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## Uncensored Observations

### LOCOED FELLER

Here's an insight into the inner circles. Six famous Klamath politicians, successful and unsuccessful, give their mythical answers to a question that will shed a searching light into the inner workings of the grape-vine press. Why were they successful or unsuccessful?

### Today's Question

What do you consider to be the biggest factor in Klamath politics?

- Today's Answers.
- Judge A. L. Leavitt—Corruption.
- W. O. Smith—Women.
- Bill Lee—Blah!
- Andy Collier—Talk lots and say little.
- Burrell Short—Promises.
- Louis K. Porter—Committee harmony.
- C. C. Brower—Votes, unfortunately.

With spring in the air, the lowly but delectable Lost River cat fish has become the objective of Klamath fishermen who, feeling the familiar itch to be on the banks of a stream, choose the cats to satisfy their desire till the opening of fishing season. So on a Sunday, one can stroll up and down the banks of the quiet, peaceful Lost river and perceive with his own eyes, ardent fly fishermen, smoking a pipe and eyeing a bobber. Occasionally the fly expert would laboriously pull up his line and bait up with a huge piece of raw beef or a wriggling, twisting worm. Many of these self same anglers, two months hence, will scorn the fishermen who with salmon eggs or angle worms seek to attract the attention of the hungry trout. The fish are available though, in large quantities. In the deep quiet pools, just off the main current of the river, many fishermen pulled out dozens of fine cat fish last Sunday.

Itch and scratch and excavating days are here again, for with the advent of spring has come the lowly tick, one of the most indefatigable diggers and excavators extant. The habits of the tick are well known in this community, by those who have been out in the woods during the spring. The unobtrusive little insect quietly burrows into one's clothing and eventually digs his way into the pores of the skin and remains there. When the free meal ticket of the pestiferous beast becomes apprised, of his activities, he tries to pull him out. He succeeds in part, for the head easily separates from the body and excavation is necessary to free one of the head.

The regiment of Ironsides have arrived and have pitched camp by their old headquarters along side of the hot springs, in the eastern part of town. The personnel of this 7th estate is designated as Ironsides by their miraculous ability in drinking large quantities of wood alcohol—bottled out of canned heat—without falling dead. The police force routed the vanguard of the Ironsides last night when Charlie O'Brien and Ben Briggs, were tossed into the city jail for drinking canned heat, and "Montana Red" was invited to leave the city. The boys down at the police station—who it may be said are not babes in arms—were wondering how any man could withstand the poison that members of the Ironside clique seem to relish. One patrolman told of picking up a man on the street who was so black in the face from the effects of drinking canned heat, that it was thought he was a negro.

And they both took the numbers from the other car and went their way. That is the way bystanders branded the near-amash-up suffered by T. P. Henderson of the K. D. company and Lee Craft, former traffic cop when they met in an accidental manner this morning. Craft was backing away in his grand and glorious Packard from Sixth street when along came Henderson, his mind seriously bent on the affairs of the company, and not paying attention to a mere Packard when his Hup could get him there just the same. But all's well that ends in the finish. The Noble Hup suffered a bent fender and the Glorious Packard submitted to a badly dented bumper. And as was said before, they took their numbers and went their way.

A man begs to his wife for the same reason that he once whittled when passing a cemetery at night.

## COOLIDGE AND DAWES TAKE UP NATION'S WORK

### Four Years of Service Planned by President and Vice President

WASHINGTON, March 5.—Having pledged himself anew to the service of the nation in an inaugural ceremony of almost unprecedented simplicity, President Coolidge took up today the four years burden placed upon his shoulders by the people with no indication that he might change his simple program of "doing the day's work."

Vice President Dawes, inducted into that office yesterday shortly before the president's inauguration, faced his second day as presiding officer of the special session of the new senate. Meanwhile, with the startling effects of his precedent breaking inaugural address are still fresh in the minds of members. Some sided with him in his attack on senate rules, which permit one man to tie up legislation with a filibuster; some frankly and vigorously didn't and a few were neutral.

