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M'NARY URGES SENATE AID TO SAVE FORESTS

Appropriation of $150,000 is Asked for to Fight Pine Bettle Pest, Which Destroys Millions.

WASHINGTON, June 18.—Senator McNary has asked the senate to appropriate $150,000 to protect the forests of Oregon from the pine beetle. After he introduced the bill Senator McNary made the following statement:

"At the request of the secretary of agriculture I presented to the senate for its consideration a bill appropriating $150,000 to be used in the prevention of loss of timber from insect infestions on public land in Oregon and California.

"After a most careful study by the bureau of entomology of the department of agriculture, the bureau announced that approximately one billion feet of yellow and sugar pine timber have been killed by the bark beetle over a million and a quarter acres situated in this region.

Loss Over $3,000,000

"The monetary loss involved amounts to over $3,000,000, and unless heroic measures are taken the loss will grow until it will encompass all the valuable pine timber in this belt.

"The legislature of the state of Oregon passed a bill which provides for the declaring of insect infestatiems of this character to be a public nuisance and for the compulsory abatement of that nuisance by owners of the land.

"While this law is a wise piece of legislation it cannot be effective until the government controls the work and destroys insects upon government owned or administered lands.

Government Aid Urged

"There must be simultaneous efforts upon the part of the government agencies as well as the private land owners, in order to bring about a complete corrective of the conditions so perilous to the pine timber in these two states.

"Infestations cover part of Fremont Crater national forests in Oregon and Modoc, Klamath and Shasta national forests in California, the Klamath Indian reservations in Oregon and the lands formerly granted to the Oregon & California Railroad company and small areas of lightly timbered public domain."

All British Labor is Asked to Join Strike

LONDON, June 18.—The miners executive committee has asked all trades unions affected by the wage dispute to meet the miners' representatives soon to take national action with the miners to secure their mutual demands. Secretary Hodges of the miners union said this implied a general strike if the other unions agreed to the conference.

FAULTY PAVING REPAIRED BY CONSTRUCTION CO.

The bad break that existed in the asphaltum paving on Main street between Seventh and Eighth streets was repaired this forenoon by the Warren Construction company's crew and a number of faulty places on Eighth street were also patched up. Klamath avenue's bad spots were repaired yesterday.

READY TO PAY OFF ELECTION BOARDS

County Clerk De Lap announced today that the expense lists in the recent election have been made by the clerk and are now ready for submission to the county court at their next session. As soon as they are passed on and approved, the warrants will be made out.

AMERICANS WIN FIRST INTERNATIONAL POLO GAME

LONDON, June 18.—The American team won the first of the polo matches for the international trophy today, defeating Great Britain 11 to 4.

Amundsen in Nome; Ship Damaged by Grinding Ice Floe

NOME, Alaska, June 18.—Ronald Amundsen, discoverer of the South Pole, who started on an expedition to reach the North Pole, arrived in Nome yesterday. His ship, Maude, which wintered off Cape Serge, Siberia, lost her propeller in the ice during the winter and will be towed to Nome for repairs. Amundsen is to leave for a visit in Seattle, but said he would continue his effort to reach the North Pole by drifting with the arctic ice floes as soon as his vessel is repaired.

AUXILIARY IS READY TO WORK

The womens' Auxiliary to the chamber of commerce met yesterday in the forum rooms of the chamber to adopt a constitution and by laws. Mrs. Charles Eberlein spoke on the subject, "What We Might Do For Klamath" and Mrs. C. V. Fisher on "Tree Planting, Trees and Shrubs." The reception committee consisted of Mesdames R. E. Smith, Ed Martin, W. A. Weist and Mrs. L. L. Truax. Tea was served by Mesdames J. E. Enders, Charles Moore and Hardin Carter.

The members chosen on the various committees were: Drinking fountains, Mesdames Truax, Harrison and Fred Murphy; canals, Mesdames Eberlein, Mills and Baker; flower show, Mesdames Moe, West, Krause, Martin and Alberson; bureau of seeds, Mesdames Bogardus, W. C. Smith and Grizzle.

