

FARM EDUCATION SUBJECT OF MEET

TO REACH CHILDREN

LUNCH MEETING HELD TODAY ON MEANS OF PROMOTING BETTER INTERESTS OF AGRICULTURE IN KLAMATH

At the Livermore grill room today under the auspices of the Chamber of Commerce, a lunch meeting was held under a call from Secretary Caleb T. Oliver, for the purpose of talking over methods of improving education of the young, especially in the direction of farming, this being farm education week.

Judge Henry L. Benson suggested that a moving picture show of censored films on subjects particularly adapted to the young would be a good scheme for reaching the minds of juveniles, and most of those there seemed to agree with him.

Frank Ira White thought it feasible to have meetings at school houses throughout the various districts, which would be well attended by the farmers. This was favorably spoken of, it being said that the farmers were hard to get into town meetings, but could conveniently attend those held nearer their homes.

Secretary Oliver has a plan for having views of Klamath county put on slides to be used for illustrating the development and possibilities of the district, which can be placed in operation at fairs and expositions. He called the attention of the meeting to the fact that at the recent Chicago show the attendance was 300,000, of which one-fourth attended the lectures at which slide views were presented.

Those present at the meeting were, besides those above mentioned: County Superintendent J. G. Swan, City School Superintendent Rosell H. Dunbar, W. E. Faught, principal of the high school; Fred Peterson, superintendent of the Bonanza schools; W. E. Delzell, County Commissioner; C. G. Merrill, Sheriff; William B. Barnes and O. M. Hector.

Let no one who contends that a city cannot be run without a debt forget that even with a debt the city can be kept on a cash basis, so far as current accounts are concerned, at least to the extent of getting \$1 worth of goods for \$1; instead of getting 50 cents worth for \$1.

TAMMANY LEADER IS DEAD AFTER MANY YEARS' POWER

State Senator Thomas Grady of Empire State, ex-President of Order of Eagles, Dies at His Home in the Metropolis

NEW YORK, Feb. 2.—State Senator Thomas Grady, ex-president of the Order of Eagles, and for years a power in Tammany Hall, died at his home here this morning.

If you have Eastern friends who want to settle in or near Klamath Falls, tell them they can come tourist between March 1st and April 15th

Schmitz Case Dismissed By Judge As Criminal Intent Does Not Show

In the matter of Frank J. Schmitz, who approached Floyd Brandenburg and conversed with him about the case of the Farmers' Implement and Supply company vs. Southern Pacific road, when Brandenburg was a juror in the case, Judge Henry L. Benson in circuit court this morning dismissed the proceedings. Schmitz, who is a former clerk in the freight house of the railroad, is alleged to have said to Brandenburg that the case did not amount to anything, and when Brandenburg protested he was a juror in the case, Schmitz insisted on continuing the conversation, saying that Brandenburg's being a juror was the reason he had approached him. He is alleged to have told Brandenburg

at \$25.45 from Missouri River points, or \$36.45 from St. Louis or Chicago, over almost any route.

NEWS OF HUSBAND'S DEATH KEPT FROM INJURED WIFE

PORTLAND, Feb. 2.—Semi-conscious in the Saint Vincent Hospital where she was taken following the beating which may cost her her life, Grace V. Brown, wife of Charles E. Brown, who blew off the top of his head after he had rendered his wife unconscious, is not yet aware of her husband's death.

Detectives Mallett and John Moloney, assigned to the investigation, have been unable to discuss the affair with her. No credence is given a theory that Mrs. Brown killed her husband.

She asks continually for her husband, and has been told that he has left the city. Her wounds are abrasions on the head and cuts on the arms.

Extra at the Opera House, Tomorrow Night Only

After you have visited all other picture shows in town tomorrow night try 10 cents worth of Romeo and Juliet—in two reels; also two other good pictures.

ROOSEVELT RESOLUTION REJECTED BY DELEGATES

Republican County at Convention at Chicago Turns Down Proposition to Indorse ex-President, Vote Standing 861 to 190

CHICAGO, Feb. 3.—The republican county convention rejected a resolution indorsing Roosevelt for president by 861 to 198 votes. The announcement was cheered.

PROGRAM AT PAVILION

The following program will be rendered at the band concert to be given in Pavilion rink Sunday afternoon at 2:30. Admission 10 and 15 cents: March, "Jolly Bachelors" . . . Hubbell Medley Overture on Popular Songs . . . Schmitz Intermezzo, "Gretchen" Carroll Martin "Aggravation" Rag . . . Cobb "Manana," Chilian dance . . . Missoud March, "Yankee Notions" . . . Richmond Star Spangled Banner

FINANCE REFORM BILL MAY GET LITTLE ATTENTION

Of Serious Nature From This Session of Congress—Bourne's Reply to Portland, Which Wants to Be One of Western Reserve Centers

PORTLAND, Feb. 2.—Senator Bourne has written the Chamber of Commerce that he doubts that the finance reform bill submitted by the national monetary commission will be

that the plaintiffs would not get anything out of the case, anyway. The general impression that has prevailed that Schmitz had no ulterior motive in talking to Brandenburg seems to be borne out by the development in court, where the evidence shown was insufficient, in the mind of the court, to make it necessary to punish Schmitz.

