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DEBATE STED BY LEADERS

ess Injected Arguments

LER GIVES DATA

There Are Not Enough rafters to Overcome The Prohi Law

ICAGO, March 27.—(United)—Prohibition was both praised and kicked tonight as Wayne heeler, general counsel of the loon league debated with Darrow, ardent advocate of lism.

debate was in the studio of station WGN and was broad-

was at his best as he a sarastic tirade against ll everything" who foster-hibition. Sitting in front of rophone he snapped his vest and said that prohibition was a "winery out of every the dandelion the nation-

hibition is a failure so far as as dry is concerned." Dar- "It is a failure so far thing all drunkards. But be a failure to the pro- as they have succeeded g personal right."

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was rostered by those dry and still liked to w claimed.

up to the city, the county. It is the in- privilege to do as Darrow countered. "No ight to infringe on our ating and drinking. To luton is much worse drunkard, and many glutons."

pointing out that prohi- hypocrites in that drinking and parties, yet sips drinking of sacra- wines in church because the prohibition amend- would be overruled.

Wheeler Starts

Darrow finished, Wheeler, a well modulated voice, start- pounding the abuse of the drys gave facts and figures in his pt to prove the prohibition dment was a success.

rior to 1919, 170,000 gallons hol were dispensed through try annually," Wheeler there is only 16,000 d annually."

attorney said the fact re worrying was what to the prohibitionists. he law is a success and coming unobtainable.

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has closed the of crime and the men," Wheeler said.

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OFFERS HUGE SUM FOR HORSE

Former Owner Would Buy Favorite Back for Quarter Million

NEW YORK, March 27.—(United Press)—A quarter million dollars, the highest price ever offered for a three-year-old horse, was bid today by Colonel Phil T. Chinn, master of the Himyar stud at Lexington, Ky., for Carlaris, strong favorite in tomorrow's Coffroth handicap race at Tia Juana, according to a telegram from Colonel Chinn to the New York Daily Running Horse.

Colonel Chinn is acting for a prominent New York turfman and breeder, it was said. The offer was made to T. B. Anderson, present owner of Carlaris.

Anderson Saturday night had not replied, but several days ago said he would not sell the horse until after tomorrow's race.

Colonel Chinn sold Carlaris as a yearling in Saratoga, New York, to Anderson for $6,500.

JUDGE SCORES SLEUTH METHOD

Inducing Victims to Purchase Liquor is Decried by Jurist

PORTLAND, March 27—(United News)—The practice of some dry agents of inducing persons to violate the liquor law so that they can make arrests, aroused the ire of Federal Judge Wolverton today.

In the case of Julia Clouden, negress, charged with the sale of liquor, it developed that two dry agents, who had been drinking liquor in her small restaurant, and induced her to go out and purchase liquor which was brought back to them.

When they returned she was arrested.

"Such acts are beyond the pale of the law," declared the judge, and should not be upheld.

The woman was fined $1.

District Attorney George Neuner refused to disclose the names of the agents, but declared he didn't approve of their methods.

Soldier Is Freed of Blame of Death

VANCOUVER, Wash., March 27.—(United Press)—Corporal William B. Plockman, headquarters company, seventh infantry, was named as the soldeir who fatally wounded Private Ainsley S. Bowers near here Friday, at an inquest held today.

Plockman was justified in killing Bowers, the jury held after hearing testimony regarding the break for liberty made by Bowers, who was being held for observation in Vancouver barracks hospital.

The man escaped and stole a sentry's rifle. A posse captured him near Orchards, Wash., and during the shooting which occurred, Bowers was shot over the heart. He died last night.

Klamath to Get Highway Money

PORTLAND, March 27—(United Press) — The state market road fund for the year 1926 will amount to $1,086,481.

After deducting $17,500 for administration and advances and $7,088 for unappropriated funds, there remains $1,061,893 to be apportioned by the state highway commission among the counties of the state. Included in the counties is Klamath with $32,359, for the surfacing of the Bonanza-Beatty section of the Lakeview highway.

Barbara Bennett Attempts Suicide

NEW YORK March 27.—(United Press)—Dispatches from Hollywood that the lovely Barbara Bennett, night club favorite, had attempted suicide, proved a sensation on the Rialto tonight.