One Member Lacking  
With the induction into office today of Frank B. Kellogg of Minnesota, as Secretary of State, succeeding Charles E. Hughes, and William M. Jardine of Kansas, as Secretary of Agriculture, to take the place vacated by Howard M. Gore to become governor of West Virginia, the president's cabinet still lacks one member, an attorney general.

The nomination of Charles B. Warren of Michigan, to fill this post left vacant with the elevation of Harlan F. Stone to the supreme court, was allowed to expire with the sixty eighth congress at noon yesterday, and its resumption in the special session of the senate, called chiefly to act on such matters, will be one of the principal nominations to engage its attention.

President At Desk  
Everett Sanders of Indiana, successor to Bancroft C. Sloop, as Secretary to the president, was sworn in late yesterday after his term as representative from Indiana ended with the congress.

## INDEPENDENCE MAY LOSE OUT

### State Treasurer Kay Points Out Faulty Law on Training School

SALEM, Ore., March 5.—There is a possibility that construction of a training school at Independence for the Monmouth normal school, for which the legislature appropriated \$125,000, may be unconstitutional.

The point was raised at a meeting of the state board of control today by State Treasurer Kay, who cited a constitutional provision which prohibits the construction of state buildings anywhere outside of Marion county without a vote of the people.

Governor Pierce said that in approving the appropriation the provision of the constitution had escaped him.

Secretary Abrams of the board was instructed to get an opinion from Attorney General Van Winkle.

## Canadian Coal Miners Will Stage Big Strike

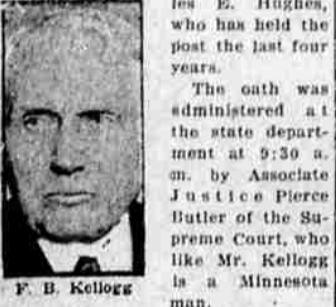
GLACE BAY, N. B., March 5.—J. W. McLeod, president of the United Mine Workers of America, in this district, reported today to the British Empire Steel Corporation and the premier of Nova Scotia that a strike of coal miners throughout the province had been ordered by the union's executive committee, to begin at 11 o'clock tomorrow night.

## LEADER STILL FERBLE

PEKING, March 5.—No change was noted today in the condition of Dr. Sun Yat-sen, south China leader, who has been critically ill here since January 20, when he underwent an operation for cancer.

## Kellogg Sworn In To Succeed Chas. E. Hughes

WASHINGTON, March 5.—Frank B. Kellogg was sworn in today as secretary of state succeeding Charles E. Hughes, who has held the post the last four years.



The oath was administered at the state department at 9:30 a. m. by Associate Justice Pierce Butler of the Supreme Court, who like Mr. Kellogg is a Minnesota man.

Some two score departmental officials, members of the Minnesota delegation to congress and visitors to Washington from Minnesota were in the diplomatic reception room at the state department to witness the inauguration.

An informal reception during which Mr. and Mrs. Kellogg mingled with the little group of invited guests followed, after which the secretary was escorted to the big desk in the office of the secretary of state to begin his duties.

## HEALTH OFFICER SAYS CATTLE TO BE REMOVED SOON

D. M. McLemore, owner of approximately 30 head of dead livestock that are polluting the waters at the mouth of Harriman creek, has been notified of the existing situation and will in the near future burn the dead animals, Dr. George Merryman, acting health officer announced this morning. The cattle, were drowned late last fall, when they plunged too deeply into Harriman creek. Investigations of residents of the Rocky Point country disclosed that the waters of Harriman creek, were becoming polluted by the dead cattle. Inasmuch as summer residents who own cottages along Pelican Bay depend upon Harriman creek for water, it was felt that something should be done to relieve the waters of the source of pollution.

Dr. Merryman, stated that Mr. McLemore, now that he has been apprised of the situation, will take immediate steps toward the burning of the dead animals. Dr. Merryman is acting health officer during the absence of Dr. G. S. Newsom, who was called to Prineville by the death of his mother.

## DENIES REPORT OF DEAD CATTLE BEING IN HARRIMAN CREEK

Emphatic denial that there are any carcasses of dead horses or cattle in Harriman creek or near Rocky Point was made today by A. E. Wampler, a rancher of the Odessa country, who was in the city.

