

WILL TRY OUT "YANKEE GIRL"

BELIEVED THAT JUDGE DRAKE WILL FINALLY CONSENT TO ALLOW HIS RACING MARE TO ENTER TRACK

That Klamath Falls will soon have on the national turf a thoroughbred speed animal is assured, if the indications now observable, of the training tactics, being pursued with reference to "Yankee Girl," a full sister of "Yankee Boy," will materialize.

"Yankee Girl" is the property of Judge Thomas Drake, who is conceded to be one of the best judges of blooded speed animals on this coast. "Yankee Girl" is being trained by Fred Marshall and Ed McCarthy, and they say the candlelight colt is working in trim and span shape and these indications are borne out by the appearance of the neat and shapely mare on the street.

Within fifteen days it is said "Yankee Girl" will be tested for a record mile. She has none of the nervousness of her brother, "Yankee Boy," but possesses, the best judges of thoroughbreds say, a calm determination that responds to every form of fair horsemanship.

Her trainers are working her out with a sorrel filly, "Complete." It is presumed that the test of her speed will be made two weeks hence, and, in that event, many enthusiasts of the "sport of kings" will await with eager interest the outcome of the speculation. All the horsemen of town agree that "Yankee Girl" possesses far less of the nervous but more of the speed power of the "Yankee Boy."

"Yankee Boy" has come as low as 1:40 in a running mile, but the real record, however, belongs to Salvator, the property of J. B. Haggin, of the famous Haggin ranch in California, and stands undisputed at 1:35 1/2. The latter is a California horse, and had the advantage of the skilled training of the corps of veterinarians, jockeys and stablemen that the great horse breeding institution of the Haggin, millions gathered around his stables.

Nevertheless, those who best know horseflesh in this town contend that "Yankee Girl" can beat all the records of her brother, and lower, the record of Salvator. If that be the case it will certainly be something of which Klamath county will have reason to pride itself upon. It will do more to establish another fact, and that is that incidentally this is a country which is congenial to the health and development of horses and cattle.

Judge Drake at one time, about a year ago, would not concede the idea of turning "Yankee Girl" into a racing merchant, but his friends have got him to see the error of his ways in this direction, and the result will probably be that one of the greatest racing mares in America will soon have the opportunity to demonstrate her prowess and the advent of a new record in the Turf calendar is confidently expected.

ITALY TURKEY WAR IS STILL IN PROGRESS

ROME, March 30.—Six months ago today Italy declared war against Turkey and began the occupation of Tripoli and Cyrenaica. Today, with the war still in progress, with Italy only actually occupying the coast fringe of the occupied and annexed territories, and with no definite prospects of peace in sight, Italy's present and future policy, at least for some time to come, may be definitely described as that of sitting still and holding tight.

Italian activities in the three principal naval engagements, that of sinking of the Turkish torpedo boats by the Duke d'Abuzzi off Prevesa, the sinking of seven Turkish gunboats in the Red Sea, and the recent sinking of a Turkish warship and torpedo boat at Beirut, have resulted in the complete annihilation of all that portion of the Turkish fleet which remained outside the Dardanelles after the declaration of war. In addition the Italian navy has destroyed practically all of the Turkish fortifications along the Arabian coast, as well as along the coast of Tripoli and Cyrenaica. The fleet has always backed the army in both effecting a landing and in the battles which followed near the coast.

Within this coast range the Italians have occupied all the larger cities—Tripoli, Homs, Derna, Bengasi, Tobruk, Tagura, Zanzur and Zuara—and have pushed into the interior of Tripoli as far as Ain-Zarah. Between this fringe of coast territory and the desert to the south the Italians have thrown up a line of defenses declared absolutely impregnable by the best military authorities of Europe.

Final adjustment of the war, it now seems certain, will come about in either one of two ways. It may be by a peaceable intervention of the powers, or it may be by drastic action on the part of the Italian navy against Turkish possessions nearer Turkey proper. It is generally conceded that at any time the Italian navy can make a demonstration either against Constantinople or some other Turkish

city that would force immediate peace negotiations. This, however, for at least three reasons, Italy and the powers wish to avoid.

