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ROSEBURG, DOUGLAS COUNTY, OREGON, TUESDAY, JULY 15, 1919

IS NOT AGREEABLE

Fails to Ask President to Attend Sessions.

Administration Headquarters Intimate that Executive Will Therefore Get Away on Speaking Tour at an Early Date.

(By Associated Press.)
WASHINGTON, July 15.—That
the senate foreign relations committee does not propose to have the WASHINGTON. July 15.—That the senate foreign relations committee does not propose to have the president sitting around as a sort of steering committee for directing the tee for discussion of the peace treaty and its adoption, is shown in the fact that it is stated this morning that administration quarters have received intimations that the executive will not be invited to appear before the foreign relations committee is apparently hostile to the peace treaty. A majority of the committee is apparently hostile to the suggestion, believed to emenate from the executive offices, that Mr. Wilson be asked to appear. It is also equally apparent to the president's close advisors that the chief executive will not be honored by a visit from the foreign relations committee as a body to confer with him at the White House in regard to the peace treaty or the covenant of the league of nations. Owing to the fact that the foreign relations committee feel able to get along without fir. Wilson's hand at the helm during sension of that body, it is given out today that possibly the president will be able to get away on his speaking four somewhat carlier than he had anticipated.

CAMALL DOV MIOTIM

SMALLPOX VICTIM

The S. P. diner, inhabited by three negroes, one of whom is suffering from a mild case of smallpox, would have been in Portland today had it not been for the Portland authorities who refused to accept the car, consequently it stands in the local yards. Dr. Shoemaker, after consulting with Dr. Roberg, of the state board of health, ordered the car sent to the metropolis where greater conveniences are available for the patients, but the city authorities refused to allow the pest car within the city limits. The matter was again taken up with Dr. Roberg and the darkies will probably be taken to Powlied fembres from would clear itself. He alloged that the treaty did not give Japan any positical rights in Shantung and Kiau Chau, but merely economic veniences are available for the pa-tients, but the city authorities re-fused to allow the pest car within the city limits. The matter was again taken up with Dr. Roberg and the darkies will probably be taken to Portland tonight in their strictly private car.

MAY IMPROVE

Engineer C. J. Green, of Salem, arrived in the city today to study the problem confronting the Water and Lighti Company and will offer suggestions which will probably result in greatly increasing the capacity of the present plant. Mr. Green has inspected the Winchester plant where the trouble is now being experienced and this afternoon held a conference with officials to determine the course of action to be pursued. At this time the pumping capacity is exceedingly limited, the centrifugal pumps being hooked up in such a manner that their efficiency is decreased. Mr. Green will attempt to rearrange the system so that a greater volume of water will be procurable. be procurable

MAIL CARRIER'S

Malicarrier Humphrey, of Wilburtoday caused the arrest of a California tourist after the latter had wrecked the wagon used to carry the mail and had caused the team to run away destroying the harness. The tourist, it is claimed, "hogged" the road, frightening the horses which wrecked the wagon. Mr. Humphrey caused a complaint to be sworn out and the tourist was arrested at Satherlin. A settlement will probably be made out of court.

TEMPERATURE WAS 96 TODAY.

POSSIBLE CLUE

Womans Clothing May Help To Capture Murderer.

Oregon Officials Are Working to Establish Identity of Murdered Woman Whose Body Was Recently Found.

The definite establishment of a laundry mark is considered a substantial clue in the Olympia murder case which has resulted in a determined search on the part of all Oregon officer to unearth additional evidence which will lead to the identification of the nursiary assume.

use for a long time, union suit of overalls of khalri color and black shoes. His speech was broken and seemingly of scandinavian accent.

TO GO TO PORTLAND JAPAN GETS SHANTUNG

Risu Chau, but merely economic rights which would terminate in 60 and 76 years. Wilson stated that he believed it expedient to yield to Japan's demands in relation to Shantung in order to have Japan as a member of the league of nations.

THE WATER SYSTEM LEAGUE PENNANT RACE

was witnessed by a man was an especially good one the being 7 to 6 with the outer doubt until the last mobient.

THERE WAS HEAVY INFLUX OREGONIANS

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The highest temperature before 3:30 p. m. was 95, with the thermometer still elimbing according to the report made at that time by Wm. Bell, of the local weather birreau office. The hot spell will probably last for another day if the forecast proves to be correct. Thunderstorms are predicted for Thursday.

WILSON'S PRESENCE LAUNDRY MARK IS C. A. BRAND HEADS MONEYBUYS BRAINS RIGHTS OF LAND

In Organization Developing Fruit Lands.

