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FRUIT EMBARGO IS TO REMAIN PIERCE STATES

LEGION URGES MERCHANTS TO CLOSE HOLIDAY Resolutions Passed for Memorial Observance in This City

Resolutions requesting that Klamath Falls merchants close their places of business Memorial Day as well as other national holidays were passed at the meeting of Klamath Falls post of the American Legion last night.

The legion post asks for respect for the patriotic holidays including Memorial Day, Independence Day and Armistice Day.

The following is the resolution passed:

WHEREAS, it is the custom of certain business houses selling dry goods, clothing, furniture, groceries, sporting goods and hardware in Klamath Falls, to remain open all day on patriotic holidays notably May 30th, Memorial Day, July 4th, Independence Day and November 11th, Armistice Day, while a great majority of such houses close, and

WHEREAS, this is inconsistent with true loyalty and the accepted code of American business ethics, and

WHEREAS, this practice serves as a poor example to the younger generation in the community, and has a tendency towards bringing in an undesirable type of merchants,

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, That Klamath Post No. 8, in accordance with the announced principles of the Grand Army of the Republic, Veterans of Indian Wars, United Spanish War Veterans and the American Legion, disapproves of this practice and urges all business houses to remain closed all day on these holidays.

The continued practice of the disrespect for these patriotic holidays will cause such offenders to be regarded as disloyal to our national ideas and institutions.

(Signed) RESOLUTION COMMITTEE, KLAMATH POST NO. 8, AMERICAN LEGION, FEN S. WATTE, REV. T. A. MERYWEATHER, LANN W. NEEMATH, ALFRED D. COLLIER, REV. H. P. ANDREWS.

Approved by the Executive Committee. H. E. Getz, chairman and commander, Geo. M. Barth, adjutant.

LAW ENFORCEMENT CONGRESS TO SEND INVITATIONS HERE Invitations to local church organizations or individuals who are interested in the enforcement of the prohibition laws to attend the law enforcement congress to be held at Portland June 3 to 5 have been received here.

Launching of a crusade that will continue until the prohibition statutes are thoroughly enforced in Oregon, Washington and Idaho, is the stated aim of the anti-saloon leagues of the three states which are sponsoring the Northwest Citizens' Law Enforcement Congress.

The program, now virtually complete, embraces every phase of law enforcement, with William "Pussyfoot" Johnson, Governor Pat M. Neff of Texas, and other well-known speakers, featured.

Not only will the dry officers' relation to bootlegging activities be discussed, but the responsibility of the individual, the parent, the church, the press and the prosecutor, is to be given a thorough airing, according to W. J. Herwig, superintendent of the Oregon Anti-Saloon League, and other prohibition leaders engaged in framing the program.

THE WEATHER The Cyclo-Stormograph at Underwood's Pharmacy shows a slight rise in barometric pressure to-day. Continued fair weather is indicated.

Forecast for next 24 hours: Fair with brisk winds which will diminish.

The Tycoos recording thermometer registered maximum and minimum temperatures today as follows: High 66 Low 37

New Theatre Will Soon Be Open in City

Negotiations Being Concluded for Taking Over The Orpheus

Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Sebreen of Medford and Central Point, were in Klamath Falls today concluding negotiations for opening a new moving picture house here. The Sebreens who have a first class theater in Central Point are taking over the Orpheus Theater on Main Street and will open with first class performances between June 19 and 25. The best of motion picture equipment will be installed including two Six-B Powers machines.

Mr. and Mrs. Sebreen plan to make their home here permanently and will take a house in Klamath Falls.

TWO DIVORCE SUITS ARE FILED IN COURT

Alleging cruel and inhuman treatment, John Lewis Browers has brought suit in the circuit court against Ada Charlotte Browers. Specifically, Browers alleges that on October 15, 1922, that his wife carried and swore at him and left his home for a period of nine months; that in the summer of 1923 she conducted herself in an unladylike manner at dances held at Fort Klamath; and that in March 1924, when he remunerated with her for keeping company with a barber, she deserted him and has ever since been away from him. Browers prays that he be given partial custody of their one minor child, Niel Lewis, aged 3. The couple were married in May 1920 at Quincy, California.