In the first place, the bombardment of any large Turkish city would result in heavy loss to the financial interests of practically all the European powers which have investments throughout the Turkish empire. In the second place it would almost certainly result in a massacre of Christians in the Turkish empire by the Musselman tribes, and in the third place it probably would be the firebrand to start a war in the Balkans, ending finally in a general European war. It therefore seems probable that Italy will merely continue a policy of sitting still and holding tight to what she is already certain of until such a time that it becomes absolutely necessary for the European powers to force a peace settlement. Whenever that time may come it is understood thoroughly that it will be on a basis of Italy retaining the possession and sovereignty of Tripoli and Cyrenaica, regardless of what-over other terms may be imposed.

CORONER'S JURY RENDERS VERDICT BELIEVES FIRE WAS CAUSED FROM STOVE—RECOMMENDS INVESTIGATION OF EXITS OF LODGING HOUSES AND HOTELS

The coroner's jury which investigated the death of the two men who lost their lives in the burning of the lodging house of Mrs. Remington early Friday morning, finished their work Saturday morning and brought in the following verdict:

We, the jury empanelled and sworn to inquire into the cause of the death of said George Kotetsos and Mike Peterson, find:

That the said George Kotetsos and Mike Peterson came to their death in the city of Klamath Falls, Oregon, on the morning of March 29, 1912.

That the immediate cause of their death was from suffocation and burning.

That in our opinion the fire was caused by the kitchen stove in said building.

That the lodging house was not properly equipped with exits and we recommend that the condition of all hotels and lodging houses similarly situated be investigated and that some means be taken and some measure adopted to prevent similar casualty in the future.

J. A. MADDOX, Foreman.

W. KELLOGG, FRED NOEL, CHESTER AVERY, H. D. STOUT, E. W. GOWAN.

Attest: EARL WHITLOCK, County Coroner.

SAME INTERESTS BACK OF TAFT AND ROOSEVELT

DENVER, March 30.—Houser, on his departure for San Francisco today, said: "Same interests are behind Taft and Roosevelt. The steel trust is backing the colonel's campaign to split the progressive vote behind La Follette. It is the biggest political game ever attempted in America. Roosevelt isn't a progressive—his acts as president show it. If La Follette doesn't win the nomination, he will come back in four years or eight years."

INDIANAPOLIS, April 1.—Over 400,000 bituminous miners are idle pending the referendum. It is believed the anthracite miners will be asked to vote on a wage scale compromise besides the strike question.

President White is confident that the anthracite operators will follow the example of the bituminous operators accepting the compromise. The anthracite tie up is also complete.

JUDGE BENSON HAS BUSY DAY

The case of Martin Brothers vs. Mickler & Albright was tried Monday before Judge Benson, and judgment for the return of considerable personal property was rendered in favor of the plaintiffs, who were represented in court by Noland & Crane. This was a case of replevin.

In the case of Gin Douy vs. W. W. Masten et al, a judgment of \$575 was rendered in favor of the plaintiff for work and labor. The plaintiff was represented by Noland & Crane.

In the attachment case of M. L. Kline, a wholesale plumbing house of Portland, vs. Herman Fesenfeld, the plaintiff was given a judgment for \$1,000, and the personal property attached will be sold by the sheriff. Noland & Crane appeared for the plaintiff in this case.

New Member of Cutter Family

A 10-pound baby boy was born to Mr. and Mrs. Henry Cutter on Saturday evening. Both the baby and Mrs. Cutter are in excellent health. The Cutters are new-comers from Chico, Calif. The happy event took place at the Hector rooming house, Dr. Wright being the attending physician and Miss Brandon the nurse.

BOX PLANT IDLE AWAITING MOTOR

BEING WHIPPED INTO SHAPE—MOTIVE POWER FOR SHIPPING-TON INDUSTRY GOES BACK ON FACTORY TEMPORARILY

Owing to something going wrong with the motor which is used by the Shippington box plant of the California Fruit Cannery Association the plant was shut down all day today. It was expected to get things in working order for tomorrow.

In the case of the Seneca Co. vs. Salfick, Judge Benson Monday gave judgment to the plaintiff in the sum of \$41.29 and costs. The case was appealed from the Justice court, where a non-suit had been given. The plaintiff was represented by C. C. Brower and the defendant by Merryman & Duncan.

Political Announcements

For Prosecuting Attorney

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the nomination for Prosecuting Attorney for Klamath and Lake counties, Oregon, on the Republican ticket, JOHN IRWIN, subject to the primary nomination to be held on April 19, 1912.