Has Been Reorganized and Incorporated Under Oregon Laws As A State Industry and Will Continue Its Business As At Present,

Charles A. Brand today purchased Charles A. Brand today purchased the entire interest, amounting to something over \$35,000, of H. W. Clark of North Adams, Mass, in the Overland Orchards and other property belonging to the Overland Company in Douglas County, Mr. Brand becomes president of the Company, succeeding Mr. Clark, and will manage its business as before.

The Overland Fruit and Development Company, which was an East-

ment Company, which was an East-ern company, has been reorganized as an Oregon corporation under the name of the Overland Fruit Company. When asked about the reorganization Mr. Brand stated that the change would not affect the conduct of the business in any way since the Oyerland Fruit Company takes over all the business and property of the old company and assumes its obligations. It seemed advantageous in many ways to be an Oregon corporation since the business of the Company is in Oregon.

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twenty-five acres being the famous
Overland vineyard and the rest apples and pears. Mr. Brand reports
very heavy crops of apples and
grapes this year with Bartlett and
Howell pears fair and other varieties.

Reporting on the samples recently sent from this city by the health officer the state board of health to-day reported very favorably on the day reported very favorably on the water supplied patrons of the Douglas County Light & Water Co., finding that it shows up exceptionally pure with only lifty barteria per centimeter. This is considered an unusual showing and the board of health makes special comment upon the fact. There was no evidence of colon bacillus and the water is declared to be perfectly pure and free from all contageous disease germs. Dr. Shoemaker recently sent in several samples taken from different eral samples taken from different sections of the city and is quite gratified to find such a pleasing re-

WALTER FISHER

CONTRACT AWARDED.

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The contract for graveling the Suthertin-Nonparell road, was left by the county court to Hill Brothers, who gave a very ceasonable bid. The

LAND COMPANY AND PUBLICITY AGT.

veals Traits That May Have Been Suspected.

OFFICIALS HAVE HUNCH OFFICERS ARE BUSY IS OREGON CONCERN SAYS HISTORY IS BUNK GREAT INTEREST HERE ANNOUNCEMENT LATER A SECRET CONNIVANCE

Henry Ford's label Suit at Interesting Stage-Music and Fine Arts Find No Favor In the Mind of the Big Manufacturer

(By Associated Press.)
MOUNT CLEMENS, Mich., July 15
—Henry Ford's libel suit against the
Chicago Tribune took a decidedly interesting turn this morning when
attorneys for the defense put the
millionaire automobile manufacturer
through a grilling examination that through a grilling examination that revealed some startling situations and a lack of appreciation in the plaintiff of historical facts, love of plaintiff of historical facts, love of music, or even ability to write his own pacifist literature, it developing that money was able to buy very much which Mr. Ford's progenitors had failed to impart. During the course of the grilling Ford made many frank admissions in answering questions propounded by the Tribune's attorneys. Although proprietor of Ford's Weekly, to which he is giving much of his personal attention, witness stated that more than ever be considered history mere "bunk" and the outgrowth of tradition. Ford admitted that he had no personal use for the elevating influences of music or other forms of the finer arts. Speaking of militar-

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The Overland Company is a bonafide company. It is not a real estate development proposition and it has no land for sale. It has put its money into the building up of s great orchard when for years there could be no returns because it had faith in the future of the fruit industry in Douglas county. Now returns are beginning to come and it is the prediction of The News that the company will find their investment a mighty profitable one.

CITY WATER FREE

FROM DISEASE

The Overland Fruit (The News that the sound the way paved for universal peace for the ages to come. A startling feature came to light relative to Mr. Ford's qualifications as a writer, for which he has gained considerable notoricty during the time since he undertook fits peace between the company will find their investment a mighty profitable one.

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Three poultry firms in the Happy Valley district are being operated as demonstration farms. These being the farms of Mr. George Telford, Mr. A. A. Enumens and Mr. Carl A. Carl-a. Car and any one interested is invited to of this community whether if

Owing to the emergency arising in the water supply situation, until further notice the water will be shut off through the city at 16:25 p m. and will be turned on each morning at about 5 a.m. Pairons of the system are notified full Contract Awarded

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Foreign Relations Committee Discovery of Figures On Dead Purchases Controlling Interest Noted Pacifist As Witness Re. Attorney General Brown Makes Will Arrive Here Within Two Senator Norris Lays Bare A Important Ruling Regarding Fishing Privilege.

