

**OPENING DANCE TONIGHT**  
AT  
**MELROSE COUNTRY CLUB**  
Four Piece Orchestra  
Lunch

**STEEL COMPANIES TO MERGE**  
NEW YORK, Nov. 26.—Approval of the stockholders of the Republic Iron and Steel company and the Trumbull Steel company was the only requirement needed today for the merger of the two concerns. The directors have voted unanimously to consolidate the companies, John A. Topping, chairman of Republic, announced.

**INTERNATIONAL RIVALRY DRAWS THREAT OF WARS**  
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and revolutionary bands from Vilna. No confirmation has been received of reported revolutionary activities in Ukraine. The Bucharest newspaper Dimineata printed a report of severe fighting but no continental news source has been able to substantiate the report.

**UMATILLA RISING**  
(Associated Press Leased Wire)  
PENDLETON, Ore., Nov. 26.—Rains and melting snows in the Blue Mountains have caused the Umatilla River to become a raging torrent. The river is about the highest it has ever been for November.

**LADY BULLOCK DEAD**  
MELTON, Mowbray, England, Nov. 26.—Lady Victoria Bullock, only daughter of the Earl of Derby, died this afternoon, without gaining consciousness after suffering an injury while hunting with the Quorn hounds, yesterday.

**MINE COMPANY FAILS**  
WEISER, Idaho, Nov. 26.—The Idaho Copper company, owner of the Red Lodge and South Peacock mine in Adams county, Idaho, and the Iron Duke mine in Oregon was placed in receivership here yesterday with Carey H. Nixon, Boise attorney, appointed receiver for the Idaho properties by Judge S. B. Varian. The complaint filed at Council by the Boise Association of Credit Men, sets the total of the debt at \$30,000 and mentions disagreements between the George

**TEAMS CLASH IN SECTIONAL MEETS TODAY**

**Carnegie Tech and Oregon State to Tangle at Portland.**

**COAST SCHOOLS PLAY**

**St. Mary's and Santa Clara to Engage in Annual Combat at San Francisco.**

(Associated Press Leased Wire)  
**SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 26.**—Two inter-sectional clashes and a game that witnessed the settling of a time honored rivalry were on tap today for Pacific coast football fans as the 1927 grid season reached the home stretch.  
From distant Pennsylvania, Judge Walter Steffan brought his Carnegie Tech eleven to battle the Orankemen of Oregon State college at Portland. The records of both teams are marred by several defeats, and a victory today would be a redeeming feature of only a fair season for either team.  
Drake university closed a schedule top-heavy with inter-sectional games by meeting the University of California at Los Angeles in the southern city.  
At San Francisco St. Mary's and Santa Clara colleges met in their annual "little big game."

**Ready at Portland**  
**PORTLAND, Ore., Nov. 26.**—After playing some of the strongest grid machines of the east—teams that included Pittsburgh, Washington and Jefferson, the Tartans of Carnegie Tech made a bid for western laurels in the game here today with Oregon State Agricultural college. The probable lineup:

|               |                 |
|---------------|-----------------|
| Carnegie Tech | P. Oregon State |
| Sweet         | Robbins         |
| Cooper        | Luce            |
| Cowan         | Hadley (c)      |
| Mulliner      | Geddes          |
| Anderson (c)  | Elers           |
| Schmidt       | Schell          |
| English       | Logan           |
| Harpster      | Maple           |
| Moorhead      | Luby            |
| Wertemberger  | Whitlock        |
| Letzelter     | Metten          |

**UMPQUA ROAD IS FAVORED BY CO. TAX LEAGUE**  
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highways recommend the policy of penalizing contractors for non-completion of road contracts and suggest that the county court adhere to this plan in all jobs under way or contemplated.  
"We also recommend the abolishment of the Smith Ferry and the application of funds to the construction of a new bridge at that point."  
"We commend the movement of the Diamond Lake to the Sea Commission and recommend that means be arranged for financing the road at some early date."