I hereby respectfully announce myself a candidate for the republican nomination for Prosecuting Attorney for Klamath and Lake counties, subject to the will of the voters at the primary election to be held on the 19th of April, 1912. D. V. KUYKENDALL.

For County Treasurer

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the nomination for Treasurer of Klamath County on the Republican ticket, subject to the will of the people at primary election to be held on April 19, 1912. JAY MANNING.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the nomination for Treasurer of Klamath County on the Democratic ticket, subject to the will of the people at primary election to be held on April 19, 1912. C. H. DAGGETT.

For Assessor

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the nomination for Assessor of Klamath county on the Democratic ticket, subject to the will of the people at the primary election to be held on April 19, 1912. J. P. LEE.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the republican nomination for County Assessor, subject to the will of the voters at the primary election to be held on April 19, 1912. R. C. COWLEY.

For Sheriff

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the Republican nomination for Sheriff of Klamath county, subject to the will of the voters at the primary election to be held April 19, 1912. OSCAR L. CARTER.

D. S. George Bishop hereby announces himself as a candidate for Sheriff on the Democratic ticket, subject to the action of the voters at the primary election to be held on the 19th day of April, 1912.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the nomination for sheriff on the Republican ticket, subject to the will of the voters at the primary election to be held on April 19, 1912. C. C. LOW.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the nomination for Sheriff of on the Republican ticket, subject to the will of the voters at the primary election to be held on April 19, 1912. B. S. GRIGSBY.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the nomination for sheriff on the Democratic ticket, subject to the will of the voters at the primary election to be held on April 19, 1912. S. L. WALKER.

For County Commissioner

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the nomination for County Commissioner on the Democratic ticket, subject to the will of the voters at the primary election to be held on April 19, 1912. JAMES R. DIXON.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for county commissioner on the Republican ticket, subject to the will of the people at the primary election to be held on April 19, 1912. JOHN HAGELSTEIN.

For Constable

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the nomination on the Republican ticket for Constable for Linkville district, subject to the will of the voters at the primary election to be held on April 19, 1912. JOHN G. SCHALLOCK.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the nomination for Constable for Linkville District on the Republican ticket, subject to the will of the people at the primary election to be held on April 19, 1912. WILL W. WILSON.

CANCER PROVES FATAL AILMENT

CHARLES SILVERS, EX-COUNTY COMMISSIONER, DIES AT THE BLACKBURN HOSPITAL AFTER OPERATION BY PHYSICIANS

Charles Silvers of Dorris died at the Blackburn sanitarium at 2:45 p.m. yesterday afternoon, after undergoing an operation for cancer of the bowels. Mr. Silvers was brought to this city Saturday evening by Dr. Atkinson of Dorris, and the operation was performed with the assistance of Dr. L. L. Truax of this city.

The deceased was well known throughout Klamath county and Northern California, and was 51 years of age at the time of his death. He had been a resident of Dorris for the past five years. Previous to his removal to Siskiyou county he lived in Klamath county, owning a very

valuable piece of property on the Upper Lake at Odessa. He was at one time county commissioner. He leaves a wife and three children, Laura, Hazel and Earl Silvers.

The body was taken to Dorris on Tuesday morning, and the funeral occurred in the afternoon, the burial taking place in the Picard cemetery.

SINNOTT HERE TO MEET VOTERS

Hon. N. J. Sinnott of The Dalles, republican candidate for congress, arrived in the city Sunday evening for a few days' visit, to enable him to get acquainted with the voters of the county. Mr. Sinnott is state senator from Wasco and Hood River counties, and is one of the prominent members of the upper house. It is quite generally believed that the republican nomination for representative for congress this district lies between Senator Sinnott and Judge Ellis.

Frank Mooreland and family and A. S. Mooreland and family have returned from Southern California, where they spent the winter.

OLIVER SPEAKS TO HIGH SCHOOL

CHAMBER OF COMMERCE OFFICIAL TAKES ILLUSTRATED SLIDES TO ILLUMINATE TALK ON KLAMATH'S ADVANTAGES

Secretary Caleb T. Oliver of the Chamber of Commerce last Monday made a trip to the high school, and gave a lecture with some illustrated slides. Mr. Oliver's object in giving this lecture was to acquaint the students more fully with the wonderful natural resources hereabouts.