Broadwayites were particularly interested in the report that her act was prompted by a disappointing love affair, and gossip connecting the dancer's name with Louis Basualdo, wealthy Argentine youth, was heard.

FORECLOSURE ON CITY PROPERTIES PRACTICALLY NIL

Only Six Pieces Out of 400 Are Hit

UNDER BANCROFT ACT

Six Delinquent Lots are to Be Sold at Public Sale On May Fourth

Out of 350 to 400 parcels of land upon which liens were created for street improvements made in 1925, it is necessary to foreclose on only six parcels in this area.

This was the statement made yesterday afternoon by Lem L. Gaghagen from the city clerk's office, in connection with the liens on city property under the Bancroft law.

This shows that property holders in these improved areas fully appreciate the improvements as made by the city.

According to the city clerk, last year's results have been better than any previous year in the history of city improvements in Klamath Falls.

Figures in the city clerk's office show that improvements made in Klamath Falls last year amounted to more than $191,053.33. The six parcels of land upon which foreclosures were necessary amount to $2,148.72.

The six parcels of land will be sold at public auction May 4, according to announcement from the city clerk's office. One parcel is located on Walnut, some in Klamath addition and others in Mills addition on the East Main street improvement project.

Paid $30 to Help Pull Off Murder

POMEROY, Ohio, March 27.—(United Press)—The story of one of the most amazing crimes ever committed in Ohio was unfolded here tonight when three men confessed that they murdered James McCumber, 65, on the night of March 15, and threw his body into an abandoned cistern.

The men who confessed:

John Hendricks and Richards Rhoades, white and John Bryant, negro.

According to the three confessions, which are in the hands of police, Bryant planned the killing and paid Rhoades, a world war veteran, and Hendricks $30 to aid him.

New Baseball League Elects

A meeting was held yesterday afternoon in the chamber of commerce of the boosters for the intercommunity baseball league to be made up of teams from Malin, Bray, Tennant, Chiloquin, Lamm's Mill, Algoma, and Pelican City. It is proposed to take in Dorris to fill out the list of eight teams.

Officers elected were Dr. F. M. Trout of Malin, president, and Fred Brooks of Pelican City, secretary. The first game will be played on May 1.

This league is a strictly amateur organization and is not to be confused with the Northern California league of which Klamath Falls is also a member.

SURVIVING OFFICER TO COMMAND AIRSHIP

WASHINGTON, March 27. —(United News)—Lieutenant Commander Chas. E. Rosendahl, senior surviving officer of the wrecked dirigible Shenandoah, has been named commander of the Los Angeles, the remaining navy giant airship.

Captain Geo. W. Steele, who has been in command of the Los Angeles as well as the Lakehurst air station, will command the U. S. S. Pittsburgh.

Captain Edward S. Jackson S. Jackson has been taken from the U. S. S. Langley, aircraft carrier, to take charge at Lakehurst.

2 CANDIDATES OUT FOR OFFICE

George Offield and Horace Dunlap File Their Intentions Sat.

Two prominent Klamath county residents have filed their intentions of running for county offices in the May primaries, it was learned yesterday from the court house.

Horace R. Dunlap, 623 Plum street, former sheriff of Lake county and for a number of years active in civic work on Klamath Falls, has filed his intention of running for county commissioner on the Republican ticket.

Late Friday afternoon George Offield, prominent Merrill rancher, filed his intention of running for the office of county judge. Offield's name will appear on the Democratic ballot.

LUTHER BURBANK SUFFERS ATTACK

Famous Plant Wizard Victim of Heart Attack But Not Serious

SANTA ROSA, Calif., March 27. (United Press)—Ill in bed tonight, following a heart attack, Luther Burbank, world famous plant wizard, worried not about himself, but about his garden.

"Doctor, you can't keep me in here, I'm wasting too much time," the plant expert told Dr. Joseph Shaw, his physician.

Dr. Shaw would not permit visitors to see his patient, but he described how Burbank fretted in his confinement. Burbank has a lot of new plants in his garden that he is watching. They are growing so fast at this season that he wants to inspect them every day," Dr. Shaw said.

The plant culturist is 77 years old, he has seldom been ill. The heart attack, which began Friday night, was the first one he ever suffered.

Dr. Shaw said he was much encouraged over the progress today. "He can get back in his garden tomorrow or Monday, I believe," the physician said. "Only we'll have to watch him to see that he doesn't overdo things."