**"JOHN ALEXANDER"**  
"C. O. GARRETT"

**Auto Fee Charge Hit**  
A strong resolution protesting any change in auto license fees was introduced and adopted, the resolution being as follows:  
"Since the future development of the entire state of Oregon depends primarily upon the construction of sufficient roads and highways and the extension of those already in service, and  
"Since our present system of highways would soon become impossible and a burden to the state if for any reason the Oregon State Highway Commission were denied sufficient funds with which to maintain our present highways, and  
"Since the present method of obtaining road funds has proven so highly satisfactory for the construction of new roads, and the extension of existing highways and the maintenance thereof, and also the funds obtained at present are apparently sufficient to retire the state road bonds of approximately thirty-five millions of dollars within a reasonable time together with paying the interest rates thereon,  
"Therefore, Be It Resolved, by the Douglas County Taxpayers League, in annual meeting assembled, this twenty-sixth day of November, 1927, that we unanimously oppose any and all movements or legislative measures that will have a tendency to handicap the present highway program as adopted by the Oregon State Highway Commission and that we especially oppose the suggestion for the state to adopt a uniform license fee of \$3.00 on automobiles."  
Be It Further Resolved that a copy of this resolution be furnished to the Oregon State Highway Commission, each member of the Douglas county delegation to the State senate and house of Representatives, and the state press and all other organizations or individuals interested.

**DOUGLAS COUNTY TAXPAYERS LEAGUE**  
R. R. CLARKE, Chairman  
The meeting adjourned at noon following a short discussion regarding the verbal report of the legislative committee. The county court was invited to meet with the league in the afternoon and hear the recommendations to be offered. Of the program for afternoon

discussion were the reports of the matter of the construction of a new courthouse.

**BORN**

**BATES**—To Mr. and Mrs. Bert G. Bates, Saturday Nov. 26, 1927, a 10½ pound girl. The new arrival has been named Sally Zoe.

**COBLE**—To Mr. and Mrs. Fred Coble at their home at 128 Sheridan street, Saturday, November 26, 1927, a daughter.

**FLOODS CAUSE HEAVY LOSSES WITHIN STATE**  
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was removed and the bridge reopened.  
**Roads Damaged**  
Roads throughout Cowitt county have been blocked by slides and washouts and damage is estimated as high as \$50,000.  
Astoria reports that the Nehalem highway south from Astoria will be closed for a week; the Roosevelt highway between Seattle and Tillamook probably longer. Numerous other roads were damaged and traffic is impeded.

**Foley Creek bridge**, on the Roosevelt highway south of Nehalem Bay was taken out by the flood, and the temporary bridge across the Soapstone Creek was swept away. Plans were for a new bridge being erected over this stream also was carried out, closing the highway. Soapstone Creek rose 15 feet in 12 hours.

**Slide Halts Traffic**  
**CORVALLIS, Ore., Nov. 26.**—Heavy rains in past few days have washed out a large section of the Corvallis-Waldport Highway, in the Missouri Bend district, and it is estimated by the local state highway engineers office that a week will be required to remove debris from the highway bridge. Passengers may be detoured around the big slide, but no freight can be moved over the road, reports here said.

Contrary to reports yesterday, it was declared today that the Corvallis-Sewport Highway is open to all kinds of traffic. The water is receding rapidly and conditions in Benton county are expected to be normal by tomorrow.

**EGGENE, Ore., Nov. 26.**—Willamette River was at nine feet Saturday, having risen from 3.5 feet Friday, a distance of more than five feet. It is now the highest it has been this year, as indicated on the gauge of Gerard De Broekert, weather observer. Ten feet is considered flood stage.

**LONGVIEW, Wash., Nov. 26.**—Further damage resulting from unprecedented flood conditions in Cowitt county, caused by torrential downpour Wednesday and Thursday, was believed averted today by cessation of rain. Lewis River, which threatened to overflow dikes and inundate 10,000 acres of rich bottom dairy lands had dropped four feet this morning.

Water in the Columbia, Cowitt and Covecan also was subsiding today.