On every dollar outstanding in city warrants the city, at the present rate, is paying practically 23 cents interest. On \$1 the settlement is made at \$1.23; on \$2, at \$2.45. The taxpayer is the "under dog" in this matter.

Don't fail to attend that dance to be given at the opera house tomorrow night by the White Polcan orchestra.

considered seriously at this session of congress.

The letter is in reply to the request that Portland's interests be considered in placing the four Western reserve association headquarters. Senator Bourne writes that the locations of these are not indicated in the bill, and when the matter comes up of placing them he will do everything in his power to have the one in the Northwest located in Portland.

Throughout America business men are being formed into the National Business League, to advocate monetary reform, and in its modified form the measure which the commission is submitting. In Oregon the local branch is just being formed. J. D. Lee having been chosen secretary.

Its purposes are to persist in the campaign of education. Edward Cook, Ingham's speeches to the clubs and business organizations are in line with this national propaganda of insinuating that the people understand why panics develop, and that they be given opportunity to vote upon remedial measures which will make the financial affairs of this country as safe, if not safer, than those of European countries, where the American form of panic is said to be unknown.

CHURCH REVIVAL STIRS INTEREST

REV. VAN MARGER, HOLDING MEETINGS AT GRACE EDIFICE, PROVES INTERESTING AND CONVINCING

The special services at Grace Methodist Episcopal church are growing in interest, and the attendance has increased each night from the very beginning. Rev. Van Marger is proving himself to be an interesting and convincing speaker. He is a good gospel preacher, manifests a fine spirit, and in vigorous terms declares himself without being misunderstood as to the prevailing sins of the day.

Rev. Feese and his congregation have great confidence that much good will be accomplished as a result of Mr. Van Marger's stay here. He speaks tomorrow morning, afternoon and evening.

His Sunday evening theme, "Nuts for Skeptics to Crack," should be quite interesting. He will hold forth next week at the Methodist church every evening and afternoon.

Don't forget in the argument about the unpaid city warrants that the taxpayer pays double interest on them. They draw interest for their unpaid term, and cause practically the same amount to be added on bills for current supplies, this addition being to cover the discount.

HIGH SCHOOL BUILDING DESTROYED BY BIG FIRE

Flames Get Start on Public Institution in California City, and Completely Destroy It, Causing Loss of \$50,000 Partly Insured

UNITED PRESS SERVICE VISALIA, Calif., Feb. 3.—The high school burned early today. The loss was total. The building cost \$50,000, and was insured for \$35,000. The cause of the fire is unknown.

HAWSER BREAKS, SEVEN HURT WHERE SUBMARINE SINKS

PORTSMOUTH, England, Feb. 3.—Efforts to raise the sunken submarine have failed. The giant hawser broke, injuring seven men.

E. S. Terwilliger of Merrill, one of the present jury panel, was excused yesterday by Judge Henry L. Benson, so that he could return to his home over Saturday and Sunday.

BRITAIN NOT FORTIFYING ISLAND IN PACIFIC OCEAN

Official Denial From Foreign Office That Government Is Strengthening Its Defense on Hit of Land Encircled by Water

LONDON, Feb. 3.—The British foreign office has declared untrue the report that Great Britain is fortifying Fanning Island in the Pacific Ocean.

McGOWAN COMES UP FROM BELOW

WHICH DOES NOT MEAN THAT AT ALL—COUNCILMAN IS BACK FROM SAN FRANCISCO, WITH F. N. LIBBEY

Councilman Charles McGowan, manager of the Shippington box factory of the California Fruit Canners' Association, accompanied by F. N. Libbey of San Francisco, manager of the box department of the association, came in last evening from the Golden Gate city.

Mr. McGowan, by special dispensation of the city fathers, was permitted to get away for four weeks, which he spent in the "Paris of America." He says he did not feel sad during his absence, but missed his work on the street committee.

Mr. Libbey has come to look over the factory and reckon on prospects for the coming box making season.

Mr. McGowan says he is not opposed to a commission form of government; in fact, considers that it might be just about the right thing for the town if proper men could be placed in control.

"But it is not always the man who says the most about honesty who is the one to pick. That's my idea," he declared.

ROBBED, TRIES SUICIDE TO ESCAPE FROM HIS TROUBLES

Young Rancher, Cleared Out by Thugs, Jumps Into Bay at Golden Gate City and Is Pulled Out Just in Time to Save His Life

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 3.—Dependent over the loss to thugs of everything he possessed except his clothes, Alfred Herman, 39 years old, a young rancher from Hamilton City, jumped into the bay.