Charging that her husband deserted her on July 1, 1922, and has ever since been away from her, Evelyn Corrie has brought suit for divorce from Pierre Currie.

When she left her husband on March 15, 1924, because of being nagged he followed her to where she was staying in Klamath Falls and would not leave till she threatened to call the police. Mrs. Nan J. Owings complaining against her husband in a suit for divorce brought in the circuit court. The couple were married, May 5, 1923.

WOMAN WITH CHILD IN ARMS HOLDS UP BANK AND ESCAPES

FARMINGTON, Ill., May 27.—A woman with a baby in her arms held up the Bank of Farmington this afternoon and escaped with \$1500. She forced the bank employees at the point of a revolver to hand over the cash.

ADVICE GIVEN FOR CRATER LAKE TRIP

Motorists who are planning to make the trip to Crater Lake are advised to not drive beyond a short distance of the headquarters building as it is impossible for a large car to turn around and drivers have to back out.

Many visitors to the park from Klamath Falls report that the best method is to drive to the headquarters building and then walk about a mile to the lake as this will save time rather than attempting to drive farther toward the rim. There is still about five feet of snow on the road near the lake, the visitors report.

BLAZE DESTROYS WASHINGTON MILL

EVERETT, Wash., May 27.—Fire caused \$100,000 loss destroying the Sauk shingle mill, a store and three dwellings at Sauk.

EARTHQUAKE HITS HAITI DISTRICTS

PORT AU PRINCE, Haiti, May 27.—An earthquake today wrecked building at Port De Paix, killing three persons and injuring several others.

COMPANY HERE ORGANIZED TO HELP FARMERS

Stockholders Form Dairy Cow and Hog Corporation in Klamath

Organization of the Klamath Dairy Cow and Hog company has been perfected to work in conjunction with the Dairy Cow Loan company to place dairy cows and hogs in Klamath county. The company has taken over the creamery property at Bonanza and work starts today on changing it into a cheese factory. A public killing plant is also planned whereby the company will endeavor to place the consumer closer to the producer and aid in marketing everything the farmer produces, the organizers state.

A small mill will also be placed in operation for the manufacture of feed for dairy cows and hogs.

Land Is Donated

Thirty of the most prominent farmers of the valley in that district and the business men of Bonanza have taken an interest in the new company and F. J. Bowne has donated land for the erection of the killing plant and the feed mill is the announcement. The parties responsible for the company are in touch with over a hundred families who are looking for cheap irrigated land and who understand the dairy business. These families will be brought in and placed on the land. These parties have spent six months in looking over the different states for a suitable location for development of a project of this kind and have found nothing that equals this county for the cheapness of the irrigated land and the opportunities offered for the dairy and hog business. Rose Otey Soule has been elected secretary of this company and will also be a director.

Stockholders in the company include W. H. Sparks, A. J. Hickman, W. C. Pankey, Earl B. Brown, W. J. Brown, D. F. Driscoll, David B. Turner, J. B. Casey, Thomas J. Sparks, F. J. Bowne, R. S. Sparks, W. S. Becholdt, John W. Turner, A. M. Novotny, A. E. Burge-dorf, John Miller, C. G. Slack, P. W. Slack, C. E. Provost, L. C. Wishard, Mike Padoff, Martin, Stoshler, K. C. Walker.

From these men will be chosen a board of directors and an advisory board. The purpose of the latter body will be to keep the producers in close touch with the consumers.

HODLER WILL COACH MARINE GRID TEAMS

SAN FRANCISCO, May 27.—"Duke" Holder, former Oregon Agricultural college football star, has been signed to coach the Mare Island Marines football team this fall. Holder has been coaching the Polytechnic high school here.

GRAND JURY READY TO ACT ON REPORT

PORTLAND, May 27.—The grand jury which has been investigating county affairs was reported ready to take action on its findings which are being drawn up by attorneys who have been directing the probe.