Has Been Subject of Discussion For Some Time By The Lower River Sport Contingency.

tem will be of interest here as it affects an old Umpqua River conten-tion as well as the Rogue River sit-nation: That no fisherman has the ex-

The following dispatch from Sa-

"That no fisherman has the ex-clusive right to fish in the bed of a navigable river even though he has obtained a lieguse to anchor-nets opposite his own property, is the opinion given by Attorney-tien-eral grown in a communication to State Game Warden Shoemaker. The question arose from a dispute petween two settlers on the banks of the Siuslaw.
"In the most recent controversy "In the most recent controvers;

"In the most recont controversy one man had obtained a set net because, but had not finished off his property for a number of years. Meanwhile a neighbor used the same place in the stream, anchoring his net in the water. This year he took out a theense, but the owner of the adjoining property removed the net and claimed the right to fish at this point was his exclusion. fish at this point was his exclusively

"Attorney-General Brown in his "Attornoy-General Brown in his opinion says: "The beds of all waters in which the tide closs and flows and all navigable waters whether tidal or otherwise, belongs to the state by virtue of its sovercignty and such title extends to high water mark. The title of the abutting shore owners extends only to high water mark. In unavigible o high water mark. In unnavigible in-tidal waters, however, the title of the shore owner extends to the thread of the stream and if he owns the land on both sides of the stream it follows that he owns the bed clear

"All of the citizens of the state have a common right of fishery in all navigable waters of the state. It follows that the river at the places s's entrance to the war, it devolong that a publicity man, Theodore avigne, wrote practically all of automobile man's noted pacifiat rature which was scattered like leaves of autumn throughout the leaves of autumn throughout the leaves of autumn throughout the tod States and Europe. Much of "peace literature" was circulatbroadcast without Henry Ford having read it, but he stated he accepted full responsibility the sentiment expressed therein.

ULTRY FARMS

FOR DEMONSTRATION

The province of the stream of the state; that is, the sentiment expressed therein. In the state of the state and the river is non-navigable, then the abutting land owner owns the land to the center of the stream or clear across if his lands abutt on both sides of the stream and any lisherman would be a treepasser if he should fasten his nets to the led of the stream contrary to the expressed wish of the shore owner."

LANDS IN STATES

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Walter S. Fisher, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Fisher, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Fisher, of this city, arrived at Camp Merritt yesterday article many months spent abroad with the c. S. fighting forces. He will probably go to Fort Hancock, Georgia, for demobilization. While away Mr. Fisher was given an opportunity to travel over a large part of Europe on an inspection of the reconstruction work now in progress in that country. The trip was made in company with a large number of other newspaper men the expenses being borbe by the government. Mr. Pisher is connected with a large number of other newspaper men the expenses being borbe by the government. Mr. Pisher is connected with a large number of other newspaper men the expenses being borbe by the government. Mr. Pisher is connected with a large number of other newspaper men the expenses being borbe by the government. Mr. Pisher is connected with a local publication and has a great minny friends who are glad to lear of his arrival in the United States.

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Attorney O. P. Coshow left Sunday for Salem, where he will spend a couple of days attending to import-ant legal matters before the Supreme Court. Attorney Carl Wimberly also is in Salem appearing before the Supreme Court and investigating

CAPTAIN EIVERS OWNERS TO FISH TO HOLD MEETING

Days to Meet Ex-Service

Men and Form Legion.

Legion Magazines Are at News Office and Those Wishing Copies Can Have Same by Simply Asking For Them.

Captain Edward Eivers, state chairman of the American Legion for World's War Veterans, today wired a John McClintock, Bert Bates and James Goodman, of this city, asking that a meeting be called in about two days to meet with him when he two days to meet with him when he visits here. At that time an organization for the veterans residing in Douglas county will be formed and all arrangements made for the conducting of the legion here. Complete details will be announced later and the date of the meeting of the veterans given. Captain Eivers has been touring the state of Oregon in the interest of the legion and is at the present time in Medford and other southern Oregon towns holding meetings with the ex-soldiers, sailors and marines and organizing them. The captain is well known throughout the state and was overseas for over a year serving with

throughout the state and was overseas for over a year serving with the 162d infantry.

The American Legion is growing in popularity daily and hundreds of the boys are affiliating with the organization. The principles of the legion is defined clearly in the preamble of the constitution and its bylaws. Bolshevism and all such radical movements will meet their death at the hands of the legion.

A limited number of the official magazines of the American Legion have been received at The News office and all former soldiers, sailors and marines can have them by simply calling at the office and asking for them. They are very interesting and contain many feature articles that are of unusual interest to former services men

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Let's all get at the wheel and boost and make the Douglas county post of the American Legion, the G. A. R. of the World War, a big success and an important factor in the state of Oregon.