"The forest ranger who made this report is entirely mistaken," he said. "I have had occasion to make an investigation and can say that there is not the carcass of one dead animal in the creek."

"So far as the cattle being furnished, I cannot understand such statements. The ranchers of that section went to together and built a 1500 pumping plant and built troughs for the cattle, and have an adequate supply of water for them at all times."

## NAMES SIMILAR

Samuel E. Woodard Not Man Held for Driving While Intoxicated

Due to the similarity of names, the friends and relatives of Samuel E. Woodard, it was known that he was not the one arrested by Traffic Officer Knowles Sunday evening for driving his car while intoxicated. The man held for the offense is Samuel L. Woodward, but many friends of Woodard thought he was the one arrested. Samuel E. Woodard was born and raised in Klamath Falls but is now living at Cloverdale, Ore.

TO PRESENT PAGEANT  
PORTLAND, Ore., March 5.—Presentation of a pageant to be called "The Rose" was decided upon today by the directors of the Rose Festival of 1925. Mrs. Doris Smith, a musician connected with a local conservatory, has written the pageant.

## Fashions From Paris Demand Knee-Length Skirts This Season

NEW YORK, March 5.—Skirts above the knee, curled eyelashes and red ears are the latest Paris modes, New York has just been informed.

Some of the passengers returning on the Olympic yesterday had on skirts reaching only to their knees. Mrs. Bertram Parker, European fashion editor of a New York publication, a passenger, was asked if these were fair samples of the Parisian designers' latest.

"What, those skirts?" she asked. "Why, they're way down to the knees. In Paris they are above the knees."

Miss Nina Baldwin, speaking before the master hairdresser's association convention said the new Parisian makeup included reddened ears and nostrils, blue or greyed eyelids and curled eye lashes.

## CALLS MEETING FOR SCOUTS ON MONDAY NIGHT

### New Scoutmaster to Be Chosen to Take Place of Rev. Meryweather

Due to the expected departure of the Rev. T. A. Meryweather of St. Paul's Episcopal church, who was scoutmaster of the Klamath Falls of Boy Scouts, a meeting has been called by the Rev. Meryweather and Julius Mueller for Monday night, 7:30 p. m., in the Baldwin Hardware store, for the purpose of formulating new plans for the future. The scout troop of Klamath Falls has been growing rapidly and through the splendid work of Rev. Meryweather and Mr. Mueller, the troop has advanced to be one of the most prominent in southern Oregon. Rev. Meryweather was also responsible for the formation of other troops outside of the city, in the interest of boys in outlying districts. The last troop formed was that at Algoma.

A new scoutmaster will be selected from those interested in the work for the boys. The present scoutmaster expects to leave for the east shortly after Easter, where he will make his home.

## JARDINE SWORN IN

WASHINGTON, March 5.—William M. Jardine of Kansas today became Secretary of Agriculture, succeeding Howard M. Gore who retired yesterday to take up his duties as governor of West Virginia.

## EDWARDS HELD FOR BURGLARY

### Man Charged With Stealing Furs Arrested in Eugene Today

Twelve hours after a warrant was issued for the arrest of Jack Edwards, on a charge of burglary, he was arrested in Eugene by Sheriff Taylor of Lane county and is being held there pending the arrival of Sheriff Burt E. Hawkins.

Sheriff Hawkins left this morning for Eugene to take charge of the prisoner and bring him back to Klamath Falls to answer the charge against him here.

Edwards is accused of having entered the home of Bryre McCormick, fur trapper of Keaso, and stealing a mink skin and two other skins.

## NOTED BISHOP DIES

Rev. William B. Murrain Passes At Memphis From Paralytic Stroke

MEMPHIS, March 5.—Bishop William B. Murrain, of the Methodist Episcopal church south, died here early today following a paralytic stroke in January last year which was aggravated from a fall from a chair in his home several days ago. The end came unexpectedly, following a sudden turn for the worse shortly after midnight.