ARGUMENTS START FOR WESTON TRIAL

THE DALLES, May 27.—The opening argument was made in the third trial of A. J. Weston here today, following the completion of the jury late yesterday. The case is here on a change of venue from Bend. Weston is charged with killing Robert Krug in 1919.

STATE MEDICS OPEN ANNUAL MEET TODAY

PORTLAND, May 27.—The fifty-ninth annual meeting of the Oregon Medical Society opened here today. Dr. A. C. Kinney, who 50 years ago helped found the organization, will become president again tomorrow.

Klamaths to Discuss Loan Plan Measure

Indians to Receive \$750,000 Annually on Tribal Land Sales

To discuss further the reimbursement plan as advocated by the bill now pending in congress a tribal council of the Klamath Indians is being held this afternoon at DuVall hall at Chiloquin.

The Klamath delegation left Klamath Falls, last February for Washington, D. C., in the interest of passing a bill S. 2666, which bill calls for a reimbursable loan of \$5,000,000 from the United States government, the loan to be paid back by the Klamaths from the funds derived from the sale of tribal timber.

Dr. Hubert Work, secretary of the Interior, reports in his recent letter to the committee that the Klamaths will be receiving \$750,000 annually from the sale of tribal timber. A meeting of the Klamath Tribal Council was held in Chiloquin yesterday afternoon at DuVall hall and it was decided to have another hearing today so that all the members would be able to attend as some have to travel great distances. This loan is looked upon with great interest by all the people of Klamath county and will be of great benefit to the Klamaths.

KUYKENDALL HERE TO CONFER ON THE UNIVERSITY DRIVE

To meet with the alumni and former students of the University of Oregon that reside in Klamath Falls Robert Kuykendall, chairman of the state committee in charge of the campaign to raise funds for the university building program, will be here Thursday. Harold J. Warner will also be here to represent the state alumni, according to word received by John Houston, chairman of the Klamath county committee in charge of the campaign.

Houston is planning to arrange for a meeting of the U. of O. alumni and students to meet with the alumni representatives.

RUNAWAY GIRL WHO DISLIKED SCHOOL FOUND IN CHICAGO

CHICAGO, May 27.—Gertrude Baker, 16-year-old academy student, thought victim of kidnapers since her disappearance last Wednesday, was found last night keeping house in a stable-keeper's apartment. She had taken on the duties of sweeping and cooking in preference to school work, she said. She was taken to the juvenile home pending the arrival of her mother from Yakima, Wash. Bert H. Jeffery, at whose apartment she was found working is held by the police.

SPANISH WAR VETS ERECT FLAG STAFF

Herbert Applegate Camp, United Spanish War Veterans has completed the erection of the new flag-staff in the city cemetery, from which the flag will be flown at half mast on Memorial Day in memory of departed veterans. The staff replaces the old wood monument which has been there for several years and which has become badly weather beaten and decayed. The new staff is about thirty feet high, nicely peeled and firmly concreted in the ground.

CHAMBER REPORTS MANY CARS COMING

Twenty-three cars from other states were registered at the Klamath Falls chamber of commerce last Saturday which is the largest number recorded here on one day this year. Nineteen of the cars were from California. Last year the record day during mid-summer showed 22 "foreign" cars registered at the local chamber.

A steady increase in the number of motor tourists coming here is noted at the chamber registration office with predictions that the total this year will double the figures of last year.

SMUGGLERS IN PLOT TO EVADE BORDER GUARD

Fruit and Vegetables Come In Through Quarantine Patrols

With the arrest yesterday afternoon of a fruit and vegetable bootlegger at Malin, the influx of fruits and vegetables from California has been stopped. The truck which was laden with citrus fruits and green vegetables was stripped, fumigated, and the driver released on his own recognizance.

Suspicion of the importations of fruits and vegetables into Oregon from California originated from the Keno disinfecting station. Al Crystal noticed four or five trucks passing through Keno on their way to California every few days. So often did the trucks come through that he came to recognize the drivers.