He is recovering from his cold plunges. Hamilton came for a touch of city life, and was robbed of \$75 and a watch. Then he walked to the bay, leaped in, and was dragged ashore barely in time.

SHERMAN GOING BACK TO DAIRY

FORMER CHRONICLE MAN RETURNS FROM WORK ON LAKE COUNTY EXAMINER, WHERE MR. KOOSER TAKES REINS

C. W. Sherman, formerly of the Morning Chronicle, who has been for some time local editor of the Lake County Examiner, owned by Fred P. Cronemiller, receiver of the land office at Lakeview, came to the city by stage last night, and will return to his ranch at Dairy. He has retired from the Examiner, Mr. Kooser, formerly of the Lakeview Herald, having taken the general management of the paper.

EXCHANGE SLIPS MAY BE HAD NOW

CONVENIENT PORTAL ARRANGEMENT FOR SENDING MONEY TO FOREIGN COUNTRIES IN SMALL AMOUNTS

Postmaster Clyde Brandenburg has received a supply of the foreign postal exchange certificates, good for 25 centimes in such foreign countries as are in the agreement. American postage and money are not good abroad, unless exchanged, so that the exchange of small amounts often makes a nuisance or deters a transaction. The certificates, which may be bought for 4 cents each, are good for a nickel apiece abroad.

GREAT LUMBER CONTRACT OF NORTHERN PACIFIC

Soon to Be Placed—It Will Call for 20,000,000 Feet and 60,000 Piles for Use on Line—Involves About \$300,000.

SEATTLE, Feb. 3.—The Northern Pacific railroad is about to place an order for approximately 25,000,000 feet of lumber, one of the largest contracts ever placed with Pacific Northwest lumber manufacturers by one concern at one time. In addition to the lumber, the road will buy 66,000 piles.

The material is for use in constructing the Tacoma-Tenino line via Point Defiance, which includes the construction of a large tunnel under Point Defiance Park, Tacoma.

The lumber contract, it is estimated, is worth close to \$300,000. Seattle lumbermen believe that Tacoma mills will obtain the larger part of the contract because of their proximity to the work. Last week the Northern Pacific let contracts for 3,000,000 feet of lumber, to be used in the construction of the Lake Union belt line in this city.

WHICH TWIN HAD KNIFE IN HAND

J. P. MARCHO STABBED BY ONE OF MOORE TWINS AFTER HE GETS BEST OF TWAIN IN FISTIC ENCOUNTER

J. P. Marcho was badly cut in the left arm above the elbow last night by either Elmer or Elsworth Moore, which twin brothers were together at the time of the affray, and so much resemble each other that in the darkness it could not be told who committed the deed.

Policeman William Hall arrested all three, Marcho being released on his own recognizance and the Moore brothers being turned over to the county jail, as the cutting was a matter too serious to be handled in the city police court.

One of the Moores was a witness against Marcho in a case some time since in which Marcho was charged with taking a horse belonging to a man named Clendenning, and there was ill feeling between them. When they met last night in a warm argument Marcho was having the best of it with fists until the knife was drawn. The trio are Poe Valley ranchers. Dr. Warren C. Hunt dressed Marcho's wound.

NO PASS FOR BALLINGER ON SUBURBAN ELECTRIC

Former Secretary of Interior Barred From Using Transportation Given in Part Payment as Fee for Richard's Work as Counsel

UNITED PRESS SERVICE OLYMPIA, Wash., Feb. 2.—Richard A. Ballinger, former secretary of the interior, and Fred E. Sanders and family cannot travel on passes on the Seattle-Everett interurban line, according to a ruling just made by the public service commission.

Both Ballinger and Sanders, in deeding right of way to the railway years ago, agreed to accept life passes over the road as part consideration. The company asked the commission if it could lawfully continue to recognize the contract. The commission said no.

Courtney Out Under Guard

Samuel Courtney, charged with aiming a pistol at Charles Rowan, was released from jail this morning by Sheriff William B. Barnes, in custody of an officer, in order that he might attend to some business.

BAR AGAINST HUMPHREY FOR FEDERAL JUDGESHIP

Seattle Barriers Protest to President Taft Against Congressman, Saying He Lacks Qualities Necessary to Discharge of Duties

SEATTLE, Feb. 3.—The Seattle Bar Association has ordered a resolution of protest sent to President Taft against the appointment of Congress-

WAR MEASURES ARE ON FOR TEXAS LINE

man W. E. Humphrey of Seattle, to succeed United States District Judge George Donworth, who will soon retire from the bench. The resolution adopted by a large majority after an exciting debate, declares that the Bar Association does not believe that Mr. Humphrey "posses the qualifications necessary for the proper discharge of the functions of the office, and that his appointment would not be proper."