SABIN HONORED AT SEC. SCHOOL

Local Chamber Secretary To Head State Association for '26

EUGENE, March 27.—(United Press)—Linn P. Sabin of Klamath Falls, Ore., was elected president of the state association of commercial secretaries here today. Other officers elected at the conference which ended late yestrday are: Earl Reynolds of LaGrande, vice president; Ted Baker of Hood River, secretary and treasurer. Directors are: Earl Murphy, Marshfield; W. S. Nelson, The Dalles; H. E. Cully, Roseburg; W. W. Phillips, Hillsboro; W. A. Reid, Corvallis, and Eugene Chadwick, Eugene.

Mrs. McCrossin Is Taken By Officer

Mrs. Faye McCrossin, alleged criminal charged with having participated in numerous robberies committed in northern California and Klamath county, was taken to California late yesterday afternoon, according to word made known yesterday.

Although the sheriff's office was non-committal, it was learned that C. E. Morrell, head of the state bureau of identification of Sacramento left yesterday with Mrs. McCrossin in his custody.

SETS RECORD

HACA, N. Y., March 27—(United News)—Russell of Cornell set a world's record for the 75-yard dash tonight when he defeated Kelly of Michigan, with Leschinsky of Michigan running third in the Michigan-Cornell meet here. The time was 7.2 seconds.

INFANT'S LIFE IS SAVED BY USE OF LEGION PULMOTOR

Fire Department in Heroic Role

WORK FOR 15 MINUTES

Doctors Compliment Firemen for Mastering Use of Machine

A few months ago the American Legion aided by public spirited Klamath Falls people purchased a pulmotor which was turned over to the fire department to be used for resuscitating victims of drowning, electrocution, or asphyxiation.

Yesterday afternoon at 4 o'clock, in the Klamath Valley hospital, the investment paid huge dividends on its purchase price.

An infant daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Leland Parazoo of Modoc Point. Apparently in perfect condition, the child was born at 4 o'clock. All efforts of physicians and hospital attendants were made to make the child breathe. An emergency call was sent to the fire department and a moment later the pulmotor was placed on the child.

Work 15 Minutes

The pulmotor was placed over the apparently lifeless form and for 15 minutes Keith Ambrose, fire chief, worked the aparatus. Signs of life were seen shortly after that length of time, and then normal repiration began immediately. According to hospital officials last night the child was breathing normally.

The fire department personnel is to be complimented upon mastering the use of the pulmotor as shown by the results obtained yesterday afternoon, say local physicians. According to Ambrose the members of the department should be entitled to sign M. D. after their signature following this invasion of the medical field.

Ore. State Society Meets in New York

NEW YORK, March 27.—(United Press)—One-hundred members of the Oregon state society of New York attended the annual dinner of the society at McAlpin hotel tonight.

Senator Robert N. Stanfield, was the principal speaker. He urged support of the federal housing bill, which he has introduced in the senate. Henry Ellers, formerly of Portland, presided at the meeting and John Gratke was elected president for the coming year.

Other speakers were Clyde B. Aitcheson of the interstate commerce commission, who talked on "marketing Oregon products;" Walter Lincoln Whitlsey, Rabbey J. B. Wise, and Charles Hanson Towne.

Disasters Take Life in Brazil

RIO DE JANEIRO, March 27.—(United Press) — Two disasters with a large toll of human life occurred today in Brazil. From Bahia, it was reported that 30 persons were drowned when an excursion boat sank enroute to Itaparica island in the bay of Bahia. The excursionists were bound for the celebration of a religious festival.

Dispatches received from Pedrao Grande in the state of Minasgeraes, said that many persons were killed and injured when a railroad train plunged over a 200 foot embankment. The train had started from Rio de Janeiro for Pedrao Grande. Bahia is about 300 miles northeast of Rio.

CAN IT BE POSSIBLE?

LONDON, March 27.—(United News)—A crow in the Dulwich woods neer a golf course persistently takes the golf balls in his mouth after a drive and drops them on the next green near the hole.

STRIKES WORKER WITH SCANTLING

Mexican at Algoma Hit by Fellow Worker But Will Recover

John Louis, a Mexican laborer, was struck over the head with a 2x4 scantling at Algoma late yesterday afternoon following a quarrel with George Webb, a white man and a fellow worker.