The first picture that was thrown on the screen was that of the Weed Lumber company's lumber yard.

He then presented some views of the farming districts, some showing land under cultivation, others showing areas being cleared for agricultural purposes, and products that were being raised. To show how the road from Weed to the Klamath district is superior for traffic and also more advantageous to the railroad, Mr. Oliver said that one engine will pull as much on this road as four will pull on the other.

A beautiful photograph of Mt. Shasta next displayed showed a wonderful likeness of nature's huge masterpiece.

In giving a brief outline of the career of the city of Dorris, Mr. Oliver stated that the city was a fair example of the steady and rapid progress which is so remarkably manifest in this part of the country. Four years ago, practically Dorris had its real origin, and from that time forward she has moved along until she has become the thriving little town of today. The Butte Valley district with its many farms, the new roads that are being built throughout the valley, and many other similar pictures were shown.

One of the best things Mr. Oliver had to show on his recent Los Angeles trip was the schools of this county. He said they made more of an impression with the people than any other views. The fact that the people realized that education was one of the essentials which should go along with the agricultural development made them look more favorably in this direction.

Among other scenes of notable interest were those around Fort Klamath. In these Oliver depicted the habits and amusements of the Indians besides giving a brief summary of the early days at the fort. The pictures of Wood River, Fort Creek and beautiful scenery in this neighborhood were shown to good advantage. The beautiful Crater Lake region's charms, were also thrown on the screen. A most gorgeous picture of Crater Lake by moonlight was shown, and the fact that it was taken by the ill-fated Russian photographer, Bakowski made it of special interest. Coming nearer home Mr. Oliver showed some very good pictures of his home in this city, in which his brood of White Leghorns were featured prominently.

Mr. Oliver was kind enough to loan his slides to the school for lecture purposes, and stated that it would add greatly to the students' knowledge to be able to give short talks on the development of this county. The school was very thankful to Mr. Oliver for the favor.

REACH VISITING HIS FORMER HOME

Seneca C. Beach, state senator, president of the printing firm of Mann & Beach, Portland, and of the Northwest Architect, a designers' periodical, was here Monday, looking over the ground where he used to make his headquarters. Years ago he was connected for a time with the first newspaper published in Klamath Falls, with which the late J. A. Bowdoin was identified, and later he purchased the Lake County Examiner at Lakeview, which he ran for a number of years.

For State Senator

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the office of State Senator in the Seventeenth Senatorial District, including Klamath, Crook and Lake counties, on the Republican ticket, subject to the will of the voters at the primaries to be held on 19th day of April, 1912. W. LAIR THOMPSON.

For State Representative

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the office of State Representative in the Twenty-First Representative District, including Lake, Klamath, Crook and Grant counties, on the Republican ticket, subject to the will of the voters at the primary election to be held on April 19, 1912. WESLEY O. SMITH

For County Clerk

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the nomination for County Clerk on the Republican ticket, subject to the will of the voters at the primary election to be held April 19, 1912. C. R. DE LAP.

MANY HOMESEEKERS ARE ARRIVING

SEVERAL WELL-TO-DO FAMILIES FROM KANSAS ARE IN KLAMATH FALLS CLOSING DEALS FOR HOMES

If anybody thinks there is not an influx to this city from over the Rockies they ought to be convinced, if they were at the office of Frank Ira White and Captain O. C. Applegate Saturday, when a big deal was in course of consumation. The parties were all Kansas people. One of them, A. A. Ford, came here from Norton county, Kansas, to join his son, S. A. Ford. Some months back P. J. Ford came to this county and acquired a homestead. He was immediately followed by his wife and children.

A singular coincidence occurred in that the visit of the Ford family to the real estate firm of Messrs White and Applegate was coincident with the arrival and call from D. W. George, also from Kansas, and from Atchison, the home county of Frank Ira White.

The Fords are determined to settle here, largely, it must be assumed, through the instrumentality of Mr. White and Captain Applegate. They have means, are men of high character, and will be desirable acquisitions in the community and valuable auxiliaries in the upbuilding of Klamath. The elder Fords arrived Friday night, and are registered at the Comstock.

B. T. McKimmon has been enjoying a visit from his father and mother for a few days. Mr. and Mrs. McKimmon arrived Friday night for a visit with their son, and left this morning for their home in Tillamook county.

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