

EUGENE BUSINESS WOMAN HERE

Mrs. L. M. Travis and son spent Friday and Saturday at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Baker. Mrs. Travis is a prominent business woman of Eugene, and previous to her marriage was a Tillamook young woman. She is now the business manager of the L. M. Travis Inc., a corporation started by her late husband, which is one of the most successful collecting agencies in the northwest. She is secretary of the Lane county Credit Men's association, and through a thorough system of checking people as to whether they are good or bad payers, she is saving the merchants of Lane county who belong to the association thousands of dollars every month. The credit men's association of Lane county determines the matter of a person's being permitted to solicit money and pulling off advertising stunts, so common in Oregon towns and a perpetual nuisance and annoyance to business men.

Few business men care to take prominent part in these matters, so they throw the responsibility on to Mrs. Travis as to refusing permits, but when in doubt she confers with a secret committee. Mrs. Travis is personally acquainted with Lieutenant Lowell H. Smith, now the senior officer and in command of the United States around the world flight. He is one of the most skillful, daring and experienced fliers in the country in the opinion of the Eugene business woman, and she predicts that the fleet of three airplanes will meet with success by circling the globe now that Lieut. Smith is in command.

BIRDS AS DISEASE CARRIERS

An investigation by Walter P. Taylor, biologist of the department of agriculture, and Harold C. Bryant, game expert of the California fish and game commission, with respect to the possibility of birds and wild animals being carriers of the hoof and mouth disease germ discloses the fact that it has so far been impossible to check any specific instance where wild birds or wild animals have been carriers of the disease.

It is pointed out that blackbirds because of their habit of feeding in the vicinity of domestic stock, and turkey buzzards which might feed on the carcasses of stock which have died from

the disease are the most likely to be carriers of the germ although it has been impossible to determine this to be a fact.

It is considered impossible for migratory birds and particularly waterfowl to carry the germ although certain species of waterfowl such as wild geese, brant and cranes feed extensively in the infected areas of southern California. These birds spend a large portion of their time in the water and this in addition to the fact that fresh air and sunshine are vital enemies of the disease germ makes it practically impossible for these birds to become spreaders of the disease.

The most important recommendation of Professors Taylor and Bryant is that danger and a wider dissemination of the hoof and mouth disease would come about if measures were taken looking towards the extermination of the birds because of the possibility of their being carriers of the germ. It is pointed out that it is impossible to kill all the birds and that those which were not killed would be so badly frightened that they would spread the disease even more rapidly than if they had been left alone in which instance they would have remained in the local community. This theory should be particularly true as affecting blackbirds and other local bird residents of the infected areas.

So far no case of the hoof and mouth disease has been found north of Stockton and the disease has been limited entirely to southern California sections. With the present disinfecting stations along the state lines and the measures being taken by the state of California to restrict the disease to

the present infected areas the possibility of a further spread of the disease seems remote.

Vernonia—\$63,000 to be spent on roads in this vicinity.

Tillamook—Contract let to build East Beaver cheese factory.

Astoria—Borden Milk company plans to build plant here.

Statement

May 14, 1924.

To the Editor of the Tillamook Headlight.

Dear Sir:

Letter in issue of May 8th appearing in Herald signed by one Carl Hunt, R. F. D. Tillamook, has been carefully read by the writer. To the voters who are not familiar with what I represent, I need only ask them to read with due care my pledge. A representative to Salem, should, if he is honest, and no one has accused me yet of being dishonest, represent every interest in the county, be the interest cheese, fish or lumber. He should vote fairly and squarely, and that I promise to do.

I do represent a lumbering concern and we are not sitting on our chairs in Michigan waiting for the timber to burn up or appreciate to a high value, but we are spending \$24 per thousand feet in every tree we harvest for taxes to the county, supplies for the mill and camp and wages to our men (\$74,000 per month in payrolls).

Taxes paid by the Whitney company to Tillamook county will run into seven figures. I have been one of the owners of this company for seventeen years and consequently, my personal tax account has been large, in addition to the large acreage I own personally in the Trask country, the Tollgate Hotel, etc. My interests are entirely in Oregon aside from a holding in a bank in Chicago.

Furthermore, I have worked diligently, tactfully and energetically for the improvement of Tillamook bay, secured \$407,000 of Government money, and expect to secure from the U. S. Government that much more money, so that ships can load in the bay for offshore points. These ships will come back empty. Why should they not carry hay, barley, beet pulp and other cow rations?

Has Mr. Hunt or his associates ever put up a nickle for my time or my expenses in connection with this harbor work?

Others have labored since 1888 to

secure harbor improvements. What have they to show?

Some friend of my opponent has mentioned the fact that The Whitney company is not protecting its employees under the Compensation Act. This is untrue. Every employee has the same protection under our management as that given by the State and we are under state supervision. I helped frame the workmens compensation act and am strong for workman's compensation as applied to industry and always have been.

