WILL NOT FORM POOL TO SELL THEIR CROPS

Willamette Valley Prune Growers' Association Thinks Other Method Will Be Satisfactory.

The Willamette Valley Prune Growers' Association held its annual meeting yesterday afternoon and several matters of importance were discussed.

The association will not form a pool to secure prices for the 1913 crop, as has been done heretofore. Prices will be made this year on whatever conditions justify and it is thought by the members that this plan will be far more successful.

Secretary H. S. Gile submitted his report and the following prices are shown to have been received for the 1912 crop:

Italians—Twenties to thirties, 6.38 cents; thirties to forties, 5.93; forties to fifties, 5.32; fifties to sixties, 4.23; sixties to seventies, 3.05; seventies to eighties, 2.58.

French—Forties to fifties, 5.46; fifties to sixties, 4.36; sixties to seventies, 3.51; seventies to eighties, 3.10; eighties to nineties, 2.60; nineties to one hundreds, 2.02; one hundreds and over, 1.39.

An election of officers, or in fact a reelection of officers, was held. The old members of the board of directors were detained and W. J. Crawford was elected president.

POISONED BY MISTAKE IS HUSBAND'S THEORY

[UNITED PRESS LEASED WIRE.]

Pasadena, Cal., June 11.—Mystery surrounds the cause of the death of Mrs. Alfred L. McLaren, wife of a manufacturing druggist of this city, who died at the Pasadena hospital today, following a dose of bichloride of mercury, which it is claimed by her husband she took by mistake. Mrs. McLaren went to the medicine chest before the other members of the family were up this morning and took the poison. She died two hours later without making a statement.

WILL ATTEMPT TO CRUSH MURDEROUS MOROS TODAY

[UNITED PRESS LEASED WIRE.]

Manila, June 11.—Determined to crush once for all the rebellious Moros, who, under the Sultan of Jolo, are entrenched at Bagsag, Brigadier-General Pershing, commander of the department of Mindadao was scheduled to move today against the outlaws.

Pershing's force consists of a company of regular infantry, a troop of cavalry, seven companies of Phillippine scouts, four mountain guns and a machine gun squad. It is believed this force will be sufficient to wipe out the Moros with little loss to the Americans.

Wild Riot on Levee.

[UNITED PRESS LEASED WIRE.]

New Orleans, La., June 11.—Fifteen persons were injured, five seriously, in a riot on the levee front here today, when 300 union men are alleged to have attacked strikebreakers employed by the United Fruit Company. Most of the strikers were foreigners, and they fired on policemen sent to quel the disorder. The battle continued for an hour, more than 100 shots being exchanged. One hundred and thirteen rioters were arrested.

When your child has whooping cough be careful to keep the cough loose and expectoration easy by giving Chamberlain's Cough Remedy as may be required. This remedy will also liquify the tough mucus and make it easier to expectorate. It has been used successfully in many epidemics, and is safe and sure. For sale by all dealers.

If that man Darling is so set on going clothless and cooked-foodless, why can't he stay down in the South Sea Islands, where he properly belongs.

FOR THE NECK AND SHOULDERS

A Free Prescription That Instantly Obliterates Blemishes, Tan, Freckles And the Marks Left by High Collars.

The Dutch neck and the evening gown too often expose the discoloration and blemishes of high collars or the effects of tan and freckles. It is easy to overcome these conditions and make the neck beautiful and white and soft and smooth—to overcome, in other words, every blemish and make the low neck as attractive as it is comfortable. This preparation can also be used on the shoulders and face, and it is marvelously effective to beautify the hands and arms.

If you want to try it, go to your druggist and get a one-ounce bottle of Kuklux Compound. Pour the entire contents into a two-ounce bottle, add quarter ounce witch hazel, then fill with water. Prepare this at your own home. One application will delight you. It is deliciously cool and soothing and it is not affected by perspiration. It will not rub off.

If you put it on one hand only, or on one side of the neck and note the difference, you will see the wonderful change it makes instantly. The results are immediate and continued use of this preparation will keep your skin as soft and smooth as a child's.

CONDITIONAL PARDON IS ISSUED TO GREEN

Governor West today issued a conditional pardon to Charles Green, who is serving a four-months' sentence on the rock pile in Portland. Green was convicted on a charge of vagrancy March 14. Through the efforts of Judge Tazewell and District Attorney Walter H. Evans, of Multnomah county, Green procured a position, and upon their recommendations Governor West issued the pardon.

PETITION OF CHILDREN IS UNDER CONSIDERATION

State Superintendent Alderman has a letter from the navy department stating that the letter and petition requesting that the world-famed battleship Oregon be the chosen one to lead the procession through the Panama canal, had been received at the department and that the petition would receive all the consideration possible. The petition was signed by some 62,200 school children.