## REFORESTATION BILL IS VETOED BY GOV. PIERCE

### Executive Disapproves Giving Board Right to Assess Valuable Land

SALEM, March 5.—Objecting to the power which would be given the State Board of Forestry under the act, Governor Pierce yesterday vetoed the reforestation bill on which State Forester Elliott and other members of the state board of forestry worked for months prior to the convening of the recent legislature.

The governor's main objection is to the power of taxation which would be given the board, a board, he says, which is neither put into office by the electorate nor by any other governmental agency, and he points out that under the measure it might be possible for a majority of the board to be controlled by non-residents of the state and at the same time exercise the power of taxation under the act. The governor expresses doubt as to the constitutionality of the manner in which the board of forestry appointed and suggests that it should be tested out in court.

### Method Is Wrong

"This bill provides a method of taxation on deforested lands and timber not yet of merchantable size," says the veto message. "Assessing property for the purposes of taxation is one of the most important functions of government. It is intolerable that such powers should be exercised by a board the majority of the members of which are appointed neither by the electorate nor by any governmental agency whatever, but solely by private organizations standing in no responsible relation to the state and controlled, it may be, by persons who are not even citizens of the state."

"The appointment of the members of the state board of forestry in this fashion is repugnant to the whole spirit of representative government. Its constitutionality had been tested at an early date by the supreme court. This bill is built up around this state board of forestry, vesting in the board greater power than should be exercised by any commission so constituted."

## PIERCE VETOES APPROPRIATION

### Governor Lops Off More Than \$500,000 Authorized by Law Makers

SALEM, Ore., March 5.—Governor Pierce vetoed appropriation bills totaling \$504,769. Yesterday he completed the work of lopping off \$149,683 before the time expired for filing bills and vetoes.

Among measures falling under his ax was senate bill 207 which appropriated \$2000 annually to assist in experimental and demonstration work within counties east of the Cascades and for crop rotation experimental work within Umatilla county.

## Alleged Auto Thief Is Arrested at Roseburg

ROSEBURG, Ore., March 5.—Raymond McLean and Joe Eppstein, transients, were arrested here last night and are being held in the city jail pending word from San Luis Obispo. McLean confessed, according to city recorder Whipple this morning that he was wanted in San Luis Obispo for stealing an automobile, and also stated that he is a deserter from the Presidio. Eppstein, who was traveling with McLean, claims to know nothing of the alleged theft, claiming that he only met McLean a few days ago.

## Squabble Over Apartment House Draws To Close

Whether or not Edward J. Kellogg is entitled to an equity in the Kellogg apartments will be determined by Judge A. L. Leavitt within the next few days, before whom the divorce suit of Edna Kellogg vs. Edward Kellogg has been tried this week. The case was completed this morning and Judge Leavitt deferred judgment pending the transcribing of the testimony.

Kellogg claims an equity in the apartment house on the ground that he had advanced money to Mrs. Kellogg prior to their marriage. He states that he had not been reimbursed for the money he had advanced and that hence he should be granted an equity in the apartment house.

Mrs. Kellogg brought the suit for divorce and Mr. Kellogg immediately filed a counter suit for divorce, setting forth his claims to an interest in the property. Mrs. Kellogg is represented by W. H. A. Kenner and Mr. Kellogg by Horace Manning.

## BOARD MEETING WILL BE HELD

### Federated Board to Discuss Problems of Farmers Saturday

One of the largest projects of community work ever put under way is the formation of the Federated Board which meets on Saturday afternoon in chamber of commerce rooms for general discussion and further perfection of the organization. The affair is scheduled for 2:30 p. m.

Those present will probably be the presidents of the various community clubs, farmer societies and commercial clubs, and invitations have been issued to all those, as far as known to the chamber of commerce, to be present. If there are societies or clubs left out in the group mentioned they are invited to communicate with the chamber and send a delegate to be present at the meeting. The board will meet at least once a month, probably on Saturday afternoons, as was suggested by those who turned out at the first meeting, on February 8. Election of officers will be held within the next two meetings when all details of the organization are completed. Farmers and other rural residents are given an opportunity to present problems before the board and outline their ideas.