But the trucks never came back through Keno on their way from California. Investigation disclosed that fruits and vegetables were being sold in Klamath Falls that did not come from the Rogue River Valley.

On Saturday afternoon, the matter was brought before the county court by Klamath cattlemen, backed up by the county agent's office. The county court offered their hearty support in the stopping of any unlawful importations into Klamath county.

By the establishment of the two disinfecting stations at Merrill and Malin on the border, the routes open for the bringing in of fruits and vegetables has been cut off.

METHODISTS RAISE BAN ON AMUSEMENT

SPRINGFIELD, Mass., May 27.—The Methodist ban on amusements except those "which cannot be used in the name of the Lord Jesus," was lifted today by a five to one vote of the Methodist Episcopal general conference here today.

A minority report forbidding attendance at theaters on Sunday and specifying dancing as immoral was tabled, 64 to 96.

PHLEN SLATED TO NOMINATE McADOO

CHICAGO, May 27.—James D. Phelan, San Francisco former United States Senator of California, has been selected to place the name of William G. McAdoo before the Democratic national convention of New York. He is McAdoo's personal choice.

BIDS ASKED ON NEW SCHOOLS IN COUNTY

Plans for the new school house at Lorella, at the Lower Poe Valley and the addition to the school at Malin, having been approved, bids for the construction are being advertised and will be open at a special meeting of the county school board to be held on June 6. The school houses will be each one room structures.

BILL PROVIDES FOR PARTY GIFTS DATA

WASHINGTON, May 27.—Carrying the Borah amendment for full publicity on political contributions during the progress of campaigns, the postal salary increase bill passed the Senate today.

NEWARK HOTEL FIRE CAUSES SIX DEATHS

NEWARK, May 27.—Six men are known to be dead in a fire today, which destroyed the Windsor Hotel on Halsey street. The hotel housed 100 men last night.

JAPANESE CABINET TO FRAME PROTEST

TOKIO, May 27.—The cabinet will meet in extraordinary session tomorrow to reach a decision on a protest to America on the new immigration bill, containing the clause excluding the Japanese.

IRRIGATION BILL WILL BE PRESSED COMMITTEE SAYS

WASHINGTON, May 27.—By a formal vote the house irrigation committee decided today to press the bill designed to afford relief to settlers on reclamation projects and carry out the recommendations of Secretary Work's fact-finding commission. Representative Baker democrat, of California, declared the bill would charge off more than \$28,000,000 on the eve of an election, and asked more witnesses be summoned. He was not supported by the other committee members.

PROCLAMATION OF HOLIDAYS ISSUED BY MAYOR WILSON

Memorial Day, May 30 and the afternoon of June 4, the date of the Mile High celebration, were proclaimed holidays by Mayor Wilson last night and the action was approved by the city council. Mayor Wilson issued the following proclamation urging the merchants of the city to recognize Memorial Day and similar proclamation will be issued in a few days asking them to recognize the afternoon of June 4.

WHEREAS, to promote patriotism and loyalty to our beloved country and to show respect to the dead who have fallen in their defense, a day is yearly set apart for observance of Memorial Day;

AND WHEREAS, this day has been for many years observed and the need for observance has been freshly brought to our minds by the sacrifices in the great conflict through which the country has recently passed; Now therefore,

I, Arthur R. Wilson, Mayor of Klamath Falls, do hereby commend the action of the merchants bureau of our city in recommending the closing of our places of business on Friday, May 30, and express the hope that this closing will be general in the city and vicinity to the end that all may have the opportunity of joining with the veterans of Klamath county and other organizations in the proper observance of this day.

Let us do our part by decoration and participation in Memorial exercises to show our devotion to the heroic dead of the nation.

(Signed) ARTHUR R. WILSON, Mayor of Klamath Falls.