Louis was rushed to the Klamath Valley hospital, believed to be suffering from concussion of the brain, or possible skull fracture, but last night hospital authorities and Sheriff Hawkins reported the man to be greatly improved, and he is believed to be out of danger.

Few details of the trouble between the two men could be learned, but according to the sheriff's office the Mexican is considered an eccentric character, and some two months ago was held here in jail pending an examination of his sanity. At the time he was particularly annoying to the authorities and other prisoners.

No complaint has been sworn against Webb and unless the Mexican dies, he may only be detailed for questioning.

NAB SPURIOUS COIN MAKERS

Arrested With the Goods Before Any Spurious Coins Passed

PORTLAND, March 27.—(United Press)—Two counterfeiters were arrested tonight by secret service agents just as they were setting up for operation in a local rooming house, preparatory to flooding Portland with worthless 50-cent and $1 pieces.

Formal complaints against the two men, Chas. A. Bentley, 38, and Caleb A. Paltgren, 42, were filed late this afternoon by the assistant United States attorney. The secret service agents found several frames that had apparently been used to hold metal. Behind a panel they also found several bars of metal and two sets of moulds, one for 50-cent pieces and one for $1 pieces. A few finished 50-cent pieces were also found.

At first the men refused to admit their counterfeiting activities, but when confronted with the evidence, confessed. Officials do not believe they had passed any of the counterfeit coins.

Mrs. Wattenburg Honored by D. A. R.

PORTLAND, March 27.—(United Press)—Mrs. Gordon McCracken of Mount Ashland Chapter, Ashland, was elected regent of the Oregon state chapter of the Daughters of the American Revolution here this afternoon. It was the most hotly contested election in the history of the organization. Mrs. McCracken's name was presented by the nominating committee, but Mrs. E. C. Kepperson of McMinnville was nominated by Mrs. J. T. Irvine, Regent of Yamhill chapter of McMinnville.

The first ballot resulted in a tie, but in the second ballot Mrs. McCracken received 58 of the 100 votes cast.

Other officers included: First Vice President, Mrs. R. E. Wattenberg, Eulalo chapter, Klamath Falls.

Bank Pres. and Son Are Found Guilty

DENVER, March 27.—(United Press)—Frank L. Bishop and his son Will, were found guilty on eight counts of misapplication of funds of the defunct Globe National bank here by a jury in federal district court, which returned a verdict shortly after four o'clock.

Herman B. Gates, president of the bank, jointly indicted with the Bishops, was found guilty of misapplication of funds on one count only. Bishop and his son were taken into custody and denied bond by the court. Gates was released under the bond which he made when indictments were returned against him.

The men will not be sentenced until some time next week, Judge Foster Symes announced.

A. M. COLLIER OUT AGAIN FOR STATE LEGISLATURE JOB

Placed on Important Committees in '25

PROMINENT LOCALLY

Worked With Speaker Burdick Successfully in Previous Session

A. M. Collier today announced his intention of being a candidate for re-election to the lower house of the Oregon legislature from the 21st representative district, comprising the counties of Klamath, Lake, Jefferson, Deschutes and Crook, and has filed his declaration of candidacy with the secretary of state. Mr. Collier will have printed on the ballot after his name "incumbent—Eastern Oregon must work as a unit to secure greatest results."

Representative Collier served his first term in the house of representatives in 1925, and was a member of the committee on ways and means, banking, irrigation and Manufacturing.

A. M. COLLIER
Klamath Business Man Out to Succeed Himself in the Coming Legislature.

Prominent in K. F.

Mr. Collier is prominently identified in business circles in Klamath county, where he is engaged in the banking business, and is president of the Klamath Ice & Storage company. He is also president of the Klamath County Chamber of Commerce, and is a graduate of the University of Oregon.

Speaker Denton G. Burdick of Redmond will also be a candidate to succeed himself in the legislature, and will file his declaration of candidacy within a few days.

Mr. Collier and Mr. Burdick work together, it is said, very satisfactorily in the house, and if these two men are nominated and elected, it is pointed out, by reason of their past experience, the district will unquestionably have a strong legislative team at Salem next winter.

Mr. Collier left yesterday by automobile for San Francisco, taking Mrs. Merle S. West, who has been visiting here a short time away from the bedside of her husband, local mill man, who is recovering

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