**ELGAROSE YOUTH SUGGUMBS TO LONG ILLNESS AT HOSPITAL**

Jonas Edward Sjogren passed away this morning at Mercy Hospital following a long illness of typhoid fever. He was 14 years, 8 months and 16 days old. The youth was the son of Mr. and Mrs. Jonas Sjogren of Elgarose and one of a family of ten. Besides his parents he is survived by the following brothers and sisters: Fritz, Stanley, Andy, Olaf, Edna, Elsie, Alma. One child, Ingaborg, is also dead. The body has been removed to the Roseburg Undertaking parlors and funeral arrangements are in charge of M. E. Rittenberg. The date of the services has not been set. Burial will be Monday, Nov. 27, at 2 p. m. in the cemetery. Rev. Knop Sanden of Gresham will officiate. The funeral will be at the Elgarose church and burial in the cemetery there.

Lee Obivant, Looking Glass rancher, was in Roseburg visiting friends and attending to business affairs on Friday.

**ROSEBURG JUNIOR HIGH PLAYING AT MEDFORD**

The Roseburg Junior high school football team left early this morning for Medford to play the Junior high school team of that city. The Medford team recently came here, the game resulting in a tie score, 7 to 7. A number of fans and students accompanied the team on the trip.

**DAILY WEATHER REPORT**

U. S. Weather Bureau Office, Roseburg, Oregon. Data reported by Arthur W. Pugh, Meteorologist in charge.  
Barometric pressure (reduced to sea level) 5 a. m. 30.07  
Relative humidity 5 p. m. yesterday (over cast) 62  
Highest temperature yesterday 62  
Lowest temperature last night 44  
Average temperature for the day 53  
Normal temperature for this date 44  
Precipitation, last 24 hours .53  
Total precip. since first of month .53  
Normal precip. for this month 4.80  
Total precip. for the month 1.37  
Total precip. for Sept. 1, 1927, to date 7.39  
Average precip. from Sept. 1, 1927 7.35  
Total excess since Sept. 1, 1927 .54  
Average seasonal precip. Sept. to May, inclusive 31.12  
Forecast for southwest Oregon: Unsettled with probably rain to night and Sunday, normal temperature.

**FORMER RESIDENT OF COUNTY DIES AT KLAMATH FALLS**

News of the death of W. F. Arant, former Douglas county man and well known here and in the state for his efficiency in recent years as superintendent of the Crater Lake national park, has been received in Roseburg. Mr. Arant, who has been making his home in Ashland, recently went to Klamath Falls, where he underwent an operation from which he never recovered, death resulting on Wednesday.

He was the son of Jesse T. and Mary Jane (Emmett) Arant and was born September 29, 1850, in Tazewell county, Illinois. The father was born east of Nashville, Tennessee, where he was the mother's birth occurred at Mount Pulaski, Pa., in the year of 1828. Jesse T. Arant went to Illinois with his father in 1830 and in the same year his future wife arrived in that state. After their marriage Jesse T. and Mary Jane Arant continued to reside in Illinois until 1854 when in March of that year they left their home in the middle west, crossing the plains with ox teams to Oregon. They arrived at the Sandy river in September and located near the present site of Harrisburg in Linn county. After a year they moved to Douglas county, where some of their relatives and friends had previously settled. The father secured a donation claim of three hundred and twenty acres seven miles north-west of Roseburg in September of 1853 and this property is still in possession of the family, having been taken over by W. F. Arant. The parents resided there until 1871, after which they spent a few years in Klamath county and then returned to the old home farm. The father devoted his entire life to farming and stock-raising and death occurred in 1895, while his wife died in 1902. They were the parents of twelve children, six of whom are now living.

W. F. Arant resided with his parents until he attained his majority. In the fall of 1872 he went to Klamath county, where he engaged in stock-raising and later also took up farming, following both pursuits for thirty years. On the 22nd of May, 1902, the Crater Lake National Park was created by act of Congress and in August of the same year Mr. Arant was appointed superintendent of the park, which position he held until a few years ago. During his care of the park, Mr. Arant took great pride in making it one of the attractive national parks of the country and his practical methods and sound judgment were manifest in the work of improvement that has been conducted.  
On the 29th of October, 1871, Mr. Arant was married to Miss Emma L. Dunham, who was born in Livingston county, Missouri. She also crossed the plains with her parents, coming west in 1844. Unto Mr. and Mrs. Arant were born four sons, E. L., farmer and stockman of Klamath county; Chauncey F., dairy farmer of Ashland; Herbert Lincoln, dairyman and stock-raiser of Klamath county; and Jay J., stockman of Klamath county.

