

APPLE MEN CALLED ARE TOO ELABORATE IN MEETING FOR TAFT

WILL HOLD SESSION AT SPOKANE TO CONSIDER BILL BEFORE CONGRESS.

Spokane, Sept. 27.—Believing that the La Fean apple package and grading bill, introduced at the special session of the United States congress last winter, is designed to favor special interests and that its enactment will prove detrimental to the fruit industry in the Pacific northwest, the executive committee of the Washington State Horticultural association and the executive committee of the National Apple show (Inc.) have called a convention of apple growers, shippers, representatives of refrigerator car concerns and box manufacturers to meet in Spokane, November 16, for the purpose of considering the provisions of the measure.

That a concerted fight is to be waged against the bill is evidenced by the appended paragraphs, contained in a circular letter to be issued to growers, shippers, box manufacturers and refrigerator car men in the west, by L. G. Monroe, secretary of the Washington State Horticultural association, and Ren H. Rice, secretary-manager of the National Apple show (Inc.):

"The bill is designed, we believe, to favor private interests, and, if enacted, much harm to the fruit industry of the Pacific northwest will result.

"The fame of the apple business of the Pacific slope and intermountain region of the west has become world wide, and while the superiority of our apples is conceded, much of this fame is due to the manner in which this staple fruit product is prepared for the market. We refer to the standard box, which contains a little more than a (Winchester) bushel, the standard dry measure of the United States.

Messrs. Monroe and Rice say, in a joint statement, that the horticultural societies of Idaho, Oregon and Montana will join in the call and urge growers and shippers in their states to attend the convention, which will begin its sessions at 10:30 o'clock the morning of November 16 in the G. A. H. hall of the state armory in Spokane. The sessions will be open to representatives of apple associations and growers' unions and others interested in the movement. Champions of the La Fean bill will also have an opportunity to present their side of the argument.

"We desire the opinion of every grower and shipper in the west on the apple box question," said Mr. Rice, "to determine whether, in their judgment and experience, the present standard should be maintained or a new one adopted. Those who cannot attend are requested to write to L. G. Monroe, secretary Washington State Horticultural association, Spokane, Wash., giving their views on this matter.

"Concerted action is imperative at this time because of its weight in making public opinion and arousing the western representatives in congress to the needs of the producers and handlers."

MISSOULIAN WANT ADS BRING QUICK RESULTS.

DINNERS ARRANGED FOR PRESIDENT NOT SIMPLE ENOUGH, AND TOO LONG.

Washington, Sept. 27.—The hospitality of the west seems to be taxing the endurance of President Taft, especially as to the formal dinners which have been arranged in his honor.

Some time before the president started on his tour, his secretary, Mr. Carpenter, wrote to each of the committees having the matter in charge, asking them to make the dinners which the president was to attend as simple in character and as brief as possible. Notwithstanding this injunction, the cities so far visited by President Taft seem to have vied in making the dinners as elaborate as possible and in some instances they have occupied two and three and even four hours.

In view of the length of the president's trip and the large number of dinners and receptions to which he had been invited, the president feels, out in justice to himself, the dinners should be simple and brief as the occasion will permit and has asked his secretary to again ask the various committees of arrangements to observe his original request.

HAIR TELLS CHARACTER.

Color of Hair Said to Indicate a Person's Temperament.

Many people believe that blonde or light hair denotes affection and dark hair constancy. A person without hair is not devoid of character, far from it. The disposition of the average bald-headed man is to show such solicitude for the welfare of others that he neglects himself. A germ causes baldness. Professor Sabouraud of Paris, France, inoculated a rabbit with Dandruff germs, causing it to become totally bald in five weeks' time. To rid the scalp of these dangerous germs it is necessary to apply Newbro's Herpicide.

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TWO INSTITUTIONS CLOSE THEIR DOORS

Pittsburg, Sept. 27.—The Land Trust company and the Mercantile Trust company, both state institutions, did not open for business today. James L. White, state bank examiner, is temporarily receiver for both banks. The trust companies consolidated recently. It is said they were unable to carry out the merger and made arrangements Saturday to assign voluntarily. According to the officials, the depositors will be paid in full. The capital stock of the two companies is \$1,216,000.

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PREHISTORIC BONES DISCOVERED

REMAINS OF MAN OF EARLIEST AGES REPOSE IN CITY HALL AT SAN ANTONIO.