There are two candidates in the field, a lawyer and myself. I do sincerely hope all the voters will without prejudice "study these candidates" in the light of performance of general good, of results that count to the business man and the farmers of the county.

I have every faith in the result. Read my pledge and vote for your best interest, Mrs. and Mr. Voter, and I am sure you'll not find me wanting when weighed.

RUSSELL HAWKINS
Garibaldi, Oregon.
(Paid Adv.)

Ed Cary
of Lafayette, Oregon.

For State Senator, 24th Senatorial District, comprising Washington, Tillamook, Lincoln and Yamhill counties.

I have served two terms in the Legislature. I am a real Republican dirt farmer and dairyman by practice and not by proxy. My references are among the leaders of our State who are now living. If nominated and elected, I will endeavor to serve all the people to the best of my ability. Your support will be appreciated.
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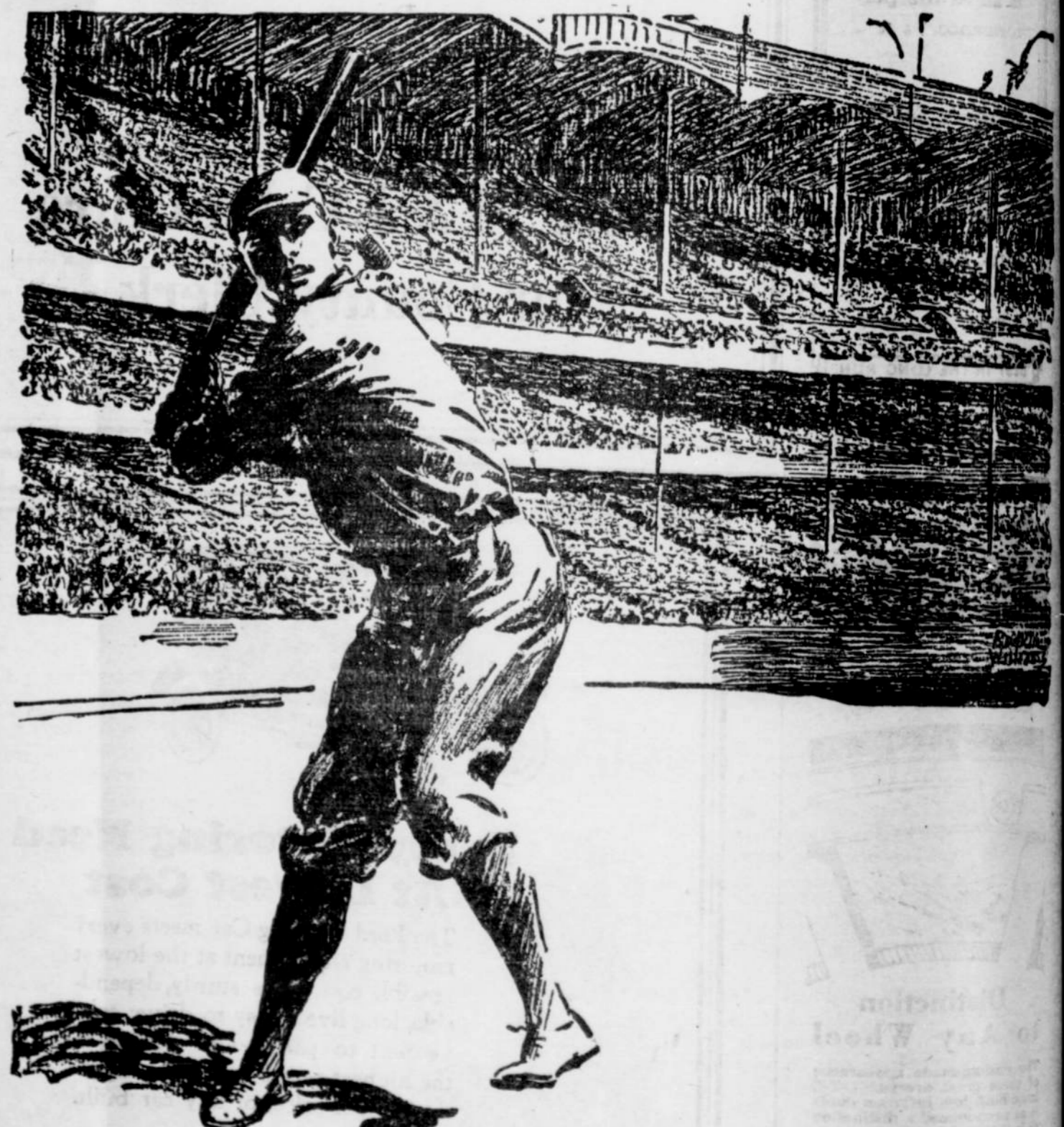
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