TROPHY AWARDED ON ATTENDANCE AT CHAUTAUQUA MEET

A gold lined, silver loving cup has been awarded to the Klamath Falls Junior Chautauqua for the largest attendance of any of 140 towns on the Pacific Coast at the Ellison White six day circuit entertainment. This city has been designated as the banner town, and an inscription to this effect is on the cup which is to be put on display at Underwood's Pharmacy, Seventh and Main street. Klamath Falls was awarded a pennant for attendance during the season of 1922 and executive of the Chautauqua, which opens here again Thursday of this week, expect the previous records to be surpassed this year.

HOLLAND ACQUITTED IN ASSAULT TRIAL

Two minutes, just long enough to choose a foreman and sign the verdict, was the time taken by a jury to return a verdict of not guilty against Earl Holland, tried on a charge of assault and battery in the justice court yesterday afternoon. Holland was charged with striking Maude Revenue and Frank Franklin.

Jarvis in the case were G. A. McCarthy, J. T. Jenkins, Jasper Bennett, L. O. Arens, Frank Armstrong and F. R. Matt.

WEED BOY LOST AND SEARCHERS ARE OUT

YREKA, Calif., May 27.—Searching parties are following trails for William King Jr., son of William King, superintendent of the Longvale Lumber company, Weed, Calif. King has been lost in the mountains since early Sunday when he failed to return from a fishing trip. Young King is a clerk in the lumber mill.

GOVERNOR HAS CHANGED MIND ON DECISIONS

Chief Executive Avers Epidemic Still Prevalent in California

SALEM, May 27.—Oregon will not modify the quarantine against California products at least for two or three weeks, the governor decided today. In that period California can show an actual cessation in the spread of the foot and mouth disease, the quarantine will be modified, probably to admit all fruits and vegetables when fumigated, but not wool.

The governor's decision is based upon advice of Dr. B. T. Simms, Oregon's special representative in California, Dr. W. H. Lytle, state veterinarian and Walter K. Taylor, chairman of the State livestock sanitary board. Maps were produced at the conference today showing there has been a spread of the disease in the last two weeks. The governor is to issue a statement setting forth the exact conditions upon which the modification will be made if the spread is stopped.

Dr. Lytle said the federal authorities resent Oregon's stringent quarantine and declared that federal livestock inspectors have been withdrawn from the state. Dr. Lytle recently requested a federal inspector to be sent into the state to assist him in sheep scab work. He was told no inspector was available, and that if one were available he would not be sent to Oregon.

Governor Pierce's decision concerning the continued ban on the importation of fruits from California will result in tremendous financial loss to commission merchants of Oregon, according to a statement made today by C. E. Jay, Klamath Falls manager for the Wood-Curtis Company. Mr. Jay declared the situation is serious and stressed the necessity of allowing California products to be imported if this section of the country is to have fresh fruits or vegetables of any kind.

That the products could be brought in from the territory about Sacramento, California, an uninfected area, was Mr. Jay's statement. Freight rates from the south are much lower than on commodities brought in from the Portland district, and the selection much larger, according to Mr. Jay.

COOS BAY PIRATES WILL ATTEND SHOW

Two carloads of Coos Bay Pirates will be among those present at the "Mile High" celebration to be held at Hayden Meadow June 4, according to word from Captain Kidd Taylor, big chief of the booster club. The Pirates are coming over on a friendly visit to assist in the success of the Klamath Falls-Ashland show but true to their name and reputation they are firm in the resolution to take back to the bay the silver trophy in the stunt competition, in the announcement of Captain Kidd.

ROAD SHOW WILL BE TOPIC AT LUNCHEON

Plans for the road opening celebration to be held at Hayden Meadow on the Klamath Falls-Ashland highway June 4, will be the principal topics to be discussed at the chamber of commerce luncheon forum here tomorrow. Windshield stickers will be distributed to the car owners who are to take part in the caravan from here. The chamber speakers will urge that as large an attendance as possible represent this city at the celebration event.

MUSCLE SHOAL BILL GOES TO COMMITTEE

WASHINGTON, May 27.—The Norris bill for government operation of the Muscle Shoals project was reported today to the Senate agricultural committee by a vote of 11 to 4. A motion to report on the Ford bid was defeated 11 to 5.