San Antonio, Texas, Sept. 27.—That parts of their ossular systems should ever repose in a neat glass book case in the office of Mayor Callaghan of this city may never have occurred to the beings whose remains were recently discovered in a cave in the limestone hills to the west of the city. But such is the case. Over 1,000 fragments of bones, large and small, are now deposited there, awaiting scrutiny from the eyes of scientists and near scientists. So far only the latter have given it as their opinion that bones, even though they belong to prehistoric man, are just bones.

The fact remains that the people whose remains have thus come to light were unusually tall. The fragment of a bone, now difficult to identify, but having formed part of the leg or arm, leading to this conclusion, is still over 15 inches in length, notwithstanding the fact a considerable portion of it must be missing according to the lines of the formation of the bone. The only bones that could be identified as having formed the skull of the individual were also found in parts. They seem to conform, however, to the brachiocephalic index. The jaws are those of an adult, are comparatively well preserved and are somewhat massive. The chin is strong and protruding. Teeth found in the cave and in the jaws are somewhat below average size. No incisors have been noticed so far, but molars rather flat in shape and having small roots were found in considerable number. The teeth, like the bones, crumble easily, though permeated by the properties of the limestone forming the cave. It is thought that exposure to the air will complete the process of petrification they have undergone. The limestone of that region has the characteristic of being extremely soft when found, and hardening rapidly in the air. Still pieces of bone examined closely show them to have been practically converted into stone of the same consistency as the surrounding material.

The remains were found in a cave of the Upper Cretaceous formation closed by the alluvial deposits of the Pleistocene period. The material adhering to some of the bones showing that the cave then was so located that vegetable mould could enter it or form in it. The possibility that the bones are those of Indians is very remote for the reason that the entrance to the little cave lay many feet under the surface of the ground, and that they could not know of its existence except by chance upon it while digging a grave. The cave being at too low a level for this, the possibility that the remains are modern is not very great. Since the deposit of the remains in the cave must antedate in this case the Pleistocene period, the death of these individuals must have occurred thousands of centuries ago.

Specimens of the bones and pictures of the cave and surrounding ground, as well as samples of the limestone and gravel, will, in the near future, be sent to the Smithsonian institute at Washington.

PARALYSIS CLAIMS AN AGED PIONEER

Reno, Nev., Sept. 27.—Captain J. B. Overton, who for over 50 years was president of the Virginia City & Gold Hill Water company and had personal charge of all the water supply of the Virginia City mines died last night in this city at the age of 85 years. Captain Overton suffered a stroke of paralysis last May and another last Friday. During the pained days of the Comstock, Captain Overton was an associate of the Mackay, Flood and Fair crowd and aided them in accumulating their fortunes. He will be buried in this city Wednesday. Captain Overton was a prominent Elk and the funeral services will probably be conducted by that order.

IRRIGATION CROWDS RANGE CATTLE

OPENING OF CONRAD-VALIER PROJECT MAKES FARMS OUT OF PASTURES.

Valier, Mont., Sept. 27.—Twenty thousand head of beef cattle and 50,000 sheep have been crowded from the Montana stock range this year by the development of the Conrad-Valier irrigation project, by which 150,000 acres of the best range land in the state will be transformed into irrigated farms. Of this area, the first segregation of 70,000 acres will be thrown open at Valier on October 7, and the stockmen have anticipated the transformation by disposing of their herds and flocks. Several thousand horses have also been either sold or taken to other pastures, and for the first time in the history of this section of Montana horses are being shipped in from the east. Only a few years ago 4,000 horses were sold in Teton county by one company in 12 months.

The famous "seven block" brand of W. G. Conrad, which was purchased by Cargill & White of the Conrad Land & Water company, when they acquired Mr. Conrad's lands and water rights in Teton county, will be a thing of the past in a few weeks. The herd numbered about 10,000 head, and the cattle are being shipped from Valier to the eastern markets at the rate of a full trainload each week, with occasional smaller shipments in between. Numerous small bands of from 50 to 200 cattle, which have hitherto been ranged in this vicinity, have been sold recently. Leech Bros. of Dupuyer have purchased several of these bands. They own considerable land in this county and have leased a large area from the state. Dan Florence also retains a large number of cattle, most of which are ranged on the Blackfoot reservation.