Fans Reserve Seats For July 4th Fight

The fact that Klamath Falls will be the only city in southern Oregon to have boxing on the Fourth of July has caused a number of local supporters of the game to reserve the entire front row of 50 ringside tickets, the arrangements being made this afternoon with Manager McDonald.

Any fan who desires to secure a reserved ticket can get it now by calling at the Rex Cafe where tickets are on sale and will be until further notification.

Boy Scouts are Back From Lava Beds Trip

The party consisting of some two score Boy Scouts and 11 men, that spent two days this week in exploring the Lava Beds, returned last evening about 5 o'clock. All reported an enjoyable time, marred by a slight accident when a rock was dislodged and struck George Will, son of L. A. Will of Mills addition, breaking two small bones in his left foot and lacerating his legs. He is in the Klamath General hospital here. The accident occurred Thursday.

"The Rainbow" Will Be Opened Tonight

Formal opening of the Rainbow confectionery, on Main street between Fourth and Fifth, will take place at 7 o'clock tonight, announce Mrs. Edith Ream, King Price and H. R. Hilton, proprietors.

The store, formerly occupied by Brandenburg's dry goods store, has been remodeled, redecorated and equipped with the latest sanitary devices for confectionery service.

Besides candy and ice cream there will be a delicatessen department, and light luncheons will be served.

Mr. Price announces there is a surprise in store for all visitors at tonight's opening that they cannot afford to miss. Arthur Bean will play and sing.

BALL TEAM TO YREKA

The Copcos of Klamath Falls this afternoon announced that they have agreed to play the Copcos of Yreka tomorrow at their diamond and that the batteries for the locals will be Hutchison, Allen and Wers. A party of rooters will accompany the team to Yreka.

JAIL BREAK IS FRUSTRATED BY CITY OFFICERS

An outbreak of the prisoners confined in the jail at the city hall was frustrated early this morning by the vigilance of Fire Chief Keith Ambrose, who suspected that all the hilarity and musical rendition in the quarters below the fire department was not sincere, especially at that time of the night, and when he went below to examine, he found that the prisoners were busy breaking off a bolt.

The plot which the prisoners had formed was to either break jail tonight after 10 o'clock in order to have ten hours start, or waylay R. A. Thompson when he opened the cells in the morning, then scatter broadcast. As one of the prisoners remarked after the discovery, "we planned to put the fat boy down for the count."

By the "under ground route," tools were smuggled into the jail from the outside and by prying in the frame of a window in the women's cells, a heavy window weight was secured. Then the singing began and during that time, the sound of the blows on the bolt were drowned out.

This morning Chief Wilson searched the cells and found the weight concealed in the women's part of the jail. A number of saws were recovered several days ago but this morning the "cache" could not be found. It is said that a new supply was smuggled in recently. Police inquiry revealed that the leaders in the plot last night were the "Katzenjamer kids," the Wilkins brothers and William Martin, all held on serious charges. They were a crestfallen lot this morning when the search revealed the cache.

WOOL TARIFF IN NEW BILL 25C A POUND

Herald Washington Bureau

WASHINGTON, June 18.—While the wool schedule in the new tariff is not complete and is one of the primary causes of the delay in getting this measure on the floor of the house, it is now known definitely that the tariff basis for the importation of wool will be on a scoured basis, and not on a grease basis.

Duty 25c a Pound

The duty will be 25 cents per pound, and the American producer of wool will be protected to the fullest extent by this decision.

Lumber and metals are a schedule that the ways and means committee is also having much difficulty with. An effort is being made either to keep lumber on the free list or put it on a retaliatory schedule, which means that countries not levying a duty on forest products of the United States would get free entry for similar products sent across our borders and would have to pay a duty similir to that imposed by them on our products.

No Report Before July 1

In spite of all assurances to the contrary, there appears no prospect of the tariff bill being reported to the house much before July 1, and it will have a story passage in both houses.

MANY JOIN IN DISCUSSION OF LOWERED COSTS

There were men in every rank of life at the meeting held last night at the Chamber of Commerce rooms for the purpose of solving some of the problems that are confronting the industrial and business institutions of this city, but little was accomplished in a definite way towards the settlement of the questions involved.