AMERICAN INDIAN WINS ON TWO FEET BY TWO FEET

Narrow Margin of Victory for Tom Longboat in Rapid Pedeal Work Against Hans Holmer at Edinburg, Among the Canny Scots

UNITED PRESS SERVICE EDINBURG, Scotland, Feb. 3.—Tom Longboat won the fifteen mile race from Hans Holmer of Koholmaier, by two feet.

Longboat is an Indian runner from the United States.

Don't forget that round trip rates from the East, enabling Eastern folk to visit Klamath Falls will be cheaper this summer than they have ever been.

CONNORS JURY IS HUNG UP, BEING UNABLE TO AGREE

Jury at Angel City Which Has in Hand Fate of Detective Charged With Attempting to Bribe Juror in McNamara Case.

UNITED PRESS SERVICE LOS ANGELES, Feb. 3.—The jury in the case of Bert Connors, charged with bribery was deadlocked, ten to two, when it reported to Judge Willis before noon. It will be locked up over Sunday unless a verdict is reached.

HONZANNO TO BE ARCHBISHOP BEFORE COMING OVER SEA

New Apostolic Delegate to Succeed Falconio Will Be Consecrated Prelate of Mitylene Before Sailing to Columbia's Shore

UNITED PRESS SERVICE ROME, Feb. 3.—Monsignor Bonzanno will be titular Archbishop of Mitylene before sailing for America as apostolic delegate to that country.

ANOTHER COLD WAVE ON IN MIDDLE WEST STATES

Forecast for Tonight Predicts 12 Degrees Below Zero, With Freezing Weather Prevalent in Many States in That Section

UNITED PRESS SERVICE CHICAGO, Feb. 3.—A cold wave is here. The forecast is for 12 below tonight. It was 8 below this morning. From the Rockies to the Lakes and from Kansas to Canada it is freezing.

Kenewick Bank's Motion To Have Case Tried In Equity Overruled

Not wishing to pun, it may be said that the issue of the First National bank of Kenewick, Wash., vs. Swindler is a very trying case. It's trying to one endeavoring to write it up, for it's easy to say that an attachment cannot be sued out in an equity case, when the reverse is true; to the defense, which is anxious to have a jury pass on it; to the plaintiff, who is desirous of keeping the jury in the distance and make it an equity proceeding, and to the court, who has to listen to miles and miles of argument on things that poor, common folk understand nothing about.

TROOPS TO BE READY

HOPE OF MEXICAN PEACE IS SLIGHT, AS FEDERAL COMMANDER IMPRISONS PEACE ENVOY AS TRAITOR

UNITED PRESS SERVICE WASHINGTON, D. C., Feb. 3.—Orders have been issued in the war department warning that a "maneuver camp" might be established on the Mexican boundary.

Two regiments at San Antonio have been provided with marching rations and field equipment. Three thousand men at posts near the line have been ordered to be in readiness to go to El Paso.

Peace Seems Unlikely

EL PASO, Feb. 3.—Hope of peace has been practically abandoned. It is learned that federals have imprisoned Alvarado Amaya, commander of the fiscal guards at Jaures, sent south last night to treat with the federals. He is held as a traitor.

Jaures Is Rebel Center

UNITED PRESS SERVICE EL PASO, Feb. 3.—The revolutionary junta has announced that Jaures has been chosen as provisional headquarters. Varques Gomez, at San Antonio, Texas, has been asked to come and assume charge.

The junta plans to send a representative to Washington. Chihuahua dispatches san Antonio Rojas, released yesterday, with 400 followers, threatens to attack the city unless Governor Gonzalez releases all the political prisoners.

General Orozco is preparing to defend the city.

Bar Menace to Americans

UNITED PRESS SERVICE WASHINGTON, D. C., Feb. 3.—Secretary of War Stimson has ordered General Duncan, commanding the department of Texas, to utilize his troops in his department, totaling 5,000 men, to maintain peace on the border, and prevent firing across the Rio Grande. He is positively ordered to allow no menace to American citizens or property. State department reports are pessimistic. Chihuahua is expected to fall into rebel hands. Federals below Mexico City are apparently unable to hold the larger towns.

Rebels Rampant in Morelos

UNITED PRESS SERVICE MEXICO CITY, Feb. 3.—Morelos state reports that Zapatistas have captured towns in Coatepequecan. They have besieged Chieravaca, Cuata and Coyaca. Another detachment of rebels captured Decatlan. Fighting is reported practically all over Morelos. Scores have been killed. Rebels are apparently gaining the upper hand. Wires are down, and details are unobtainable.

The White Pelican Orchestra will have a six-piece band to furnish the music at their dance at the opera house tomorrow night.