However, there will be abundant feed for range stock in Teton county for years to come, notwithstanding the rapid settlement. It is predicted by those in position to know that the county will contain more sheep and cattle five years hence than ever before, when the farmers begin to feed stock. Three cuttings of alfalfa can easily be produced during the growing season on irrigated land each year, and prodigious crops of clover are easily obtained. Under such conditions Teton county will certainly continue to be a great producer of beef and mutton, differing only in method from the past.

Pacific coast buyers are coming here for beef this season for the first time, and higher prices obtain than have ever been paid for beef cattle in this section of the state.

The stockmen are adapting themselves readily to the changed conditions. They are branching out into business enterprises and are taking an active part in the upbuilding of irrigated Montana.

United States Senator Thomas H. Carter will deliver the principal address at the big land opening in Valier on October 7. Senator Carter has twice inspected the project, and has evinced deep interest in its progress.

"The Conrad-Valier project is a magnificent undertaking," said the senator, while in Valier recently. "It embraces a vast area of very rich land and it will add greatly to the wealth of the state, besides bringing in a large number of very desirable citizens. The project has already resulted in the expenditure of fully \$2,000,000 in Teton county, to the great benefit of that section, and this expenditure is but the forerunner of a permanent development that will be of immense value. Under irrigation the territory contained within the canal system is capable of sustaining a large population, and I am glad to note that it is attracting a very high class of people, to whom Montana extends a hearty welcome."

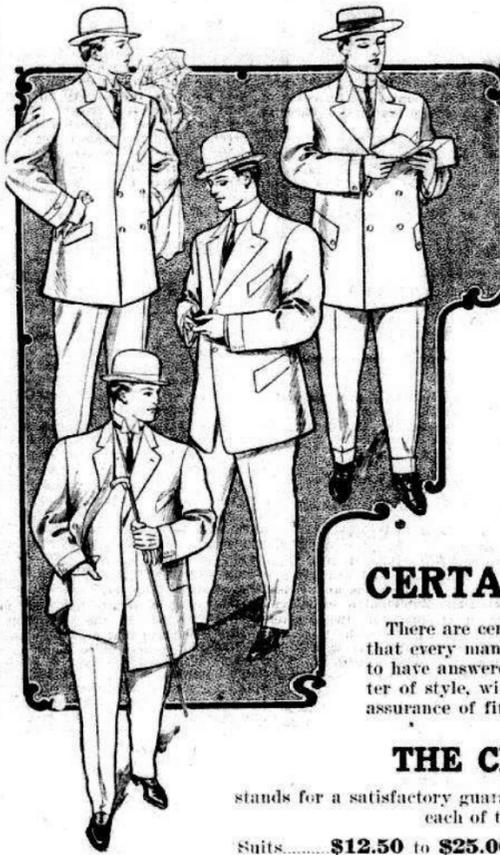
Ten carloads of lumber were received in Valier today by the Conrad Land & Water company for use on the various buildings it has under construction. The company has just completed 10 bunk houses, 25x100 feet, for use during the opening rush, and it required a considerable amount of building to furnish these buildings. To guard against possible inconvenience from rain the company has provided abundant shelter for the expected throng on October 7.

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Jersey City, N. J., Sept. 27.—A panic among the 1,000 pupils of St. Anthony's Parochial school at Mammoth and Sixth streets, caused by the explosion of fireworks nearby, resulted today in the severe injury of 15 children; only one is believed to be fatally hurt. Reports that some of the Jersey City schools would be dynamited have been circulated for several days and when Italians began to explode fireworks in the street in front of a church next door in celebration of a festival the children thought their school building was being blown up.

In the scramble to escape many of the children were knocked down and trampled upon until pressure forced the doors open. The frightened children then ran among the exploded fireworks and some of them were burned.

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ONLY SIX SURVIVORS.

Baltimore, Sept. 27.—Six survivors out of a crew of 18 are aboard winter quarter lightship, the remaining 12 men having perished, according to a report made by Captain Delano of the steamer Porto Rico, which arrived here today from New York.

RAISIN WINE TAXABLE.

Washington, Sept. 27.—Raisin wine is taxable, according to a decision rendered today by Commissioner of Internal Revenue Cabell. The tax will take effect October 1 next. All internal revenue agents were notified today by telegraph.

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