A committee consisting of eleven members, was appointed to investigate the living and wage questions in this city and report at a future meeting. The committee consisting of James Stevens, F. A. Baker, A. L. Wishard, Mrs. Harry Ackley, Mrs. E. S. Henry, Lawrence Phelps, C. F. Trimble, R. H. Dunbar, George Forge, T. L. Stanley, A. J. Voye, and from this group four members, C. W. Eberlein, F. A. Baker, A. L. Wishard and James Stevens, on a motion by F. A. Baker, were chosen as the inquisitorial body to root out the exact living wage and other faults.

The meeting was presided over by R. H. Dunbar and during the time when the opportunity was given all the different classes of business and labor men present an opportunity to air theri troubles. The only points assailed were the high rent, poor transportation and taxation conditions.

After the formal meeting was over, the various units assembled in knots and voiced the things that should have been brought out in the session. Informal talks were made by Fred. Houston, A. J. Voye, W. H. Mason, Charles Eberlein, Louis Bradford, Fred Baker, Lawrence Phelps, Charles Hall, G. A. Krause and others, on various subjects. Poor transportation and the high rent problem received most of the attention, and at the next meeting, it is planned to bring out the facts by the committee selected to inquire into matters which will help solve the present troubles.

The eleven members of the committee are to hold a session at the chamber rooms Monday evening at 8 o'clock.

Changes in Command Of U. S. Naval Units

WASHINGTON, June 18.—Rear Admiral E. W. Eberle, commanding the battleship division of the Atlantic fleet, was today named commander in chief of the Pacific fleet with the rank of admiral. He will succeed Admiral Hugh Rodman, who will be assigned to command the naval operating base at Hampton Roads, Va., in place of Rear Admiral H. F. Jones, who is assigned to command the Atlantic fleet with the rank of admiral. Admiral Jones will succeed Admiral H. B. Wilson, who on June 30 will assume command of the Annapolis naval academy.

BRADLEYS WILL MAKE NEW HOME IN PENDLETON

Mr. and Mrs. George Bradley and baby have returned from a two weeks trip through Oregon. They went through central Oregon and returned by Portland and the Williamette and Rogue river valley. Crops are fine everywhere, said Mr. Bradley, and it looks like a season of great agricultural production is coming.

Mr. Bradley has decided to locate in Pendleton and has purchased a shoe repairing shop there. He and his wife returned to dispose of their belongings here and will leave for their new home as soon as that is done.

PROTECT THE FOREST

The forest fire season is here again.

The annual loss in the past from forest fires has run into many million dollars.

A growing forest is an asset to any state—a burned forest is a heavy liability.

No sane man would think of starting a fire in his house and leave it to destroy the house.

Thousands of people will start fires in their outdoor homes, the forests, and go away and leave the fire to its work of destruction.

If each person would exert his or herself to save our great forests, 80 per cent of the forest fire loss would be eliminated.

State Dep't. Asked To Stop Dempsey-Carpentier Contest

CINCINNATI, June 18.— Dr. Wilbur F. Crafts, of Washington, founder and head of the international reform bureau, forwarded from Cincinnati today a petition to Secretary of State Hughes requesting him to stop the fight between Dempsey and Carpentier.

The petition was sent on behalf of the Lift and Thought club, of Lincoln, Nebraska, a businessmen's organization, said Dr. Crafts.

WEATHER REPORT

OREGON—Tonight and Sunday, probably rain in west; fair in east.

DR. WRIGHT BACK FROM LONG TRIP

Dr. and Mrs. George I. Wright and daughter, Miss Henrietta, returned last night from an extended trip east and a side trip up into the Alaskan territory.

While in the east, Dr. Wright attended the one hundred and thirty-third assembly of the Presbyterian church at Winona Lake, Indiana, which went into session May 19 and lasted until the 27th of the month, acting as commissioner from the Southern Oregon Presbytery, representing the churches of Lake, Curry, Klamath, Jackson, Josephine, and Douglas counties.

Dr. Wright stated, according to the report of the church leader, this assembly was the greatest ever held in point of numbers and results accomplished. There were more than 900 commissioners from all the states besides delegates who brought the attendance up to 2000. The report of the assembly showed that the church had enjoyed great growth in membership and benevolences. The financial condition was good and the debts contracted during the war were almost wiped out.