INSURANCE AGENT

John E. Flurry, agency manager of the American Central Life Insur-ance Co., leaves tonight for the com-DAY SINCE 1911

Basel it on both sides of and any fisherman would sharer it he should fasten the bed of the atream to the expressed wish of the functional convention of the functional convention. There will be in attendance all the qualities are fulfilled members of the functional convention. There has made as agency manager for this company has been asked to make an address before the body during the convention. There has made as agency manager for this company has been asked to make an address before the defining the convention. There has made as agency manager for this company has been asked to make a functional convention of the functional co pany's bendquarters at Indianapolis

MASKS FOR OFFICE BUILDING PROTECTION

J. W. Perkins, manager of the Perkins building, is considering the purchase of a number of army gas masks as a part of his fire protec-tion apparatus. Many office build-ings have been gutted by flames on account of the inability of firemen to cope with the strong amoke which oftentimes completely fills hallways and rooms and prevents entrance. W. Perkins, manager of the and rooms and prevents entrance. Mr. Perkins has an excellent system of fire protection and with the pur chase of the masks will be in a po-sition to combat a fire in spite of the smoke. The masks, if procured, will be kept with the other tus on each floor and will be easily found in the event of fire.

FOREST FIRE IN **BOHEMIA DISTRICT**

A forest fire on Steamboat Creek, in the Bohemia district of the Ump-qua National forest reserve, was dis-covered after having burned for two qua National forest reserve, was discovered after having burned for two days and was today put under control. Over 100 scress of fine timber was destroyed. As soon as discovered men were rushed to the scene and after a stubborn fight succeeded in quelling the conflagration which if allowed to continue would have destroyed a great deal of valuable to work in a disastrous manner on property.

ALLIES PROMISED SAHNTUNG TO JAPS

Pact Made in 1917 With The Orientals.

Nebraskan Produces Copies of Correspondence Alleged to Have Passed Between Principles of Deal, Denounces Arragenements.

(By Associated Presa.)
WASHINGTON, July 15.—That Japan intrigued against China in 1917, and by secret pacts made with Great Britain, France, Russia and Italy early in that year, obtained pledges from those governments that when the peace treaty was written it should turn over to Japan the Shantung Peninsula for certain considerations, was charged in the senate this morning by Senator Norris, republican, of Nebraska. To prove his contention Norris produced copies of alleged diplomatic correspondence bearing on the question. The Nebraskan said to ratify the treaty of peace allowing this agreement to be carried out, notwithstanding Mr. Wilson was an expectators. e carried out, notwithstanding Mr. be carried out, notwithstanding.
Wilson was an earnest advocate of
the plan, would write the blackest,
page in the history of the United tates government.

MINE CLAIMS VICTIMS

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WASHINGTON, July 15.—One officer and six enlisted men were killed when the United States mine sweeper Richard H. Buckly was sunk by a German mine in the North Sea July 12. Two other officers were hurt, and two officers and 16 men were rescued. The ship sank in six minutes after the explosion. Captain Frank King remained on the bridge directing the efforts of the crew in getting out the life boats and rafts and went down with the ship. Some of the men lost were trapped below decks.

STRIKES GRIP PTALY.

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ROALE, July 15.—Strike disorders occurred in various places throughout Italy yosterday, and at Lucera eight persons were killed and thirty wounded in the fighting. Near Genoa two anaarchists were killed in a clash with carabineri. A general strike has taken place at Caltanissetta, Sicily, where the people are marching through the streets crying "vive soviet," and forcing dealers in feedstuffs and other necessities to reduce their prices fifty per cent.

OUTLINE FEATURES OF THE CHAUTAUQUA

A. A. Davis representing the Ellison-White Chautauqua, arrived in the city this morning to remain until the engagement is completed here. Any one desiring to know more about the program can consult with Mr. Davis, whose headquarters are at the Umpqua. He will gladly go into detail regarding any of the splendid attractions the Chautauqua has to offer the people of Roseburg this season.

A feature that should not be over-

this season.

A feature that should not be overlooked, said Mr. Davis, is that of
Wm. Jennings Bryan, who is an added attraction to the circuit, but all
season ticket holders will enjoy the
benefits of Mr. Bryan's lecture without any extra cost. It is believed that the list of at-

tractions this year is better than ever without the addition of Mr. Ifryan and his appearance on platform of the circuit is looked upon as assurance that the Ellison-White people are doing all in their power to give the public the very best service obtainable. Mr. Bryan's wonderful ability as an orator is so well known by everybody that there is no question of doubt but that eager listeners wil come to Roseburg from all parts of the county to hear the all parts of the county to hear the

SMALL POX ON DINER.

An S. P. Diner was cut off of rain number 53, southbound, yes-erday morning when it was dis-overed that the negro chef was uffering from an attack of small-nex. Dr. Shoemaker ordered the car solated and gave the other men-ters of the party as insculation. ers of the party an inoculation to revent if possible their contracting he contagious disease.

TRAFFIC SIGN DESTROYED.

A reckless auto driver last night