKISH TOWELS

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A gay rainbow stripe style that's heavier and better-looking than many other towels. A VALUE!

Indian Blankets

92c

As good as many \$1.00 blankets. Smooth as silk! Soft as velvet! Color fast! For camping, or the hotel room. 62x90.

Big Undie Sale

22c

Lowest! Newest! Pattern! For camping, or the hotel room. 62x90.

January White Goods Sale! Save NOW!

Longwear Sheets

Regularly 79c

Stock up NOW!

Extra White Sale savings on the sheets that give you (1) Tested quality (they lasted 234 times—equal to 4 1/2 years wear); (2) Smooth snow-white finish; (3) Stay-straight hem; (4) Strong tape selvages. You get more for your money always with Longwear's at 79c.

SALE! ALL SILK! FULL-FASHIONED! Ringless Chiffons

59c

Reg. \$1.00

Full Fashioned

Longer Wearing

Special! Wash Cloth

410c

Real Road! Real size (11 1/2 x 17 1/2) in the sturdy towel that washes well. Buy 'em by the dozen!

Save! Cannon Fine Towels

16c

It takes Wards White Sale to bring a value like this. Cannon made to wear and dry fast! White, colors, Checked!

Save! Men's Union Suits

54c

Buy Healthheads if you want fuller cut, finer yarns, and better construction. Snuggly cuffs; non-sagging shoulders. Medium heavy.

Sale! Unbleached Muslin

5 1/2c

Essentially a real saving. The smoother weave comes from the fine spun long-fibered cotton.

Sale! Outing Flannel

7c

Save 10% on this fine 36 inch white flannel.

Sale! 1.19 Dress Lengths

100

By to 4 yd. lengths. Save this week at Wards!

Sale! 14x15 Dish Cloth

410c

Good quality at an exceptionally low price! You can't stink up on a whole dozen for under 25c!

Sale! 22x44 Towels

25c

Heavy, absorbent bath towels. Save now!

January Shoe Clearance

Hurry! Last Few Days!

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LAST FEW DAYS! SAVINGS TO 25%!

Women's and Girls' Dress and Sport Shoes

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Regularly \$1.98

Save more than one-fourth! Stunning suede right out of our own "Gay Modern" stocks to wear right now and for months to come! Styling, pumps, oxfords—reduced to clear!

Children's 1.59 Oxfords

127

Save 32c a pair! Shoes for school! For Sunday-best! Quality stock, with sturdy, leather soles!

Overnite Case

198

Simulated leather, lined, choice of black or brown.

Sale! 62.95 Wood Heater

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All cast radiator. Burns 25 lb. wood. Large feet. Hot! All porcelain enamel finish.

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New \$1.98 Dresses

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4 Pc. Bedroom Set

64.94

Modern Swedish bleached mahogany. Reg. 89.58. Buy now! Save!

Reg. 89.95 Davenport

74.95

Send kidney style. Heavy velvet pile fabric in green.

2 Pc. Davenport Set

59.95

Berry California. Brown plaid tapestry. Save now!

4 Pc. Bedroom Suite

29.94

Berry California. Choice of vanity or dresser.

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Wallpaper Roomlots

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Lowest price ever! Imagine—5 double rolls of new cleanable sidewall paper and 16 yards of border for this one low price! Many patterns! But hurry, if you want the biggest selection!

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Steering Wheel Spinner

22c

Price cut! Catalin knob... fitted size for size gips! Mounts on any steering wheel.

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PRICE CUT!

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Try to beat this price!

Dozens of Radios Reduced to Clear!

7-Tube Mantel... Built-in Loop!

23.88

4 WEEKLY, Down Payment, Carrying Charge

Heavy Wardoleum 9x12 Rug

4.98

Extra-heavy felt base rug—really 80.98 quality anywhere else at today's prices! Save!

3 Pc. Waterfall Bedroom

49.94

50 more elegant! Hand-matched veneers on hardwood! Bed, chest, vanity.

5 Pc. Oak Dinette Set

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Reg. 35.25 solid oak natural finish.

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Swirlator action! Washes 7.8 lbs. at a time! Adjustable Lovell wringer! White! 4 MONTHLY, Down Payment, Carrying Charge. With electric pump... \$6.95. Gas Engine model... \$14.95.

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37.50

Reg. 44.95 black team harness. Sturdy leather. Save now.

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27.50

Wards heavy duty two-section spring-tooth. Save!

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For this week-end only! Pull-over, fine-lined. Heavy weight. Ribbed collar, cuffs, waistband.

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