The notable feature was the strength of the work towards development of the rising generation and the prospects for the union of all the Presbyterian bodies of the United States, the Welsh branch being assimilated at the meeting. Foreign missions were reported as growing in numbers. The work in Persia was badly handicapped owing to internal disorders while the Chinese missions were good and would flourish despite the counteracting influences of the Japanese military party who were interfering, as they were in Korea where the missionaries were accused of fomenting revolutions. Prominent speakers present were, Congresswoman Miss Alice Robertson of Oklahoma, Timothy Stone of Chicago and W. J. Bryan of Lincoln, Nebraska. All spoke at the assembly.

At the close of the assembly, Dr. Wright and his family were in Chicago while he attended the clinic at Northwestern University. After that the family toured Canada and at Prince Rupert joined the Vancouver, B. C., Trade Extension tourists and visited the Portland canal section in Alaska.

MILDRED BIEHN STILL LEADING

Latest standing of candidates for Goddess of Liberty:

Mildred Biehn	4930
Blanche Conway	3420
Esther Calkins	1530
Josephine McClain	1100
Gladys Richter	430
Ruth Lindsay	280
Florence Bradley	220
Marie Davenport	100
Gene Hauger	90
M. Robin	50
Hatha Oden	50
Ruth Dixon	30
Kathryn Bustamente	20
Henrietta Sanders	20
Bessie Kilgore	10
Gladys Loftus	10
Clara Calkins	10
Anna Schofield	10
Willie Mallmann	10
Ring Pengelly	10

CELEBRATION ARRANGEMENTS ARE COMPLETE

Except for Small Details, Program for Two Days' Festival Is Ready, Says Manager.

The program and details of the Fourth of July celebration are nearly ready to place on an official program for public distribution all over Oregon and northern California, states Manager Bert McDonald, and the celebration to be held here in Klamath Falls on the Fourth will be one that no city in the state can compare with for all around general interest.

The boxing program was made into a two day affair instead of one and it is estimated the amount of money that will be taken in at the gate will just about pay the expenses of the "card" that is being prepared for the two days. The principals for the first day Baby Blue and Sammy Gordon have made their way up the boxing ladder to the top and their contest will be a whirlwind event. Some fast preliminaries will be staked and the flyweight event between "Tuffy Anderson" and "Young Biehn" will alone be worth the admission price. The principals for the second day are to be signed this evening, Manager McDonald states. There will be 24 rounds each day and all affairs are set for the afternoons. This city will be the only place in southern Oregon where boxing contests will be staged.

The water carnival has been so well arranged and contains so many features, entirely new to this section ,that it will be a distinct novelty in itself. The realistic blowing up of the minature battleship "Maine" will be something never attempted in the west before.

The parade has had many features added to it since the first day it was announced and the fact that many handsome floats will compete for prizes will make it interesting. The crowning of the Goddess of Liberty who, with a coterie of beautiful maids, will lead the parade, will lend color to the first day events. The crown will be placed upon her head by Mayor Wiley who gives her the authority to rule wisely over her subjects that day.

The band will play special selections both days. At night, dancers can display their art on the streets, and, mingling with the visitors, will be quaint and wierdly dressed "carnival queens and dominoes." The "Horribles" will surprise the spectators with their wonderful performance. Free attractions and the big barbecue will be special features. The roasting pits are ready for the sides of beef and mutton. Athletic sports and ball games are being prepared especially for the women and children. The committee has such a wonderful store of amusements that all cannot be enumerated.

Merchants are ordering bunting and flags for the occasion and this city will put on a gala attire that it has not had for five years. Inquiry is coming in daily regarding the program. Everybody scents the fact that never before in the history of Klamath Falls have such big plans been entered into. Visitors are already reserving quarters for the two days' celebration and critics say it will be the "best ever put over."

Weather Probabilities

The Cyclo-Stormagraph at Underwood's Pharmacy has registered a slow but continuous rise in barometric pressure since yesterday afternoon, and although the aspect is quite threatening at the time of going to press the indications are that Sunday will be a pleasant day.

Forecast for next 24 hours: Generally fair, probably cool, with variable winds.