**MISS BAKER WEDS SEATTLE MAN TODAY**

Miss Beulah Baker, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Baker of Edenbower, and R. L. Fuqua of Seattle were married at a quiet ring ceremony this morning at the offices of the justice of the peace. The wedding was attended only by parents by the bride, Mrs. Fuqua is well known in the younger set, has been a student of Roseburg high school, and has a wide circle of friends in this city. Mr. Fuqua is employed by an oil company station in Seattle and he and his bride left immediately following the ceremony for the Washington city, where they will make their home.

**HERMANN CASE HEARD TODAY IN CIRCUIT COURT**

The case of Schiller Hermann against Elbert Hermann, an action for money, continued in the circuit court today. Practically the entire day was taken up by the examination of the plaintiff, who placed in evidence a number of letters that passed between the two men regarding the alleged obligation. It is claimed by the plaintiff that the defendant owes him \$1,247, while the defendant sets up a counter claim of \$2,500 due for legal services. Attorneys Compton and Eddy appear for the plaintiff and Attorney Abraham for the defense.

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**NICARAGUAN TROOPS TAKE AMERICAN FLAG**

(Associated Press Leased Wire)  
**SAN SALVADOR, Salvador, Nov. 26.**—Newspapers here today publish details of a fight at Las Cruces, Nicaragua, in which the Liberal general Sandino routed government troops and captured the federal supply train and an American flag. The Salvadoran papers say that an airplane crashed and its crew was killed.

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**FOR SALE**—Sheep and turkey ranch, \$11 per acre, 2 miles from highway; farm buildings; well watered; well fenced; open range, 100 acres plow land. One of the best sheep ranches in Douglas county. Terms: 2 small sheep ranches, on good roads. One small ranch for rent. C. Merrill, 504 Mill St.

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**Markets**

(Associated Press Leased Wire)  
**PORTLAND, Ore., Nov. 26.**—Quotations on the local produce markets are holding steady with but few fluctuations today. On the dairy exchange butter market the only change in prices is a rise in the quotations on first which advanced a cent to 44 cents. Other grades are steady at Friday's prices. Demand for butter is good and yesterday an inquiry from the south went unfilled as there was no available surplus to ship. There are no changes in egg prices on the dairy exchange today.  
In the poultry department prices continue weak with small demand. Hens are lower, due to oversupply not moved to the Thanksgiving trade. Top prices on heavy hens is around 21 cents while light hens are selling as low as 14. Springs are quoted 18¢24 cents.  
Country dressed meats are steady but there are decided signs of weakness in the hog division. Veal is quoted 16¢17 cents while hogs are 13 cents down.  
Few changes in prices on the produce market are in evidence today and the market is heavy following the unusual pre-holiday activity. Yakima netted gem potatoes are easy at \$1.50 for number

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**R. W. Achor**  
Presbyterian Church.

**In Fall Trial**

The ladies of the M. E. Church will hold their Christmas bazaar and home cooked food sale on Dec. 10th in the Mathews Bldg., formerly occupied by A. T. Lawrence.

**ASSASSINATION IS ATTEMPTED IN VIENNA**

**VIENNA, Nov. 26.**—An unsuccessful attempt to assassinate Dr. Seltz, mayor of Vienna, was made this afternoon.

Dr. Seltz, one of the Austrian signers of the treaty of peace with the allied powers in 1919 was shot at as he was leaving an auditorium. The assailant was arrested.

**JAP STEAMSHIP GOING TO PIECES**

**ABERDEEN, Wash., Nov. 28.**—Convinced at last that there was no hope for the Japanese steamer, "Tepanisan Maru," which went ashore Thursday morning on Coquille Beach, 15 miles northwest of here, the 46 officers and men of the ship's crew started coming ashore today. About twenty men came ashore in life boats and the others were riding a coast guard breeches buoy to safety.

The ship is still resting upright on the sandy beach, listing only slightly to starboard. She is being kept up well under the battering of



Admiral J. K. Robison is one of the witnesses summoned in the trial of former Secretary of the Interior Albert B. Fall and Harry F. Sinclair on charges of conspiracy to defraud the government.

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