The purpose of the organization is to discuss the various problems of country wide interest in order to allow each community in the county to be heard on their own personal views confronting this section of Oregon. The organization of the board will promote better understanding between the people of Klamath county and make for a more rapid development of Central Oregon.

## LAND PURCHASED BY BIG LAKES CO.

### Two Tracts of Timber Are Bought by Box Company for \$17,000

For a consideration of \$17,000 the Big Lakes Box company purchased two tracts of timber from Irving E. Kesterson, the deal being consummated when the deed was filed this afternoon in the office of the county clerk.

The tracts are southeast of Klamath Falls and four and one half miles from the Southern Pacific right of way. They are divided into two sections, one of 480 acres, the other including 280 acres. The larger tract is describe as in Section 25, Township 40, South, Range Seven East. It called for consideration of \$11,000; the smaller tract of 280 acres called for consideration of \$6,000 and is described as located in Section 35, Township 40, South, Range Seven East.

In addition to the two tracts, the Big Lakes company bought a small tract adjacent to the mill holdings from O. Poytos, Klamath Falls wood dealer, for \$2,000.

## DAWES IN ROW WITH SENATORS OVER CUSTOMS

### New Vice President in Verbal Tangle During Brief Session Today

WASHINGTON, March 5.—Vice President Dawes took on the senate today in a first and inconclusive fifteen minute round surcharged with the electricity of eager expectancy. There was an explosion or two over the manner in which the new presiding officer had cut corners at the expense of time honored senate customs upon his inauguration yesterday but when a recess was taken until later in the afternoon the row had not yet reached an acute stage.

Throughout the quarter hour session, Mr. Dawes himself kept perfectly quiet except when, in a low voice that scarcely reached the far corners of the chamber, he put two perfunctory motions and announced the result.

Short and Snappy  
During the short time he was in the chamber, however, the vice president was the target of a sharp criticism of his manner of cutting short the swearing in of new senators yesterday, delivered by Senator Ashurst, democrat, Arizona, who emphasized his speech by shaking a forefinger at the chair; heard Senator Reed demand that the official record of what was done yesterday be examined again by the senate, and listened to an explanation by Senator Hale, republican, Maine, who took upon himself all blame for the vice president's failure to return to the chamber yesterday after he had witnessed the inauguration of President Coolidge.

Crowded galleries and an unusual number of senators, attracted by the prospect of a row, watched the proceedings in an atmosphere so tense that the quiet was oppressive. At the end there was an individual sigh of relief that the impact had been no worse, but senators, gathered in little knots to talk it over after the recess was taken, seemed certain there was more to come.

Makes no Comment  
The vice president himself looked on during the session with an inscrutable countenance and declined to comment on it afterwards. Wear-

## DEATH OF MAN HELD MYSTERY

### Orin W. Train, Jackson County Farmer, Found With Bullet in Head

MEDFORD, Oregon, March 5.—Orin W. Train, 69, well known in the Evans Creek district where he has lived nearly forty years, was found dead last night on his ranch with a bullet through his head. Although the dead man had a .38 calibre revolver in one hand, from which a shell had been exploded, there is some doubt of suicide, according to officers investigating, as Train was of a cheerful disposition, had no financial worries, and the morning of his death purchased a supply of provisions.

Coroner H. W. Wenger will visit the ranch today, and decide whether or not an inquest is necessary. Train lived alone, his two sons, Marion and Orin living at Prospect, Oregon.

## MRS. HEUSTON BOUND OVER TO GRAND JURY

Mrs. J. T. Heuston of Bonanza, charged with perjury in connection with an alleged affidavit sworn to before County Clerk De Lap, waived preliminary examination before Justice of the Peace R. E. Hunsaker this morning and was bound over to the grand jury. At the recommendation of the district attorney's office, Mrs. Heuston was released on her own recognizance.

The charge against Mrs. Heuston, who is said to be but 16 years of age, followed the issuing of a marriage license to Marie Bradshaw and John Partidge of Bonanza. The complaint states that Mrs. Heuston swore that Miss Bradshaw was over 18 years of age, whereas she was but 15 years of age.