Oakland Wants It.

[UNITED PRESS LEASED WIRE.]

Oakland, Cal., June 11.—Oakland is in line to secure the International Congress of Education in 1915. At a conference between the officials of the Panama-Pacific Exposition Company and the commercial club, the exposition officials pledged their support to Oakland. A delegation from this city will attend the national educational convention in Salt Lake City July 5, and will make an effort to land the event. The congress will bring 30,000 people from every part of the world.

Their Favorite Sports.

(Life.)

The Lawyer's—Chinning-the-bar.
The Arctic Explorers—The pole vault.
The Critic's—Throwing-the-hammer.
The Pawnbroker's—Hockey.
The Divinity Student's—Steeplechasing.
The Shipping Clerk's—Boxing.
The Cook's—Bowls.
The Speculator's—Kite-flying.
The Sculptor's—Marbles.
The Trust Magnate's—Pool.
The Lady's—Curling.
The Taxidermist's—Skinning-the-cat.
The Rounder's—Rackets.
The Debater's—Discus.
The Masquerader's—Dominoes.

Every man is a coward—if you can only discover the particular thing that frightens him.

FIFTY ARE ARRESTED FOR INVADING WORKS

Industrial Workers of the World, Who Forced Employes Out, in Jail at Oregon City.

[UNITED PRESS LEASED WIRE.]

Oregon City, Or., June 11.—As the result of a midnight invasion of the paper manufacturing plants of the Crown Columbia and Hawley companies during which, through alleged threats of violence the employes were forced to close down operations, fifty men, reported to be members of the Industrial Workers of the World, are under arrest here today.

After closing down the Crown Columbia and Hawlaye plants, the men made their way to the Willamette paper mill, but found the doors barred and did not attempt to force an entrance.

They were met shortly afterward by Sheriff Mass and several deputies and placed underd arrest.

The appearance of the men was without warning and the workmen, taken by surprise, readily complied with demands that they shut down the machines.

At the Hawlay mill the invaders turned out the lights and did considerable damage to the belts.

Both mills were in operation today.

Officials were at a loss to account for the attack as the workers had recently been voluntarily granted an 8-hour day and so far as known entertained no grievance against the concerns affected.

The invaders are being held for action by the grand jury.

ALLEGED INJUSTICE

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the situation, and his cross-examination of Elliott was sharp and severe.

Elliott said that when his troops first entered the strike zone they confiscated 120,000 rounds of ammunition and six machine guns which the operators had taken into the district. He also described a pitched battle between mine guards and miners, in which several tents were "shot up" and property destroyed. The witness declared that both factions were responsible for outbreaks. He said that when the first period of martial law was ended, some of the militiamen became mine guards. When martial law was resumed, he said, these men resumed their military service.

Elliott asserted that martial law was first proclaimed at the request of the union representatives, who declared guards were carrying things in a high-handed manner, and that even the mine operators were opposed to their tactics.

Captain Morgan of the state militia was the next witness. He testified that in the opinion of himself and associate officers, an actual state of war existed in the Paint Creek and Cabin Creek districts, and that they had governed sentences imposed accordingly.

"We had to make examples of offenders," he said. "If we had believed life imprisonment necessary, we would have imposed that sentence regardless of the civil code. We also sentenced persons for offenses committed before martial law was proclaimed."

Captain Morgan also explained the methods of the courts-martial.

Not Husband's Fault.

[UNITED PRESS LEASED WIRE.]

Van couver, B. C., June 11.—That it was no fault of his that Mrs. Povah committed suicide at San Francisco yesterday is emphatically stated by friends of W. F. Povah here today. Povah is a stenographer in the employment of the legal firm of Livingston, Garrett & King, Ottawa building, for the last two years, and is a badly broken man, following the receipt of the news of his wife's terrible death by swallowing wood alcohol. Mrs. Povah, according to the statement of friends, insisted on living in California, obtaining employment in a dry goods store at Oakland, and leaving her husband and two children here.

DISPUTE ON AS TO WHO KILLED WOMAN

[UNITED PRESS LEASED WIRE.]

Ipswich, Mass., June 11.—Police and Industrial Workers of the World, who are on strike here against the big hosiery mills, blame each other today for the death of Nicholette Pendelopolou, a woman who was killed last night in a strike battle. The district attorney is probing the affair to ascertain, if possible, which side in the affray fired the fatal shot.

Several persons were severely hurt in the melee, in which the police charged repeatedly into the mass of foreign workmen, after the latter had failed to disperse after the riot act was read.

Spanish Cabinet Resigns.

[UNITED PRESS LEASED WIRE.]

Paris, June 11.—Dispatches received here this evening from a Madrid news agency assert that the Spanish cabinet resigned this afternoon. Both branches of the government suspended. No definite information as to the exact cause of the crisis has been received.

