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O. F. Tate Addresses Merchants' Bureau at Annual Banquet

"The newspaper is your best friend," O. F. Tate, secretary of the Oregon Retail Merchants' association, told over 100 merchants and business men at the banquet of the merchant's bureau in the chamber of commerce last night.

"What is more," Mr. Tate continued, "if you are not receiving the cooperation of your newspaper it is your fault, not theirs."

Mr. Tate urged local merchants to consolidate and become affiliated with the parent organization of which he is secretary. He took a slap at the parcel post system, stating that mail order houses existed on the parcel post system, which after all, did not pay for its own maintenance.

Earl Shepherd, local music dealer, was elected president of the merchant's bureau for the ensuing year; C. H. Barnstable, vice president, and M. P. Evans, treasurer.

Other speakers of the evening were J. C. Mann, president of the Medford Merchants' association; C. A. Meeker of Medford; Lynn P. Sabin, secretary of the Klamath county chamber of commerce, and R. C. Groesbeck, vice president of the chamber of commerce. N. B. Drew, who retired as president last night presided.

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WANT RAILROAD OPERATING TO MALIN

Maintaining the necessity of a railroad or similar method of transportation in the Malin county, delegates of the American-Czecho-Slovak chamber of commerce met with county officials, bankers and the chamber heads to discuss the possibilities of colonization in Malin.

Dr. A. B. Norris of Agawam, Mass., who, with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Palecek represent the eastern colony of Czecho-Slavs spoke convincingly on the matter of transportation. When confronted with the question, Lynn Sabin, secretary of the chamber, offered the services of that organization and suggested that the body return to Portland where they bring pressure on the Southern Pacific on the matter of operating a line to Malin. The transportation facilities appeared to be the only bone of contention in the entire project and the land conditions and climatic appearances were favorable to the delegation.

Charles Zerran, president of the Portland branch of the Czecho-Slovak chamber of commerce, who has been in this district previously on the same mission, urged the cooperation of the chamber with the body in case the objects of their mission were carried out.

C. A. Henderson, county agriculturist discussed the vital problems of farming and outlined the irrigation project, the distribution of crops, sugar beet industry, dairy projects and the general idea of the future of Klamath Falls. Herbert D. Newell, manager of the reclamation service spoke on the adequate water supply ready for the settlers, stressing the 20 year payment plan of the water. The work of the reclamation was outlined for the visitors.

Those who made the trip to Klamath county were Frank J. Prasil of Chicago, secretary of the colony; J. M. Kotek of Chicago; Joseph Simon of Cicero, Ill.; Dr. A. B. Norris of Agawam, Mass., who was accompanied by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Palecek; Charles Zerran, president of the Portland colony and chamber of commerce; B. T. Hinzda,

field representative of the chamber of Portland. The group returned to Medford this afternoon where they will look into conditions there, returning to Portland where they will bring the question of transportation before the Portland chamber. They were apparently more than impressed with the conditions in Klamath county and the reception they received from the Klamath residents.

BABE RUTH HAS NOT SAVED EARNINGS

NEW YORK, March 11.—The Evening World prints the following today from its special correspondent at St. Petersburg, Fla.:

Babe Ruth has very little to show today for his six years of toiling in the big leagues. This was gleaned from a talk with Ruth on the steps of the Yankee club house at Creescent Lake park.

A country farm in the shadow of the famous inn at Sudbury, Mass., where he might farm in his later years is all that Ruth really possesses today, with the exception of his wife's holdings.

Ruth has passed the shadow line of his youth. He is growing fat and old. Time is collecting its toll. His best days are behind him.

During the last three seasons Ruth was known as the highest salaried baseball player in the history of the game. He received \$52,000 a season. It is said that Ruth has one-third of his salary withheld by the Yankee owners, who are investing it for him for a rainy day.

RETURNS FROM CLINIC

Dr. Campbell Home After Fortnight in California

Dr. T. C. Campbell returned to Klamath Falls the early part of the week after a fortnight spent at a clinic meeting at Stanford University hospital in San Francisco. Mrs. Campbell accompanied Dr. Campbell south, returning with him the first of the week.

Herald "Class" Ads Pay

Pacific Coast Mermaid



CALIFORNIA has supplied many of the greatest tennis stars, prominent among them being May Sutton, Bill Johnston, Helen Wills and Maurice McLoughlin. Now California bobs up with a different sport brand. Its latest bid for fame in the field of sport is confined to swimming.

In the recent national swimming tournament held at St. Augustine, Fla., Eleanor Garrath, 15-year-old California miss, sprang a big surprise by beating such well-known stars as Ethel Lackie and Gertrude Ederle.

DISPUTES WILL BE CONSIDERED

(Continued from page 1) carefully assemble facts and figures and have them ready for the meeting in May.

Duties of Board

Duties of the local board are more completely expressed in the following instructions to the board, received from the bureau of reclamation at Washington, D. C.:

The local cooperative board should proceed at the earliest convenience to:

1. Secure and supervise a classification of the lands of the project, closed. Where several divisions exist on a project, each division should preferably be classified by a resident of the division. A representative of the bureau, either Mr. Kreutzer or Mr. Welse, will meet with the committee to explain the methods of the work, and another will help the classifiers at the beginning of their work. You should notify the Denver office immediately (a) The date you desire instruction on classification and other matters referring to this letter and (b) the date land classification can commence.
2. State briefly, in writing, all project matters now in dispute or that now need adjustment, especially as under sub-section K of the act of December 5, 1924, using all

available information, such as project files and bearings.

3. Collect and tabulate all available information relative to settlers' indebtedness, mortgages, delinquent taxes and any other charges that must be met by the settlers now or in the near future. This information can be obtained by compiling an abstract from census cards form 7-352a.

4. Collect and classify all crop record data of the past ten years or years of record, by classes according to the above land classification. This work may be done by the project office staff. After the work has been done, the committee will be asked to distribute individual application blanks for relief under the law and to collect and review the applications made which will be explained by the instructor."

WILL ORGANIZE MEXICAN LEAGUE

DOUGLAS, Arizona, March 10.—Banned from organized baseball for alleged participation in the world's series scandal of 1919, Hal Chase, erstwhile first baseman of the Cincinnati National league baseball club, now proprietor of a luxurious cafe in Agua Prieta, Mexico, across the border from Douglas, is about to organize a national baseball league in Mexico, on the invitation of the Mexico City government, he said today.

According to Chase the plan proposed by a high Mexican official, would make the former first sacker of the Reds into a leader in the central American republic, heading an organization to be known as the Mexican National Baseball League.

"It won't be but a year or two now," said Chase, "when any baseball team before annexing the title of world's champions will have to beat our best team. The Mexicans are natural ball players and are developing a love for the game equal to the most frenzied fan of the United States.

"I feel that I will have an opportunity here in Mexico of placing baseball on a sound and honest foundation and demonstrate to baseball fans of the United States that I was the Dreyfus and not the Benedict Arnold of organized baseball."

CONTEST FUNDS VOTED

WASHINGTON, March 11.— Authority and funds for the senate elections committee to begin investigations this summer in contests involving seats of Senators Brookhart, Iowa; Schall, Minnesota, and Bratton, New Mexico, were voted today by the senate.

Hobo King



Jeff Davis—"king of the hoboes"—has beaten railway fares for more than \$50,000 miles. He is president of the Hoboes of America and is swinging the trains as usual. But he is tarrying to talk at high schools, luncheon clubs and boys' organizations in an earnest plea to boys not to become tramps. He says the hobo will be a thing of the past in five years.

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