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ROYAL WELCOME FOR THOSE LONG SUBMERGED

Long Beach, June 11.—A rousing reception will be given the occupants of the submarine boat when they emerge from the water at 5 o'clock this afternoon, after having been submerged for 36 hours. Mayor J. S. Hatch will be present to break the seal that he placed on the hatchway when the boat went down at 5 o'clock yesterday morning. Mrs. John M. Gage, wife of the inventor of the boat, will be the first to welcome her husband back to land, and hundreds of interested spectators will line the shore. Whistles and sirens of every description on land and sea will join in the demonstration, and their blasts will announce the safe return to the surface of the six men who are now at the bottom of the harbor making a new world's submergence record.

To Raise Cotton Duty.

[UNITED PRESS LEASED WIRE.]

Washington, June 11.—Senator Simmons announced this afternoon that the senate sub-committee had decided to raise the duty on cotton from half a cent to one cent. Its members, he said, were determined to put ferromangancese and pig iron on the free list.

Opium Queen Is Bolted.

[UNITED PRESS LEASED WIRE.]

San Francisco, June 11.—The "opium queen" of Chinatown, Mrs. Wong You, tried to "put one over" on the customs authorities here today in a novel way—but she failed to get away with it, and is under $2000 bonds for action by the federal grand jury. Mrs. You was captured on the Pacific Mail dock when her trousers bulged. Investigation showed the bumps were five tins of opium, and Mrs. You was "pinched."

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D. W. CAMPBELL
General Superintendent Southern Pacific Company

SAYS REPLY TO JAPAN WILL BE MADE NEXT WEEK

[UNITED PRESS LEASED WIRE.]

Washington, June 11.—Secretary of State Bryan announced this afternoon that the American reply to Japan's rejoinder regarding the California land law would be submitted to Ambassador early next week.

Bryan took to President Wilson this afternoon a note drafted by John Bassett Moore, counsellor of the state department, which is to be the basis of the American reply. Bryan and the president held a long consultation on its terms. It is announced that the cabinet as a whole will be asked to endorse the note before it is presented to the Japanese ambassador.

Want Harbor Aid.

[UNITED PRESS LEASED WIRE.]

Washington, June 11.—Headed by Mayor J. C. Owens, a delegation of citizens from Richmond, Cal., arrived here today to present to the river and harbord board of army engineers plans for a $3,000,000 inner harbor at Richmond. The planse have been recommended by Colonel T. H. Rees, the army engineer in charge of the Richmond district. The board will hear the delegation June 16.

And many a man's idea of being stylishly dressed is to wear a necktie that would start a riot at a funeral.

Wonder what is the consensus of opinion of the June brides of yesteryear?

Drowned in Columbia.

[UNITED PRESS LEASED WIRE.]

Wenatchee, Wash., une 11.—Pulled into the Columbia river while snagging logs from the stream, J. C. Heimer, a farmer, is dead here today from drowning. J. C. Sperling, a neighbor, also fell into the water, but succeeded in saving hiself.

Not the Fact.

Mother—Are you quite happy, Bertha? One of your neighbors said the other day he heard you and your husband quarreling awfully.

Bertha—Pure fabrication, mamma. We haven't spoken a word to each other for a fortnight.

Will Try Millionaire.

[UNITED PRESS LEASED WIRE.]

Los Angeles, June 10.—The trial of George H. Bixby, millionaire banker, of Long Beach, who is charged with contributing to the delinquency of two girls, was set today for July 24. Bixby was arrested during the recent anti-vice crusade here.

If a woman ever does find her ideal man, she almost invariably discovers that some other woman has a prior claim on him.

It seems that the last postmaster-general, Frank Hitchcock, fooled the country considerably with his surface showing of changing a deficit into a surplus—for campaign purposes. But it did no good; people were thinking of bigger matters last November.

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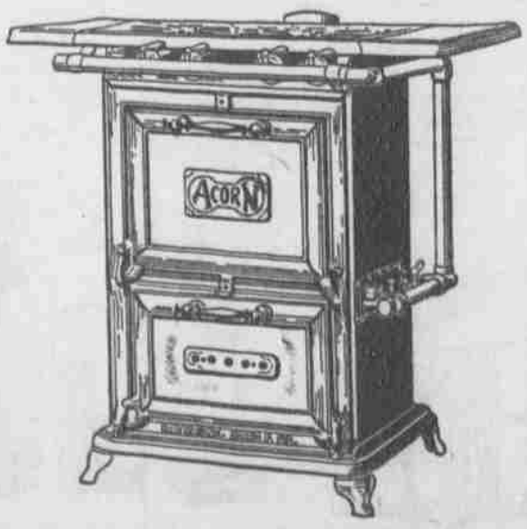
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